

RCAS Cluster Plan of Study:

HUMAN SERVICES

Preparing individuals for employment in career pathways that relate to families and human needs.

<p>Activities that describe what I like to do:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Care about people, their needs, and their problems • Participate in community services and/or volunteering • Listen to other people’s viewpoints • Help people be at their best • Work with people from preschool to old age • Think of new ways to do things • Make friends with different kinds of people 	<p>Personal qualities that describe me:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good communicator • Good listener • Caring • Non-materialistic • Intuitive and logical • Non-judgment 	
<p>9th Grade Required Core Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 9 • Integrated Math 1 • Physical Science 1 & 2 or Biology 1 & 2 • World Geography <p>10th Grade Required Core Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 10 / Adv. English 10 • Integrated Math 2 • Any physical science, Biology 1 & 2 • World History <p>11th Grade Required Core Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 11 / Adv. English 11 / AP English 11 • Integrated Math 3 • Chemistry or Physics • U.S. History <p>12th Grade Required Core Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 12 / AP English 12 • Integrated Math 3 • U.S. Government <p>Other Required Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information Technology (1 credit) • Fine Arts (1 credit) • Physical Education / Health (1 credit) • Economics or Personal Finance (.5 credit) • World Language, Capstone Experience or Service Learning, or Approved Career and Technical Education (1 credit) 	<p>Recommended Cluster Electives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Applications • Child Development I Human Development: Prenatal through Toddlers • Child Development 2 – Human Development: Preschool to School-age • Nutrition and Wellness • Community Volunteer <p>Other Recommended Electives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culinary Arts • Anatomy and Physiology 1 and 2 • Youth Internship • Business Management • Ecology • Economics • Independent Living – Human Development: Adolescence through Adulthood • Introduction to Business • Peer Mentor • Personal Finance • Psychology • Sociology 	<p>Careers in this Cluster:</p> <p>Child Care Social Worker Therapist Psychologist Dietician Cosmetologist</p> <p>Post-Secondary Programs in this Cluster:</p> <p><u>Technical Degree*:</u> CDA</p> <p><u>Associates Degree:</u> Early Childhood</p> <p><u>Baccalaureate Degree:</u> Early Childhood Education</p> <p><u>Advanced Degree:</u> Family Studies Human Studies Certified Family Life Ed</p> <p><small>*See Western Dakota Tech (WDT) Dual Enrollment for more information.</small></p>
<p align="center">Interest, Aptitude and Achievement Inventories</p> <p>Career Matchmaker (8th-12th grade); Ability Profiler (10th grade); PLAN (10th grade); Learning Styles Inventory (10th – 11th grade); My Skills (10th – 12th grade); Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery – ASVAB (11th & 12th grade); PSAT (11th grade); ACT or SAT (11th – 12th grade)</p>		