



Saint Mary's Hall Upper School Curriculum Guide

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Grade	Required Courses	Elective Courses	Fine Arts/Athletics Offerings
Freshman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced Topics in Composition Global Studies I & II Physics I or AP Physics I Health Math World Languages and Cultures Fine Arts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Computer Science Basic STEM 	<p style="text-align: center;">Fine Arts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced Theater Project Chamber Orchestra Competitive Piano Dance Debate I-IV Digital Cinema I-IV Digital Photography Beginning and Advanced Drawing and Design Beginning and Advanced 3-D Art and Design Jazz Band Music History Music Theory
Sophomore	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey of British Literature/World Drama Global Studies III & IV or AP World History Chemistry I or Chemistry I Honors Math World Languages and Cultures Fine Arts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Computer Science Bioengineering AP Computer Science Creative Writing Introduction to Psychology A 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Speech and Drama I-IV Technical Theater Yearbook AP Art History AP Studio Art: Drawing AP Studio Art: 2-D Design AP Studio Art: 3-D Design Private Lessons (Guitar, Piano, Strings, Voice, Wind Instruments)
Junior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> American Literature and Composition AP English Language and Composition Modern U.S. History AP U.S. History Cell Biology and Macro Biology Math World Languages and Cultures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Computer Science Bioengineering AP Computer Science Creative Writing Introduction to Psychology A Principles of Finance and Investing AP Statistics AP Environmental Science AP Biology AP Chemistry AP Physics C: Mechanics 	<p style="text-align: center;">Athletics (Varsity and Junior Varsity)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cheerleading Cross Country Field Hockey Football Soccer Tennis Volleyball Basketball Baseball Golf Lacrosse Softball Track & Field
Senior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rhetoric, Composition and Literature AP English Literature and Composition U.S. Government or AP U.S. Government and Politics Cell Biology and Macro Biology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Computer Science Bioengineering AP Computer Science Creative Writing Introduction to Psychology A or B Introduction to Philosophy Economics or AP Macroeconomics AP Statistics Principles of Finance and Investing AP Environmental Science AP Biology AP Chemistry AP Physics C: Mechanics AP European History AP Human Geography 	

Students are required to take five core academic courses and one elective course per semester.

Math

Three years required in the math sequence based on placement: Algebra I, Algebra II or Algebra II Honors, Geometry or Geometry Honors, Pre-Calculus or Pre-Calculus Honors, Calculus, AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, Calculus III, AP Statistics, Principles of Finance and Investing.

Science

Three years required including Physics, Chemistry, and Micro/Macro Biology. Electives include: AP Biology (satisfies both Micro and Macro), AP Environmental Science (satisfies Macro), AP Physics 1, AP Chemistry, Cell Biology (satisfies Micro requirement), Anatomy (satisfies Macro) or Zoology (satisfies Macro).

World Languages and Cultures

Three years required, or up to level III in the same language. Electives include, Spanish I, Spanish II, Spanish II Honors, Spanish III, Spanish III Honors, Spanish IV, AP Spanish Language and Culture, AP Spanish Literature and Culture, French I, French II, French III, French III Honors, French IV, AP French Language and Culture, Latin I, Latin II, Latin II Honors, Latin III, Latin III Honors, Latin IV Honors, AP Latin.

Fine Arts/Athletics

Five credits required between the two departments, two from one department, two from the other, and one half credit of Health (Required to be taken during Form 9 and Form 11).