Handout #2

REQUIRED NINTH GRADE COURSES

All ninth graders will be programmed for one credit of English, Math, Science and Social Studies. Ninth graders will also be scheduled for 1/2 credit of physical education. Students will receive a teacher recommendation for each subject listed below, plus a world language recommendation if applicable. Please refer to the online version of the Shaker High School Course Catalog for detailed course descriptions. In addition, please review the requirements for high school graduation listed in the course catalog. Note: a (P) following a course title indicates there is a prerequisite for the course.

ENGLISH COURSES

011	English 9H (P)	1 Unit	Full Year Course
012	English 9R	1 Unit	Full Year Course

MATH COURSES

212	Algebra 1 (P)	1 Unit	Full Year Course
213	Unified 1 Algebra (P)	1 Unit	Full Year Course
215	Common Core Algebra 1A (P)	1 Unit	Full Year Course
221	Geometry Honors (P)*	1 Unit	Full Year Course
222	Geometry Regents (P)*	1 Unit	Full Year Course

*Courses 221 and 222 are for students who have successfully completed Algebra 1.

SCIENCE COURSES

312	Unified Biology 1	1 Unit	Full Year Course
322	Biology R (P)*	1 Unit	Full Year Course

*All students enrolled in 322 Biology R will be afforded the opportunity to earn "Honors" status through the completion of additional project-based work throughout the school year.

SOCIAL STUDIES COURSES

110	Advanced World History 9 (P)	1 Unit	Full Year Course
111	Global History 9H (P)	1 Unit	Full Year Course
112	Global History 9R	1 Unit	Full Year Course

PHYSICAL EDUCATION COURSES

903/904	Freshman Physical Education (PE 9)*	1/2 Unit	Semester 1 and 2
905PF/906PF	PE Performance Fitness*	1/2 Unit	Semester 1 and 2
*Students may elect to take Freshman Physical Education or Performance Fitness (if available)			

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