

**Ponte Vedra High School
Welcome Parents of the
Class of 2026!**



School Administration

- Principal – Dr. Oberkehr
- Assistant Principals:
 - Ms. O'Brian
 - Ms. Jasper
 - Dr. Sanzo
- Academy Director – Ms. Leonard
- Registrar- Ms. Henderson
- School Counselors:
 - Ms. Ashenfelder
 - Ms. Lombardi
 - Ms. Socket

Graduation Requirements

To earn a standard high school diploma, you need a minimum of:

- **24 credits**
- **2.0 Unweighted GPA**
- **Pass Grade 10 FSA-ELA***
- **Pass End-of-Course exam** Algebra 1 and/or Geometry
- **Must take 1 online course** HOPE satisfies this requirement

24 Credits

- **English** – 4 credits
- **Math** – 4 credits (Must include Alg 1, Geom)
- **Science** – 3 credits (Must include Biology)
- **Social Studies** – 3 credits (World, US, Gov't/Eco)
- **HOPE** – 1 credit
- **Performing Art** – 1 credit
- **Elective** - 8 credits

What are colleges looking for?

More than the minimum:

- Additional academic courses in English, Math, Science, Social Studies and Foreign Language (2+ consecutive years in same language)
- Rigor of course schedule
- GPA & class rank
- SAT or ACT scores
- Participation in extracurricular activities
- Leadership abilities
- Community service

Bright Futures

Type	16 High School Course Credits ¹	High School Weighted Bright Futures GPA	College Entrance Exams by High School Graduation Year (ACT [®] /SAT [®])	Service Hours
FAS	<p>4 - English <i>(three must include substantial writing)</i></p> <p>4 - Mathematics <i>(at or above the Algebra I level)</i></p> <p>3 - Natural Science <i>(two must have substantial laboratory)</i></p>	3.50	<p>2021-22 Graduates: 29/1330</p> <p>2022-23 Graduates: 29/1330</p>	100 hours
FMS	<p>3 - Social Science</p> <p>2 - World Language <i>(sequential, in same language)</i></p>	3.00	<p>2021-22 Graduates: 25/1210</p> <p>2022-23 Graduates: 25/1210</p>	75 hours

Courses come in 4 sizes

- Standard
- Honors – faster paced and more rigorous than standard.
- Advanced Placement (AP) – more rigorous than Honors. Can be faster paced. AP Exam in May.
- Dual Enrollment (DE) – Actual College courses taken through UNF or SJRSC. Can be virtual or on PVHS campus.

Typical 9th grade schedule

ENGLISH:

English 1 or English 1 Honors

MATH:

Algebra 1, Algebra 1 Honors, Geometry, Geometry Honors or Algebra 2 Honors

SCIENCE:

Environmental Science, Physical Science Honors or Biology Honors

SOCIAL STUDIES:

AP Human Geography or Psychology 1&2

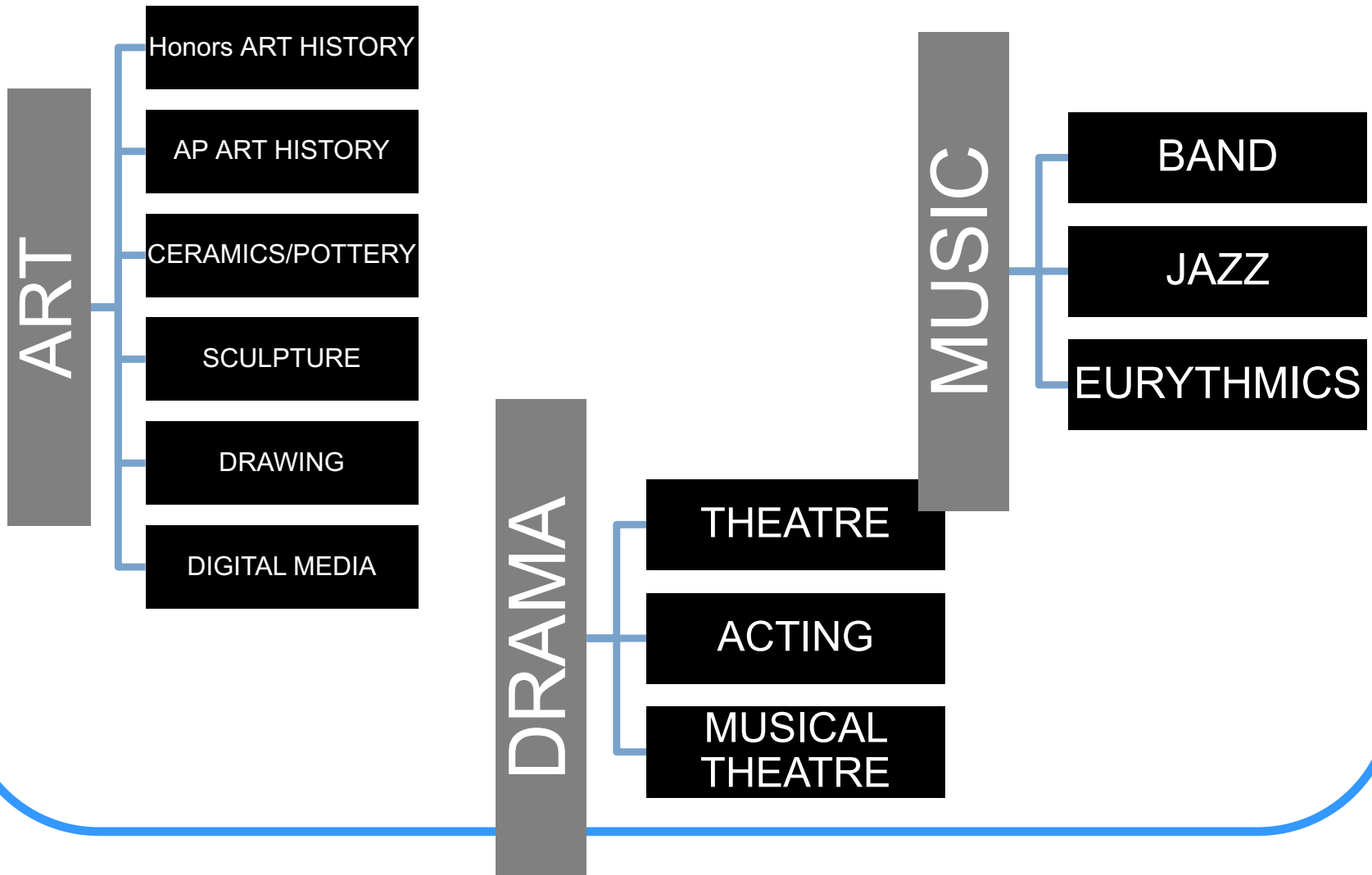
HOPE

WORLD LANGUAGE:

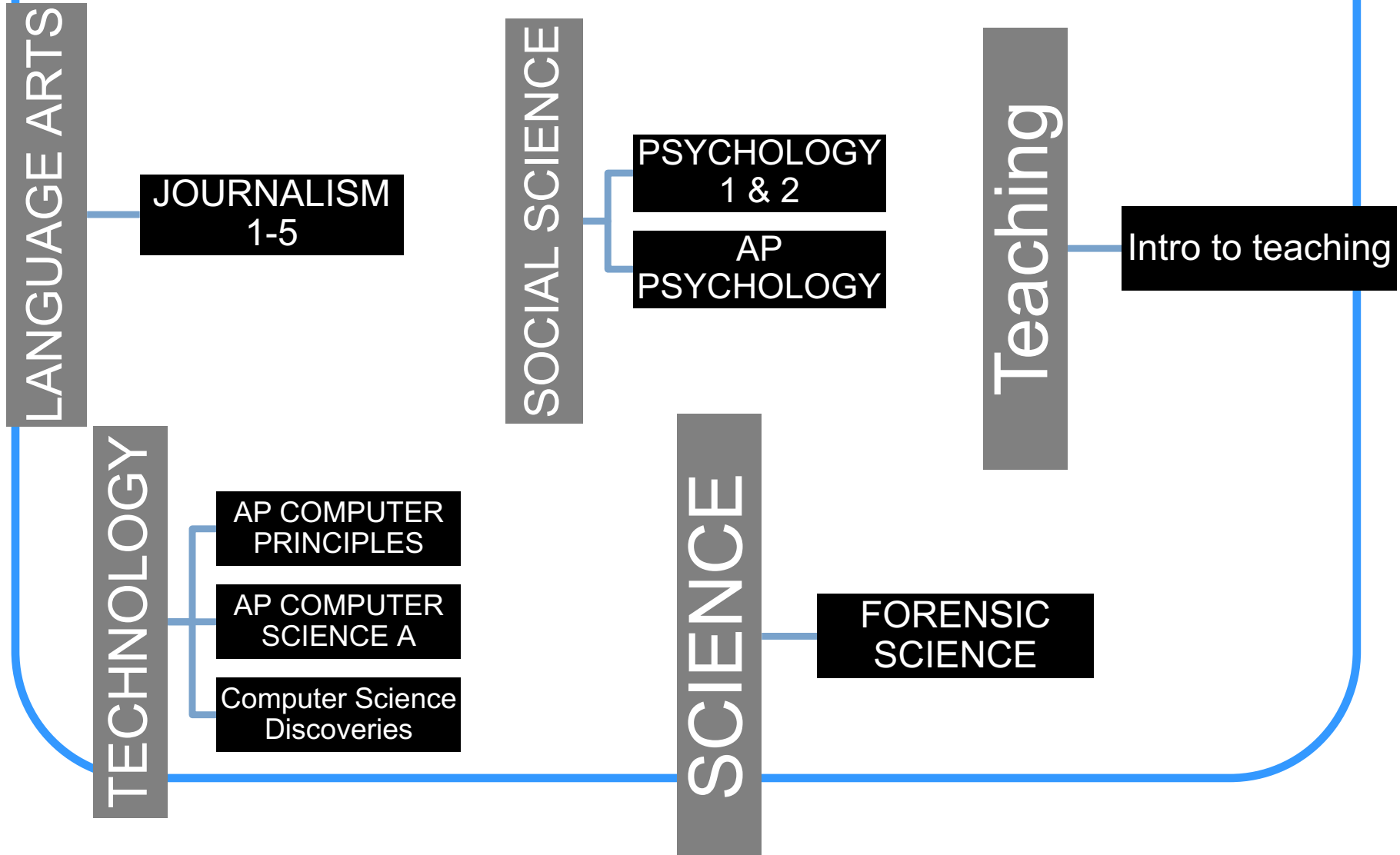
Spanish, American Sign Language, Chinese, Latin

ELECTIVE or
ACADEMY COURSE

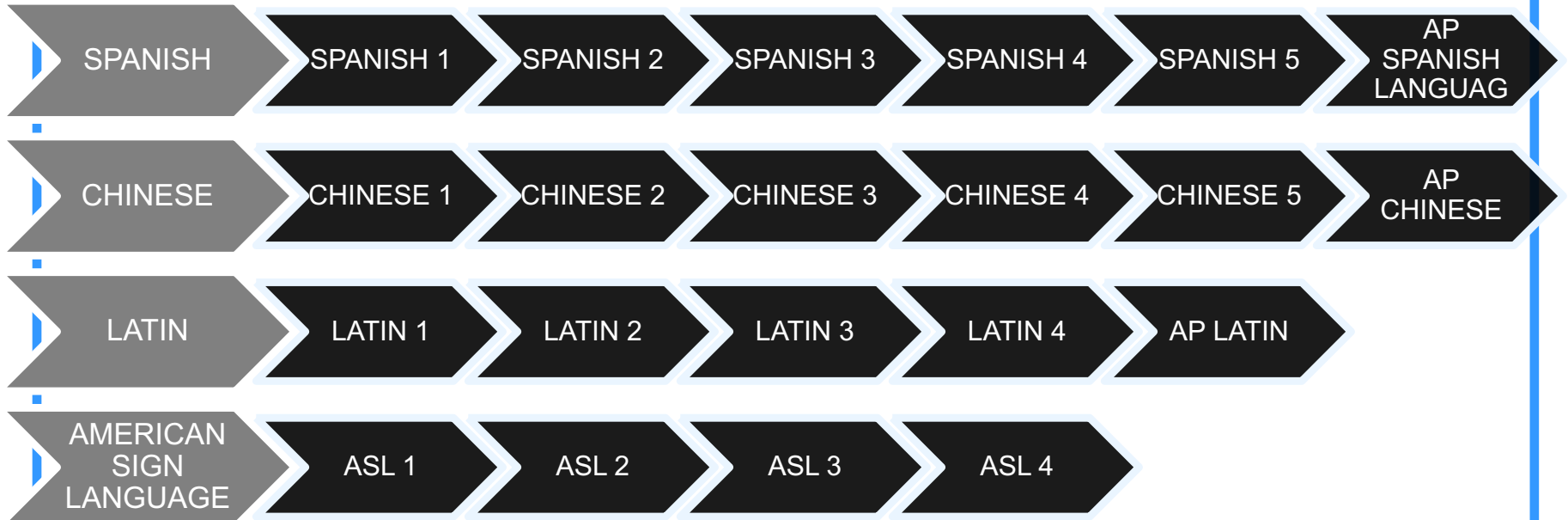
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World Languages



Athletics

● fall

- **Cheerleading**
- **Cross country (b,g)**
- **Dance**
- **Football**
- **Golf (b,g)**
- **Swimming/
Diving (b,g)**
- **Volleyball (g)**

● winter

- **Basketball (b,g)**
- **Soccer (b,g)**
- **Wrestling (b,g)**
- **Weightlifting (g)**

● spring

- **Baseball**
- **Lacrosse (b,g)**
- **Tennis (b,g)**
- **Track & field (b,g)**
- **Softball**
- **Volleyball (b)**
- **Weightlifting (b)**

**New Opportunity:
Our Academy Programs are Growing!**

Academy of Future Educators

- ❖ 2022 – 23 elective course, ***Introduction to Teaching***, offered only to PVHS zoned students.
- ❖ **2023 – 24 Academy Program will be offered to all students in district.**

Academy of Future Educators

**Certification
Opportunities**

**1) Introduction
to the Teaching
Profession**



**2) Human
Growth &
Development**



**Internship
Opportunity**

**3) Foundations
of Curriculum &
Instruction**



4) TBA

Graduate with 12 college credits! 4 DE courses in Junior/Senior year, if qualified

IEP and 504 students

● IEP / LEA –

- Jeannine O'Brian is point of contact.
- All Landrum students and parents have been given the opportunity for a transition IEP meeting.
- Landrum contact – Jodi Johnson.

● 504 –

- Haley Jasper is point of contact.
- All current 504 plans transfer to PVHS School Counselors. No need to make any special arrangements.

PVHS 2022-2023 REGISTRATION

Landrum Middle School

Palm Valley Academy

Mar 3

Mar 8

Mar 1&2

Mar 7

Valley Ridge Academy

Fruit Cove Middle School

Registration Procedures

Students who currently attend St. Johns County MS:

- Student **Course Verification letters** and registration procedures, including registration schedule sent home.
- March 1 & 2, Registration at Landrum through Social Studies classes. Students must bring their student option verification letter and elective course selection sheets completed and **signed by a parent** to register.
- Other MS, registration appt. date & time in your letter

Course Verification Letter

Landrum Middle School students will receive their registration paperwork to bring home through their Social Studies teacher by Feb 18, 2022.

Other Middle School students will receive their registration paperwork through the mail.

- **Includes academic course recommendations**
- **Elective course selection sheet**

PVHS Course Catalog

- 2022-2023 PVHS Course Catalog is posted on the school website.
- Course Descriptions are embedded into the catalog. It's designed to help you with your selection process and answer specific questions pertaining to each course.
- Please review carefully.
- Answers many questions and offers course descriptions to help in your selection process.

Registration Tips

- Please choose 6 Elective Course Selections in order of preference. You will not have all 6 electives on your schedule, but we cannot guarantee your first choice elective.
- Don't choose an elective you absolutely don't want, you could get it!
- Summer reading lists available in May
- Back to school orientation, more info. to follow
- Remember first day of school August 10

Remember...

- Make course selections carefully based on your strengths.
- Virtual options are available to students during the school day.
- It is important to challenge yourself but also be realistic when considering all of your obligations.
- Remember that the master schedule is built, and teachers are hired, based on your course requests.
- Changes once the school year has started may NOT be possible.

Criteria for Changing an Honors or AP course

A student may not change an Honors or AP course until the end of the first semester and **ONLY** if the following conditions exist:

- A grade of “D” or “F”
- Completion of a parent conference during each grading period
- Demonstration of the student seeking consistent academic assistance
- If a student is dropped from a class outside of the add/drop window a WP or WF will be on their transcript

New Student Registration



If you are:

New Student to St. Johns
County

Private School Student

Home School Student



**[https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/
student/enrollment/](https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/student/enrollment/)**

Enrollment Opens March 1st



**Once you have filled out
all the enrollment
information, PVHS will
contact you and set a time
to discuss course
selections for the 2022-
2023 school year**

Social Media

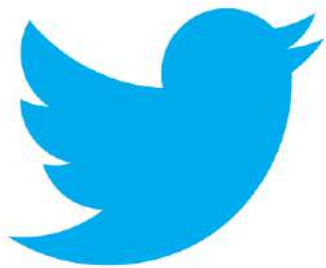
Twitter: @PonteVedraHigh

Ponte Vedra High school website:

<https://www-pvhs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/>

Stay informed with our weekly newsletter, SharkBytes:

<https://conta.cc/3uDPVPd>



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Registration Questions

