Things to keep in mind as you select electives for $9^{\text {th }}$ Grade at Greenwich High School:

- Freshmen are encouraged to select the electives that interest them the most.
- Meeting the Career/Life Skills credit requirement is the easiest, because most students take World Language beyond the two-year requirement, and courses in the AVID and Academic Lab programs meet the Career/Life Skills credit.
- The combination of: English + Global Studies + Biology + Math + World Language + Health + Physical Education $=5.5$ credits
- Students have 1.5 credits left for electives to $=7$ credits
- Here are some samples of elective choices that combine with the 5.5 credits in core academics above to achieve a course schedule containing 6.5 to 7 credits:

| Concert Choir FY 6 | 1.0 | AVID FY 6 | 1.0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Intro to Music Theory S1 3 | . 25 | Intro to Electronic Music S1 3 | . 25 |
| Intro Video Production S2 3 | . 25 | Art Experience S2 3 | . 25 |
| Total Credits = | 7.0 | Total Credits = | 7.0 |
| Intro to Design A S1 6 | . 5 | On Stage S1 6 | . 5 |
| Intro to Design B S2 6 | . 5 | Comedy Improv S1 3 | . 25 |
| Total Credits = | 6.5 | Acting 1 S2 6 | . 5 |
| Total Credits $=$ | 6.5 | Total Credits = | 6.75 |
| Concert Orchestra FY 6 | 1.0 | Theater Workshop S1 6 | . 5 |
| Total Credits = | 6.5 | Theater Workshop S2 6 | . 5 |
|  |  | Total Credits = | 6.5 |
| Comedy Improv S1 6 | . 5 |  |  |
| Art Experience S1 3 | . 25 | Design \& Build FY 6 | 1.0 |
| Intro to Programming A S2 6 | . 5 | Intro Drawing S1 3 | . 25 |
| Art in Nature S2 3 | . 25 | Intro Print Making S2 3 | . 25 |
| Total Credits = | 7.0 | Total Credits = | 7.0 |
| Entrepreneurship S1 6 | . 5 | Concert Band FY 6 | 1.0 |
| Marketing S2 6 | . 5 | Intro to Graphics Tech FY 3 | . 5 |
| Cardinal Cooks S2 3 | . 25 | Total Credits = | 7.0 |
| Total Credits = | 6.75 |  |  |
|  |  | Intro to Programming A S1 6 | . 5 |
| Fashion S1 6 | . 5 | Intro to Programming B S2 6 | . 5 |
| Fashion S1 3 | . 25 | Beginning Band FY 3 | . 5 |
| Advanced Fashion S2 6 | . 5 | Total Credits = | 7.0 |
| Total Credits = | 6.75 |  |  |
|  |  | Baking \& Pastry Arts S1 6 | . 5 |
| Beginning Band FY 3 | . 5 | Interior Design S2 6 | . 5 |
| Intro to Graphics Tech FY 3 | . 5 | Cardinal Cooks S2 3 | . 25 |
| Total Credits = | 6.5 | Total Credits = | 6.75 |

