

Welcome New Northwood Families!

This document is meant to provide you with all of the information for signing up for courses for the 2024-25 school year.

For starters, here is a link to the complete [Program of Course Offerings](#) from our website. Once you have had a chance to review the offerings, you should complete [this request form](#) for the classes you think your child should be in.

A standard course load at Northwood School is five classes per semester, though some students do choose to take more than that, depending on their travel schedule, etc. All students will participate in Northwood Seminar, Co-curriculars, and all except seniors will participate in LEAP in addition to their five courses. In choosing your classes, you should take into consideration previously taken courses and grades achieved, graduation requirements, overall workload balance, college and career goals, and personal interests.

Below are some short videos with further information to help you gain a better understanding of some of our unique academic programming. I strongly encourage you to watch these videos before making your selections.

Noël Carmichael, Dean of Faculty and Academic Affairs, on the [Academic Innovations](#) related to teaching and learning at Northwood School.

Heather Odell, Director of the Language and Culture Lab, on the [Language Lab Curriculum and Instruction](#).

Stacy Prime, Chief Innovation Officer, on our new [Peak Pathways elective program](#).

Lastly, once you have made your selections, if you would like a conference to review and discuss your choices prior to the beginning of the school year, you may [use this link to request an appointment](#). Note: Appointments for new students will begin after the 2024 Northwood Commencement on May 18th though you may submit your selections before that time if you would like to.

Thank you and we look forward to welcoming you to the Northwood community.

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