



MINOOKA COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT #111

Mission: To inspire and motivate our students with an educational experience that leads to achievement and success.

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The window of time for students to establish residency and complete course selection for the 2020-2021 school year, is now open, and MCHS would like to share with you the attached instructions and/or items required of all families in order for you to complete this process. **Please read the instructions attached to this letter prior to beginning the online residency process and course selection.** The online window for completion of the residency process and course selection is January 8, through January 15, 2020.

If you have any questions regarding the completion of the residency process, please feel free to contact Stephanie Ledesma, Assistant Registrar, at 815-521-2366. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the course selection, please contact your student's counselor.

Thank you,

Matt Wikoff
Assistant Principal

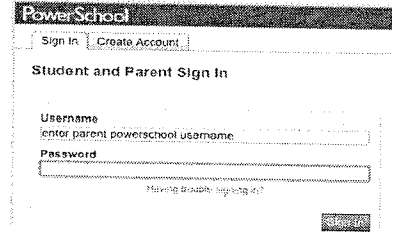
Part 1

Instructions for MCHS Residency - Class of 2023

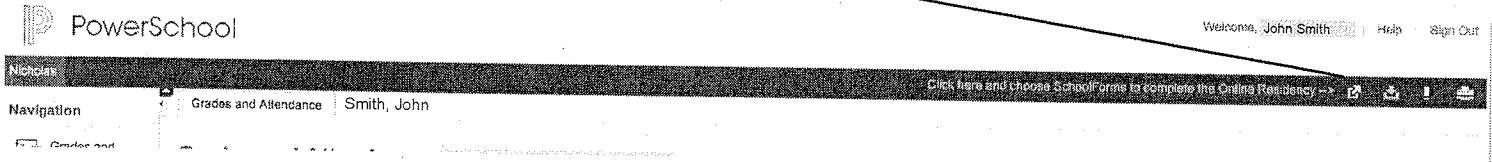
Online residency and course selection will be open on January 8 through January 15, 2020

1. Log into PowerSchool using your parent account

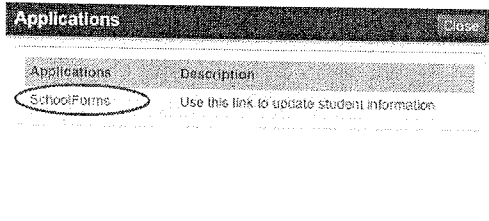
If you do not have your Powerschool username and password, please contact Kyle Johnson at kjohnson@mchs.net with your student's name and grade level. You will receive an email with your username and password within 2-3 days. Please note: a computer kiosk is available at Central & South Campus for those families that do not have computer/Internet access at home.



2. Once you are logged into PowerSchool on the right-hand side you will see click here and choose SchoolForms to complete the Online Residency; click on the box with the arrow.

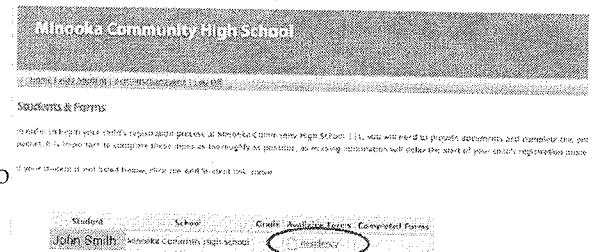


3. Click SchoolForms



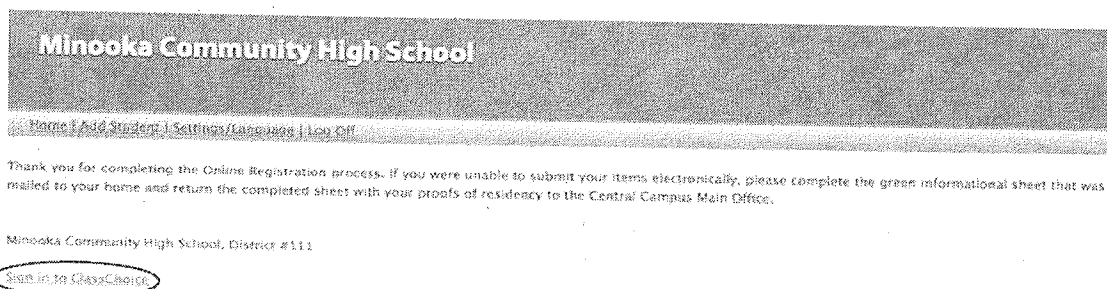
4. You will now begin the Residency process by clicking on "Residency"

All students/families must provide Minooka Community High School District #111 with two acceptable proofs of residency. A detailed listing of what items are acceptable proofs of residency can be found on the orange informational sheet. You will be able to submit these items electronically as part of this process, but please note that you must have these items available at the time you register online, as you are not able to log back in to the system to submit them at a later time. If you are unable to submit these items electronically, please complete the enclosed orange informational sheet and return the sheet and your proofs of residency to the high school main office at either campus. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Stephanie Ledesma, Assistant Registrar, at 815-521-2366.



Enter all of the required information on each form and click **Save Form**. Continue through each form until you have completed the residency process. The last screen will inform you that you have completed the residency process. Be sure to click **Confirm Form to Complete** on the confirmation page before you click **Save Form**.

5. Once the online residency process is completed, and you have hit the "submit" button, you will be taken to the following window. Please click on "Sign in to ClassChoice" to complete Part 2 of the Residency and ClassChoice process.



Part 2

Instructions for MCHS Residency - Class of 2023

Online residency and course selection will be open on January 8 through January 15, 2020

IMPORTANT! Before you begin, please make sure you have your course selection sheet.

1. Click on **Add Special**

This is where you will find resource. Any class with a [2] behind the name means it is a second semester course. If you register for Band and/or Choir you must select a Resource also. You may register for both Band and Choir. *Disclaimer-If you choose to register for 8 classes (no resource), a guidance counselor will take your course selection and try to accommodate your request to the best of their ability.*

If there is a special request class you want to take, click the box next to the course(s) name, and then click Save Requests. If you did not add any classes, you will still need to click save requests to move on to the next page.

Requests Request by Course Number	
Step: 1 Special Add Special	
Total Special Hours	.00
Step: 2 Core Add Core	
Total Core Hours	.00
Step: 3 Electives Complete Core Requirements	
Total Electives Hours	.00
Total Requested Hours	.00

2. Click on **Add Core**, add your core classes, and then click on Save Requests. *(Please note that you only need to sign-up for the first semester of that particular course. The program will automatically register you for the second semester.)* On this page you will see required core classes listed, such as English, Math, Science, and Social Studies.

Please refer to your course selection sheet to ensure you request the correct level of each core. Don't worry about making a mistake; your counselor will meet with you individually to review your selections. After you have selected your core courses, click on Save Requests. If you have not completed selecting your core classes, the program will not allow you to add elective courses.

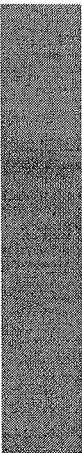
3. Click on **Add Electives**, choose an elective area from the drop down menu, and then click on Save Requests.

NOTE: In order to enroll in Nutrition and Foods I and II in the same school year, the student must first click on Nutrition and Foods I, then click save requests, then go back in to Add Electives to add Nutrition and Foods II. This step is required for all courses that have a pre-requisite.

If you register for Band or Choir you must select a resource also. *Disclaimer- If you choose to register for 8 classes (no resource), a guidance counselor will take your course selection and try to accommodate your request to the best of their ability.*

The red bar in the middle of the screen will gradually turn to green as you complete your course requests. Once you have chosen 16 courses, the bar will be entirely green and your schedule is full. (You are finished!)

Summary	
Full Schedule Hours:	16.00
Total Hours Requested:	0.00
Hours Needed:	16.00



Print out a copy of your requests for your records.

[Print Requests](#)

Please be aware that depending on your achievement scores, your SRI score, and teacher recommendations, your required core classes may be altered from the choice you select. You will be informed of any necessary changes during counselor pick up at your school.



MINOOKA COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT #111

Please complete this informational sheet and return the sheet and your proofs of residency to the Central Campus Main Office if you are unable to submit these items electronically.

Student Name: _____

Student I.D. #: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name: _____

Residency Proofs

Any two (2) of the following examples may be used to prove residency. Examples must be current (within the last two months unless otherwise noted) and must show an address and service address (if applicable) in MCHS District #111. Bill/payment stubs, "deposit required" letters, or any bill indicating a service may be or is interrupted or disconnected due to an unpaid balance are not acceptable proofs of residency.

IF YOU ARE A PROPERTY OWNER:

A minimum of two (2) of the following:

- _____ Electric Bill
- _____ Gas Bill
- _____ Water Bill
- _____ Land Line Phone Bill
- _____ Cable TV Bill
- _____ Internet Bill
- _____ Real Estate Tax Bill (last issued)
- _____ Warranty Deed (closing within the last 30 days)

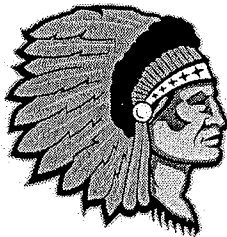
IF YOU ARE A RENTER:

A Copy of a Valid Lease (must include landlord contact information) must be submitted with one (1) of the following:

- _____ Valid Renter's Insurance Policy
- _____ Electric Bill
- _____ Gas Bill
- _____ Water Bill
- _____ Land Line Phone Bill
- _____ Cable TV Bill
- _____ Internet Bill

For your convenience you may submit your proofs via email, fax, mail or bring them to the main office listed below.

Attention Stephanie Ledesma
Minooka Community High School
301 South Wabena Avenue
Minooka, IL 60447
sledesma@mchs.net
815-521-2366 (phone)
815-467-2090 (fax)



MINOOKA

COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

District #111 mchs.net

Mission: Strengthen Mastery, Collaboration, High Expectations, and Success for All Students.

All sophomore, junior, & senior students interested in Driver's Education at Minooka Community High School during 2020-21 School Year

Fall 2020 & Spring 2021

- **Students must have successfully completed 8 credit hours** in the previous 2 semesters.
- Students are enrolled in 1st or 2nd semester driver's education based on their birthday. Oldest students in 1st semester/younger students in 2nd semester. Typically, if your birthday is before February 1st you get placed in 1st semester, if your birthday is after February 1st you get placed in 2nd semester. This varies slightly each year. All students must be 15 years by the time they take their permit test.
- The testing for the permit applications for students enrolled in Fall 2020 will be Tuesday April 21st through Friday April 24th. Students will receive their Rules of the Road booklet Monday 4/6 or Tuesday 4/7. All students will get their Rules of the Road booklets and do their testing during their Physical Education or Health class.
- Spring Driver's Ed students would do their permit testing in November 2020 and receive their permits at the beginning of December.
- Cost for Driver's Education during the school year is \$175.

Summer Driver Ed 2020

- **Must pass 8 credit hours** in the previous 2 semesters.
- Summer Driver Ed 2020 begins Wednesday, May 27th and ends Tuesday, June 23rd. **The classroom portion meets the minimum number of days to meet the state requirements, so if you miss class you must make it up. You can miss and make up a max of 3 days, absences over 3 days results in being dropped and failure of the course. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE!**
- Registration begins today Wednesday, January 8th and ends Friday, February 28th. **Please note that registration is processed on a first-come, first-served basis, and seats are limited.**

- The testing for the permit applications for students enrolled in Summer DE 2020 will be Tuesday, April 21st through Friday, April 24th. All students must be 15 years by the time they take their permit test. Students will receive all information and Rules of the Road booklets at the mandatory parent & student meeting at South Campus on April 8th at 7:00pm.
- Please take home the Summer Driver's Education Parent letter explaining the registration process and the expectations for Summer Driver's Ed.
- Cost for Summer Driver's Education is \$325 (cheaper than private driving schools)

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call or email Matt Williams at 815-521-2338 central campus, 815-521-4423 south campus or email at mwilliams@mchs.net.

Thank you for your help in this matter.

Matt Williams
Department Chair for Driver's Education
Minooka Community High School

Directions for Completing the Sophomore Course Selection Sheet

1. Fill in the top portion with your name, at least one parent or guardian's signature, and any contact information you can provide.
2. Continue to the top box on the sheet titled "Required Courses," which lists the core subject areas along with the different levels of classes for each. The level of class chosen for each student, is determined by the level of class you are currently in. Sign up for the next year of the same level unless instructed otherwise by your teacher or counselor.

Level Placement

If you have a question or concern about the level placement for your child, please speak with the current teacher of that subject area. The MCHS counselors place students into classes based on the recommendations of the teachers and Department Chair, who use grades, class performance, and PSAT test scores to make their determinations. With the exception of students who are applying for honors, students are required to register for the level recommended by their teachers.

Honors

If you are interested in applying for Honors for any subject area, please speak with your current teacher of that subject. Students applying for honors in any of the subject areas should mark the honors class to which they are applying (for example, English II Honors). If you have questions about the application for honors, please contact the MCHS Department Chair of that department for assistance. Their contact information can be found online at www.mchs.net.

Physical Education and Driver's Education

Most sophomores will take one semester of PE and one semester of Driver's Education. If you plan to take Driver's Ed. during the school year, you will choose only one PE class to take. If you are planning to take Driver's Ed. in the summer or at an outside facility, you will need to choose two PE classes. Please indicate if you have a preference for the semester of each (semester one or semester two).

3. The choices for elective classes begin on the bottom half of the sheet and continues on the back of the sheet. Depending on which levels of required classes students are in, they will have room for zero to four electives per semester.

All electives are either a semester long or a year-long. Semester-long classes are indicated with an "(S)", and year-long classes are indicated with a "(Y)".

Resource

It is **strongly** recommended that all students take resource each semester. During resource, students can work on homework, get tutoring in our academic labs, complete their behind-the-wheel hours, complete make-up work or tests, visit our ARC (Academic Resource Center), go to the library, and make visits to the counselors or deans as needed.

Alternates

On the bottom of the back page of the course selection sheet, there is a box for students to list two semester-long (S) alternate electives. These alternate choices will be used when the first choice of elective is not available due to the class being cancelled, full, or not fitting in the student's schedule.

Total Number of Classes

All together, students will have a total of eight classes per semester. Resource is included as one of these eight classes.

For ease of planning classes, please use the chart below to help you. Each semester has eight class slots open. English, Math, Science, Social Studies, and PE/Driver Ed are already filled in for each semester, along with Resource, which is highly recommended for all students. Students who have Algebra I AB or Geometry Resource will fill in another slot in both semesters for math. Students in Honors Social Studies will fill in a slot each semester for Social Studies. As you choose your classes, fill in a slot so that you know how much space you have left. Remember that if a class is a semester long (S), you will fill one slot in only one of the semesters. If the class is a year long (Y), such as Spanish II, you will fill in two slots, one for each semester. Please note this is only to assist in choosing classes; it does not indicate what the actual schedule will look like.

Semester 1

English	Science	Resource	
Math	PE or Driver Ed		

Semester 2

English	Science	Resource	
Math	PE or Driver Ed		

Unfortunately, the MCHS counselors will not be available for individual appointments in the next few days, but we will be returning to your class in a few days and at that time will sit down with each student one-on-one to answer any questions and ensure that the course selection sheet is filled out correctly and that classes have been correctly entered into Class Choice. If there are any errors, the counselors will help students fix them at that time both on the course selection sheet and in Class Choice.

Class Choice will open for registration Wednesday, January 8th. All course requests must be entered by the date the counselors come back to pick up your materials. After that, the program will lock and only MCHS counselors will have access to change any classes. The last date that students can change an elective class is Friday, February 14th. Please contact the MCHS counselors to request a change to an elective prior to Friday, February 14th. No changes will take place after this date. This applies to the entire 2020-2021 school year.

Student Name: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Parent Signature/Approval: _____

Guardian Email: _____

REQUIRED COURSES: Select 1 course from each required course group listed belowENGLISH: (choose one)

Pre-AP English II (Y) 1217A/18A; 1217T/18T
 Pre-AP Honors English II (Y, B) 1225A/26A

MATHEMATICS: (choose one) TI-84+ Calculator required

Algebra II (Y) 2301A/02A; 2301AT/02AT
 Algebra II Honors (Y, B) 2370A/71A
 Algebra I (Y) 2121A/22A
 Geometry (Y) 2211A/12A; 2211AT/12AT
 Geometry Honors (Y, B) 2221A/22A
 Pre-Calculus (Y) 2401A/02A
 Pre-Calculus Honors (Y, B) 2331A/32A

SCIENCE: (choose one)

Biology (Y) 3211A/12A; 3211AT/12AT; 3211ATT/12ATT
 Biology Honors (Y, B) 3121A/22A

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

(choose two unless enrolled in Driver Education)

Dance I (S) 5510A/12A
 Fitness Fusion (S) 5672A/73A
 Sophomore Physical Education (S) 5200A/02A
 Strength Training (S) 5500A/02A
 Athletic Fitness (S) 5210A/12A
 Sport _____

ELECTIVE COURSES: Students must be enrolled in a total of 8 classes per semester including resource.ENGLISH

Acting I (S) 1520A
 Creative Writing I (S) 1700A
 Creative Writing II (S) 1710A
 Dramatic Arts (S) 1550A
 Greek Mythology & Folklore (S) 1600A
 Media & Journalism I (Y) 1563A/64A
 Media & Journalism II (Y) 1573A/74A
 Myth, Legends & Folklore (S) 1511A
 Speech Communications (S) 1610A
 (required prior to graduation)
 Honors Speech Communication (S) 1620A
 (required prior to graduation)
 Sports Literature (Y) 1800A/02A
 Sports Media (Y) 1810A/11A
 Yearbook Publication I (Y) 1661A/62A
 Yearbook Publication II (Y) 1671A/72A

SOCIAL STUDIES

AP Human Geography (Y, A, B) 4817A/18A
 World History AP (Y, A, B) 4231A/32A
 Chicago History (S) 4520A
 Facing History & Ourselves (S) 4500A
 Illinois History (S) 4510A
 Local History (S) 4590A
 Pop Culture in Film (S) 4600A
 Street Law (S) 4530A
 Street Law II (S) 4532A
 World History (S) 4551A/52A
 World History (Y) 4551A/52A
 World History in Film (S) 4560A

DRIVER EDUCATION

Driver's Ed (S, A) 5240A/42A
 Driver's Ed (Summer Session, A) _____
 / / / Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)

HEALTH EDUCATION

Discovery Health (S) 5580A
 Personal Focus (S) 5620A

SOPHOMORE ELECTIVE COURSES (continued)

CAREER AND TECHNICAL

AGRICULTURE

- Animals & Their Environment (S) 7173A
- Contemporary Animal Science (Y) 7200A/02A
- Horticulture Investigations (Y) 7141A/42A
- Small Engine Repair (S) 7330A

BUSINESS

- Intro to Accounting (S) 7033A
- Accounting II (S) 7034A
- Personal Finance Management (S) 7006A
- Intro to Business (S) 7005A
- Sports/Entertainment Marketing (S) 7430A

COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

- Google Apps I (S) 7001A/7001AT
- Google Apps II (S) 7002A
- Graphic Arts Design (S) 7120A
- Introduction to Computer Applications (S) 7343A/7346AT
- Microsoft Certification (S, F) 7017A

COMPUTER SCIENCE

- Computer Game Design I (S) 7290A
- Computer Game Design II (S) 7292A
- Mobile Apps Development (Y) 7028A/29A
- Web Page Design (S) 7240A

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

- Baking and Pastry I (S) 7195A
- Child Development I (S) 7060A
- Child Development II (S) 7070A
- Clothing Construction I (S) 7080A
- Clothing Construction II (S) 7090A
- Fashion Design & Merchandising (S) 7092A
- Introduction to Culinary Arts (S) 7193A
- Culinary Arts: Bisiro (S) 7199A
- Nutrition and Foods I (S) 7190A
- Nutrition and Foods II (S) 7192A
- World Cuisines (S) 7197A

ALTERNATES - REQUIRED INFORMATION

Please list two semester-long (S) elective alternates that may be used if your first choice is not available.

1. _____
2. _____

CAREER AND TECHNICAL

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

- Electricity/Electronic Tech. (Y) 7131A/32A
- Introduction to Building Construction (S) 7281A
- Introduction to Industrial Technology (S) 7180A
- PLTW Introduction to Engineering Design (Y) 7333A/34A
- PLTW Principles of Engineering (Y) 7335A/36A

ROBOTICS

- Robotics Engineering I (S) 7331A
- Robotics Engineering II (S) 7332A
- Small Engine Repair (S) 7330A
- Technology Explorations I (S) 7215A
- Technology Explorations II (S) 7216A
- Welding & Metal Fabrication Tech. (S) 7260A
- Woodworking I (S) 7270A

MEDIA COMMUNICATIONS

- Television Productions (MCTV) [Fall] (S) 7223A
- Television Productions (MCTV) [Spring] (S) 7224A
- Video Editing I (S) 7251A
- Video Editing II (S) 7252A

RESOURCE

- Resource 9401A/02A

SPECIAL EDUCATION

- SC English II (Y) 8151A/52A
- SC Speech (S) 8190A
- SC Math II (Y) 8211A/12A
- SC Reading II (Y) 8113A/14A
- SC Resource (Y) 8101A/02A

For Counselor use only

- ESL - English as a Second Language (Y) 1950A/52A
- ESL Resource (Y) 6911A/12A
- Geometry Resource (Y) 2213A/14A
- Science Academy (S) 3700A/01A

Legend

Courses in Bold meet NCAA eligibility requirements

- S indicates semester class
- Y indicates year class
- B summer work required
- A additional fee required, please refer to the Curriculum Guide
- F additional fee optional, please refer to the Curriculum Guide

ART

- Art Exploration (S) 6825A
- Computer Art (S) 6740A
- Drawing I (S) 6760A
- Drawing II [2] (S) 6770A
- Honors Drawing I (S) 6800A
- Honors Drawing II (S) 6810A
- Painting (S) 6730A
- Printmaking (S) 6750A
- Photography I (S) 6780A
- Photography II (S) 6790A
- Sculpture I (S) 6707A
- Sculpture II (S) 6708A

MUSIC (Please note when selecting a band or choir course, you must select a resource also.)

- Beginning Band (Y) 6200A/01A
- Percussion Band I/II (Y) 6213A/14A
- Symphonic Band I (Y) 6401A/03A
- Symphonic Band II (Y) 6405A/06A
- Wind Ensemble II (Y) 6430A/31A
- Wind Symphony II (Y) 6450A/51A
- Concert Choir [By Audition] (Y) 6531A/32A
- Mixed Choir I (Y) 6521A/22A
- Mixed Choir II (Y) 6650A/52A
- Women's Chorale I (Y) 6511A/12A
- Small Ensemble & Solo Musicianship (S) 6661A
- Guitar I (S) 6610A
- Guitar II (S) 6620A
- Guitar Ensemble (S) 6623A
- Creating and Recording Music (S) 6660A
- Music Technology/Keyboarding (S) 6646A

WORLD LANGUAGES

- American Sign Language I (Y) 6163A/64A
- American Sign Language II (Y) 6165A/66A
- French I (Y) 6101A/02A
- French II (Y) 6111A/12A
- French II Honors (Y) 6121A/22A
- French III (Y) 6131A/32A
- Spanish I (Y) 6001A/02A
- Spanish II (Y) 6011A/12A
- Spanish II Honors (Y, B) 6021A/22A
- Spanish III (Y) 6031A/32A
- Spanish III Honors (Y, B) 6041A/42A