SENIOR YEAR COURSE SELECTION FOR 2022-23
Requirements, Options, and Electives

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Seniors in the Class of 2023 are required to take a minimum of 6.5 credits. They may carry additional half-credit courses and/or full-credit courses, but because the full program of study at La Salle is a demanding one, students must select wisely and consult carefully with their college counselor before adding to their academic loads.

Required Courses	Credits	Notes
Religion	1	Religion 12 – Living the Mission
English	1	EITHER World Literature Expository Writing or A.P. Literature and Composition.
Group Advisory	.2	College Counseling Seminar 12 (.1) and Group Advisory 12 (.1)
Lunch		Lunch will be scheduled during one of the designated periods each day.
Electives	4.5	A MINIMUM OF 4.5 CREDITS IN ELECTIVE COURSES. At least two of these credits must be chosen from among courses offered in the areas of mathematics, science, world language, history and political science, or social sciences.

In order to complete La Salle's curricular program and graduate, students need to take a **half credit** in **Fine Arts**, and in **Information Sciences and Technology**, as well as two half credits in Physical Education (1 credit total). Along with traditional art electives, Creative Writing or Public Speaking also satisfy a student's Fine Arts requirement. The freshman-level Information Literacy course fulfills the computer requirement. With these stipulations in mind, students select their credits from the list of elective courses listed on the back.

Other Courses		If needed
Physical Education	.5	La Salle students are required to complete 1.0 credit in Physical Education before a diploma is issued. This is earned at 0.5 credit increments per year. La Salle students are encouraged to complete their P.E. requirement as early as possible. If a student has not completed his P.E. obligation by the end of sophomore year, he will be scheduled for Physical Education 2. This is a "ghost" course and serves as a reminder that an outstanding balance remains. There are multiple ways in which an annual .5-credit increment can be earned. Please consult the *Program of Studies* for a full description of these options. 1) Successful completion of a scheduled class. 2) Successful participation in a junior varsity or varsity sport (beginning sophomore year). This includes being a team statistician or manager. 3) Successful involvement in La Salle's intramural program. 4) Full participation in La Salle Pep Band or La Salle's Spring Musical.
David Program	.5	**Academic Support 12.** Students who plan on receiving support through La Salle's David Program are rostered for the course titled Academic Support. This is mandatory for students enrolled in the program.

SENIOR ELECTIVES

Students are urged to plan responsibly when developing their academic program for next year. Once the course selection process has been completed, roster changes will not be made except for sound educational reasons. If we are able to schedule all your requests, you will have to take the courses all next year once the add-drop period is over.

> *Important: Transcripts of seniors include senior-year courses and are sent in the fall of senior year. Consequently, no senior should expect to drop a course in the second semester of senior year.*

Many of the elective courses listed below have prerequisites. Others need approval from teachers and/or department chairpeople. Please carefully review the descriptions for the courses in the current *Program of Studies*, available online through the school's website on the "Academics" page. www.lschs.org/academics.

Subject	Elective Offerings for Seniors		
Mathematics	• Algebra 3/Trigonometry • Trigonometry (.5)	• Statistics • *AP* Statistics • Precalculus	• Calculus Honors • *AP* Calculus AB • *AP* Calculus BC • Calculus 3
Information Sciences and Technology	• Introduction to Programming (.5) • JAVA Programming (.5) • (*AP* Computer Science A (*- in 2023-24)) • *AP* Comp. Science Principles (*+) • Digital Design (.5) (2/8 days) • Digital Design – *Online Course* (.5) • Mobile Video Production (.5, 2/8 days) • Advanced Multimedia Production – WEXPtv	• WEXPtv Media Design Internship (.5, full year) • Intro to Multimedia Journalism • Web Design for Business (.5, 2/8 days) • Web Design Internship (.5, full year) • Advanced Visual Communication (.5, full year) • Digital Design Internship (.5, full year)	• Engineering Design (.5) • Advanced Engineering Design (.5) • Principles of Engineering (.5) • Networking Essential (.5, sem 1) • Cloud Fundamentals (*+, sem 2) • *(Intro to Cyber Security (.5, sem 2, *- in 2023-34))* • Network Design Internship (.5, full year)
English	• Creative Writing 1 (.5) • Creative Writing 2 (.5)	• Public Speaking (.5) • Advanced Public Speaking (.5)	• African American Literature (.5)
World Languages	• Next sequential course in your core language studies • Any additional beginning language course in Chinese, French, Spanish or Latin		
Science	• Physics • *AP* Physics 1 (non-calculus based) • *AP* Physics 2 • *AP* Physics C – Mechanics (.5, sem 1) • *AP* Physics C – Electricity and Magnetism (.5, sem 2)	• *AP* Chemistry • *AP* Biology • Environmental Science • *AP* Environmental Science	• Anatomy & Physiology Honors • Zoology (.5) • Forensic Science (.5) • Bioethics
Physical Education	• Principles of Athletic Training (.5)	• Physical Fitness (.5)	
History and Political Science	• *AP* Modern European History • U.S. Civil Rights (.5) • Modern East Asian Studies (.5)	• *AP* American Gov. & Politics • *AP* Comparative Gov. & Politics	
Social Sciences	• Economics (.5) • *AP* Microeconomics (.5) • *AP Macroeconomics* (.5)	• Psychology (.5) • *AP* Psychology	• Intro to Business and Finance (.5) • Personal Finance and Investment (.5) • Entrepreneurship (.5)
Fine Arts	• Drawing 1, 2 (.5) • Painting 1, 2 (.5) • Ceramics 1, 2, Advanced (.5) • Sculpture 1, 2, Advanced (.5) • Instrumental Instruction (.5, 1/10 days)	• Advanced Music Studies (.5) • Small Ensembles (1) • R&B, Funk and Latin Concepts (1) • Advanced Music Performance - Stage Band (1) • Honors Advanced Music (1)	• Chorus (.5, 3/10 days, full year) • Advanced Chorus (.5) • Independent Chorus (.5) • Music Business and Technology (.5, 3/10 days, full year)

Notes
1) Some courses are on a rotation and are offered in years beginning with even numbers (***+**) or odd numbers (***-**).
2) In addition, there are special music offerings possible through arrangements with the Music Department.
3) ***NOTE: All courses listed may NOT be offered every year. Subscription and personnel availability are factors determining course offerings.***