

Naviance Scope and Sequence

Montgomery County Public Schools

District Goals

- Ensure all students are prepared for success upon high school graduation by demonstrating readiness for postsecondary study and/or the workforce. Help students identify personal skills, interest, and abilities, and relate them to current career choice and course selections.
- Increase student awareness on the financial aid options available for higher education.
- Help students make constructive and healthy decisions that promote hope, personal well-being, and social behavior.
- Help students develop annual SMART goals to build their resilience, perseverance, growth mindset, and maximize academic ability and achievement.
- Empower students to take ownership of learning.

Academic Excellence

- Number of applications for individual colleges
- % of seniors who submit one or more college applications
- % of seniors admitted to one or more colleges
- % of students who intend to attend college after graduation
- Total scholarship dollars awarded
- % of students who identify careers and career clusters of interest
- Total number of parent visits

Creative Problem Solving

- % of students who report they understand the knowledge and skills necessary for success in their careers of interest
- % of students who report they understand the links between careers, preparation needed, college major and projected income
- Total number of student visits
- % of students who completed tasks that align with college and career readiness

Social Emotional Learning

- % of students who complete StrengthsExplorer
- % of students that develop a plan for utilizing their strengths to maximize academic ability and achievement
- % of students who set goals
- % of students who met goals

Grade 6

	Activity	Learning Objective	Core Competency Alignment
Quarter 1	Introduction to Naviance 1. Naviance Scavenger Hunt (Group Activity) 2. Middle School Entrance Survey	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn about Family Connection and its role in their college and career readiness planning process • Identify their challenges and support needs as it relates to the transition to middle school 	Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning
Quarter 2	Goal Setting 1. Explore Roadtrip Nation Interview Library with a focus on goal theme interviews 2. Create one academic SMART goal and one personal/social SMART goal	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn about the experience of others as they set, work towards, and accomplish their goals • Create personal and academic goals and identify how they will achieve their goals 	Social Emotional Learning
Quarter 3/4	Career Exploration 1. Complete Cluster Finder 2. Review Cluster Finder results and save career clusters and pathways to their Favorites List	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore career clusters and pathways that align to their interests and skills • Be exposed to a wide range of career clusters and pathways 	Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving

Grade 7

	Activity	Learning Objective	Core Competency Alignment
Quarter 1	<p>Introduction to Naviance</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete StrengthsExplorer 2. Create Academic Goals for 7th grade – use strengths to develop a plan for accomplishing their goals 	<p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gain a better understanding of their top strengths • Learn the importance of setting goals 	<p>Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning</p>
Quarter 2	<p>Career Exploration</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete Cluster Finder 2. Review Cluster Finder results and save career clusters and pathways to their Favorites List 	<p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore career clusters and pathways that align to their interests and skills • Be exposed to a wide range of career clusters and pathways 	<p>Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving</p>
Quarter 3/4	<p>8th Grade Planning</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explore Roadtrip Nation Interview Library 2. Complete End of the Year Survey 	<p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gain a better understanding of their top career interest and become more familiar with the sixteen U.S. Department of Education career clusters • Reflect on their accomplishments from the current school year 	<p>Social Emotional Learning</p>

Grade 8

	Activity	Learning Objective	Core Competency Alignment
Quarter 1	<p>Goal Setting and Career Exploration</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Create an academic goal for the school year 2. Complete Career Key (if time allows, use RTN to explore career recommendations) 	<p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn about career leaders’ experiences with setting and accomplishing goals • Set long term goals for the school year • Deepen their knowledge about career interests 	<p>Academic Excellence Social Emotional Learning</p>
Quarter 2	<p>Transition to High School</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Create a high school graduation, college, and career plan 	<p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a plan for graduating high school and a postsecondary pathway • Learn strategies for making a smooth transition to high school 	<p>Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning</p>
Quarter 3/4	<p>Career Exploration</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review Career Key results and add Careers to their Favorites List 2. Complete Transition to High School Survey 	<p>Students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore careers and colleges that match career interest • Find the best postsecondary options for identified careers of interest • Learn strategies for making a smooth transition to high school 	<p>Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning</p>

Grade 9

	Activity	Learning Objective	Core Competency Alignment
Quarter 1	Goal Setting and Course Planning 1. Create/Update High School Graduation, College, and Career Plan	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review and update their long term plans 	Academic Excellence
Quarter 2	Career and College Exploration 1. Complete Cluster Finder 2. Review Cluster Finder results and save career clusters and pathways to their Favorites List	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deepen their knowledge about career interests Explore careers and colleges that match career interest Find the best postsecondary options for careers of interest 	Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning
Quarter 3/4	Connecting Career and Education 1. Explore postsecondary options for careers of interest – build prospective list and review details about colleges of interest 2. Review options for financing postsecondary education and complete budgeting activity	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Become aware of the costs of postsecondary institutions Create strategies to finance costs through loans, grants, scholarships, work-study, and other means Review important details about colleges of interest (admissions requirements, majors, school culture, etc.) 	Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning

Grade 10

	Activity	Learning Objective	Core Competency Alignment
Quarter 1	Goal Setting 1. Create/Update High School Graduation, College, and Career Plans	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review and update their long term plans 	Academic Excellence
Quarter 2	Career and College Exploration 1. Complete Career Interest Profiler (CIP) 2. Review CIP results and add three careers to their Favorites List	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deepen their knowledge about career interests Explore careers and colleges that match career interest Find the best postsecondary options for careers of interest 	Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning
Quarter 3/4	College Exploration 1. Complete a SuperMatch College Search 2. Add at least three colleges to their Prospective List 3. Complete End of Year Survey	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify best fit and match colleges based on a range of criteria 	Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving

Grade 11

	Activity	Learning Objective	Core Competency Alignment
Quarter 1	Goal Setting 1. Create/Update High School Graduation, College, and Career Plan	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review and update their long term plans 	Academic Excellence
Quarter 2	College Exploration and Planning – Part 1 1. Complete a SuperMatch College Search 2. Add at least three colleges to their Prospective List 3. Create one Post-Secondary Goal	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify best fit and match colleges based on a range of criteria Identify financial needs for college Define the steps necessary for applying to college 	Academic Excellence Creative Problem Solving Social Emotional Learning
Quarter 3/4	College Exploration and Planning – Part 2 1. Complete “Brag Sheet” 2. Complete a Scholarship Search 3. Walk through college application process for next year	Students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define the steps necessary for applying to college Identify accomplishments in preparation for college applications Identify scholarship opportunities 	Academic Excellence Social Emotional Learning