

UPPER SCHOOL ACADEMIC JOURNEY

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	ENGLISH	HISTORY	MATH	SCIENCE	WORLD LANG	PHYSICAL ED	FINE ARTS	LAUNCHPAD
GRADUATION REQUIREMENT	Four full years	Two years of World History, one year of U.S. History, and one semester of Civics	Three years of math through Algebra II	Three years of laboratory sciences that must include one year each of Biology, Chemistry, and Physics	Three years of one language (four highly recommended) or two years of one language and two years of another	One 9th grade Health course and three P.E. courses*	Four semesters of fine arts classes	One LaunchPad intensive course in 12th grade
9TH GRADE	English 9	Early World History	Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II	Biology	Chinese 1, 2, or 3; French 1, 2, or 3; Spanish 1, 2, or 3	9th grade Health and P.E. class	Semester and yearlong classes are offered in dance, drama, visual arts, and music	
10TH GRADE	English 10	Modern World History	Geometry, Algebra II, Precalculus, or Statistics	Chemistry or Quantitative Chemistry	Chinese 2, 3, or 4; French 2, 3, or 4; Spanish 2, 3, or 4	P.E. class	Semester and yearlong classes are offered in dance, drama, visual arts, and music	
11TH GRADE	English 11: American Voices	U.S. History	Algebra II, Precalculus, Calculus I or II, or Statistics	Physics, Quantitative Physics, or electives	Chinese 3, 4, or 5; French 3, 4 or 5; Spanish 3, 4, or 5	P.E. class	Semester and yearlong classes are offered in dance, drama, visual arts, and music	
12TH GRADE	English electives	Civics and electives	Precalculus, Calculus I or II, Statistics, Advanced Topics, or GOA Multivariable Calculus	Physics, Quantitative Physics, or electives	Chinese 4, 5, or 6; French 4, 5, or 6; Spanish 4, 5, or 6	P.E. class	Semester and yearlong classes are offered in dance, drama, visual arts, and music	LaunchPad

*Students may obtain a Directed Sport Waiver to waive up to two PE classes by participating in school-based interscholastic sports at the varsity or junior varsity (JV) level. Waivers outside of the interscholastic requirement will be reviewed and discussed on an individual basis.