

Memo



To: Dr. Karla Guseman
From: Dianne McDonald
Date: May 19, 2026
Re: Course Additions-Human Biology

I respectfully recommend the addition of Human Biology, a weighted semester long dual credit course, for the 2027-2028 school year.

To enhance the Health Sciences pathway, the district is introducing Human Biology as a new dual credit course designed to provide students with advanced academic rigor and college-level experience. This addition aligns with the broader curriculum restructuring that transitions from year-long courses to targeted semester-based classes, allowing for more specialized areas of study.

By offering this dual credit opportunity, the pathway not only strengthens students' post-secondary preparation but also enables them to earn college credit while still in high school, ensuring they are competitive and well-prepared for high-demand healthcare careers.

This course revision has been discussed and approved at the Curriculum Coordinating Council.

Thank you and please let me know if you have further questions.