



Welcome Freshman!

Class of 2023

*Important Information from the
PHS Counseling Department*



Today's Agenda:



- Introductions - who's your counselor?
- Differences between HS & junior high
- Graduation Requirements vs. A-G requirements
- Athletics
- Additional classes
- Register for courses

Who's your counselor???

- By last name:
 - A-D: Ms. McClelland mmcclelland@petk12.org
 - E-K: Ms. Ruzick cruzick@petk12.org
 - L-Ri: Ms. Parisi jparisi@petk12.org
 - Ro-Z: Mrs. Guerra mguerra@petk12.org
- What we help with:
 - Classes/Registration
 - Colleges
 - Career Exploration
 - Personal/Social Challenges



Graduation Requirements

- Credits = 5/class/semester, 10/year
- **F = NO CREDITS**
- English 40 credits
- Social Studies 30 credits
- Math 20 credits (10 must be from Math 1)
- Science 20 credits (10 each; Physical & Biology)
- Math/Science Related 10 credits
- Physical Education 20 credits
- Foreign Language/VPA 10 credits (either area)
- Human Interaction 5 credits
- Electives 65 credits
- **220 Total Credits Needed to Graduate!**



A-G Requirements

- A. Social Science - 2 years
- B. English - 4 years
- C. Mathematics - 3 years, 4 recommended (Math 3 or higher)
- D. Lab Science - 2 years, 3 recommended
- E. Foreign Language - 2 years, 3 recommended
- F. Visual Performing Arts - 1 year
- G. College Prep Elective - 1 year

*These are the minimum, going above & beyond requirements is recommended,
CSU - 2.0 min GPA, UC - 3.0 min GPA + SAT or ACT test, No Ds or Fs!

A - G
IS IT IN YOU?



Athletics



Fall:

- Cross Country (Boys & Girls)
- Football (Co-ed)
- Golf (Girls)
- Tennis (Girls)
- Volleyball (Girls)
- Cheer (Co-ed)

Winter:

- Basketball (Girls & Boys)
- Wrestling (Boys & Girls)
- Soccer (Girls & Boys)

Spring:

- Badminton (Co-ed)
- Baseball (Boys)
- Golf (Boys)
- Lacrosse (Girls & Boys)
- Softball (Girls)
- Swim (Co-ed)
- Tennis (Boys)
- Track (Co-ed)

Athletic Director:

PHS: Ricky Krist, rkrist@petk12.org

Sample Freshman Schedule

- 1) **ENGLISH:** English 9 or Honors English 9
- 2) **MATH:** Math 1 or Math 2 (depends on current Math)
- 3) **SCIENCE:** Physical Science (recommended) or Biology (CP, Honors, Agriculture or Community Health - concurrent in Math 2 HIGHLY recommended)
- 4) **PE:** PE 9
- 5) **FRESHMAN FOUNDATIONS:** HI & Business
- 6) **ELECTIVES:** World Language, Visual Performing Art, Business, English, Engineering & Manufacturing, Agriculture
- 7) **ZERO PERIOD???** - MUST request TEMP 56 - class could

Classes that Require Application/Teacher Approval

- Honors English 9: application on website - due 3/8/19
- Honors Biology: google classroom code NDII7X
- **AP/Honors Night is Thursday, February 21st @6pm!**
- Art 2 - Art teacher approval
- Varsity Jazz Band or Wind Ensemble - audition required
- Leadership - will get invite for google classroom + interviews
- Yearbook - applications will be required
- Journalism - Ms. Redfield will contact anyone that signs up

Things to Consider when choosing classes:

- TEMP 56 - 0 period (7:30am daily)
- Science - if you start in Bio, you MUST take Chemistry in 10th (Math Heavy)
- Classes are a year long commitments
- Choose alternate electives
- All Course Descriptions are on PHS website
<https://www.petalumacityschools.org/domain/533>

AERIES Student Portal - Login!

Login To your account:

- Go to <http://petalumahighschool.org/> → click on Parents/Students → Aeries portal
<https://portal.petk12.org/parent/LoginParent.aspx?page=default.aspx>
- Enter your: @petk12.org email address + password
- Forgot password? click the icon and reset it, a new password will be sent to your PHS gmail account
- First time? changeme is the password....you MUST change it once you log on!
- Need a PHS gmail account? first initial last name + grad year (Example John Adams, class of 2021, jadams21@petk12.org) password: learn + last 3 digits of student ID

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Portals

The Username and Password entered are incorrect.

LOGIN

[Forgot Password?](#)

[Create New Account](#)

Student portal account **must** be created with Petaluma City Schools email address; any other email address will not be accepted.

Steps once logged in

- Upper right hand corner - change student - pre-enrolled 9 PHS Student
- Then, upper left - course request entry
- Can search by category/subject or all
- English, PE 9, Math 1 and Human/Bus are already entered
- Must enter:
 - Science
 - Elective plus alternate
 - Temp 56 + Additional Class if 0 period is planned


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Course Requests

StuNum	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Perm ID Num	Sex	Grd	Age	Prog	Track	AttProg1	AttProg2
1070	E		Lynne	25054	F	11	16				
Parent/Guardian				Primary Phone	Father's Work			Mother's Work			
Matthew/Jane B				(707) 573-1036	(707) 543-5428			(707) 778-4652			

Course Requests cannot be entered currently.

The school has established 1/13/2015 through 1/19/2015 as the date range for your grade to enter course requests.

All Course Requests must be approved by appropriate school personnel.

Scheduling for grade: 12

[View Course Request Details](#)

Subject Area	Primary Request	Alternate Request	Filter Courses	
English			Name or Nbr:	<input type="text"/>
Mathematics			Sbj Area:	Show All Courses ▾ <input type="button" value="Search"/>
Life Science				
Physical Science				
World History				
United States Histor				
American Government				
Economics				
Physical Education				
For Lng/VPArt/CTEa-g				

Questions???

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