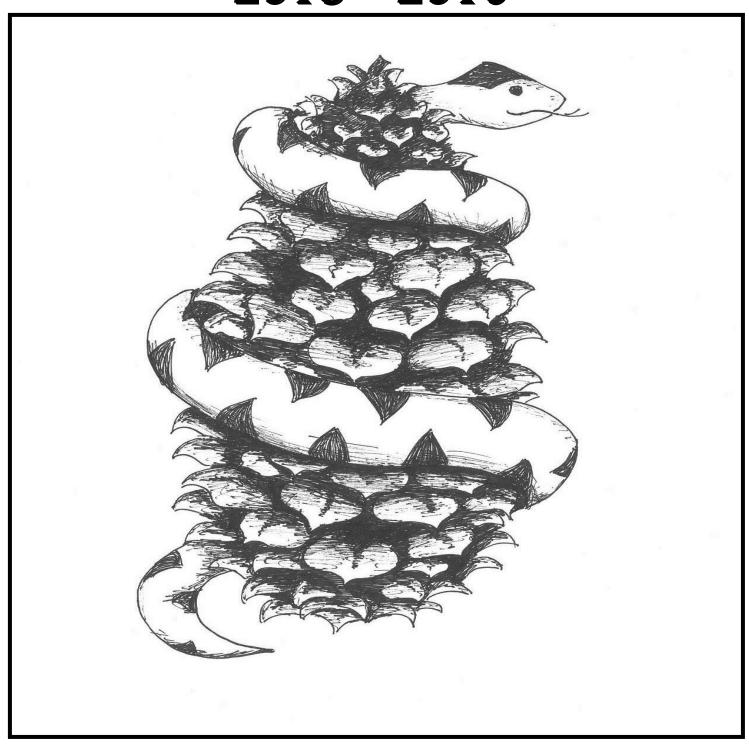
# PINE VIEW SCHOOL COURSE DESCRIPTION 2015 - 2016



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This Course Code Directory is intended to provide Pine View students and parents with information about the important decisions you will be making regarding course selections. You are urged to review it carefully.

When making course selections, students should take into consideration the student's overall four-year plan; the increased rigor and demands of numbers and types of specific courses and their involvement in extra-curricular activities. Course selections should fit into a well thought-out plan that emphasizes a challenging and worthwhile curriculum over the four years of high school.

In addition, as Pine View is a full-time gifted school of choice, Pine View students are required to take coursework offered at Pine View *on campus*, including Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment. No courses should be taken virtually except to satisfy the one required online course, or the on-line course is provided over the summer and taught by a Pine View teacher. Please contact your students' guidance counselor for information regarding online courses. No additional online courses will be approved unless there is a genuine scheduling conflict or clerical error.

Careful consideration should be given to all Advanced Placement classes in Grades 9-12. Advanced Placement courses require intense work and a substantial time commitment. All course selections should be made with the final goal of postsecondary education in mind. If, after reviewing the course code directory, you have additional questions, please contact the Guidance Department for assistance.

Sincerely,

Stephen P. Covert, Ph.D. Principal

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# High School Program Planning

# PINE VIEW PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

### The following requirements have been established for Pine View School:

- Students must earn a minimum of 26 credits as approved in Sarasota County School's Student Progression Plan for Pine View. (This includes high school credits earned in middle school.) Credits needed for graduation for transfer students after Grade 9 will be determined at the time of registration.
- All students in Grades 9-12 must be enrolled in at least 6 classes each semester per year.
- Students must complete through Level III of the *same* world language.
- Courses successfully completed (C or higher) may not be repeated through Adult Education or Florida Virtual School.
- Throughout the year, all students in Grades 9-12 must maintain a minimum 2.5 cumulative unweighted GPA for all core classes. Grade point averages are closely monitored to ensure students are eligible for continued placement at Pine View.
- Only in the case of a genuine scheduling conflict, may courses offered at Pine View be taken elsewhere, including Advanced Placement, Dual Enrollment, and Virtual School courses. Waivers may be granted only in extenuating circumstances after consultation with parents, teachers, and counselors. The Principal has final approval in determining such waivers. Students may not drop a course after drop date, even if an Advanced Placement Course.

### STATE ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS ENTERING GRADE NINE IN 2013-2014

- Students must earn passing scores on the Grade 10 ELA FSA.
- Students must earn a passing score or attain an equivalent score on the Algebra 1, Geometry, and Biology 1 EOC Assessment in order to earn course credit.
- The final grade for U.S. History Honors must include 30 percent of the U.S. History EOC Assessment.
- Please note: State Assessment Requirements are subject to change due to legislation.

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS ENTERING HIGH SCHOOL IN:

- <u>2014-2015</u> EOC is 30% of final grades for: Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Biology, and US History.
- 2013-2014 EOC is 30% of final grades for: Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Biology, and US History.
- <u>2012-2013</u> EOC is 30% of final grades and must be passed for credit for the following subjects: Algebra 1, Geometry, Biology, and American History. Equally rigorous science starts in 2013-14 for entering 9<sup>th</sup> graders, Algebra 2 required, 1 virtual class required. At least one elective must be an Advanced Placement or Dual Enrollment class.
- Please note: Additional Requirements are subject to change due to legislation.

COURSE CREDITS AT A GLANCE			
English	4		
Mathematics	4		
Science (4 highly recommended)	3		
Social Studies	3		
World Languages	3		
Performing Fine Arts	1		
H.O.P.E.	1		
Electives	7		
Total Credits: 26			

LEGEND			
Max Credits 1.0 .05 U-Unlimited The maximum number of credits a student can earn for the given course			
Weighted	Y-Weighted N-Not Weighted		
Course can be use	FAS/FMS C-Core N-Not Core d to meet Florida Academic Scholars and Floridas 15 academic core requirements.		
	-Elective, C-Core, N-Not Used, P-Pending toward State University System admissions.		

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# LANGUAGE ARTS WORLD LANGUAGES

# **ENGLISH I HONORS** (Grade 9)

1001320

This course includes instruction in critical thinking, reading, speaking, and vocabulary, listening and writing skills. Composition instruction focuses on using the writing process in narrative, exposition, argumentation and synthesis modes. Focus is on using best evidence as support. Formal speaking experiences are provided, and the critical skills of listening and observing are emphasized. Literature studies include the short story, drama, poetry, nonfiction and novel. The study of language includes usage, mechanics, spelling, and other elements of standard written English. The level of discourse in classroom discussion emphasizes analysis, synthesis, and evaluation.

Donation Requested: Approximately \$20.00 for vocabulary workbook and whole works.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **ENGLISH II HONORS (Grade 10)**

1001350

This course aims to improve reading comprehension and includes reading of foundational documents, nonfiction essays, poetry, drama and novels. Literature study includes the written and oral analysis of literary works representing the ethnic and cultural diversity of the American experience or world cultures. The level of discourse in classroom discussion emphasizes analysis, synthesis, and evaluation. Students will have composition instruction with frequent practice in writing multiple-paragraph essays in a variety of types, including literary analysis, documented papers and creative styles. Reference skills and methods of summarizing information are taught. Formal and informal oral communication activities are provided. Students will deliver oral presentations and utilize technology to produce written work and projects. The study of language includes usage, mechanics, spelling, and other elements of standard written English.

Prerequisite: Successful completion of English I Honors

Donation Requested: \$12.00 approximately for vocabulary workbook and whole works \$20.00

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# **ENGLISH HONORS III (Grade 11)**

1001380

This course includes an integrated model of instruction featuring thematic units that incorporate close reading, writing, speaking and listening, and language skills. Instruction emphasizes the strong connection between reading and writing while providing grammar and vocabulary in context. Students are engaged in higher-order critical thinking skills, accurate analysis and evaluation, problem-solving skills, deeper conceptual understanding, expanded academic vocabulary, collaborative learning, and media literacy. Literature study includes several genres over multiple time periods that incorporate fiction and non-fiction. Author and reader perceptions and perspectives, along with social and cultural experiences are key highlights. Students scrutinize text through multiple perspectives that affect understanding. Research and documentation is further reinforced through college and career planning and exploration. This unique design creates a balanced and vertically aligned system of literary development that engages students and prepares them for success with the Language Arts Florida Standards, Advanced Placement, and success in college and beyond.

**Prerequisite:** English Honors II

Donation Requested: \$12.00 vocabulary books and \$15.00 for whole works.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

## **ENGLISH HONORS IV (Grade 12)**

1001410

This course satisfies the Grade 12 requirement for High School Graduation. The goal of the course is to complete course work for high school, with an End of Course Exam and in-class exams at the end of the year. The students will improve reading comprehension through reading of foundational documents, nonfiction essays, short stories, poetry, drama and novels. Writing study includes instruction with frequent practice in writing multiple-paragraph essays in a variety of types, including literary analysis, documented papers, a formal research paper, and creative styles. Technical writing instruction includes usage, mechanics, spelling, and other elements of standard written English. Reference skills and methods of summarizing information are taught. Formal and informal oral communication activities are provided. Students will deliver oral presentations and utilize technology to produce written work and projects Literature study includes the written and oral analysis of literary works representing the ethnic and cultural diversity of the American experience or world cultures with continued mechanical skill growth. The level of discourse in classroom discussion emphasizes analysis, synthesis, and evaluation.

Donation Requested: approximately \$17.00 vocabulary & Shakespeare book

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# **DUAL ENROLLMENT ENGLISH (Grade 12)**

### ENC1101/ENC1102

This course satisfies the Grade 12 requirement for High School Graduation and is also a transferable college equivalent for students that qualify with acceptable GPA and PERT test scores. The goal of both entities is to complete course work for ENC 1101 and ENC 1102. The students will improve reading comprehension through reading of foundational documents, nonfiction essays, short stories, poetry, drama and novels. ENC 1101 writing study includes instruction with frequent practice in writing multiple-paragraph essays in a variety of types, including literary analysis, documented papers including a formal research paper, and creative styles. Reference skills and methods of summarizing information are taught. Formal and informal oral communication activities are provided. Students will deliver oral presentations and utilize technology to produce written work and projects. Writing instruction includes usage, mechanics, spelling, and other elements of standard written English. ENC 1102 literature study includes the written and oral analysis of literary works representing the ethnic and cultural diversity of the American experience or world cultures with continued mechanical skill growth and frequent practice in writing multiple-paragraph essays in a variety of types, including literary analysis, documented papers including a formal research paper, and creative styles. The level of discourse in classroom discussion emphasizes analysis, synthesis, and evaluation.

Donation Requested: approximately \$17.00 vocabulary & Shakespeare book

Credit: 2.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **CREATIVE WRITING I (Grades 10 - 12)**

1009320

This course develops students' writing and language skills needed for individual expression in literary forms. The content includes instruction in the development and practice of writing a variety of literary works including original poetry, short stories, plays, novels, essays and other nonfiction. The course may also include technical aspects of publishing students' work in a literary publication.

Prerequisite: Teacher recommendation

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **CREATIVE WRITING II (Grades 10 - 12)**

1009330

In this course students continue to develop and use intermediate-level writing and language skills for creative expression in a variety of literary forms.

Prerequisite: Teacher recommendation and Creative Writing I

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

# **CREATIVE WRITING III HONORS (Grades 12)**

1009331

This course develops writing and language skills needed for individual expression in traditional poetic forms. Students read, analyze and write Blues, Ballad, Asian, Italian, French forms and traditional forms of poetry. Students learn technical aspects and should enter a contest, publishing student work and entering and performing in a public reading.

Prerequisite: Completion of Creative Writing I and II and instructor permission.

Credit: 1.0 Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# ADVANCED PLACEMENT LANGUAGE AND COMPOSITION (Grade 11) 1001420

The Advanced Placement course in English Language and Composition is a college-level study of language and writing. Students study rhetoric in a variety of genres to analyze how authors use language. The course emphasizes nonfiction and argumentative writing as preparation for taking the national Advanced Placement exam which many colleges use to award college credits. Mature writing skills are necessary for success in this course. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses register for, and complete the Advanced Placement exam at the end of the school year.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> A/B final grade in 10th grade, Teacher Recommendation, MC Screening, Student Contract, Recommended Critical Reading PSAT score of 55 or higher

Donation Requested: Approximately \$33.00 for books.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# ADVANCED PLACEMENT LITERATURE AND COMPOSITION (Grade 12) 1001430

The Advanced Placement course in English Literature and Composition is a college-level study of literature and writing. Students learn how to use the modes of discourse and to recognize assumptions underlying various rhetorical strategies. Through reading, discussion, writing, and listening, students engage literary texts through the resources of language, including literary devices. This course prepares students to take the national Advanced Placement exam which many colleges use to award college credits. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses register for, and complete the Advanced Placement exam at the end of the school year.

**<u>Prerequisite:</u>** AP Language and Composition score of 3 or better and teacher recommendation.

Donation Requested: \$12.00 vocabulary book; approximately \$10.00 for Whole Works.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# **SPEECH 1 (Grades 9 - 12)**

1007300

This course provides instruction in the fundamentals of formal and informal oral communication. Major instructional areas include forms of oral communication, techniques of group discussion, techniques of effective listening, analysis of the audience, and techniques of public speaking.

Credit: .5 One Semester Fulfills Practical/Fine Art Credit

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

# SPEECH II (Grades 9 - 12)

1007310

This course is a continuation of Speech I. It provides instruction in the fundamentals of formal and informal oral communications. Instructional areas include formal speeches, formal class discussion, debate activities, and utilizing oral interpretation skills.

Prerequisite: Speech I
Credit: .5 One Semester
Fulfills Practical/Fine Art Credit

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

# **JOURNALISM I (Grades 9 - 12)**

1006300

This course provides instruction in basic aspects of journalism and workshop experiences in journalistic production. The content includes instruction in recognizing and writing news for journalistic media and in developing editorials, sports articles, and feature stories. In addition to written work, students receive instruction in the history and traditions of journalism as well as workshop experiences in photography, layouts, advertising, printing, and other practical aspects of journalistic enterprise. One or more student journalistic productions may be included as connected to workshop experiences.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters Fulfills Practical/Fine Art Credit

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

# JOURNALISM II (Grades 10 - 12)

1006310

This course builds upon foundational aspects of journalism and workshop experiences in journalistic production. The content includes instruction in recognizing and writing news for journalistic media and in developing editorials, sports articles, and feature stories. In addition to written work, students receive instruction in the history and traditions of journalism as well as workshop experiences in photography, layouts, advertising, printing, and other practical aspects of journalistic enterprise. One or more student journalistic productions may be included as connected to workshop experiences.

Prerequisite: Journalism I

Credit: 1.0 each Two Semesters each level

# **JOURNALISM III (Grades 11 - 12)**

1006320

This course includes instruction and practice in applying all aspects of the writing process including prewriting, drafting, editing and proofreading to the work prepared in order to bring it to high journalistic standards. Organization and management techniques relating to journalistic productions are stressed, including leadership skills, record keeping, time management, utilization of personnel, and task organization. Workshop experiences in producing various kinds of journalism are provided.

Prerequisite: Journalism II

Credit: 1.0 each Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

# JOURNALISM IV (Grades 12) \*

1006330

This course includes instruction in writing, designing, and managing journalistic enterprises. The emphasis in the course is upon implementing students' creative skills and talents in writing, graphic design and/or photography, and in providing regular practice in management skills and production techniques in printed journalistic media. The course provides opportunities to develop proficiency in various forms of journalistic writing using the production of one or more student journalism projects.

\* Level is dependent upon year of experience in school publications. Responsibilities increase with leadership, management, and skill development. Journalism portfolio and attendance at a professional workshop is required

Prerequisite: Journalism III

Credit: 1.0 each Two Semesters each level

# SPANISH I (Grades 8 - 12)

0708340

The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the target language and its culture and to develop communicative skills and cross-cultural understanding. The content includes beginning skills in listening and speaking with special attention to pronunciation. An introduction to reading and writing is included, as well as the fundamentals of grammar.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> None (preferably grades 6 - 7 Spanish) Donation: To be announced (for purchase of a workbook)

Credit: 1.0 Two semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

SPANISH II 0708350

The purpose of this course is to reinforce the fundamental skills acquired previously by the students. This course develops increased listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills as well as cultural awareness. The content includes an expansion of listening and oral skills. Reading and writing receive more emphasis, while oral communication remains the primary objective. This course continues the cultural survey of Spanish-speaking people.

Prerequisite: Spanish I
Donation Requested: TBA
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

SPANISH III HONORS 0708360

The purpose of this course is to master and expand the skills acquired previously by the students. The content includes expansion of vocabulary, writing and conversational skills through discussions based on selected readings. Writing and grammar are key components of this course. Contemporary vocabulary is emphasized through activities imitating the everyday life of Spanish-speaking people.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Spanish II Donation Requested: TBA Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

SPANISH IV HONORS 0708370

The purpose of this course is to extend the skills previously acquired by the students. The content includes more advanced language structures and idiomatic expressions, with emphasis on conversational skills. Composition skills are enhanced by using correct language structures. Reading selections vary.

Prerequisite: Spanish III
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

### **AP SPANISH LANGUAGE**

0708400

The purpose of this course is to develop oral and written fluency in the language. The content includes the requirements of the Advanced Placement program guidelines. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> An A average in Spanish IV, an 85% on the Spanish IV Final Exam (which will assess reading, writing, listening and speaking), a 60% on the National Spanish Exam (NSE). If a student does not meet one of the above criteria, he or she can still get into the class by taking an AP Preparedness Evaluation (based on the standards listed on the College Board website)

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### AP SPANISH LITERATURE AND CULTURE

0708410

The AP Spanish Literature and Culture course is designed to provide students with a learning experience equivalent to that of an introductory college course in literature written in Spanish. The course introduces students to the formal study of a representative body of texts from Peninsular Spanish, Latin American, and U.S. Hispanic literature. The course provides opportunities for students to demonstrate their proficiency in Spanish across the three modes of communication (interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational) and the five goal areas (communication, cultures, connections, comparisons, and communities) outlined in the *Standard for Foreign Language in the 21*<sup>st</sup> *Century* with special attention to critical reading and analytical writing, historical and literary sensitivity.

**Prerequisite:** AP Spanish Language

Donation Requested: TBA Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### CHINESE I (Grades 8 - 12)

0711300

The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the target language and its culture. Contents include beginning skills in listening, speaking, reading, and special attention to tones and pronunciation. An introduction of grammar is also included, as well as reading and writing.

Donation Requested: TBA
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# CHINESE II (Grades 9 – 12)

0711310

This course reinforces the fundamental skills previously acquired by students of Chinese I. This course develops increased listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills, as well as cultural awareness. Reading and writing receive more emphasis, while oral communication remains the primary objective.

Prerequisite: Students should have a solid background in Chinese I and teacher recommendation.

Donation Requested: TBA
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **CHINESE III HONORS**

0711320

The purpose of this course is to master and extend the skills previously acquired by the students. The content includes expansion of vocabulary and conversational skills through discussions based on selected readings. Contemporary vocabulary is stressed through activities imitating the everyday life of Chinese speaking people.

Prerequisite: Chinese II
Requested Donation: TBA
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **CHINESE IV HONORS**

0711330

The purpose of this course is to master and extend the skills previously acquired by the students. The content includes more advanced language structures and idiomatic expressions, with an emphasis on conversation skills. Composition skills are enhanced by using correct language structures. Reading selections will vary.

Prerequisite: Chinese III
Requested Donation: TBA
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **CHINESE V HONORS**

0711335

The purpose of this course is to develop oral and written fluency in the language. The content includes more advanced vocabulary, language structure and idiomatic expression. There will be additional growth in vocabulary for practical purposes including writing. A review of classical literature will be added to the course.

<u>Prerequisite</u>: Chinese IV Donation Requested: TBA

Credit: 1.0
Weighted: Y
Bright Futures: C
SUS Admission: C

### **AP CHINESE LANGUAGE**

0711340

The purpose of this course is to develop oral and written fluency in Chinese. The content is specified by the Advance Placement Program guidelines. A student who completes this course will comprehend and respond to spoken and written Chinese in a variety of contexts, describe an event or activity with linguistic accuracy, demonstrate cultural appropriateness, and use critical thinking skills. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

Prerequisite: Chinese IV and teacher approval

Donation Requested: TBA

Credit: 1.0 Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# FRENCH I (Grades 8 - 12)

0701320

The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the target language and its culture and to develop communicative skills and cross-cultural understanding. Content includes beginning skills in listening and speaking with special attention to pronunciation. An introduction to reading and writing is also included, as well as the fundamentals of grammar.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> (preferably grades 5 - 7 French or Spanish) Donation: To be announced for National French Test

Credit: 1.0 Two semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

FRENCH II 0701330

The purpose of this course is to reinforce the fundamental skills previously acquired. Students develop increased listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills as well as cultural awareness. Reading and writing receive more emphasis, while oral communication remains the primary objective. This course continues the cultural survey of French-speaking people.

Prerequisite: French I
Donation Requested: TBA
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

FRENCH III HONORS 0701340

The purpose of this course is to master and expand the skills previously acquired by the students. The content includes expansion of vocabulary and conversational skills through discussions based on selected readings. Students' acquisition of grammatical concepts is strengthened by analyzing reading selections. Contemporary vocabulary is stressed through activities imitating the everyday life of French-speaking people.

Prerequisite: French II
Requested Donation: TBA
Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

FRENCH IV HONORS 0701350

The purpose of this course is to further expand the skills previously acquired by the students. The content includes more advanced language structures and idiomatic expressions, with an emphasis on conversational skills. There will be additional growth in vocabulary for practical purposes including writing. Reading selections will vary.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> French III Donation Requested: TBA

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### AP FRENCH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

0701380

AP French Language and Culture is a college-level course intended for students as the culmination of their high school French language studies. The three modes of communication (Interpersonal, Interpretive and Presentational) are integral components of the AP course. The six themes of the course explore francophone literature, culture and current events. Students are expected to complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

**Prerequisite:** French IV and teacher approval

Donation Requested: TBA Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# MATHEMATICS SCIENCE

# ALGEBRA I HONORS (Grades 7 - 9)

1200320

The purpose of this course is to build the foundation for future study in mathematics. One major objective is to deepen and extend the student's understanding of linear and exponential relationships by contrasting them with each other and by applying linear models to data that exhibit a linear trend. Students also engage in methods for analyzing, solving, and using quadratic functions. Other topics include algebraic expressions and polynomials, solution strategies for inequalities, systems of equations, and set theory. Graphing calculators serve as instructional tools in concept development. All students will take the Florida End-of-Course Assessment. Middle-school students and their parents should anticipate a rigorous and demanding course, as it is likely to be the student's first for high-school credit.

<u>Prerequisites include</u>, but are not limited to, the following data from Course 3: test average, course average, IOWA test results, attendance.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **GEOMETRY HONORS (Grades 7 - 10)**

1206320

The fundamental purpose of the course is to formalize and extend students' geometric experiences from earlier grades. Algebra 1 skills are an integral part of this course. Students explore complex geometric situations and deepen their explanations of geometric relationships, moving towards formal mathematical arguments. Topics and concepts include congruence, proofs, constructions, similarity, trigonometry, measurement, the coordinate plane, polygons, conic sections, and spheres. Graphing calculators, geometric software, and hands-on experiences may serve as instructional tools in concept development. All students will take a midterm and the Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) End-of-Course Exam.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Algebra I Honors Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: Y SUS Admission: C

### **ALGEBRA II HONORS (Grades 9 - 11)**

1200340

Building on their work with linear, quadratic, and exponential functions, students extend their repertoire of functions to include polynomial, rational, and radical functions. Students work closely with the expressions that define the functions, and continue to expand and hone their abilities to model situations and to solve equations, including solving quadratic equations over the set of complex numbers and solving exponential equations using the properties of logarithms. Other topics include trigonometry, statistics, sequences and series. Graphing calculators serve as instructional tools in concept development.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Geometry Honors Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# PRECALCULUS HONORS (Grades 10 - 12)

1202340

This course includes the study of trigonometric and circular functions and their applications. Topics include trigonometric identities, graphs of trigonometric functions, inverses, equations and solutions of triangles. A major objective is to help students recognize relationships among topics of algebra, geometry, and trigonometry and use these relationships to prepare for calculus. Additional topics include graphs, curve sketching, vectors, the conic sections, including translation of axes, equations and graphs of curves on polar form, analytic proofs, and parametric equations. Graphing calculators serve as instructional tools in concept development.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Algebra II Honors Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# DE PRECALCULUS ALGEBRA (Grades 10 - 12)

**MAC 1140** 

Topics include the study of the following functions: polynomial, rational, radical, absolute value, exponential and logarithmic. An emphasis will be placed on solving applications by mathematical modeling. Other topics include matrices and systems of equations and inequalities. Use of a graphing calculator is integrated throughout this course. This is a State College of Florida (SCF) course taught on the Pine View campus. Successful students will earn 3 hours of college credit which may be transferred to any public college or university in Florida. **Prerequisite:** Algebra II Honors and one of the following:

- an ACT Math score of 23+
- an SAT Math score of 560+
- a CPT\* College Level Math score of 51+ (\*given free of charge at SCF Bradenton and Venice campuses, by appointment)

Credit: 1.0 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **DE TRIGONOMETRY (Grades 10 - 12)**

**MAC 1114** 

Topics include the study of trigonometric functions and applications, analytic trigonometry, vectors, trigonometric form of complex numbers, parametric equations and polar coordinates and equations and conic sections. Use of a graphing calculator is integrated throughout this course. This is a State College of Florida (SCF) course taught on the Pine View campus. Successful students will earn 3 hours of college credit which may be transferred to any public college or university in Florida.

**<u>Prerequisite:</u>** Algebra II Honors and one of the following:

- an ACT Math score of 23+
- an SAT Math score of 560+
- a CPT\* College Level Math score of 51+ (\*given free of charge at SCF Bradenton and Venice campuses, by appointment)

Credit: 1.0 One Semester

# **CALCULUS HONORS (Grades 11 - 12)**

1202300

This course is designed to help prepare college-bound students for higher level courses in mathematics, physical, biological and medical sciences, economics, and engineering. The content includes elementary functions, limits and continuity, differentiation, integrations, mathematical modeling and applications of the calculus to a wide variety of subject areas and real-world problems. Calculators and computers serve as instructional tools in concept development. Students who complete Calculus Honors may not subsequently enroll in Advanced Placement Calculus (AB or BC).

Prerequisite: One of the following:

Precalculus Honors

Dual Enrollment Precalculus Algebra and Dual Enrollment Trigonometry

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# ADVANCED PLACEMENT CALCULUS AB ADVANCED PLACEMENT CALCULUS BC

1202310

1202320

(Grades 11 - 12)

Calculus AB and Calculus BC emphasize a multi-representational approach to calculus, with concepts, results, and problems being expressed graphically, numerically, analytically, and verbally. Both courses represent college-level mathematics for which most colleges grant advanced placement and/or credit. The content of Calculus BC is designed to qualify the student for placement and credit in a course that is one course beyond that granted for Calculus AB. Calculators and computers will serve as instructional tools in concept development. All students are expected to register for and complete the advanced placement exam. Students who complete Calculus AB may not subsequently enroll in Calculus BC.

Prerequisite for AB: One of the following:

- Grade of B or higher in Precalculus Honors and PSAT quantitative reasoning score of 56+
- Grade of B or higher in Dual Enrollment Precalculus Algebra and Dual Enrollment Trigonometry

<u>Prerequisite for BC:</u> Pine View calculus placement test score 10+, PSAT quantitative reasoning score of 65+, and grade of A in one of the following:

- Precalculus Honors
- Dual Enrollment Precalculus Algebra and Dual Enrollment Trigonometry

Prerequisite for both courses: signature of Mr. Nezelek

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# **ADVANCED PLACEMENT STATISTICS (Grades 10 - 12)**

1210320

The purpose of the AP course in statistics is to introduce students to the major concepts and tools for collecting, analyzing and drawing conclusions from data. Topics include describing patterns and departures from patterns, planning and conducting studies, exploring random phenomena using probability and simulation, and estimating population parameters and testing hypotheses. Students who successfully complete the course and exam may receive credit, advanced placement or both for a one-semester introductory college statistics course. Calculators and computers serve as instructional tools in concept development. All students are expected to register for and complete the advanced placement exam.

**Prerequisite:** All of the following:

- PSAT selection index (total score) 165+
- B or higher in current math and English classes
- Signature of Mr. Nezelek

### **Corequisite**: One of the following:

- Precalculus Honors
- Dual Enrollment Precalculus Algebra and Dual Enrollment Trigonometry

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **DE CALCULUS WITH ANALYTIC GEOMETRY III (Grade 12)**

**MAC 2313** 

This course covers the areas of vector calculus and multivariable calculus and a wide range of applications. Topics include: vectors and the geometry of space; dot and cross products, applications to 3-space geometry, surfaces in space, cylindrical and spherical coordinates, vector-valued functions and calculus, tangent lines and normal vectors in 3-space, arc length and curvature, applications to dynamics, limits and continuity, partial differentiation, maxima, minima and saddle points, Lagrange multipliers, double triple, line and surface integrals, conservative vector fields, Green's Theorem. Technology will be used for computation and to aid understanding. This is a State College of Florida (SCF) course taught on the Pine View campus. Successful students will earn 3 hours of college credit which may be transferred to any public college or university in Florida.

Prerequisite: Minimum score of 4 in AP Calculus BC

Credit: 1.0 One Semester

# DUAL ENROLLMENT DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS (GRADE 12) MAP 2302

This course covers methods for the solution of ordinary differential equations with and without constant coefficients. Their study is accompanied by a wide variety of applications as well as solutions of certain classical differential equations. A substantial part of the course covers the Laplace Transform and its use to solve dynamical systems. Topics include: ordinary versus partial differential equations; homogeneous and non-homogeneous equations, complementary functions and particular integrals; linear equations with constant coefficients; power series method; Laplace Transforms and inverse Laplace Transforms; solutions of systems of linear differential equations; the use of the Gauss-Jordan algorithm; numerical solutions. Technology will be used to aid understanding of these topics. This is a State College of Florida (SCF) course taught on the Pine View campus. Successful students will earn 3 hours of college credit which may be transferred to any public college or university in Florida.

Prerequisite: Minimum score of 4 in AP Calculus BC

Credit: 1.0 One Semester

# **BIOLOGY I HONORS (Grade 8-9)**

2000320

This advanced course provides integrated laboratory experiences and real-life applications in the essential processes of life. The content includes the nature of science, matter, energy, biochemistry, cell biology, genetics, levels of organization and classification, structure, function and reproduction of plants, animals, and microorganisms, behavior of organisms, interrelationships among organisms, biological selection, adaptations and changes through time. Laboratory investigations will include the use of scientific writing skills, measurement, observations, predictions, reasoning and problem solving skills. Preserved animal studies may be a part of this course.

Prerequisite: 7th grade teacher recommendation for 8th grade pilot 2015-2016.

Donation Requested: \$15.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

## **ADVANCED PLACEMENT BIOLOGY (Grades 11 - 12)**

2000340

This college-level course seeks to prepare the student for credit and/or appropriate placement in college biology courses. The content includes molecular, cellular, organismal, and population biology. Selected laboratory investigations include the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus, and safety. Preserved animal studies may be a part of this course. A mandatory extended lab session one day per week and an end of year AP Biology exam are required. There is a significant amount of lab work and reading associated with the course. Lab activities comprise 25% of the course. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year. Purchase of an approved laboratory notebook is required.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> PSAT score of at least 56 or higher; completion of Algebra I Honors <u>and</u> Chemistry I Honors with a grade of A or B; Students must pass Biology I Honors Lab final to demonstrate mastery of lab safety protocols.

Donation Requested: \$10.00 Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

## **ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY HONORS (Grade 12)**

2000360

This advanced course provides exploratory activities in the structure and function of the components of the human body. The content includes anatomical terminology, cellular biology, histology, homeostasis, organization and interrelatedness of major body systems, and human disorders. Laboratory investigations focus on the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus, and safety. Preserved animal studies are a major part of the laboratory experience. The latest information related to technology, cures, treatments, and preventive medicine are important to our study and discussions. There is heavy emphasis on lab work, which is composed of microscopic examination, dissection and physiology experiments. (Dissections are Mandatory) The nature of the course requires that students approach this sensitive subject in a mature manner. Students may be asked to work independently on occasion, and are also expected to work cooperatively when needed.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Completion of Biology and Chemistry. It is suggested this course be taken concurrently with AP Biology.

Donation Requested: \$15.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### MARINE SCIENCE I HONORS (Grades 10 - 12)

2002510

This advanced course provides an in-depth study of the physical, chemical, and biological aspects of the marine environment. The content includes the origins of the oceans, marine geological studies, ecology of the sea zones, diversity of marine organisms, characteristics of the major marine ecosystems including the phyla and divisions, and the interrelationship between man and the ocean. Laboratory investigations will include the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus and safety procedures. Preserved animal studies and specimens may be a part of this course. The maintenance of an in-class salt water tank is required. A three or four day trip to Newfound Harbor Marine Institute in the Florida Keys, to study the coral reef ecosystem, is optional, but highly recommended. The cost of this trip is approximately \$600.00.

**<u>Prerequisite:</u>** Biology and Chemistry or may be taking Chemistry concurrently.

Donation Requested: \$15.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **ASTRONOMY HONORS (Grades 10 - 12)**

2020910

This course provides rigorous application of concepts basic to the earth, its materials, processes, and environment in space. The content includes the universe and solar system; the development of stars; the earth-moon system; space exploration; the sun as a representative star; historical astronomy; astronomical instruments; astronomical coordinate systems. It will also be offered as a Dual Enrollment option. Students who apply and qualify for the State College of Florida may take second semester for college credit.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Students who do not qualify for Chemistry I Honors due to lack of math requirements will be placed in Astronomy in 10<sup>th</sup> grade and will take Chemistry I Honors in 11<sup>th</sup> grade once they have the math requirements.

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# **CHEMISTRY I HONORS (Grade 10)**

2003350

This advanced course involves the study of the composition, properties and changes of matter. Selected laboratory activities include the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus, and safety. This course provides an introduction to chemical principles and problem solving. The major topics covered include stoichiometry, gases, nuclear chemistry, atomic structure and bonding, thermodynamics, kinetics, chemical equilibrium, acids and bases, and electrochemistry. Laboratory work is focused on applying the principles and concepts learned in lecture, and developing student laboratory skills.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Students who do not qualify for Chemistry I Honors due to lack of math requirements will be placed in Astronomy in 10<sup>th</sup> grade and will take Chemistry I Honors in 11<sup>th</sup> grade once they have the math requirements.

Prerequisite: Completion of Biology I Honors, and completion of Algebra II and/or concurrent Algebra II

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### CHEMISTRY II ORGANIC CHEMISTRY HONORS (Grade 12)

2003360

This course expands and applies chemical concepts introduced in Chemistry I/Chemistry I Honors. The content includes pH and ionic equilibrium, kinetics and thermodynamics, nuclear chemistry, organic and biochemistry, and descriptive, inorganic chemistry. Selected laboratory investigations include the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus, and safety.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Completion of Chemistry I Honors with a grade of 85 or higher, pre/co-requisite AP Chemistry, and/or instructor approval. Sections are limited. Priority is given to students who have had previous success in AP Science courses.

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

## **ADVANCED PLACEMENT CHEMISTRY (Grades 11 - 12)**

2003370

This college-level course in chemistry seeks to prepare the student for credit and/or appropriate placement in college chemistry courses. The content includes the structure and states of matter, chemical reactions, and descriptive chemistry. Selected laboratory investigations include the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus, and safety. Major emphasis is placed on chemical equilibrium, kinetics, thermodynamics, atomic structure and bonding, and electrochemistry. The course places primary focus on the application of basic concepts to quantitative problem solving in chemical systems. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year. Purchase of an approved laboratory notebook is required Prerequisite: Completion of Chemistry I Honors with a minimum grade of 85 and completion of Algebra II Honors with a minimum grade of 80. A minimum score of 60 on PSAT math and co-requisite enrollment in PreCalculus is required

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### PHYSICS I HONORS (Grades 10 - 12)

2003390

This advanced course provides a rigorous study of the concepts, theories and laws governing the interaction of matter, energy, and the forces of nature. The content includes kinematics, dynamics, energy, work and power, heat and thermodynamics, waves, sound, light, electricity, magnetism, nuclear physics, and relativity. Laboratory investigations of selected topics include the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus, and safety.

**Co-requisite**: Pre-Calculus

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# AP PHYSICS 1 (Grade 10-12)

2003421

AP Physics 1 is an algebra-based, introductory college-level physics course that explores topics such as Newtonian mechanics (including rotational motion); work, energy, and power; mechanical waves and sound; and introductory, simple circuits. Through inquiry-based learning, students will develop scientific critical thinking and reasoning skills.

It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> PSAT math score of 66 or A in Physics I Honors. Completion of Algebra 2 with a grade of 80% or higher. AP Physics Instructor approval required.

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# AP Physics 2 (Grade 11-12)

2003422

AP Physics 2 is an algebra-based, introductory college-level physics course that explores topics such as fluid statics and dynamics; thermodynamics with kinetic theory; PV diagrams and probability; electrostatics; electrical circuits with capacitors; magnetic fields; electromagnetism; physical and geometric optics; and quantum, atomic, and nuclear physics. Through inquiry-based learning, students will develop scientific critical thinking and reasoning skills.

It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Completion of AP Physics 1 with a grade of 80 or higher in AP Physics 1 and AP Physics instructor approval.

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# AP PHYSICS C (Grade 12)

2003430

1<sup>st</sup> semester: Mechanics

2<sup>nd</sup> semester: Electricity and Magnetism

This sequence is more intensive and analytic than that in AP Physics I and 2 course. In both subjects Calculus is used freely in formulating principles and in solving problems. Students planning to specialize in a physical science or in engineering should take this course. Labs will be 20% of instructional time. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

<u>Prerequisites:</u> AP Physics I (previously completed), AP Calculus BC (currently enrolled or previously completed), PSAT combined score greater than 190, and/or instructor approval.

Donation Requested: \$10.00 Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# ADVANCED PLACEMENT ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE (GRADES 11-12) 2001380

The purpose of this course is to study the interaction of man with the environment. The content includes scientific analysis, fundamental principles and concepts about the interdependence of earth's systems, population dynamics, environmental quality, global changes and their consequences. Laboratory investigation of selected topics includes the use of the scientific method, measurement, laboratory apparatus, and safety. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year. Purchase of an approved laboratory and/or AP ES prep book are highly recommended.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> PSAT reading score of at least 56 or higher; completion of Algebra I Honors and Biology I Honors and Chemistry Honors with a grade of A or B.

Donation Requested: \$15.00 Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

# SOCIAL STUDIES TECHNOLOGY

# WORLD HISTORY HONORS (Grade 9 and 10)

2109320

The purpose of this course is to enable students to understand their connections to the development of civilizations by examining the past to prepare for their future as participating members of a global community. Students will use knowledge pertaining to history, geography, economics, political processes, religion, ethics, diverse cultures, and humanities to solve problems in academic, civic, social, and employment settings.

Credit 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **UNITED STATES HISTORY HONORS (Grade 11)**

2100320

The purpose of this course is to enable students to understand the development of the United States within the context of history with a major focus on the post-Reconstruction period. Students will use knowledge pertaining to history, geography, economics, political processes, religion, ethics, diverse cultures, and humanities to solve problems in academic, civic, social, and employment settings.

**Prerequisite**: None

Credit 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **AP UNITED STATES HISTORY (Grade 11)**

2100330

The new AP US History course, redesigned by the College Board, will be implemented in the 2014-2015 academic year. While the content will range from exploration and colonization to the present day, the emphasis will be on the development of historical thinking and skill development. According to the College Board, "The course is designed to encourage students to become apprentice historians who are able to use historical facts and evidence in the service of creating deeper conceptual understandings of critical developments in US History." The specific historical thinking skills include the following: chronological reasoning, comparison and contextualization, crafting historical arguments from historical evidence, and historical interpretation and synthesis. Students will have the opportunity to explore specific topics in much greater depth than before the course was redesigned, and to be exposed to varied historical interpretations. This course will continue to require strong reading skills and a dedication to reading the assigned historical works.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> A or B in previous Social Studies classes. AP World History or AP European History recommended. Writing samples and instructor approval.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

## ECONOMICS WITH FINANCIAL LITERACY HONORS (Grades 11-12) 2102345

The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and decision-making tools necessary for understanding how society organizes its limited resources to satisfy its wants. Students will gain understanding of choices they must make as producers, consumers, investors, and taxpayers. **Graduation requirement for the Class of 2017 and beyond**.

Prerequisite: None

Credit 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

## **AP MICROECONOMICS (Grades 11 - 12)**

2102360

The purpose of the AP course in microeconomics is to give students a thorough understanding of the principles of economics that apply to the functions of individual decision makers, both consumers and producers, within the economic system. It places primary emphasis on the nature and functions of product markets and includes the study of factor markets and of the role of government in promoting greater efficiency and equity in the economy. (The College Board 2012) This is a unique Social Studies course in that involves mathematical calculations (without the use of a calculator) and graphing. Strong spatial skills and abstract thinking abilities are academic assets for students enrolled in this course. Microeconomics is not a pre-requisite for Macroeconomics although some course content overlaps and courses can be taken in either order, or during the same semester as 12<sup>th</sup> graders. Pine View expects all enrolled students to take the AP Exam for this course in May.

**Prerequisite:** Permission of instructor (see instructor prior to scheduling).

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **AP MACROECONOMICS (Grade 12)**

2102370

The purpose of the AP course in macroeconomics is to give students a thorough understanding of the principles of economics that apply to an economic system as a whole. The course places particular emphasis on the study of national income and price-level determination, and also develops students' familiarity with economic performance measures, the financial sector, stabilization policies, economic growth, and international economics. (AP College Board 2012) This is a unique Social Studies course in that involves mathematical calculations (without the use of a calculator) and graphing. Strong spatial skills and abstract thinking abilities are academic assets for students enrolled in this course. Microeconomics is not a pre-requisite for Macroeconomics although some course content overlaps and courses can be taken in either order, or during the same semester as 12<sup>th</sup> graders. Pine View expects all enrolled students to take the AP Exam for this course in May. Those students who take this course first semester, should attend multiple review sessions during second semester to remain well prepared for the AP Exam administered in May. Starting with the class of 2017 and thereafter this course does not meet the Econ graduation requirement.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Permission of instructor (see instructor prior to scheduling). If student has taken AP Microeconomics as a junior, must have scored a 3 or higher on the AP Microeconomics Exam to enroll in AP Macroeconomics as a senior.

Credit 0.5 One Semester

# **US GOVERNMENT HONORS (Grade 12)**

2106320

The purpose of this course is to enable students to gain an understanding of American government and political behavior that is essential for effective citizenship and active involvement in a democratic American society.

Prerequisite: None

Credit 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **AP U.S. GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS (Grade 12)**

2106420

The purpose of this course is to give students a critical perspective on politics and government in the United States. This course involves both the study of general concepts used to interpret American politics and the analysis of specific case studies. It also requires familiarity with the various institutions, groups, beliefs, and ideas that make up the American political reality. It is Pine View's expectations that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

<u>Prerequisites</u>: Permission of Instructor, successful completion of a previous AP Social Studies course in grades 10 or 11. Must have a 3.0 unweighted GPA, and a minimum PSAT score of 56.

Credit 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### AP WORLD HISTORY (Grades 10 - 12)

2109420

The purpose of this course is to enable students to understand the development, organization, and diversity of human civilizations. By examining global processes such as migration, trade, and cultural interactions, students will prepare for participation in the global community. Students will use knowledge of history, geography, economics, political and social processes, and belief systems to solve problems in academic, social, and employment settings. It is Pine View's expectations that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Permission of instructor and A or B in World History. Receive a 3 or higher on AP Human Geography exam if taken as a freshman.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **AP EUROPEAN HISTORY (Grades 10 - 12)**

2109380

The purpose of this course is to learn the development of Europe within the context of history by examining connections to the past in order to prepare for the future as participating members of a global community. Students use knowledge pertaining to history, geography, economics, political processes, religion, ethics, diverse cultures and humanities to solve problems in academic, civic, social and employment settings. It is Pine View's expectations that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

**Prerequisite**: Permission of Current Instructor

Credit 1.0 Two Semesters

# **AP COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT (Grades 11 - 12)**

2106430

An effective course in comparative government and politics will give students a good basic understanding of the world's diverse political structures and practices. The course should encompass the study both of specific countries and of general concepts used to interpret the key political relationships found in virtually all national policies. Six countries form the core of study: Great Britain, Iran, Mexico, Nigeria, Russia and China. Note: **This does not satisfy requirement for government course.** It is Pine View's expectations that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2015-16

<u>Prerequisites</u>: 80<sup>th</sup> percentile in Critical Reading and Writing in PSAT; Permission of Instructor, successful completion of a previous AP Social Studies course (Grade 10 or 11). A or B in previous Social Studies classes.

Credit 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: Y SUS Admissions: C

### AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY (Grades 9 - 12)

2103400

The purpose of this course is to enable students to the systematic study of patterns and processes that have shaped human understanding, use, and alteration of the Earth's surface. Students will employ spatial concepts and landscape analysis to examine human social organization and its environmental consequences. They also learn about the methods and tools geographers use in their science and practice. It is Pine View's expectations that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year. Freshman that receive a 3 or higher on the AP exam are able to take AP World History, if not then must take World History Honors.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Permission of Instructor and A or B in previous Social Studies classes. Letter of recommendation from current social studies and English teachers. Minimum PSAT score required (does not apply to freshman). Minimum FSA score for freshman.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### PSYCHOLOGY I (Grades 10 - 12)

2107300

The purpose of this course is to provide students an understanding of human behavior, behavioral interaction, and the progressive development of individuals. This course, together with the second semester Psychology II, offers an introduction to the exciting and ever-changing discipline of Psychology. The goal of this course is to provide students with a solid working knowledge of the important theories, personalities, terms and concepts in this fascinating field. Students will learn how psychologists conduct and apply research in order to gain insights into human behavior, and how psychological theories can be used to help understand behavior and judgments in everyday life. Course content will include an examination of biological and genetic bases for behavior, human growth and development, sensation and perception, altered states of consciousness, learning, and memory.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

Credit 0.5 One Semester

# PSYCHOLOGY II (Grades 10 - 12)

2107310

The purpose of this course is to allow students to expand their awareness of areas of psychology. The goal of this course is to provide students with a solid working knowledge of the important theories, personalities, terms and concepts related to human behavior. Content will include an examination of human thought, language, motivation and emotion, stress and conflict, personality and behavior, abnormal behavior and treatment, and social psychology.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Psychology I Credit 0.5 Psychology I One Semester

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# AP PSYCHOLOGY (Grades 11 - 12)

2107350

The purpose of this course is to provide students a systematic and scientific study of the behavior and mental processes of human beings and other animals. Students are exposed to the psychological facts, principles and phenomena associated with each of the major sub-fields within psychology. They also learn about the methods psychologists used in their science and practice. The content should include, but not be limited to the following: methods, biological basis of behavior, sensation and perception, stated on consciousness, learning cognition, motivation emotion, developmental psychology, personality, testing and individual differences, abnormal psychology, treatment of psychological disorders and social psychology. It is Pine View's expectations that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

**Prerequisite:** Permission of current Social Studies teacher. Interview with the course instructor.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

## **WOMEN'S STUDIES (Grades 10 – 12)**

2104340

The purpose of this course is to enable students to develop a basic understanding of women throughout history, of individual women who have shaped history and the world today, and of contemporary issues that impact the lives of women today. The Social Studies Disciplines included in this course are American and World History, Economics, Sociology and Psychology. OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### SOCIOLOGY (Grades 10 – 12)

2108300

Through the study of sociology, students acquire an understanding of group interaction and its impact on individuals in order that they may have a greater awareness of the beliefs, values and behavior patterns of others. In an increasingly interdependent world, students need to recognize how group behavior affects both the individual and society.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2015-2016

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

# **ANTHROPOLOGY HONORS (Grades 10 - 12)**

2120710

Anthropology focuses on the study of human origins and cultural diversity. Students will examine a variety of human societies to understand the integration and organization of culture and the extent of human creativity.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

Credit 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

### **WORLD RELIGIONS (Grades 10 - 12)**

2105310

Through the study of world religions, students will acquire an understanding of the way people in various cultures satisfy their spiritual needs. Students learn about the place of religion in culture, the importance that has been attached to religion in peoples' lives and the relationship between religion and other social institutions. Content will include but will not be limited to study about the sources of religion, the basis for peoples' religious beliefs, and the major living religious traditions and practices such as Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, and Judaism. OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

Credit 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# LAW STUDIES (Grades 10 - 12)

2106350

The purpose of this course is to provide students an understanding of the American legal process. Content will include historical antecedents for law, constitutional guarantees, different kinds of laws, adult and juvenile justice systems, the value of law in society, the role of law enforcement officials, the importance of the adversarial relationship, social values and their impact on interpretations of the law, and the supremacy of the Constitution.

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **HISTORY OF THE VIETNAM WAR (Grades 12)**

2100400

The class is a study of US in Vietnam from the fall of Dien Bien Phu to the fall of Saigon, In addition to military involvement and related domestic reactions, special emphasis will be placed on media's role during the war, subsequent portrayals in American literature and film, and the war's lasting impact.

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

# PHILOSOPHY HONORS (Grades 11 - 12)

2120910

The purpose of this course is to enable students to explore the foundations of philosophy through a historical exploration of the great thinkers. The course will focus on the definition and application of philosophy, appropriate vocabulary, and the notion that everyone should be engaged in the 'doing' of philosophy.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

Credit 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **HOLOCAUST (Grades 10 - 12)**

2109430

The purpose of this course is to examine the concept of genocide through the lens of the most documented example in history of a systematic and deliberate attempt by one group of humans to annihilate another. Students will learn the causes, course, and consequences of the Holocaust in addition to the study of other genocidal events, before and after (i.e., Armenia, Rwanda, etc.) to prepare for their future as participating members of a global community.

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

Weighted: N Bright Futures: C SUS Admission: C

# **GLOBAL STUDIES (Grades 10 - 12)**

2104320

The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge, skills, and attitudes that are necessary for them to meet their responsibilities as citizens of their community, state, and nation in an increasingly interdependent and complex global society.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

Credit: 0.5 One Semester

## **TECHNOLOGY**

TV PRODUCTION/DIGITAL MEDIA/MULTIMEDIA LEVEL I (Grades 9-12)	8201210
TV PRODUCTION/DIGITAL MEDIA/MULTIMEDIA LEVEL II	8201220
(Grades 10-12)	
TV PRODUCTION/DIGITAL MEDIA/MULTIMEDIA LEVEL III	8201230
(Grades 11-12)	
TV PRODUCTION/DIGITAL MEDIA/MULTIMEDIA LEVEL IV	8201240
(Grade 12)	

These course(s) are a sequence of courses that provides coherent and rigorous content aligned with A/V Technology and Communication. These course(s) provide opportunities for students to enhance skills in history of television, advance video camera operation, post production skills in graphics, audio, and editing; scriptwriting and storyboarding; and skills in direction and production of video projects. Become proficient with the latest TV Studio equipment such as the Tricaster, lighting effects, and sound systems. Level II may receive Adobe Certified Video Communication with Adobe Premiere Pro industry certification upon passing of exam.

#### PROGRAM STRUCTURE

This program is a planned sequence of instruction consisting of four courses:

TV Production/Digital Media/Multimedia Level I- 8201210

TV Production/Digital Media/Multimedia Level II- 8201220

TV Production/Digital Media/Multimedia Level III- 8201230 (offered 2015-16)

TV Production/Digital Media/Multimedia Level IV- 8201240 (offered 2016-17)

Level II Prerequisite: Level I & Instructor's Approval

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters Career and Technical Credit: Yes

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: N

## **TECHNOLOGY**

APPLIED ROBOTICS: Foundations of Robotic (Grades 9-12)

APPLIED ROBOTICS: Robotic Design Essentials (Grades 10-12)

APPLIED ROBOTICS: Robotic Systems (Grades 11-12)

APPLIED ROBOTICS: Robotic Applications Capstone (Grade 12)

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The purpose of this program is to provide students with a foundation of knowledge and technically oriented experiences in the study of the principles and applications of robotics engineering and its effect upon our lives and the choosing of an occupation. The content and activities will also include the study of entrepreneurship, safety, and leadership skills. This program focuses on transferable skills and stresses understanding and demonstration of the science and mathematics knowledge, technological tools, machines, instruments, materials, processes and systems related to robotics.

#### PROGRAM STRUCTURE

This program is a planned sequence of instruction consisting of four courses:

Foundations of Robotics - 9410110 Robotic Design Essentials - 9410120

Robotic Systems - 9410130

Robotic Applications Capstone - 9410140 (offered 2016-17)

**Prerequisite:** Instructor's Approval & Sequential Levels

Co-Prerequisite for Robotics Systems: Physics Honors, AP Physics I, AP Physics C.

Strongly recommended AP Computer Science.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters Career and Technical Credit: Yes

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: N

#### **AP COMPUTER SCIENCE A (Grades 10 - 12)**

0200320

This course follows the description provided by the College Board for the Advanced Placement Computer Science course which emphasizes Algorithm and Data Structure concepts, data encapsulation and object handling. This course prepares students to take the A.P. Computer Science Exam. Post exam, the course will focus on Robotics. It is recommended that students previously complete or be concurrently enrolled in advanced science (physics) and mathematics courses.

<u>Prerequisite</u>: Instructor's Approval Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

## **TECHNOLOGY**

#### **TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT- EXEC INTERN (Grades 10 - 12)**

0500300

The students will learn and help solve problems with hardware, software and other technology school related issues on Windows and school-adopted hardware and software. Tech Support students will learn the audio and lighting engineering for productions in the auditorium. An application and instructor's approval required prior to registration. Must have and maintain a 3.0 GPA

#### **Enrollment limited to 15 students**

This program is a planned sequence of instruction consisting of three courses:

Technology Support- Exec Intern Level I (10-12) - 0500300 Technology Support- Exec Intern Level II (11-12) - 0500310 Technology Support- Exec Intern Level III (12) - 0500320

**Prerequisite:** Tech Support Application and Instructor's Approval \*Limited enrollment

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: N

# **HUMANITIES**

ART
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#### DRAWING I (Grades 9 - 12)

0104340

Students experiment with the media and techniques used to create a variety of two-dimensional (2-D) artworks through the development of skills in drawing. Students practice, sketch, and manipulate the structural elements of art to improve mark making and/or the organizational principles of design in a composition from observation, research, and/or imagination. Through the critique process, students evaluate and respond to their own work and that of their peers. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester Credit: 1.0 Full Year Bright Futures: C

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

#### DRAWING II (Grades 10 - 12)

0104350

Students develop and refine technical skills and create 2-D compositions with a variety of media in drawing. Student artist's sketch, manipulates, and refines the structural elements of art to improve mark-making and/or the organizational principles of design in a composition from observation, research, and/or imagination. Through the critique process, students evaluate and respond to their own work and that of their peers. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

#### **Prerequisite:** Drawing I and Teacher Approval

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

#### DRAWING III HONORS (Grades 11 - 12)

0104360

Students demonstrate proficiency in the conceptual development of content in drawing to create self-directed or collaborative 2-D artwork suitable for inclusion in a portfolio. Students produce works that show evidence of developing craftsmanship and quality in the composition. Through the critique process, students evaluate and respond to their own work and that of their peers. Through a focused investigation of traditional techniques, historical and cultural models, and individual expressive goals, students begin to develop a personal art style. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

#### Prerequisite: Drawing I and II and Teacher Approval

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

#### PAINTING I (Grades 9 - 12)

0104370

Students experiment with the media and techniques used to create a variety of two-dimensional (2-D) artworks through the development of skills in painting. Students practice, and manipulate the structural elements of art to improve mark making and/or the organizational principles of design in a composition from observation, research, and/or imagination. Through the critique process, students evaluate and respond to their own work and that of their peers. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

Prerequisite: Drawing I

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year Weighted: N

Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: E

#### PAINTING II (Grades 10 - 12)

0104380

Students develop and refine technical skills and create 2-D compositions in painting. Student artists manipulate, and refine the structural elements of art to improve mark-making and/or the organizational principles of design in a composition from observation, research, and/or imagination. Through the critique process, students evaluate and respond to their own work and that of their peers. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

#### **<u>Prerequisite:</u>** Painting I and Teacher Approval

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: N

## PAINTING III HONORS (Grades 11 - 12) 0104390

Students demonstrate proficiency in the conceptual development of content in painting to create self-directed or collaborative 2-D artwork suitable for inclusion in a portfolio. Students produce works that show evidence of developing craftsmanship and quality in the composition. Through the critique process, students evaluate and respond to their own work and that of their peers. Through a focused investigation of traditional techniques, historical and cultural models, and individual expressive goals, students begin to develop a personal art style. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

#### Prerequisite: Painting I and II and Teacher Approval

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: E

# CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY 1 (Grades 10-12) CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY 2 (Grades 11-12) CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY 3 HONORS (Grade 12)

0108310 0108320 1018330

Students explore the aesthetic foundations of art making using beginning photography techniques. This course may include, but is not limited to, color and/or black and white photography via digital media and/or traditional photography. Students become familiar with the basic mechanics of a camera, including lens and shutter operation, compositional foundations, printing an image for display, and evaluating a successful print. Student photographers may use a variety of media and materials, such as 35mm black and white film, single lens reflex camera, digital camera, darkroom, computer application, filters, various papers, digital output, photogram, cyanotypes, Sabatier effect, and pinhole photography. Craftsmanship and quality are reflected in the surface of the prints and the care of the materials. Photographers use an art criticism process to evaluate, explain, and measure artistic growth in personal or group works. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Drawing I, student MUST provide own 35 mm camera, preferably with manual light meter. Students need teacher approval. Remaining courses taken sequentially

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$60.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Creative Photography 1 and 2 - N Weighted: Creative Photography 3 - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

# DIGITAL ART IMAGING 1 DIGITAL ART IMAGING 2 DIGITAL ART IMAGING 3 HONORS

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Students explore the fundamental concepts, terminology, techniques, and applications of digital imaging to create original work. Students produce digital still images through the single or combined use of computers, digital cameras, scanners, photo editing software, drawing and painting software, graphic tablets, printers, new media, and emerging technologies. Through the critique process, students evaluate and respond to their own work and that of their peers to measure artistic growth. This course incorporates hands-on activities, the use of technology, and consumption of art materials.

<u>Prerequisite</u>: Digital Art Imaging requires instructor's approval. Remaining courses taken sequentially Enrollment limited to 35 student per class.

Donation Requested: \$10.00 lab Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Digital Art Imaging 1 and 2 – N

Weighted: Digital Art Imaging 3 - Y

Bright Futures: N

SUS Admission: Digital Art Imaging 1 and 2 - N SUS Admission: Digital Art Imaging 3 - E

CERAMICS/POTTERY 1 (Grades 10-12) 0102300 CERAMICS/POTTERY 2 (Grades 11-12) 0102310 CERAMICS/POTTERY 3 HONORS (Grade 12) 0102320

Students explore how space, mass, balance, and form combine to create aesthetic forms or utilitarian products and structures. Instructional focus will be on ceramics and/or pottery. Media may include, but are not limited to, clay and/or plaster, with consideration of the workability, durability, cost, and toxicity of the media used. Student artists consider the relationship of scale (i.e., hand-held, human, monumental) through the use of positive and negative space or voids, volume, visual weight, and gravity to create low/high relief or freestanding structures for personal intentions or public places. They explore sharp and diminishing detail, size, position, overlapping, visual pattern, texture, implied line, space, and plasticity, reflecting craftsmanship and quality in the surface and structural qualities of the completed art forms. Students in the ceramics and/or pottery art studio focus on use of safety procedures for process, media, and techniques. Student artists use an art criticism process to evaluate, explain, and measure artistic growth in personal or group works. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

<u>Prerequisite</u>: Drawing I for Ceramics I; Drawing I and Ceramics I for Ceramics II & III. Teacher Approval.

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Ceramics/Pottery 1 and 2 – N Weighted: Ceramics/Pottery 3 - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

ART 2-D	0101300
3-D COMPREHENSIVE I (Grades 10 – 12)	0101330
3-D COMPREHENSIVE II (GRADES 11-12)	0101340
3-D COMPREHENSIVE III HONORS (GRADES 11-12)	0101350

This course enables students to communicate ideas and concepts through advanced two- and three-dimensional design and composition, and develop appreciation of exemplars in varied cultures and historical periods. Students will learn varied two- and three-dimensional media, technology, processes, and techniques. Students will understand the elementary of art and principles of design, critical thinking and analysis, historical and cultural perspectives, and connections between visual arts and other subject areas.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Drawing I and one other art class. 3-D Comprehensive I, II and III must be taken sequentially. Teacher Approval.

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40.00 per semester

Credit 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Art 2-D, 3-D Comprehensive I and II - N

Weighted: 3-D Comprehensive III - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

#### AP STUDIO ART 2D (Grades 11 - 12) AP STUDIO ART 3D (Grades 11 - 12)

0109350 0109360

The instructional goals of the AP 2D & 3D Studio Art program can be described as follows: Encourage creative and systematic investigation of formal and conceptual issues, emphasize making art as an ongoing process that involves the student in informed and critical decision making, help students develop technical skills and familiarize them with the functions of the visual elements, encourage students to become independent thinkers who will contribute inventively and critically to their culture through, the making of art. AP Art courses address three major concerns that are constants in the teaching of art: (1) a sense of quality in a student's work; (2) the student's concentration on a particular visual interest or problem; and (3) the student's need for breadth of experience in the formal, technical and expressive means of the artist. AP work should reflect these three areas of concern: quality, concentration and

Prerequisite: Drawing 1, Painting 1, 2nd art course, Portfolio I, and/or permission from instructor.

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$70.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y
Bright Futures: X
SUS Admission: E

#### AP DRAWING (Drawing, 2D Design, 3D Design) (Grades 11 - 12) 0104300

The purpose of this Advanced Placement course is to give an art student the opportunity to develop quality, concentration and breadth in drawing concepts, skills, and techniques. The content should include, but not be limited to, the experiences in the development of perceptual, conceptual, and technical aspects of drawing, painting and/or printmaking. Preparation of the appropriate number of works, digital documentation, and presentation techniques are required in each of three portfolio sections to be evaluated by The College Board. Research analysis, sketchbook/journal, and aesthetic and historical criticism are required for this in-depth study in non-linear thinking. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

Prerequisite: Drawing 1, Painting 1, 2nd art course, Portfolio I, and/or permission from instructor.

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$70.00 per semester

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: X SUS Admission: E

# FINE CRAFT STUDIO ART 1 (Grades 10-12) FINE CRAFT STUDIO ART 2 (Grades 11-12) FINE CRAFT STUDIO ART 3 HONORS (Grade 12)

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Students will create well-designed work that is utilitarian, purposeful, wearable, and/or sculptural in nature. This course may include, but is not limited to, content in metals, jewelry, glass fabrics/fibers, clay, fashion design, and/or objects for interior or architectural design and embellishment. Students develop the language of the fine craft through a concentration on fundamental technical skills. Student artisans reflect on aesthetics and visual issues related to the fine craft through the use of the structural elements of art and organizational principles of design. Students use analytical and problem-solving skills to improve personal work and that of their peers. Students investigate the significance of Western and non-Western cultures related to understanding the art role in global culture and informing creative choices in media and design. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

**Prerequisite**: Drawing II

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40 per Semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year

Weighted: Fine Craft Studio Art 1 and 2 – N
Weighted: Fine Craft Studio Art 3 Honors - Y
Bright Futures: Fine Craft Studio Art 1 and 2 – N
Bright Futures: Fine Craft Studio Art 3 Honors - Y
SUS Admission: Fine Craft Studio Art 1 and 2 – N
SUS Admission: Fine Craft Studio Art 3 Honors - E

#### AP ART HISTORY (Grades 10 - 12)

0100300

This course investigates the aesthetic content and historical context of images, icons, monuments, and shelter through analysis and written response about works of art from early times through contemporary art forms. A thematic approach enables students to compare and contrast works of various artists, periods, and styles. Non-Western Art, Sculpture, and Architectural forms are also examined for subject matter, purpose, and artist intent. It is Pine View's expectations that all students enrolled in advanced placement courses register for, and complete the advanced placement exam at the end of the school year.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2015-16

Prerequisite: Permission of current Art or Social Studies teacher. Interview with the course instructor.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: X SUS Admission: E

#### ART HISTORY AND CRITICISM II HONORS

0100340

Students explore art and architecture as an expressive response to the artist's experience. Through research and analysis of significant works and their historical contexts students examine changes in the understanding and structures of art production throughout the world. Students examine influential factors, such as people and events, societal and political changes, technological advancements, philosophical ideas, and cross-cultural influences as a means of discovering and tracing the changing definition of art. Student historians research and write about art using appropriate discipline-based methods (i.e., historical, critical, and aesthetic). This course may incorporate hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

OFFERED EVERY OTHER YEAR. OFFERED NEXT 2016-2017

<u>Prerequisite</u>: None Credit: 1.0 Full Year

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

SCULPTURE I (Grades 10 - 12) SCULPTURE II (Grades 11-12) SCULPTURE III HONORS (Grade 12) 0111310

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0111330

Students explore how space, mass, balance, and form combine to create aesthetic forms or utilitarian products and structures. Media may include, but are not limited to, clay, wood, plaster, and paper maché with consideration of the workability, durability, cost, and toxicity of the media used. Student artists consider the relationship of scale (i.e., hand-held, human, monumental) through the use of positive and negative space or voids, volume, visual weight, and gravity to create low/high relief or freestanding structures for personal intentions or public places. They explore sharp and diminishing detail, size, position, overlapping, visual pattern, texture, implied line, space, and plasticity, reflecting craftsmanship and quality in the surface and structural qualities of the completed art forms. Students in the sculpture studio focus on use of safety procedures for process, media, and techniques. Student artists use an art criticism process to evaluate, explain, and measure artistic growth in personal or group works. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

<u>Prerequisite</u>: Drawing I and Teacher Approval. Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$40 per Semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year
Weighted: Sculpture I and II – N
Weighted: Sculpture III - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

# PORTFOLIO DRAWINGS HONORS PORTFOLIO DRAWINGS 2D DESIGN HONORS PORTFOLIO DRAWINGS 3D DESIGN HONORS

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Students work in a self-directed environment to develop a portfolio showing a body of their own work that visually explores a particular artistic concern, articulated and supported by a written artist's statement. Artists may work in, but are not limited to, content in drawing, painting, printmaking, and/or mixed media that emphasizes line quality, rendering of form, composition, surface manipulation, and/or illusion of depth. Students regularly reflect on aesthetics and art issues individually and as a group, and focus on expressive content that is progressively more innovative and representative of the student's artistic and cognitive growth. In keeping with the rigor expected in an accelerated setting, students' portfolios show personal vision and artistic growth over time, mastery of visual art skills and techniques, and evidence of sophisticated analytical and problem-solving skills based on their structural, historical, and cultural knowledge. Students are self-directed and display readiness for high levels of critical thinking, research, conceptual thinking, and creative risk-taking. This course incorporates hands-on activities and consumption of art materials.

**Prerequisite**: Drawing I

Enrollment limited to 35 student per class. Donation Requested: \$50 per Semester

Credit: 1.0 Full Year

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

### **ORCHESTRA**

#### **CONCERT ORCHESTRA**

ORCHESTRA 3 (Grade 9) 1302380
ORCHESTRA 4 (Grade 10) 1302390
ORCHESTRA 5 HONORS (Grade 11) 1302400
ORCHESTRA 6 HONORS (Grade 12) 1302410

Students build on previous orchestral experience through the study and performance of high-quality orchestra literature. Rehearsals focus on the strengthening of critical listening skills, musicianship, string techniques, ensemble skills, and aesthetic awareness in the context of relevant history and cultures. Public performances may serve as a culmination of specific instructional goals. Students may be required to attend and/or participate in rehearsals and performances outside the school day to support, extend, and assess learning in the classroom. Students in this class may need to obtain (e.g., borrow, rent, purchase) an instrument from an outside source.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Middle School Orchestra I and II or equivalent private study Donation Requested: \$54.00 instrument rental: \$10.00 for method book

Credit: 1.0 Two semesters Weighted: Orchestra 3 and 4 – N Weighted: Orchestra 5 and 6 - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

#### CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

ORCHESTRA 3 (Grade 9) 1302380
ORCHESTRA 4 (Grade 10) 1302390
ORCHESTRA 5 HONORS (Grade 11) 1302400
ORCHESTRA 6 HONORS (Grade 12) 1302410

Students with considerable orchestral experience advance their string and ensemble performance techniques, music literacy, music theory, and aesthetic engagement through high-quality orchestra literature. Student musicians use reflection and problem-solving skills to improve performance significantly based on structural, cultural, and historical understanding of the music. Public performances may serve as a culmination of specific instructional goals. Students may be required to attend and/or participate in rehearsals and performances outside the school day to support, extend, and assess learning in the classroom. Students in this class may need to obtain (e.g., borrow, rent, purchase) an instrument from an outside source.

Prerequisite: Concert Orchestra or equivalent private study

Placement in Chamber Orchestra by audition only.

Donation Requested: \$54.00 instrument rental

Credit: 1.0 Two semesters Weighted: Orchestra 3 and 4 – N Weighted: Orchestra 5 and 6 - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

## **CHORUS**

#### **CHORUS - THE PINE VIEW CHORALE**

 CHORUS 3 (Grade 9)
 1303320

 CHORUS 4 (Grade 10)
 1303330

 CHORUS 5 HONORS (Grade 11)
 1303340

 CHORUS 6 HONORS (Grade 12)
 1303350

The purpose of these courses is to enable students to develop individual and ensemble skills in choral performance through preparation of varied high school literature. Emphasis will be placed on healthy and expressive signing, accurate interpretation of notation, and development of critical and aesthetic response to music. Content includes vocal production, choral performance techniques, music literacy, and sight reading and ear training. Students will understand the elements and characteristics of music, improvisation, composition, and arranging. Students will analyze their own and others performances and understand the role and influence of choral music and musicians. Connections between music and other subject areas will be made. Responsible participation in music activities is emphasized. This course requires students to participate in extra rehearsals and performances beyond the school day.

**Prerequisite:** Audition and teacher approval. Courses are taken in sequential order.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters Weighted: Chorus 3 and 4 – N Weighted: Chorus 5 and 6 - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

#### **VOCAL ENSEMBLE - THE PINE VIEW VOCAL ENSEMBLE**

 VOCAL ENSEMBLE 1 (Grade 9)
 1303440

 VOCAL ENSEMBLE 2 (Grade 10)
 1303450

 VOCAL ENSEMBLE 3 (Grade 11)
 1303460

 VOCAL ENSEMBLE 4 HONORS (Grade 12)
 1303470

The purpose of these courses is to enable students to develop basic performance techniques in a <u>small ensemble</u> setting through the study of varied high school choral literature. Emphasis will be placed on healthy and expressive signing, accurate interpretation of notation, and development of critical and aesthetic response to music. Content includes vocal production, choral performance techniques, music literacy, and sight reading and ear training. Students will understand the elements and characteristics of music, improvisation, composition, and arranging. Students will analyze their own and others performances and understand the role and influence of choral music and musicians. Connections between music and other subject areas will be made. Responsible participation in music activities is emphasized. This course requires students to participate in extra rehearsals and performances beyond the school day. Four-eight sopranos, four-eight altos, four-eight tenors, four-eight basses.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> Audition and teacher approval. In the event of ties for placement in this select group seniority will be the tie breaker, followed by years in the Pine View Chorale. Courses are taken in sequential order.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Vocal Ensemble 1, 2 and 3 - N

Weighted: Vocal Ensemble 4 - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: E

## **MUSIC THEORY**

#### **MUSIC THEORY (Grades 9 - 12)**

1300300

This course will enable students to develop knowledge of basic music structures and elements and their uses in varied music styles and genres. Content will include rhythmic, melodic, and harmonic notation, ear training, sight reading, composition, arranging, improvisation, harmonic structure, analysis of compositional structure and form, and the influence of history and culture upon music composition.

This course is offered alternate years with AP Music Theory. This course is the equivalent of Music Theory I and II offered at other high schools. (2 years in one year.)

Prerequisite: The ability to read music

Donation Requested: None Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: E

#### AP MUSIC THEORY (Grades 10 - 12)

1300330

The purpose of this course is to develop the student's ability to recognize and understand the basic materials and processes in any music that is heard or read in score. Content includes the application of fundamental music terminology and notational skills to intervals, key signature, rhythmic and metric notation, and transposition. Students will create elementary compositions in melodies to specifications including two-part counterpoint, harmonization of a melodic line, and four-part realization of figured bass symbols and/or Roman numerals. Content includes analysis of pitch and rhythmic organization, texture, and form. Students will aurally be able to identify single line rhythms, melodic lines, two-part excerpts, block chords, and other homophonic textures. It is Pine View's expectation that all students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses register for, and complete the Advanced Placement exam at the end of the school year.

Prerequisite: The successful completion of Music Theory, and approval from Mr. Gardner.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Y Bright Futures: X SUS Admissions: E

## **BAND**

**JAZZ BAND ENSEMBLE (GRADES 9 - 12)** 

JAZZ ENSEMBLE 1 1302500

JAZZ ENSEMBLE 2 1302510

JAZZ ENSEMBLE 3 1302520

JAZZ ENSEMBLE 4 HONORS 1302530

The purpose of these courses is to enable students to develop skills in jazz performance through knowledge of styles and performance techniques of varied jazz and contemporary literature. Content includes technical skills, individual and ensemble techniques, performance styles, and jazz idioms, rhythms, and articulation. Improvisation skills are emphasized. Students will compose and arrange as well as analyze literature, and their own and others performances. Students will study history and the role and influence of jazz and contemporary music and musicians. Students will understand connections between music and other subject areas, as well as responsible participation in music activities. This course requires students to participate in extra rehearsals and performances beyond the school day.

This class will give students the opportunity to learn about and perform a variety of jazz styles.

**Prerequisite:** Director's approval. Courses are taken in sequential order.

Donation Request: \$20 for music and band shirt Students must provide their own instrument

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Jazz Ensemble 1, 2 and 3 - N

Weighted: Jazz Ensemble 4 - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: E

#### **CONCERT BAND**

BAND 3 (Grade 9) 1302320 BAND 4 (Grade 10) 1302330 BAND 5 HONORS (Grade 11) 1320340 BAND 6 HONORS (Grade 12) 1302350

This purpose of these courses is to enable students to develop technical skills on wind or percussion instruments through the refinement and performance of high school band literature. Emphasis will be placed on the development of skills in interpretation of notation and expressive markings, individual and ensemble performance, and critical listening. Content will include technical skills, individual and ensemble techniques, music literacy, sight reading and ear training. Students will analyze performances, and understand and apply skills in improvisation, composition, and arranging. Students will understand the elements and characteristics of music, and the role and influence of instrumental music and musicians. They will explore connections between music and other subject areas, and demonstrate responsible participation in music activities. These courses require students to participate in extra rehearsals and performances beyond the school day.

This course is to provide students with instruction in the development of technical skills on wind and percussion instruments.

**Prerequisite:** Director's approval. Courses are taken in sequential order.

Donation Request: \$20 for music and band shirt Students must provide their own instrument

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters
Weighted: Band 3 and 4 – N
Weighted: Band 5 and 6 Honors - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: E

## **BAND**

#### WIND ENSEMBLE

INSTRUMENTAL TECHNIQUES 1 (Grade 9)

INSTRUMENTAL TECHNIQUES 2 (Grade 10)

INSTRUMENTAL TECHNIQUES 3 (Grade 11)

INSTRUMENTAL TECHNIQUES 4 HONORS (Grade 12)

1302440

1302450

The purpose of this ensemble is to enable students to further develop technical skills on a wind or percussion instrument through refinement and performance of wind band literature at a high level of difficulty. Emphasis will be placed on an advanced development of skills and interpretation of all aspects of note reading and the employability of musicianship. Content will include technical skills, solo and ensemble techniques, sight reading and ear training. A thorough understanding of music theory will be introduced, along with knowledge of important composers and musicians. Students will explore connections between music and other subject areas, and demonstrate responsible participation in music activities. An audition is required before registration for this course can be completed. This course requires students to participate in extra rehearsals and performances beyond the school day.

This course is to provide students with instruction in advanced development of technical skills and musicianship on wind and percussion instruments.

<u>Prerequisite:</u> By audition and director approval. Courses are taken in sequential order.

Donation Request: \$20 for music and supplies

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: Instrumental Techniques 1, 2 and 3 – N Weighted: Instrumental Techniques 4 Honors - Y

Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: E

## **HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

#### **TEAM SPORTS I (Grades 9 – 12)**

1503350

Students will learn safety practices, skills, techniques, rules and strategies in selected team sports, health-related components of fitness will be emphasized. The selected team sports may include, but not be limited to team handball, flicker ball, gatorball, speedball, field hockey, and track and field.

Special Note: Activities selected in Team Sports I may not be repeated in Team Sports II.

Credit: .50 Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: N

#### **TEAM SPORTS II (Grades 9 – 12)**

1503360

Students will acquire knowledge of team sports play, develop skills in selected team sports and maintain or improve their health related fitness levels. Students must understand and be able to apply the physiological principles related to exercise and training. The selected team sports may include, but not limited to angle ball, soccer, volleyball, basketball, softball, flag football, and Frisbee games.

**Special Note:** Activities selected in Team Sports II must be different from those taught in Team Sports I.

Credit: .50 Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: N

## **OTHER**

#### **EXTERNSHIP** (Grade 12)

7965030

Students spend four hours per week working (with no pay) with a professional host at a work site. They spend one session per week (every day the first two weeks) in a seminar with the Externship Coordinator. Students create resumes, participate in job interviews, complete research, and do oral presentations at school. Participants may be asked to help with class fundraising after school and are STRONGLY URGED to purchase school insurance, students should, if at all possible, arrange a host and obtain the three required teacher references in advance. Fundraising provides the required Host Appreciation event in the spring.

<u>Prerequisite</u>: 3.25 G.P.A., three teacher recommendations, excellent attendance, own transportation, and 4-6 hours per week availability to fulfill externship requirements.

Credit: 1.0 Two Semesters

Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admissions: N

## ENGAGED CITIZENSHIP THROUGH SERVICE-LEARNING I (Grades 9-12)

2104350

This course provides an introduction and opportunities for leadership in the areas of service-learning and civic responsibility. Academic, personal, and career skills needed for effective service-learning project implementation will be taught and applied through structured service projects that meet real school and/or community needs. Students will actively participate in meaningful service-learning experiences of at least 30 hours' duration. This course may be used for Bright Futures service hours.

Credit: 0.5 Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: N

## ENGAGED CITIZENSHIP THROUGH SERVICE-LEARNING II (Grades 10-12)

2104360

This course provides application and opportunities for leadership in the areas of service-learning, civic responsibility, and civic engagement. Academic, personal and career skills needed for effective service-learning project implementation will be taught and applied through structured service projects that meet real school and/or community needs. Students will actively participate in meaningful service-learning experiences of at least 40 hours' duration. This course may be used for Bright Futures service hours.

Prerequisite: Successful completion of Engaged Citizenship through Service-Learning I

Credit: 0.5 Weighted: N Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: N

## **OTHER**

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT CAPSTONE SEMINAR (Grade 11) Tentatively Scheduled for the 2016-2017 School Year

1700500

This course engages students in cross-curricular conversations that explore the complexities of academic and real-world topics and themes by analyzing divergent perspectives. This foundational course provides students with opportunities to think critically and creatively, research, explore, pose solutions, develop arguments, collaborate, and communicate using various media. Students explore real-world issues through a cross-curricular lens and consider multiple points of view to develop deep understanding of complex issues as they make connections between these issues and their own lives. Students read articles, research studies, and foundational and philosophical texts; listen to and view speeches, broadcasts, and personal accounts; and experience artistic and literary words to gain a rich appreciation and understanding of issues.

Credit: 1.0 Weighted: Y Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT CAPSTONE RESEARCH (Grade 12) Tentatively Scheduled for the 2017-2018 School Year

1700510

The second course in the AP Capstone experience allows students to design, plan, and conduct a yearlong research-based investigation on a topic of individual interest. Through this inquiry and investigation, students demonstrate the ability to apply scholarly understanding to real-world problems and issues. Students further their skills acquired in the AP Seminar Course by understanding research methodology; employing ethical research practices; and accessing, analyzing, and synthesizing information to build, present, and defend an argument.

#### **OFFERED NEXT 2017-2018**

**Prerequisite:** Successful completion of AP Capstone Seminar

Credit: 1.0 Weighted: Y Bright Futures: N SUS Admission: E

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