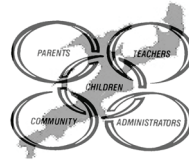


Objectives

- *Students will explore the many facets of the teaching profession.*
- *Students will learn the art of lesson planning.*
- *Students will learn the hot topics in education today.*
- *Students will learn about certification procedures in New Jersey. They will also compare college/university teaching programs in existence today.*
- *Guest speakers, field trips, and activity-based learning will be a major focus on the program.*
- *Students will learn the multitude of education technologies such as creating websites, maintaining online grade books, pre-post assessments, education apps, wiki, blogs, Moodle, and blackboard which will enhance their exposure to various learning environments.*
- *Students will be required to submit a completed application to secure their interest. A personal essay indicating why they would be interested in the field of teaching.*
- *Applications are available online.*



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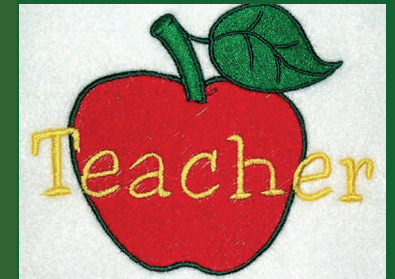
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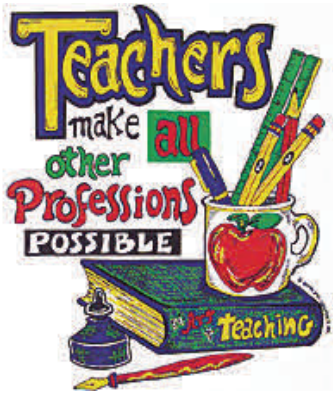
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Mission Statement

The Hopatcong High School Future Teachers Academy will offer students a rigorous program of study which focuses on a career in education. With hands on instructional experience, creative lesson planning, innovative technology, and cooperative community service, the FTA will offer a one-of-a-kind experience to all who wish to succeed in the field of teaching.

For the 2014-15 school year, the FTA is in a pilot phase and with increased student interest, Hopatcong High School is hopeful more courses will be created to meet the needs of their future teachers.

Interested students will enter into a specific course of study from grade 9 –12. Students who complete the Academy will earn **COLLEGE CREDITS** from NJ City University, William Paterson University, or Sussex County Community College.

Course of Study

Grade 9

Child Development I (semester 1)
Child Development II (semester 2)

Global Mosaic English
Global Mosaic Social Studies
Algebra 1

Biology
World Language

PE 9/Health 9
Lunch

Grade 10

Careers in Education (semester 1)
Mentoring Internship Seminar (semester 2)

English 2
U.S. History 1
Geometry

Earth Science
World Language

PE 10/Dr. Ed 10
Lunch

Grade 11

Classroom Management
Psychology AP

English 3
U.S. History 2
Algebra 2

Chemistry

PE 11/Health 11
Lunch

Grade 12

Academy Internship/Education Seminar
Sociology (CC) (semester 1)
Public Speaking (semester 2)
Visual or Performing Art Elective
Financial Literacy (semester 1)
Technology in the Classroom (semester 2)

English 4 (CC)
College Math (semester 1)
Probability/Statistics (semester 2)

PE 12/Health 12
Lunch

***All English & Social Studies courses are infused with writing, research, and technology.

*** Courses that are underlined denote where students can earn 3 college credits through NJ City University, William Paterson University or Sussex County Community College, which could come at a reduced cost. Those students who complete the Academy will earn college credits by the time they graduate, will receive a certificate of completion, and a notation on their transcript. Students may switch to another Academy at any time by submitting a written appeal to the principal.