



Welcome to
Freshman and
New Student
Presentation
October 17,
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LEWIS HIGH SCHOOL



Agenda

- Staff Introductions
- College and Career Center
- Diploma Types
- Graduation Requirements
- Post-Secondary Options



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Meet the Lewis High School Counselors!



Ms. Rogin-Elliott



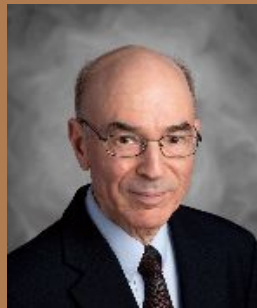
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Meet our College and Career Center Specialist!

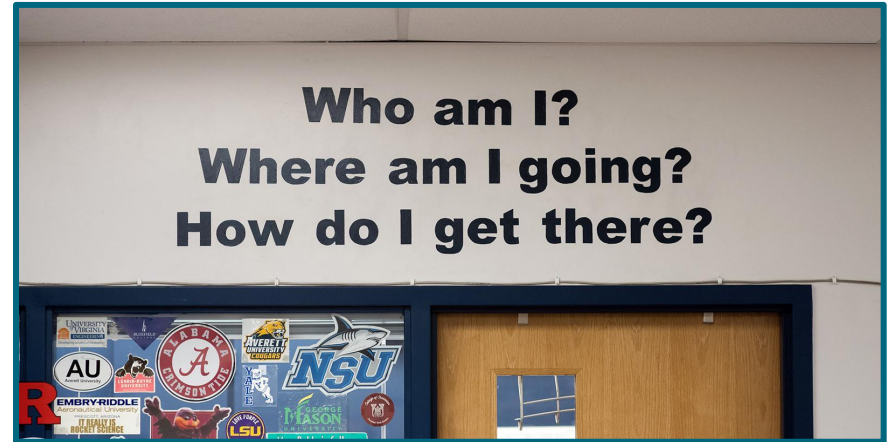


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- College Information
- Employment Opportunities
- Financial Aid
- Career Information 
- Scholarships
- Info Via Naviance

How can the College and Career Specialist Help?!



Standard Diploma Course Requirements



- ▶ 22 standard credits, 5 of which must be verified credits
 - ▶ A **standard** credit is earned when a student passes a course
 - ▶ A **verified** credit is earned when a student passes a course and either the associated end-of-course SOL test or an authentic performance assessment in the areas of history and social sciences and English (writing)

Subject Area	Standard Credits	Verified Credits
English	4	2
Mathematics ¹	3	1
Laboratory Science ^{2, 5}	3	1
History and Social Sciences ^{3, 5}	3	1
Health and Physical Education	2	
World Language, Fine Arts or Career and Technical Ed ⁶	2	
Economics & Personal Finance	1	
Electives ⁴	4	
AP, HN, or IB Course or Career and Technical Education Credential ⁷		
First Aid/CPR/AED Training ⁸		
Total Credits ^{9, 10}	22	5

Advanced Diploma Course Requirements



- ▶ 26 standard credits, 5 of which must be verified credits
 - ▶ A **standard** credit is earned when a student passes a course
 - ▶ A **verified** credit is earned when a student passes a course and either the associated end-of-course SOL test or an authentic performance assessment in the areas of history and social sciences and English (writing)

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History and Social Sciences ³	4	1
World Language ⁴	3	
Health and Physical Education	2	
Fine Arts or Career and Technical Ed	1	
Economics & Personal Finance	1	
Electives ⁵	3	
AP, HN, or IB Course or Career and Technical Education Credential ⁶		
First Aid/CPR/AED Training ⁷		
Total Credits ^{8,9}	26	5

5 POST-GRADUATION PATHWAYS



Work



Military

Two/Four-year
Colleges



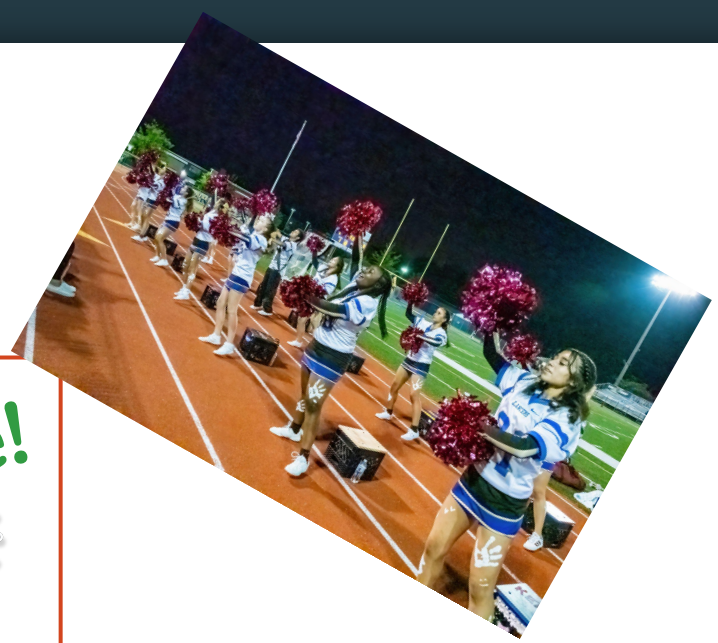
Trades,
Apprenticeships,
Career-related
Programs



Gap Year



Good Advice!



Get Good Grades

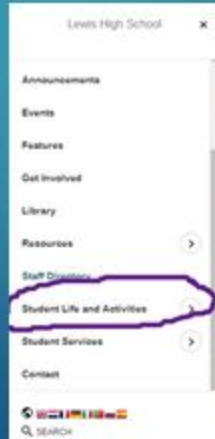
Tips for Students



- Utilize Advisory time
- Late bus day (after school help on Wednesdays)
- Complete assignments on time
- Make up missed assignments
- Listen and participate in class
- Use Schoology, take good notes
- Monitor grades online (ParentVUE and StudentVUE)

Getting Involved: Where to Find Opportunities

- ▶ **Step 1:** Go to <https://lewishs.fcps.edu/>
- ▶ **Step 2:** Click "FULL MENU" on the top left
- ▶ **Step 3:** Click "Student Life and Activities"
- ▶ **Step 4:** Choose from Athletics, Clubs, Student Government, etc.



A Few Upcoming Dates/Reminders

- First Quarter Ends (11/03)! (2-hour Early Release).
- Students will be Off on Monday (11/06).
- Students will be off on Tuesday (11/07)
- Report Cards will be passed out in Advisory
- Signs of Suicide Lesson (SOS) will be 11/14 for 9th graders and 12/11 for 11th graders.
- All A and AB Honor Roll Celebrations are coming!
- January: We begin Academic Advising for next year. Counselors will meet with students.
- If student will be absent, please call attendance number : 703-924-8312



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