

GALENA HIGH SCHOOL

8th Grade Registration: Class of 2027

Welcome to Galena, future Grizzlies! We are excited to welcome you for the 2023-24 school year. To register for your freshman year classes, please carefully read the following:

I. Your pink Course Selection Form needs to be returned to Galena.

- **Students that attend Herz:** you may return your pink form to the Galena counselors when the counselors visit your middle school in February.
- **Students that attend all other middle schools:** Please see bolded note below first! After you are properly enrolled, you may email your Course Selection Form to your Galena counselor (counselors are assigned by last name, and information can be found on the Galena website in February for freshman counselor assignments for 23-24 school year).

*****If you currently attend a private/charter school and/or are new to WCSD for the 23-24 school year: please contact our registrar, Rosa Alvarez, for information on enrollment and registration FIRST! Student course requests cannot be entered in our system until they are properly enrolled first! Email: Rosa.Alvarez@WashoeSchools.net*****

II. All freshman students are required to take 7 classes:

- 1) **English:** honors or regular
 - 2) **Math:** Algebra 1, Geometry or Formal Geometry; if you have successfully completed Geometry in 8th grade, you may select Algebra 2.
 - 3) **Biology:** honors or regular; if you have successfully completed biology in 8th grade and have the appropriate math background, you may select Chemistry
 - 4) **Health / Comp Sci + Apps:** these are two separate courses, and each class is one semester in length
 - 5) **Academic Success: complete reverse side of pink form for academic success choice options!**
 - 6) **Elective** (your choice): please note only those electives available for freshman are listed on your pink course selection form
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 - 8) **ALTERNATES:** You will also need to select TWO 'alternate' elective choices
- *We strongly encourage you to sign up for PE (or Military Science) as one of your elective choices. TWO years (2.0 credits) of PE/Military Science are required to graduate!*
- All course descriptions can be found in our "Course Offerings Booklet" which is on our website (<https://www.washoeschools.net/galena>). Graduation requirements and diploma types are also reviewed in this booklet.
- Your parent/guardian needs to review and approve your course selections before you submit your form **AND** parents/guardians also need to complete online registration for the 2023-24 school year!
- **REMINDER:** Please turn your pink form in ASAP so we can get you enrolled in your courses!

THANK YOU and WELCOME TO GALENA!