KEYS List of Possible Classes 2024-25

This list is a reference for classes we are considering next year.

This information will determine class sizes and **what courses have enough interest to include in the schedule**.

To learn more about these classes, please visit the website: www.keysofva.org. Double-click on each class name to learn more about the objectives, prerequisites, and textbooks required by the teacher.

<u>Science classes</u> often require proficiency in math skills which must be taken into consideration before signing up for classes. Please read the prerequisites carefully to ensure the academic success of your child.

ACADEMICS AND ELECTIVES

| FOREIGN LANGUAGE High School Level Classes Students must be in at least grade 8. ASL is considered an Academic and Fine Arts class because of the performance element. *MS ASL is under consideration. | | MATH *All students who are not currently enrolled in a math class at KEYS will be required to take a placement evaluation prior to registration. |
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| MS ASL gr 6-8 | Spanish I gr 8-12 | Elementary Math Grades 4-5 |
| ASL I gr 8-12 | Spanish II gr 9-12 | MS Math Level I Grades 5-6 |
| ASL II gr 9-12 | Spanish III/IV gr 10-12 | MS Math Level II Grades 6-7 |
| ASL III gr 10-12 | | Pre-Algebra Grades 7-8 |
| HISTORY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES | | Algebra I Grades 8-10 |
| HS World History Grades 9-12 | | Geometry Grades 9-11 |
| HS US History Grades 9-12 | | Algebra II Grades 10-12 |
| HS Government and Economics Grades 11-12 prerequisite is HS US History | | Precalculus Grades 11-12 |
| MS Worldview Grades 6-8 | | Consumer Math and Personal Finance Grades 11-12 Prerequisite Algebra I |
| Introduction to HS Worldview Grades 9-10 | | SCIENCE |
| HS Worldview Analysis Grades 11-12 successful completion is required to participate in the KEYS graduation ceremony | | Elementary Science Level I Grades 4-5 This is a two-year rotating curriculum. |
| Psychology Grades 9-12 | | Elementary Science Level II Grades 5-6 This is a two-year rotating curriculum. |
| World Geography Grades 8-10 | | MS Life Science Grades 6-8 Prerequisite: MS Math Level II or enrolled simultaneously |
| ENGLISH | | Physical Science Grades 7-9 |
| All students who are not currently enrolled in an English class at KEYS will be required to take a placement evaluation prior to registration. | | Prerequisites: MS Science/Pre-Algebra |
| Elementary Language Arts Level I Grades 4-5 This is a 2-year rotating curriculum. | | Biology Grades 9-10 |
| Elementary Language Arts Level II Grades 5-6 This is a 2-year rotating curriculum. | | Anatomy and Physiology Grades 10-12 Prerequisite: Biology |
| MS Writing Grades 6-7 This is a 2-year rotating curriculum for students who need more confidence before moving to MS Lit. | | Chemistry Grades 10-12 Prerequisite: Algebra I + II or enrolled simultaneously |
| MS Literature & Composition Grades 7-8 | | Physics Grades 11-12 Prerequisite: Geometry/Algebra II/Chemistry |
| HS English I Grades 8-10 | | Forensics Grades 11-12 No exceptions to these grade levels due to mature content. |
| HS English II Grades 9-11 | | High School ELECTIVES |
| American Literature & Composition Grades 9-11 | | Speech and Debate Grades 9-12 This does not count as an English credit. Prerequisite: HS English I |
| British Literature & Composition Grades 10-12 | | |
| Writing for College Grades 11 - 12 | | |

Fine Arts Classes

This list is provided as a reference of classes we are considering for next year.

This information will determine class sizes and **what courses have enough interest to include in the schedule**. Because you see it listed here does NOT mean that it will end up in the final schedule.

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*Denotes a mini-MOST Ensemble, which requires an audition and a \$25 non-refundable deposit due at registration.

The 2025 mini-MOST (Ministry Outreach Spring Trip) will be to Williamsburg, VA (tentatively March 14) with 4 additional payments of \$25 Nov – Feb.

| ART | BAND | CHOIR |
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| Art classes are on Mondays | | *by audition only |
| Elementary Art Grades 3-6 | Beginning Band Grades 5–12 Grade 4 with permission of the instructor. | Elementary Choir Grades 1-5 |
| Art in Mixed Media Grades 7-12 | Intermediate Band Grades 6-12 | Mixed Choir Grades 6-12 |
| HS Drawing and Painting Grades 9-12 Prerequisite: Art in Mixed Media or with permission of instructor by portfolio. | | *Concert Choir Grades 9-12 |
| | | *A cappella Ensemble Grades 9-12 |
| DRAMA | GUITAR *Please contact the teacher for the correct placement in Intermediate and Advanced. | PERCUSSION *Please contact the teacher for the correct placement in Intermediate and Advanced. |
| Elementary Drama Grades 3-5 will meet on Monday afternoons | Beginning Guitar Grades 6-12 Students <u>must</u> be in at least grade 6 to enroll. No exceptions. | Beginning Percussion Grades 6-12 Students must be in at least grade 6 to enroll. Students in grade 5 may be placed on a waiting list with permission from the instructor. |
| Middle School Theatre Grades 6-8 | *Intermediate Guitar Grades 7-12 | *Intermediate Percussion Grades 7-12 |
| High School Theatre Grades 9-12 | *Advanced Guitar Grades 8-12 | *Advanced Percussion Grades 8-12 |
| | | STRINGS *Please contact the teacher for the correct placement in Intermediate, Advanced, and Chamber. |
| | *PRAISE TEAM Grades 9 – 12 *by audition only | Beginning Strings Grades 4-12 |
| | | *Intermediate Strings Grades 5-12 |
| | | *Advanced Strings Grades 6-12 |
| | | *Chamber Strings Grades 8-12 |