



RUMSON-FAIR HAVEN REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

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Senior Project Application

SENIOR PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Senior Project is an opportunity for seniors to create a more effective, enhanced senior year experience, while maintaining an appropriate academic course load. Participation in the program is optional; Students are required to have parent permission to participate and are responsible for their own transportation and any costs accrued. **Minimum hours required at the approved location are dependent on the credit option chosen.** Any student interested in the Senior Project must complete this Senior Project Application, available on the RFH school counseling website, and select the appropriate course number on your course offering sheet.

Students may choose one of the following programs:

Senior Internship:

Students may opt to spend part of their day in senior year in a career focused position. Students will be required to find their own position and have it approved by the Senior Project Coordinator. Quarterly papers and signed, weekly time sheets will be turned in each marking period and a presentation will be completed at the conclusion of the program. Examples may include business, fashion, real estate, medical profession, the arts, and various trades of interest to the student.

Service Learning:

Seniors are offered an opportunity to conclude their high school experience by providing volunteer services to the community and/or civic organizations. Possible community and civic opportunities include shelters, libraries, political organizations, youth groups and churches/synagogues. All hours will be done within the same setting. Students will maintain a personal journal and will present their final conclusions to the Senior Project Panel.

Option A = 15 Credits; Course # 002003; Scheduled Release AM or PM 3 periods/daily **FULL YEAR**

- Students will take English, PE, Lunch, and 3 other courses required for graduation at RFH which may include a senior study hall
- Students will submit signed weekly timesheets for a minimum of 11 hours per week
- Journals must be maintained, Quarterly reports must be written
- End of Year Final presentation to the Senior Project Panel
- **Grade will be included in GPA**

Option B = 10 Credits; Course # 002005; Scheduled Release AM or PM 2 periods/daily **FULL YEAR**

- Students will be scheduled for English, PE/Health, Lunch, and 4 additional courses required for graduation at RFH
- Students will submit signed weekly timesheets for a minimum of 8 hours per week
- Journals must be maintained, and Quarterly reports must be written
- End of the year presentation to the Senior Project Panel
- **Grade will be included in GPA**

Option C = 2.5 Credits; Course # 002006; No Schedule Adjustment OFFERED BY SEMESTER*

- No additional release time, however Seniors can request a Study Hall for additional time
- Students will submit signed weekly timesheets for a minimum of 3 hours per week
- Journals must be maintained, and Quarterly reports must be written
- End of the year presentation to the Senior Project Panel
- **Grade will be included in GPA**

*** This option is available by semester, either S1, S2 or BOTH. Students can also opt to complete two Senior Project Applications one per internship/per semester. Please make sure to advise your counselor if you are pursuing more than one internship.**

Please circle the Senior Project section below and make sure it is also on your Course selection sheet.

Option A - 15 credits - Course number 002003

Option B - 10 credits - Course number 002005

Option C - 2.5 credits - Course number 002006 circle which semester: S1 S2 or BOTH*

Student Name: _____ Email: _____
(Print clearly)

Counselor: _____ Homeroom teacher: _____

Name of Internship Site: _____

Address of Site: _____

Name of Mentor: _____ Cell #: _____

Email Address: _____

Senior Project is an opportunity to learn valuable real world skills in a career interest area.

In securing a commitment from a mentor, **you and your mentor must map out learning goals for each quarter and skills you will accomplish by the end of your internship.**

Consider your current knowledge and skills as a starting point. With your mentor, determine what skills you hope to accomplish each quarter. Below please articulate these goals specific to what you would like to learn/skill development for each quarter and how they would further your career interests. Please attach additional sheets if necessary.

Learning goals for each quarter are as follows:

Quarter 1 _____

Quarter 2 _____

Quarter 3 _____

Quarter 4 _____

**Please note the minimum hours required and goals you have stated.
Your signature acknowledges a commitment to both.**

Student Signature Date

Mentor's Signature: Date

Parent/Guardian Signature acknowledges permission to participate. Date

Received: _____

Date: _____

Counselor verified schedule request: _____ (initial)

Approved: _____

Dat: _____