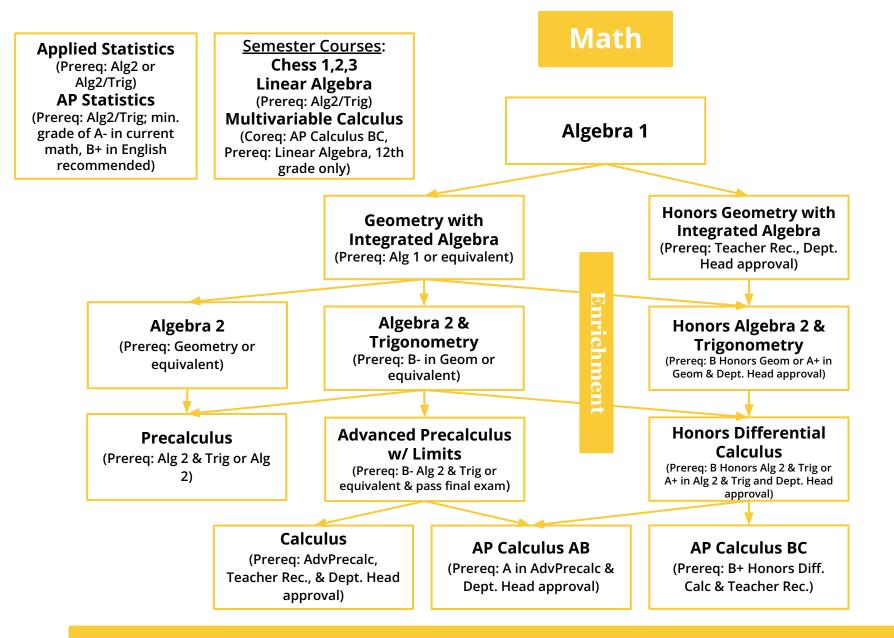
# Upper School

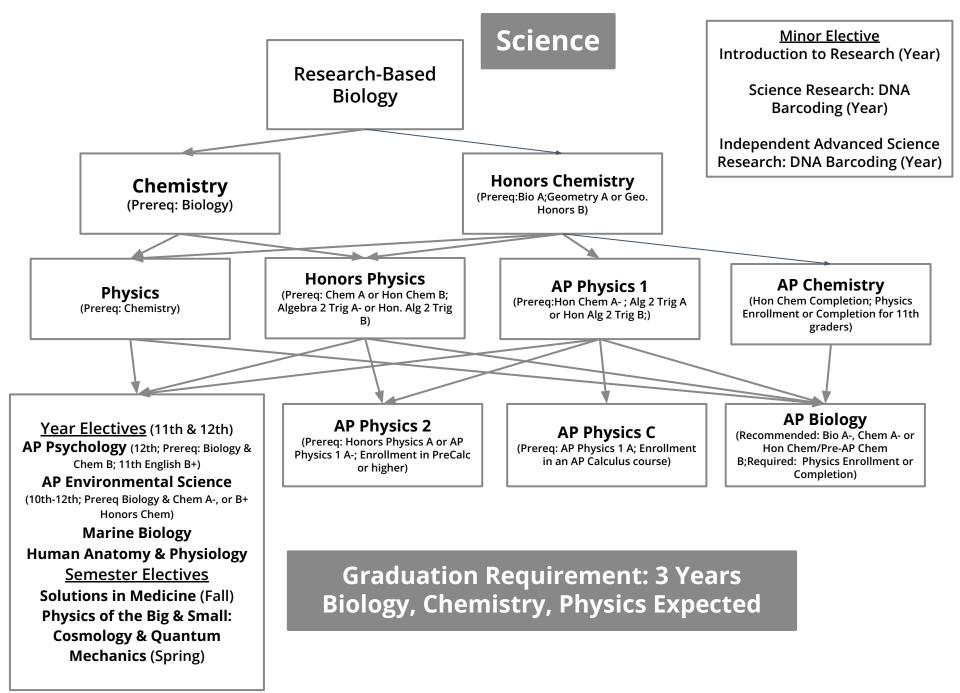


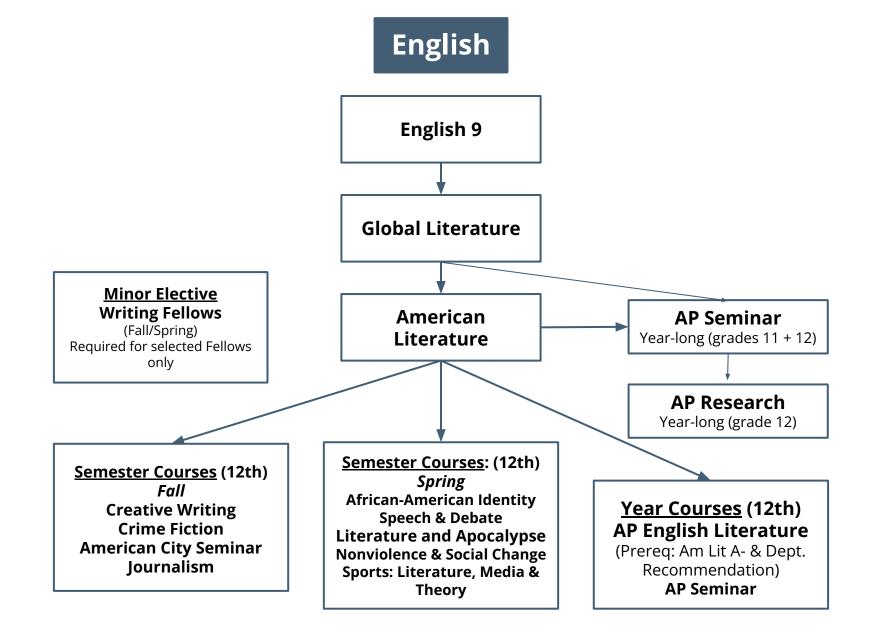
# Academic Pathways





Graduation Requirement: Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2 or Algebra 2 & Trig. Four years of math strongly recommended





**Graduation Requirement: 4 Years** 





**Global Interactions** 

**US History** 

**AP US History** 

(Prereq: Global Int. A-)

Semester Courses: Open to 10th-12th

Screening History: American History & Film AP Microeconomics (\*Prereq below)

GS Honors: International Relations

**Spring** 

The 1960's: The Decade That Changed Everything Herstory - Women in the World Past and

Present
AP Macroeconomics (\*Prereq below)

\*Grades 11, 12, Seniors given preference; students must be enrolled in Precalculus with Limits or higher

Yearlong Courses
Honors Art History (10th-12th)

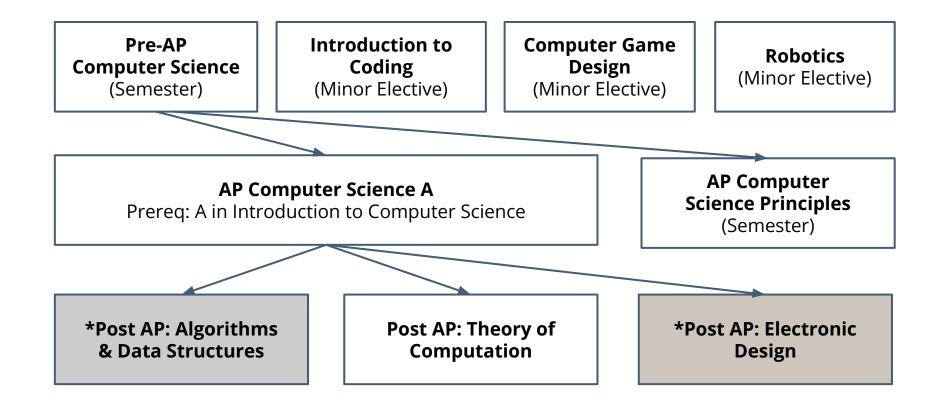
**AP Government and Politics: US** (Prereq: A- in previous year's history OR B+ in APUSH; 11th-12th)

**AP African American Studies** (Prereq: A- in previous year's history OR B+ in APUSH; 11th-12th)

AP European History (10th Grade Prereq: A in previous year's history course and written application; 11 and 12 prereq: A- in previous year's history OR B+ in APUSH; 10th-12th)

#### Latin Intro Sequence (3 **World Languages & Cultures** courses) Intro. Latin Adv. Intro. Latin Adv. Intro. Latin 2 **Electives** Spanish 1 - Latin in Science French 1 Chinese 1 Latin 1 and Law -Mythology **Advanced** Spanish 2H French 2H Spanish 2 (Prereq: Sp.1 A; Spanish 2 (Prereg: Fr. 1 A- & Latin 2 Chinese 2 French 2 (Prereg: Sp.1 A; 75%ile NSE, & Hon. Ment. NFE 75%ile NSE. & and/or Dept. Rec.) Dept. Rec.) Dept. Rec.) Spanish 3H French 3H Latin 3 (Prereq: Sp.2H A-, (Prereg: Fr. 2H B+& Chinese 3 Spanish 3 French 3 75%ile NSE, & Hon. Ment NFE and/or Dept. Rec.) Dept. Rec.) Chinese 4H Latin 4H Spanish 4H French 4H French 4 Spanish 4 (Prereg: B+ in (Prereq: Sp.3H A-; (Prereg: Fr. 3H B+ & Language & Language & Language & HM NFE and/or Chi. 3 and/or 75%ile NSE, & Cultures Cultures Cultures Dept. Rec.) Dept. Rec.) Dept. Rec.) (Prereg: Dept. Rec) AP Spanish Lang. GSS: Honors **AP Chinese AP French GSS: Honors** AP Latin Spanish & Culture French (Prereg: Fr. 4H B+ (Prerea: B+ in Spanish (Prerea: Sp 4H A-. Senior (Prereq: Dept. Chinese 4H and/or Language & & HM NFE and/or Language & 75%ile NSE & Dept. Rec.) Dept. Rec.) Seminar Culture Rec.) Dept. Rec) Culture Graduation Post-AP AP Spanish Lit. Post-AP **Requirement: Three** Post-AP Latin Chinese & Culture French consecutive levels of 1 (Prereq: AP Span (Prereg: AP Latin & (Prereg: AP Chinese (Prereg: 4+ on AP Teacher Rec) Lang & Rec) & Teacher Rec.) language French Lang exam and Gold/Silver Nat French Exam)

## **Computer Science**



Tech Graduation Requirement: ¼ credit of Computer Science or equivalent art class (Digital Design & Illustration, Digital Photo, Motion Arts, or Music Studio). A class cannot count toward both your art and your tech requirement.

\*Post AP: Algorithms and Post AP Electronic Design will not run in 24-25

## Real World Problem-Based Electives

### **Entrepreneurship I**

(10th-12th; Fall, Spring)

#### **Entrepreneurship II**

(11th-12th; Prereq Entre I; Spring '25)

#### **Solutions in Medicine**

(11th-12th; Fall)

### **Investing for Impact**

(11th-12th; Spring '26)

Our real world problem based courses are rooted in real and urgent complex problem solving and require deep collaboration with others, as well as the development and synthesis of a variety of skills, including but not limited to, critical thinking, research, and professional presentations. All courses require partnership with outside professionals-- whether it be a business owner in Entrepreneurship, a medical doctor in Solutions in Medicine, or a financial analyst in Investing for Impact, our students bring together knowledge and skills introduced in a variety of disciplines and engage in application, evaluation and creation.

## The Arts at Friends Academy

Performing Arts
Dance

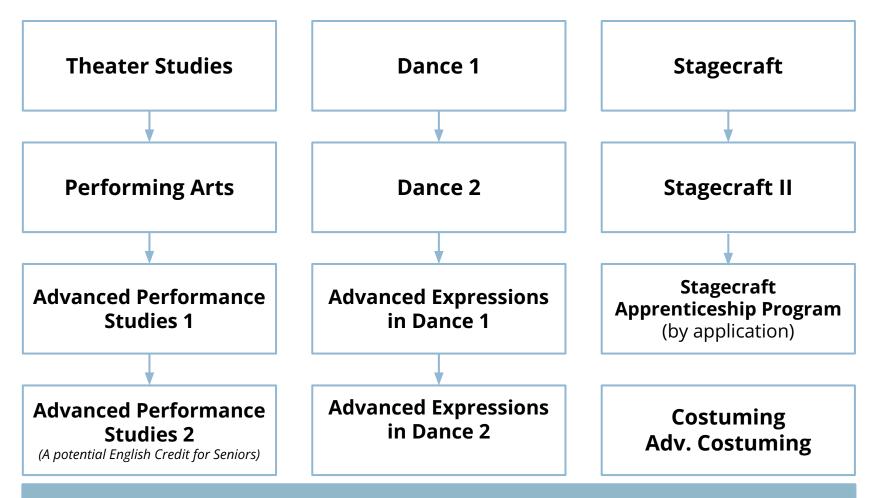
Music Theater Visual Arts
Digital Arts
Photography

**Studio Art** 

Graduation Requirement:
Class of 2026 and above
One and a half credits of courses in Visual and/or
Performing Arts

Class of 2025
One and a quarter credits of Visual and/or
Performing Arts

## **Performing Arts: Theater and Dance**



Graduation Requirement: One and a half credits of courses in Visual and/or Performing Arts (for Class of 2026; 1.25 credits Class of 2025; 1 credit Class of 2024

## **Performing Arts: Music**

Performing Ensembles
Wind Ensemble
Jazz Band
Orchestra
Concert Choir

**Chamber Choir** 

Music Courses

Music Theory

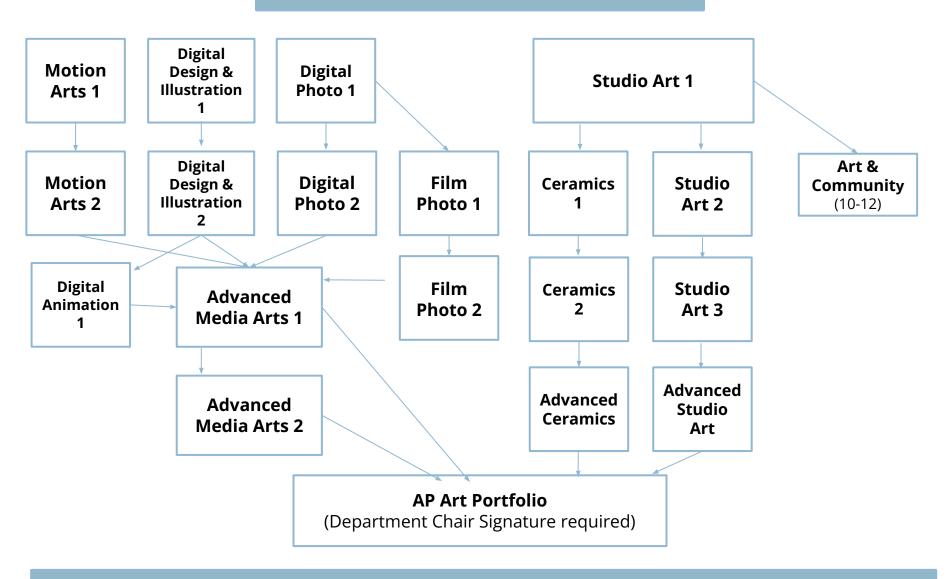
Music Studio

Music Appreciation 1

Music Appreciation 2

Graduation Requirement: One and a half credits of courses in Visual and/or Performing Arts (for Class of 2026; 1.25 credits Class of 2025; 1 credit Class of 2024

## **Visual Arts**



Graduation Requirement: One and a half credits of courses in Visual and/or Performing Arts (for Class of 2026; 1.25 credits Class of 2025; 1 credit Class of 2024

## **Timeline and Procedures**

- Schedule cards have now been distributed!
- Lost schedule cards can be replaced by your academic/college counselor.
- Students need to schedule a meeting with Ms. Mercante (rising 10th),
   Mrs. Morgan (rising 11th) or their college counselor to finalize course
   selections for next year. The schedule card will be filled out during
   the meeting, and sent home for parent/caregiver signature following
   that meeting. Cards need to be returned to the student's
   academic/college counselor no later than Monday, April 15.
- Scheduling priority will be given to cards turned in on time.

## **Schedule Policies**

**Six Credit Policy:** Students are expected to take a minimum of 6 credits of courses.

**Seven Credit Policy:** Students may only take 7 full-time credits with permission from counselors and parent.

**Four AP Policy:** No student is permitted to take more than the equivalent of 4 AP credits, with the exception that AP Computer Science is permitted as a fifth AP credit.

## Course Registration Form Rising 10th Grade

2024-2025 Mod. 3/1/24

Alana Mercante 10th Grade Academics

		To be filled out by Ms. Mercante:
Student Name (printed)	Advisor	Notes: Please make sure to include any alternative electives you might consider or classes that you are not eligible for now but want to be reconsidered for at the end of the year.
Global Perspectives	Scheduling Policies to Know:	
English (1 credit)	<b>Six credits</b> is the standard load. If you want to take seven credits, you must	
Global Literature	discuss the implications of this with Ms. Mercante.	
Science (1 credit)	Your schedule card must completed, signed, and submitted it to your	
	academic advisor by <b>Monday, April 15</b> . Cards turned in after this deadline will	
Math (1 credit)	not be given priority in the registration process.	<u> </u>  -
	Student Signature	
Language (1 credit)		
REQUIRED Elective(s) (1 credit total)	Parent/Guardian Signature	Arts Credit Complete
The Quitter Elective (5) (1 elective total)		Tech. Credit Complete
		Number of AP Credits
OPTIONAL Elective(s) (up to 1 credit)	7	Number of Total Credit

#### Grade 10 Electives 2024-25

(see Course of Study for prerequisites)

#### **Part-Time Courses** (continued) **Part-Time Courses** Science **Photography** Introduction to Science Research (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Digital Photo 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring, Art or Tech credit Science Research: DNA Barcoding (0.5) Year-long Film Photo 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring Math **Studio Arts** \_\_\_\_ Chess 1, 2, or 3 (0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_\_ Studio Art 1, 2, 3, Adv. Studio 1, or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_\_ Ceramics 1, 2, or Adv. Ceramics (0.25) Fall or Spring **Computer Science** Robotics (0.25) Fall or Spring Art & Community (0.25) \_\_\_\_ Computer Game Design (0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_ Intro to Coding (0.25) Fall or Spring **World Languages & Cultures** Introductory Latin (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Adv. Introductory Latin 1 or 2 (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Latin in Science & Law (0.25) Fall **Full-Time Courses** Mythology (0.25) Spring Science Dance (PE or Art credit) \_\_\_\_ AP Environmental Science (1.00) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Dance 2 (0.5) Year-long **Computer Science** Music \_\_\_\_ Introduction to Computer Science (0.5) Fall or Spring \_\_\_\_ Wind Ensemble (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ AP Computer Science Principles (0.5) Spring \_\_\_\_ Jazz Band (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ AP Computer Science A (1.0) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Orchestra (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Chamber Choir (0.5) Year-long History \_\_\_\_ Concert Choir (0.5) Year-long, by audition only \_\_\_\_ AP European History (1.00) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Music Theory (0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_ Honors Art History (1.0) Year-long Music Studio (0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_\_ Screening America: American History & Film (0.5) Fall \_\_\_\_ Music Appreciation 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_ GS: Honors International Relations (0.5) Fall \_\_\_\_ AP Macroeconomics (0.5) Spring Theater \_\_\_\_ AP Microeconomics (0.5) Fall \_\_\_\_ Theater Studies (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ The 1960's: The Decade That Changed Everything (0.5) Spring \_\_\_\_ Performing Arts (0.5) Year-long \_\_\_\_ Herstory: Women in the World Past and Present (0.5) Spring \_\_\_\_ Stagecraft 1, 2, or SCAP (0.25) Fall or Spring **Real World Problem-Based Electives** Digital Arts (Art or Tech credit) \_\_\_\_ Entrepreneurship I (0.5) Fall or Spring \_\_\_\_ Digital Design & Illustration 1 and 2(0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_\_ Entrepreneurship II (0.5) Fall or Spring Motion Arts 1 and 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring \_\_\_\_ Solutions in Medicine (0.5) Fall \_\_\_\_ Digital Animation (0.25) Fall or Spring

\_\_\_\_ Advanced Media Arts 1 and 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring

To be filled out by Mrs. Morgan

## Course Registration Form Rising 11th Grade

	Advisor	Notes:  Please make sure to include any alternative electives you might consider or classes that you are not eligible for now but want to be reconsidered for at the end of the year.
riistory (1 credit)	Scheduling Policies to Know:	1
English (1 credit)  American Literature	<b>Six credits</b> is the standard load. If you want to take seven credits, you must discuss the implications of this with your academic advisor.	
Science (1 credit)	Your schedule card must completed, signed, and submitted it to Mrs.	
Math (1 credit)	Morgan by <b>Monday, April 15</b> . Cards turned in after this deadline will not be given priority in the registration process.	
Language (1 credit)	Student Signature	
REQUIRED Elective(s) (1 credit total)	Parent/Guardian Signature	Arts Credit Complete Tech. Credit Complete
		Number of AP Credits
OPTIONAL Elective(s) (up to 1 credit)		Number of Total Credit
	J	Mrs Morgan, 11th Grade Academics

### **Grade 11 Electives 2024-25**

(see Course of Study for prerequisites)

#### **Part-Time Courses**

Science
Introduction to Science Research (0.5) Year-long
Science Research: DNA Barcoding (0.5) Year-long
Math
Chess 1, 2, or 3 (0.25) Fall or Spring
Computer Science
Robotics (0.25) Fall or Spring
Computer Game Design (0.25) Fall or Spring
Intro to Coding (0.25) Fall or Spring
World Languages & Cultures
Introductory Latin (0.5) Year-long
Adv. Introductory Latin (0.5) Tear-long
Adv. Introductory Latin 1 or 2 (0.5) Year-long
Latin in Science & Law (0.25) Fall
Mythology (0.25) Spring
Dance (PE <u>or</u> Art credit)
Adv. Expressions in Dance 1 or 2 (0.5) Year-long
Music
Wind Ensemble (0.5) Year-long
Jazz Band (0.5) Year-long
Orchestra (0.5) Year-long
Orchestra (0.5) Year-long
Chamber Choir (0.5) Year-long
Concert Choir (0.5) Year-long, by audition only
Music Theory (0.25) Fall or Spring
Music Studio (0.25) Fall or Spring
Music Appreciation 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring
Theater
Performing Arts (0.5) Year-long
Costuming or Adv. Costuming (0.25) Fall or Spring
Stagecraft I, II, or SCAP (0.25) Fall or Spring
Digital Arts (Art or Tech credit)
Digital Design & Illustration 1 and 2(0.25) Fall or Spring
Motion Arts 1 and 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring
Digital Animation (0.25) Fall or Spring
Advanced Media Arts 1 and 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring
Photography
Digital Photo 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring, Art or Tech credit
Film Photo 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring
Studio Arts
Studio Art 1, 2, 3, Adv. Studio 1, or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring
Ceramics 1, 2, or Adv. Ceramics (0.25) Fall or Spring
Art & Community (0.25)

#### **Full-Time Courses**

English AP Seminar (1.0) Year-long
Science  AP Environmental Science (1.0) Year-long Marine Biology (1.0) Year-long Human Anatomy & Physiology (1.0) Year-long Solutions in Medicine (0.5) Fall Physics of Big and Small (0.5) Spring or Fall
Math AP Statistics (1.0) Year-long Applied Statistics (1.0) Linear Algebra (0.5) Fall
Computer Science PreAP Computer Science (0.5) Fall or Spring AP Computer Science Principles (0.5) Spring AP Computer Science A (1.0) Year-long Post-AP Computer Science: Theory of Computation (1.00) Year-long
History  Honors Art History (1.0) Year-long AP Government & Politics (1.0) Year-long AP African American Studies (1.0) Year-long Screening America: American History & Film (0.5) Fall GS: Honors International Relations (0.5) Fall AP Macroeconomics (0.5) Spring AP Microeconomics (0.5) Fall The 1960's: The Decade That Changed Everything (0.5) Spring Herstory: Women in the World Past and Present (0.5) Spring
Real World Problem-Based Electives  Entrepreneurship I (0.5) Fall or Spring Entrepreneurship II (0.5) Fall or Spring Solutions in Medicine (0.5) Fall
Theater Advanced Performance Studies 1 (1.0) Year-long
Visual Arts AP Studio Art Portfolio (1.0) Year-long

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## Course Registration Form Rising 12th Grade

2024-2025 Mod. 3/1/24

### To be filled out by College Counselor:

Student Name (printed)	Advisor	Notes:  Please make sure to include any alternative electives you might consider or classes that you are not eligible for now but want to be reconsidered for at the end of the year.
English (1 credit)  Please rank the electives to the right 1-6. We will try to schedule you for at least 1 of your top three choices.  Science (1 credit)	American City Seminar AP English Literature (see prerequisites) AP Seminar (see prerequisites) AP Research (see prerequisites) Creative Writing Crime Fiction Journalism Literature and the Apocalypse Narrative of the African Am. Identity Nonviolence and Social Change	Arts Credit Complete
Math (1 credit)  Language (1 credit)	Speech and Debate Sports: Lit., Media, and Theory  Scheduling Policies to Know: Six credits is the standard load. If you want to take seven credits, you must discuss the implications of this with your college counselor. Your schedule card must completed and submitted it	Tech. Credit CompleteNumber of AP CreditsNumber of Total CreditNumber of Total Credit
REQUIRED Elective(s) (1 credit total)  OPTIONAL Elective(s) (up to 1 credit)	to your college counselor by <b>Monday</b> , <b>April 15</b> .	Student Signature  Parent/Guardian Signature

## **Grade 12 Electives 2024-25**

Part-Time Courses	(see Course of Study for prerequisites)
Science	Full-Time Courses
Introduction to Science Research (0.5) Year-long	Science
Science Research: DNA Barcoding (0.5) Year-long	AP Environmental Science (1.0) Year-long
	AP Psychology (1.0) Year-long
Math	Marine Biology (1.0) Year-long
Chess 1, 2, or 3 (0.25) Fall or Spring	Human Anatomy & Physiology (1.0) Year-long
	Solutions in Medicine (0.5) Fall
Computer Science	Solddon's in Medicine (0.5) Fall Physics of Big and Small (0.5) Spring or Fall
Robotics (0.25) Fall or Spring	— Physics of big and small (0.5) spring of Pall
Computer Game Design (0.25) Fall or Spring	Math
Intro to Coding (0.25) Fall or Spring	
Norld Languages & Cultures	AP Statistics (1.0) Year-long
Introductory Latin (0.5) Year-long	Applied Statistics (1.0)
Adv. Introductory Latin 1 or 2 (0.5) Year-long	Linear Algebra (0.5) Fall
Latin in Science & Law (0.25) Fall	Multivariable Calculus (0.5) Spring
Mythology (0.25) Spring	
	Computer Science
Dance (PE <u>or</u> Art credit)	PreAP Computer Science (0.5) Fall or Spring
Adv. Expressions in Dance 1 or 2 (0.5) Year-long	AP Computer Science Principles (0.5) Spring
	AP Computer Science A (1.0) Year-long
Music	Post-AP Computer Science: Theory of Computation (1.00) Year-long
Wind Ensemble (0.5) Year-long	
Jazz Band (0.5) Year-long	History
Orchestra (0.5) Year-long	Honors Art History (1.0) Year-long
Chamber Choir (0.5) Year-long	AP Government & Politics (1.0) Year-long
Concert Choir (0.5) Year-long, by audition only	AP African American Studies (1.0) Year-long
Music Theory (0.25) Fall or Spring	Screening America: American History & Film (0.5) Fall
Music Studio (0.25) Fall or Spring	GS: Honors International Relations (0.5) Fall
Music Studio (0.25) Fall of Spring Music Appreciation 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring	AP Macroeconomics (0.5) Spring
Music Appreciation 1 of 2 (0.23) Fail of Spring	AP Microeconomics (0.5) Fall
Digital Arts (Art <u>or</u> Tech credit)	The 1960's: The Decade That Changed Everything (0.5) Spring
Digital Design & Illustration 1 and 2(0.25) Fall or Spring	Herstory: Women in the World Past and Present (0.5) Spring
Motion Arts 1 and 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring	
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Advanced Media Arts 1 and 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring	Entrepreneurship I (0.5) Fall or Spring
Advanced Media Arts Tand 2 (0.25) Fail of Spring	Entrepreneurship II (0.5) Fall or Spring
No ato avendo.	Solutions in Medicine (0.5) Fall
Photography	
Digital Photo 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring, Art <u>or</u> Tech credi	Theater Theater
Film Photo 1 or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring	Advanced Performance Studies 2 (1.0) Year-long
Studio Arts	
Studio Arts 1, 2, 3, Adv. Studio 1, or 2 (0.25) Fall or Spring	Visual Arts
Ceramics 1, 2, or Adv. Ceramics (0.25) Fall or Spring	AP Studio Art Portfolio (1.0) Year-long
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Theater