

Guidance and Counseling Academic Overview

Graduation Requirements – Class of 2016 (and beyond)

Subjects	Required Units/Credits
English (<i>9th Literature, American Literature req'd</i>)	4 Units
Math (<i>Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra II req'd</i>)	4 Units
Science <i>Biology (required)</i> <i>Physics or Physical Science (required)</i> <i>Chemistry or Environmental Sci. or Earth Systems (required)</i>	4 Units
Social Studies	3 Units
PE <i>Personal Fitness</i> <i>General Health</i>	1.00 Unit <i>0.50 Unit</i> <i>0.50 Unit</i>
World Language/Career Tech/Fine Arts	3 Units
Electives	4 Units
Total	23 Units

Note: If planning to attend a 4-year college, at least 2 units are required in the same world language.

Promotion Requirements

Grade Level	Units Required for Promotion
9th to 10th Grade	Must have earned at least 5 Units
10th to 11th Grade	Must have earned at least 11 Units
11th to 12th Grade	Must have earned at least 17 Units
Graduate	Must have earned at least 23 Units & satisfied ALL Georgia course requirements

EOC Milestones Tests

English	Math	Science	Social Studies
11 th Literature	GSE Algebra I	Biology	US History

Test counts 20% for final grade in classes listed above

Counselor Caseloads

Counselor	Grade Level	Alphabet
Mrs. Cassandra Bolding, Dept. Chair	11 th – 12 th Grade	AVID and Dual Enrollment
Mr. Patrick Greenaway	11 th – 12 th Grade	A-K
Mrs. Fayelena Baxter	11 th – 12 th Grade	L-Z
Ms. Ashton Cotton	9 th – 10 th Grade	A-K
Ms. J. Julia Watkins	9 th – 10 th Grade	L-Z
Mrs. Courtney DeFlanders-Griffin	Panther Academy	Panther Academy & Cohort Recovery Support

***Ms. Maunda Lott, Graduation Coach**

Career Technology Pathways

Business Management - Entrepreneurship <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Business Technology • Legal Environment of Business • Entrepreneurship • Work Based Learning (WBL) 	Financial Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Business Technology • Financial Literacy • Banking & Investment • Work Based Learning (WBL)
Marketing – Fashion Merchandising <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marketing Principles • Fashion Merchandising and Retailing Essentials • Advanced Fashion, Merchandising and Retailing • Work Based Learning (WBL) 	Sports & Entertainment Marketing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marketing Principles • Introduction to Sports and Entertainment Marketing • Advanced Sports and Entertainment Marketing • Work Based Learning (WBL)
Audio-Video Technology *NEW* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audio-Video 1 • Audio-Video 2 • Audio-Video 3 	Computer Programming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Software Technology • Computer Science Principles • Programming, Games, Apps & Society • Work Based Learning (WBL)
Therapeutic Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Healthcare • Essentials of Healthcare • Allied Healthcare • Pharmacy Operations and Fundamentals • Work Based Learning (WBL) 	Automobile Maintenance and Light Repair <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Maintenance and Light Repair • Maintenance and Light Repair 2 • Maintenance and Light Repair 3 • Work Based Learning (WBL)
Leadership - Government and Public Admin. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JROTC 1 • JROTC 2 • JROTC 3 • JROTC 4 	Engineering and Technology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundations of Engineering & Technology • Engineering Concepts • Engineering Applications • Work Based Learning (WBL)
Graphic Design <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Graphics and Design • Graphic Design and Production • Advanced Graphic Design 	<h1 style="text-align: center;">ATTENTION</h1> <p style="text-align: center;">Students need at least 3 courses/credits in one of these areas to be a pathway completer</p>

Elective Offerings

Physical Education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro Dance • Aerobic Dance • General PE 1 • General PE 2 • Intro Recreational Games • Intro Lifetime Sports • Weight Training • Advanced Weight Training • Physical Conditioning 	Art – Fine Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro to Art & Design Fundamentals • Draw/Paint 1 & Draw/Paint 2 • Ceramics 1 & Ceramics 2 • Sculpture 1 & Sculpture 2 • Photo 1 & Photo 2 • Photo 3 & Photo 4 • Jewelry/Metalcrafts 1 and Printmaking • AP Drawing • AP 2-D Design Portfolio • AP 3-D Design Portfolio
Band – Fine Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning Band 1 • Intermediate Band 1 • Intermediate Band 2 • Advanced Band 1 • Advanced Band 2 • Advanced Band 3 • Percussion 1 • Percussion 2 	Theatre – Fines Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fundamentals of Thtr 1 • Fundamentals of Thtr 2 • Adv. Drama 1 • Adv. Drama 2 • Acting 1 • Acting 2 • Acting 3
Piano/Keyboard – Fine Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning Music Tech • Advanced Keyboard Tech 1 • Beginning Piano 1 • Beginning Piano 2 • Intermediate Piano 1 • Intermediate Piano 2 	Orchestra/Jazz – Fine Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Orchestra 1 • Advanced Orchestra 2 • Advanced Orchestra 3 • Advanced Orchestra 4 • Advanced Jazz Lab 1
Chorus – Fine Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning Chorus 1 • Intermediate Chorus 1 • Intermediate Chorus 2 • Advanced Chorus 1 • Music Appreciation – Fine Arts • AP Music Theory – Fine Arts 	Other Electives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • African History • Journalism 1/Annual • Speech Forensics 1 • Communication Skills • SAT Prep • AVID 1, 2, 3, & 4 • Psychology / Sociology/ (AP Psychology) • Current Issues

Required Course Offerings

<p>Language Arts (4 Credits)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9th Literature (on-level and honors) • 10th Literature / World Literature (on-level and honors) • 11th Literature (on-level and honors) • British Literature • Multiculture Literature • AP Language (11th) • AP Literature (12th) 	<p>Social Studies (3 Credits)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Government (<i>paired w/World Geography</i>) • World History • US History • Economics (<i>paired w/ International Affairs</i>) • AP World History • AP US History • AP Microeconomics
<p>Science (4 Credits)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology (on-level and honors) • Physical Science (on-level and honors) • Environmental Science • Earth Systems • Physics • Chemistry (on-level and honors) • Human Anatomy • Forensic Science • AP Biology • AP Environmental Science • AP Physics 1 	<p>Mathematics (4 Credits)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra: C&C • Geometry: C&C (on-level and honors) • Advanced Algebra: C&C (on-level and honors) • Advance Math Decision Making • Pre-Calculus (on-level and honors) • AP Pre-Calculus • AP Calculus AB • AP Statistics
<p>World Language (2 Credits)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • French 1 • French 2 (on-level and honors) • French 3 (on-level and honors) • French 4 (on-level and honors) • Spanish 1 • Spanish 2 (on-level and honors) • Spanish 3 (on-level and honors) • Spanish 4 (on-level and honors) • AP Spanish 	<p>Physical Education (1 Credit)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Health • Personal Fitness <p><i>(Both classes are required for graduation.)</i></p>
<p>Electives (4 Credits)</p> <p><i>(Minimum of 4 credits required for graduation)</i></p>	<p>Fine Arts / CTAE / World Languages (3 Credits)</p> <p><i>(Minimum of 1 credit required for graduation)</i></p>