



WELCOME TO
HVAM!

**ORIENTATION WITH
YOUR SCHOOL
COUNSELOR**

TODAY'S AGENDA

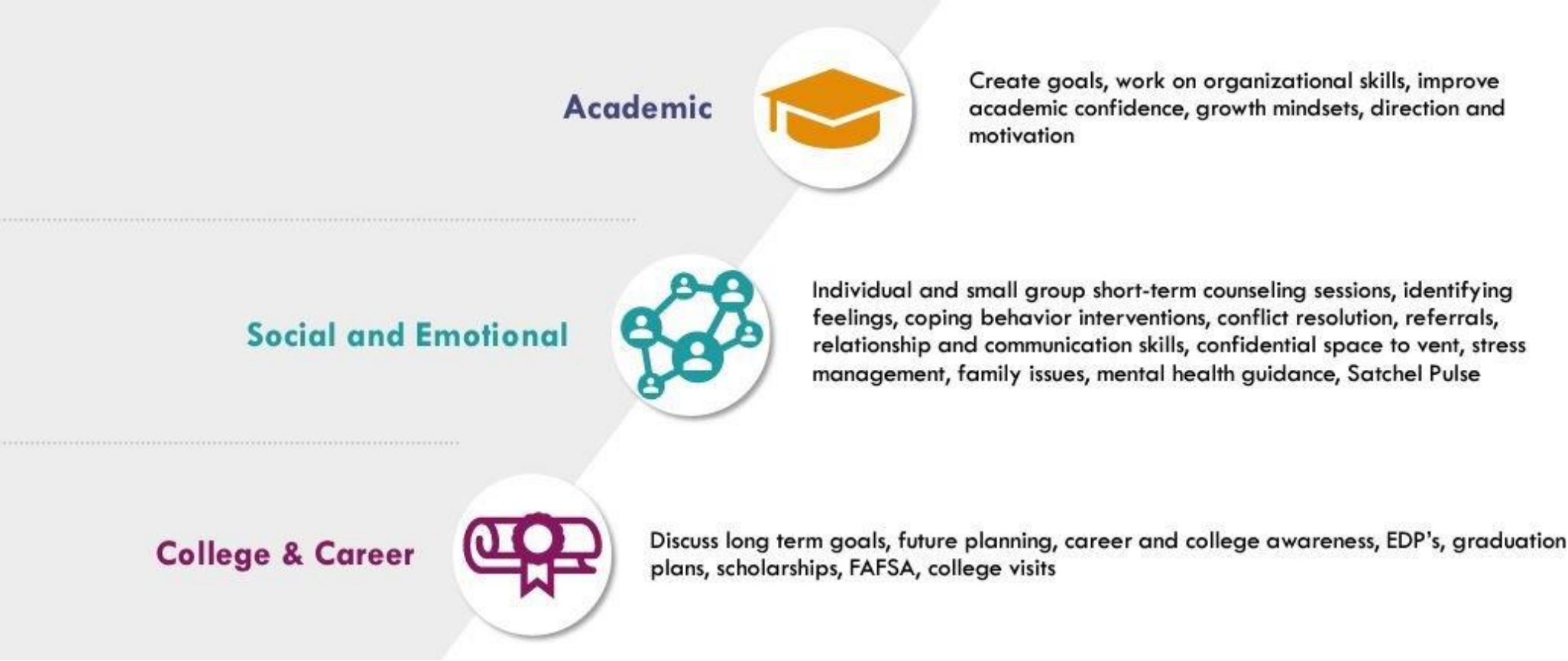
What can my school counselor help me with?

Credits and graduation requirements

Grade level breakdown

Finding your Graduation Plan

COUNSELOR SUPPORT



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- What can my School Counselor help me with?
 - Understanding credits and graduation requirements
 - Explain grade level breakdown
 - Finding and explaining your graduation plan
 - Xello lessons and 3 E's survey
 - FAFSA/Scholarship support
 - College/Career Questions
 - Help with personal/social issues going on

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

22 Credits

4 credits of English

4 credits of Math

3 credits of Science

3 credits of History

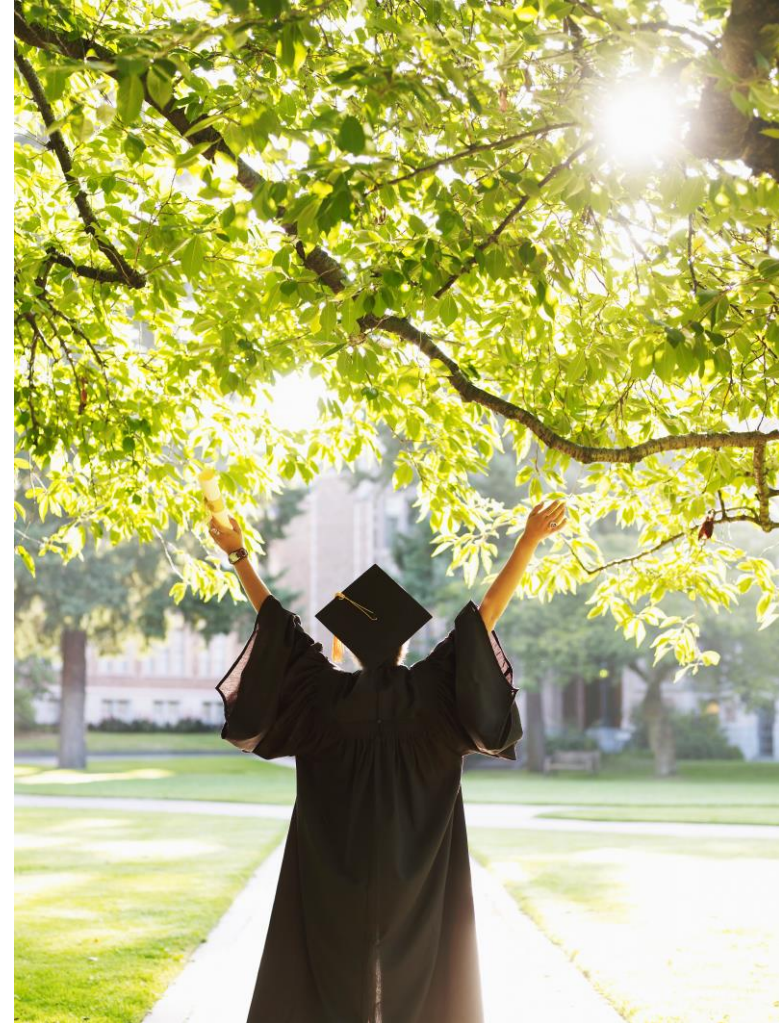
4 credits of Electives (Personal Finance requirement)

2 credits of World Language (in the **same** language)

1 credit of Art

.5 credit of PE

.5 credit of Health



GRADE LEVEL BREAKDOWN


- Grade level is based on how many credits you have. Here is the breakdown of credits and grade level:
- 0-4.99 credits: 9th grade
- 5-9.99 credits: 10th grade
- 10-14.99 credits: 11th grade
- 15-22 credits: 12th grade

GRADUATION PLANS

- Requirement of all Highpoint Students to check Grad Plans each semester.
- Graduation Plans show all of students earned credits & grades as well as a future guide for what classes the student will take (shows all 4 years of HS)
- Grad Plans can be edited by the school counselor; we encourage ALL students to meet with their counselor to go over their grad plan & make the changes they'd like
- Access your Grad Plan in your D2L
 - Upper righthand corner- Quick links (chain link icon)
 - Click on My Graduation Plan

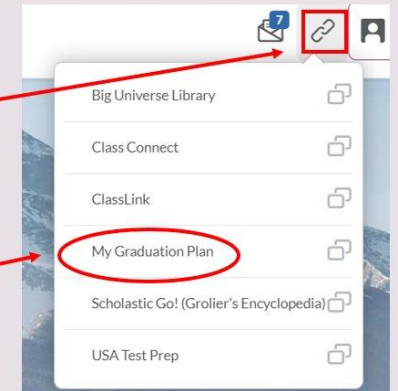
How to find your Grad Plan:

Go to your D2L landing page

Top right corner next to your inbox you will see 

Click the link and a dropdown menu will appear

My Graduation Plan is in the list, click it and it will take you to your Grad Plan.



It's a good idea to check this at least ONCE every quarter.

GRADUATION PLAN EXAMPLE

As you can see, the grades for semester 1 are shown. For semester 2, it shows what classes are in progress, as well as what graduation requirement the class is counting for.

Year 1 (2022 - 2023) Earned:3 | In Progress: 3.25 | Not Started:0 | Not Counted:0

Subjects	Course	Grade	Credits
Semester 1			
Algebra I	MTH128A Summit Algebra 1 MI	C+	0.5
Biology	SCI203AD Summit Biology	A	0.5
Elective	ORN100 Finding Your Path I	In Progress	0.25 *
Elective	OTH080 Summit Nutrition and Wellness	A	0.5
Language Arts/English	ENG108AE2 Summit English 9 MI	C-	0.5
Physical Education/Health	OTH020A Summit Physical Education	A-	0.5
World History/Geography	HST103AE4N World History	A	0.5
Semester 2			

Subjects	Course	Grade	Credits
Algebra I	MTH128B Summit Algebra 1 MI	In Progress	0.5 *
Biology	SCI203BD Summit Biology	In Progress	0.5 *
Elective	OTH090 Summit Life Skills	In Progress	0.5 *
Language Arts/English	ENG108BE2 Summit English 9 MI	In Progress	0.5 *
Physical Education/Health	OTH010 Summit Skills for Health	In Progress	0.5 *
World History/Geography	HST103BE4N World History	In Progress	0.5 *


Year 2 (2023 - 2024) Earned:0 | In Progress: 0 | Not Started:6.25 | Not Counted:0



XELLO SIGN- ON HELP

- Brand new to HVAM = Date of Birth is password
- Returning HVAM: Use password you chose last year
- *Reminder: Student ID #'s can be found on your graduation plan.
- You need to make sure you're using all capital letters for HVAM, as well as, putting the - with no spaces.
- If your birthday is January 26, 2008, your password would be 01262008

Student sign-in format



Username:

Prefix + student ID

e.g. HVAM-000000

Password:

Student's date of birth

e.g. MMDDYYYY

Students must change their passwords when they first log in.

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT, OR ENLISTMENT SURVEY (3 E'S)

EDUCATION

- 2 year college
 - COMMUNITY COLLEGE
 - EARN ASSOCIATES DEGREE
- 4 year college
 - ATTEND A UNIVERSITY
 - EARN BACHELORS (~4 yrs)
 - EARN MASTERS (~2+ ADDTL)
 - DOCTORATE/PHD
- CERTIFICATION-LICENSE (non-degree)
 - ATTEND TRADE SCHOOL/BEAUTIFY SCHOOL
 - EARN CERTIFICATE

EMPLOYMENT

- APPRENTICESHIP
 - WHERE SOMEONE LEARNS AN ART, TRADE, OR JOB UNDER ANOTHER PERSON'S SUPERVISION.
 - EXAMPLE: SOMEONE WORKS UNDER AN ELECTRICIAN TO LEARN THE SKILL.
- FULL-TIME JOB
- PART-TIME JOB
- INTERNSHIP
- SELF-EMPLOYED

ENLISTMENT

- ENLISTED
 - HAVE COMMUNICATED WITH A MILITARY RECRUITER AND SIGNED PAPERS TO OFFICIALLY ENLIST AFTER HS
- PLANNING TO ENLIST
 - STILL TALKING WITH A RECRUITER/THINKING THAT YOU WANT TO GO THIS ROUTE.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

- HS Counseling Smore: <https://secure.smores.com/v37gc-hs-counseling-program>