

SSHS – SCHOOL OF THE VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

Course of Study for the Academy of Performing Arts – Emphasis in Theatre

Subject Area	Credits Required	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
English	40	English 9 (Y)	English 10 (Y)	English 11 (Y)	English 12 (Y)
Fine Arts or Foreign Language	10	Theatre Essentials (Y) <i>Students planning on attending a University need 2 years of a Foreign Language course</i>			
Mathematics	30	Math (Y)	Math (Y)	Math (Y)	
P.E.	20	+Jazz 1, or +Tap 1	+Jazz 2 or Ballet 1		
Health	5	Health (S)			
Physical and Biological Sciences	30	Science (Y)	Science (Y)	Science (Y)	
World History	10		World History (Y)		
U.S. History	10			U.S. History (Y)	
American Gov.	5				American Gov. (S)
Economics	5				
Computer Ed.	5	Understanding Career Choices (S)			Economics (S)
Practical Art	5				
Electives	55	Basic Design (Y)	+Play Production (Y) +Children's Theatre (Y) +Musical Theatre (Y)	Play Production (Y) Children's Theatre (Y) Musical Theatre (Y)	Play Production (Y) Children's Theatre (Y) Musical Theatre (Y)
Total	230				

Courses in bold lettering required for certification

+ Requires an audition

(Y) Indicates a 1 year course of study (10 credits)

(S) Indicates a 1 semester course of study (5 credits)