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Back to Basics

Focusing on the Fundamentals

Every student takes four core classes each year, in order to graduate. These classes are essential for building basic life skills to use in and outside of the classroom. In classes like AP LANG, a class offered to juniors, students studied different types of essays and prepared to take the AP test at the end of the year. "I can look back on a couple different classes where my teachers being interested has made a huge difference," Lacey Martin (12) said. CT offered many different classes where students learned different types of math. All the way from Algebra 1 to AP Calculus BC, students are provided many options to find their perfect fit. In Algebra 2, students learned how to efficiently operate

calculators, finding shortcuts to otherwise tedious calculations. Social Studies was also a course with different pathways that each student could've choose from based on what they were interested in. Science classes were there to teach students how the world works. "Chemistry is my favorite core class because we're using our knowledge of math and science together," Ashley Kim (10) said. Science took observations that were made and taught students how to interpret. "Physics is my favorite core class because it lets me see the world in a new way and helps me understand why things happen," Carter Raugust (12) said. Core classes moved students toward more knowledge of the basics. *Photos by T. Gluckler*

Biggest Influence Teachers have a big influence on the class and how it is ran. "The people in the class and the teacher I have just made it a class I enjoy going to," Lacey Martin (12) said. Martin enjoyed going to her English class. She got to read outside where it was warm. *Photo By T. Gluckler*

Keeping Current Social Studies classes "can be extremely relevant and useful" which is why Maia Dykes (10) enjoys going to her Social Studies class. Social Studies is a class that helped students stay up to date with current events. *Photo by T. Gluckler*

Passion with a Purpose Being passionate about a subject helps making the class fun and engaging. "I love the content in the class, being a history nerd," Taryn Howell (10) said. With a comfortable classroom and exciting lesson, a passion for learning can grow. *Photo by T. Gluckler*

Pushing Limits There are so many opportunities for math and many teachers. "Math is my favorite subject because it is chill and my teacher makes learning fun," Aspen Lukasezck (10) said. Math could be challenging but teachers were there to help their students. *Photo by: T. Gluckler*

Chemistry is Cool Science helps teach students about concepts and ideas. "Chemistry is my favorite because we do experiments, labs, and practice cool things," Lieach McTee (10) said. Science was a hands on class. *Photo by T. Gluckler*

Pottery ROCKS

Ceramics II students have a blast expressing through clay



Pour your Heart in your Art
12th grade student Randi-Marie Tororelli, expresses her love for art. "I love making new things," Tororelli said. Tororelli was creating a pot in class. Ceramics was a way that artists were able to express themselves. *Photo by K. McCormick*



Thinking outside the Box
Art student Christian Novak (10) shares his thoughts about ceramics. "I would recommend this class to others because it is relaxing to make art," Novak said. Novak liked having a creative outlet. *Photo by K. McCormick*



Stay Cool and Make Art
Ceramics artist, Ella Ho (10), describes her experience in Ceramics 2. "This class gives me the chance to express myself in a creative way," Ho said. Ho worked on many projects. *Photo by K. McCormick*



Created to Create
Ceramics 2 student Toni Couch (10) explains why she loves art. "I love using clay. I never know what I'm going to end up making," Couch said. Clay was one of many mediums of art that was offered at school. *Photo by K. McCormick*

Registering for Next Year

Students sign up for classes

New Year, New me Caitlin Flint (11) had been signing up for all AP classes for her junior year. "I am least excited for AP Physics because I have heard about how hard it is and it is so super time-consuming," said Flint. Flint is excited about AP Seminar because she gets to research any topic she likes. *Photo by A. Mata Barreta*



Ready for Next Year Parikrama Chamlagain (11) had signed up for all AP classes which might be overwhelming for her. "I am mostly excited for Dance 2 and Criminal Justice and Law class because I am looking forward to learning new things," said Chamlagain. Chamlagain is excited about photography to learn new skills. *Photo by M. Farmer*

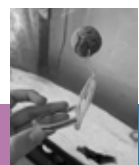
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"I brought her sister and then later got contacted about another fish, Oreo, that they couldn't sell. She has Swim Bladder Disorder." *-Eliana Brockman (9)*



"I had to take Oreo in. I later on realized how miserable she looked on the bottom of the tank. I've seen many people make flotation devices for their goldfish." *-Eliana Brockman (9)*



"They usually use airline tubing, corks to help it float. They sometimes use paper clips but I didn't want to use that cause it's metal." *-Eliana Brockman (9)*

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