





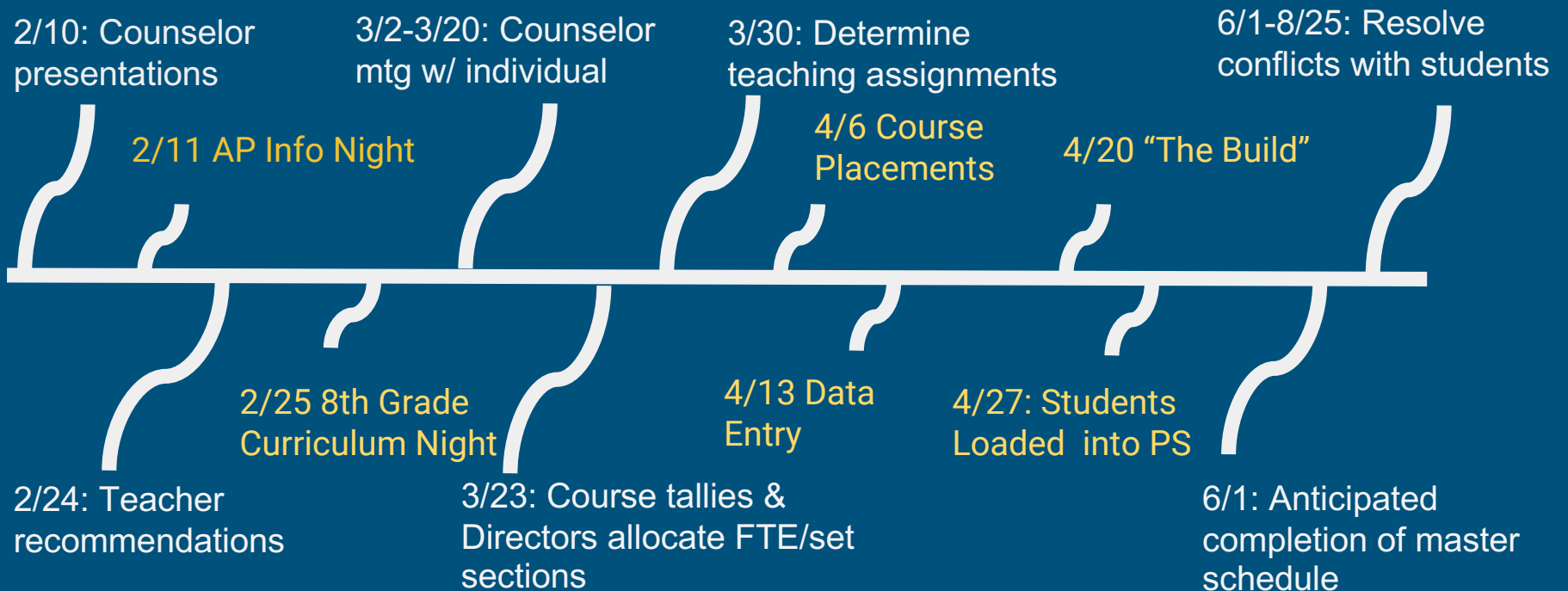
Shrewsbury High School Program of Studies 2020-2021



Proposed Changes
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Course Selection Timeline



Efficiency of Scheduling

- 292 distinct courses
- 1,510 sections of these different courses
- 16,707 course requests
- **According to PowerSchool, anything above a 75% "satisfaction rate"--that is, the percentage of course requests that are filled (or "satisfied")--is a very good rate. For the past five years, our satisfaction rate has been above 90% (most recently 95.8%).

Year	# of students with requests	# of requests satisfied	% of requests satisfied
2010-2011	1572	13790	72.83%
2011-2012	1636	14162	74.44%
2012-2013	1645	14640	83.47%
2013-2014	1656	14735	86.08%
2014-2015	1670	15096	89.57%
2015-2016	1677	15215	91.62%
2016-2017	1792	16327	90.58%
2017-2018	1838	16298	92.11%
2018-2019	1860	16388	97.58%
2019-2020	1892	16707	95.81%

Proposed Changes

Family Consumer Science

- New course: *Baking and Pastry Arts*
- *Foods of the World* alternates w/ *Mediterranean Cuisine*

Foreign Language

- *AP Mandarin Chinese*

Proposed Changes

Mathematics

- New course: *Honors Advanced Quantitative Reasoning*
- Eliminate: *Algebra & Geometry II/Adv. Math Honors*
- Eliminate: *Advanced Math II Topics*

Proposed Changes

Performing Arts

- New Course: *Foundations of Music*
- Change the name of *History of American Music* to *History of Rock and Roll*

Eliminate:

- *Foundations of Dance*
- *Stage Combat*
- *Musical Theater Dance*
- *iPad Ensemble*
- *Directing/Playwriting*
- *Jazz I Dance*

Proposed Changes

Science and Engineering

- New course: *AP Physics C*
- New course: *Human Body Systems*
- Eliminate: *Digital Electronics*

Proposed Changes

Social Science

- Eliminate: *America in the World Today*

Visual Arts

- New course: *Foundations of Art*

Questions?
