

## Welcome!

## **Entry Task:**

- Make sure you get a number as you walk in
- 2. Sign on to Chromebook or log in to computer
- 3. Be ready to begin at the bell!

## **Know Before You Go**

Look at the <u>number</u> on your slip of paper. Go stand by that <u>same number</u> on the sign

Pre-requisite

AP

HSBP

Electives

MS for HS Credit

Credits

Naviance

GPA

Post-Secondary

Transcript

## High Schools in our District

Everett High School

Cascade High School

H. M. Jackson High School Sequoia High School









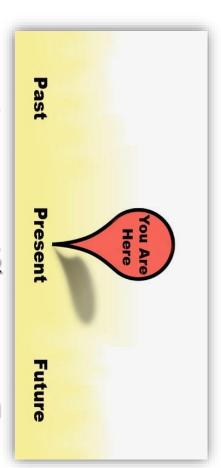
\*Click the button to be taken to the school website.

## HSBP 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Lessons

7<sup>th</sup> Grade S.M.A.R.T Goals

**Exploring Careers** 

**KBYG & Goal Reflection** 





# KNOW BEFORE YOU GO (KBYG)

**Naviance Family Connection** 

http://connection.naviance.com/eisenhowerms

http://connection.naviance.com/evergreenmid

http://connection.naviance.com/gatewayms

http://connection.naviance.com/heatherwoodms

http://connection.naviance.com/northmid



## **Lesson Tasks**

Understand the critical vocabulary related to middle school and high school academic requirements.

Understand that credits lead to high school graduation and opens doors to post-secondary options.

Reflect on your 7<sup>th</sup> grade goal progress and prepare for 8<sup>th</sup> grade.



## **Learning Outcomes**

Students will understand the critical vocabulary that is key to "know before you go" (KBYG) to high school and beyond.

Building this knowledge early allows students to take more ownership in their learning and planning for the future.

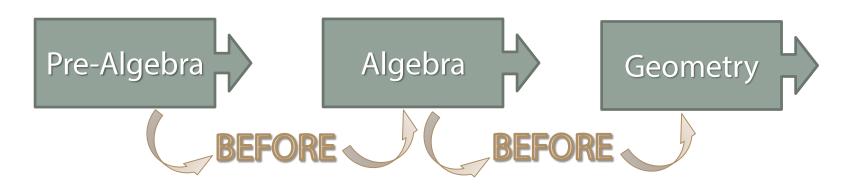


# **KBYGTERMS**

## #1 - Pre-requisite

As you get ready to take classes each year, some classes you must fulfill the pre-requisite class to be eligible.

See the example of math below:



#### #2 - Honors

As you sign up for classes, think about challenging yourself to take more rigorous courses with the title of **honors**.

These classes will help you prepare for higher level courses in high school.

## #3 - Post-secondary Options

Post-secondary refers to your college, training and/or career plans after high school graduation.

Thinking about where you want to be in the future will help you make decisions about the courses you take in high school to achieve your future goals.

#### **Post-Secondary Options**

Apprenticeship

Community College

**Employment** 

Four-Year College & University

Internship

Military

Technical & Trade College

## #4 - High School & Beyond Plan

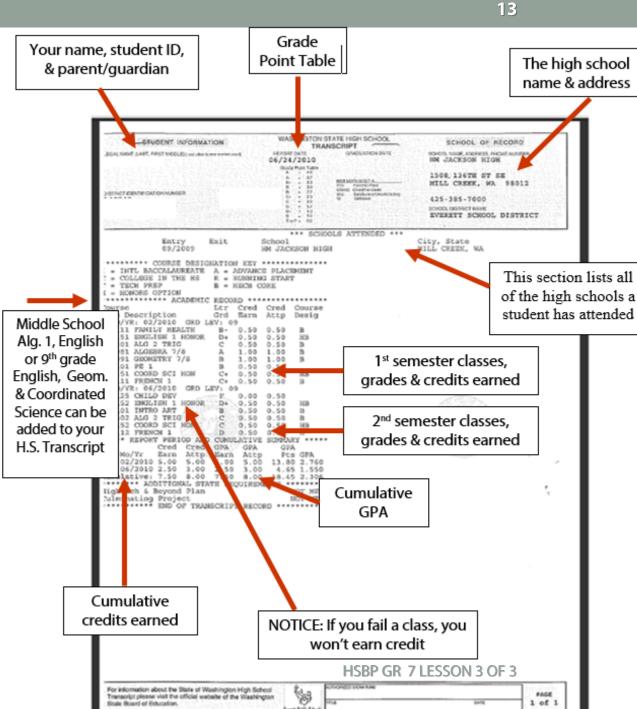
The **High School and Beyond Plan** is designed to help students think about their future goals and how to accomplish them.

This includes exploring interests and career options, developing a course plan for high school, and exploring opportunities to develop skills.

Students start their plans in 8<sup>th</sup> grade and then revise them throughout high school based on their changing interests or goals.

#### #5 - Transcript

Your transcript is a paper summarizing your classes, grades, and cumulative GPA.



#### #6 - GPA

Based on the grades you earn each semester, your GPA or *Grade Point Average* is calculated.

#### This number indicates the average of the grades you receive

\*Most schools use a point system from 0-4.

A = 4.0 points

A- = 3.7 points

B+ = 3.3 points

B = 3.0 points

B- = 2.7 points

C+ = 2.3 points

C = 2.0 points

C- = 1.7 points

D = 1.0 points

F = 0.0 points

#### #7 - Credit

For every class you pass each semester you receive 0.5 credit.



\*In high school, you will need 24 credits total in 4-years to graduate.

#### #8 - Naviance

Available to all middle and high school students and families.

#### Personalized, online tool to help students...

- Set personal goals and tasks;
- Build concrete steps to college and career planning
- Search for colleges and training programs
- Explore careers based on personal skills and interests
- Choose courses to design draft 4-year course plans



#### #9 - MS for HS Credit

When students enter high school, the registrar distributes letters to students with eligible middle school courses for high school credit.

Students and families sign off on the specific school courses to be added to the high school transcript.

Once added, they cannot be removed.

Algebra

**English 1** 

Geometry

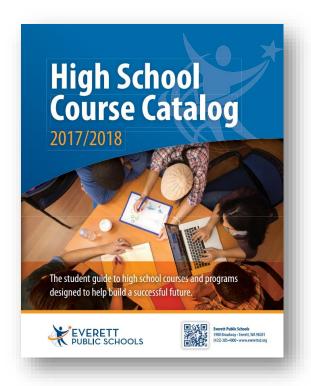
**Washington State History** 

Coordinated Science Spanish 1

#### #10 - Electives

Throughout high school you will take exploratory classes based on your personal interests called **"elective"** classes.

Names of the courses and descriptions are found in the course catalog.



## #11 - Advanced Placement (AP)

Many colleges will award credit or waive requirements for demonstrated proficiency through the AP exams.

Students can begin taking AP courses as early as 9<sup>th</sup> grade.

\*If you are interested in AP courses, also check out the AP Capstone program.





# BACKTO COMPUTERS...

## Log-in to Naviance Family Connection

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username: student ID

password: last 4-digits of your
student ID + 2-digits for the day you
were born





#### Year 2 of Middle School...Almost Done

At the beginning of **7**<sup>th</sup> **grade**, you used **Naviance Family Connection** to create a **S.M.A.R.T** goal for yourself.

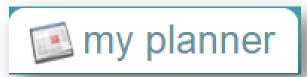
Now it is time to reflect and evaluate your progress towards achieving your goal.

You will also have an opportunity to think about 8th grade and your "next steps."



## Accessing Your Goal in Naviance

Click on the my planner tab



Click the **Goals** tab





To-do List

Tasks Assigned to Me

Click the edit icon to access your

7<sup>th</sup> grade S.M.A.R.T goal.-



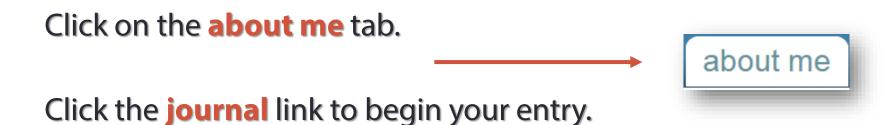
Read and review what you wrote for each part of S.M.A.R.T



## Adding a Journal Entry

In Naviance Family Connection you can use the **journal** tool to keep track of notes, files, and things you want to remember.

Using the **journal** you will write two ideas for goal topics that you will focus on starting in the fall of your 8<sup>th</sup> grade year.



interesting things about me

> portfolio
> favorite colleges

> journal



Goal Topics and Ideas

Click the link to + add new entry.

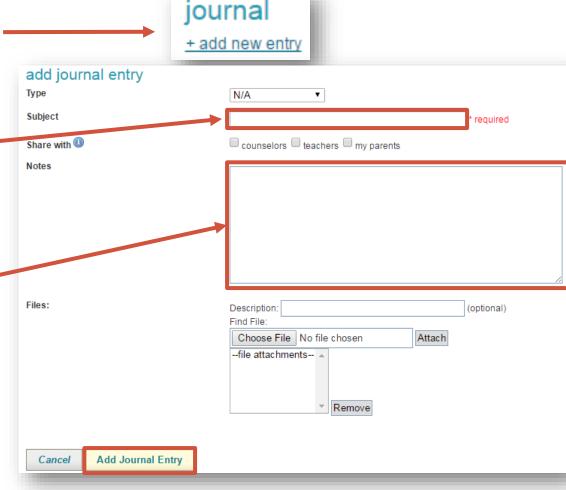
In the **subject** area, type **8**<sup>th</sup> **grade goal ideas**.

Notes = 2 sentences

**Sentence #1:** In 7<sup>th</sup> grade my goal was focused on

Sentence #2: In 8<sup>th</sup> grade I will need to focus

continue making progress.





# **COMPLETE THE LESSON**



## Complete the Lesson...

To complete the lesson click the **my planner** tab in Naviance Family Connection. Click **Tasks Assigned to Me** and then the link to the **HSBP GR 7 Lesson 3 Survey – Goal Reflection.** Please respond to the brief questions.

my planner

Tasks Assigned to Me

## Stay Up to Date by Following...







- Get the most current updates without logging in!
- Instant notifications and Naviance information comes directly to you!
- See what is happening around our district with Naviance!

## Naviance Questions?

If you have any questions, please contact <a href="mailto:naviance@everettsd.org">naviance@everettsd.org</a>. Be sure to provide your name and school.

To check messages sent to you through Naviance Family Connection, login and click the link for your **messages** on the right-hand side.

To contact your counselor, click the **contact us** link.

