

## KEYS List of Possible Classes 2023-24

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**Please complete the ONLINE CLASS INTEREST SURVEY for EACH student.**

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To learn more about these classes, please visit the website: [www.keysofva.org](http://www.keysofva.org). Double-click on each class name to learn more about the objectives, as well as the prerequisites that are required by the teacher.

***Science classes 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

<b>FOREIGN LANGUAGE</b> High School Level Classes <i>Students must be in at least grade 8.</i> ASL is considered an Academic and Fine Arts class because of the performance element. *ASL IV is a <i>MOST ensemble</i> and will require a \$65 deposit at registration.			<b>MATH</b> <i>*All students who are not currently enrolled in a math class at KEYS will be required to take a placement evaluation prior to registration.</i>
ASL I	French I	Spanish I	Elem. Math grades 5-6
ASL II	French II	Spanish II	MS Math grades 6-7
ASL III		Spanish III	Pre-Algebra grades 7-8
*ASL IV		Spanish IV	Algebra I grades 8-12
			Geometry grades 9-12
<b>HISTORY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES</b>			Algebra II grades 10-12
HS World History grades 9-12			Precalculus grades 11-12
HS US History grades 9-12			<b>SCIENCE</b>
HS Government and Economics grades 11-12: prerequisite is HS US History			Elementary Science grades 4-6 This is a 3-year rotating curriculum so students can take it for multiple years. 2023-24 is focused on Earth Science.
<i>MS Worldview</i> grades 6-8			MS General Science grades 6-8, Prerequisite: MS Math or enrolled simultaneously
Introduction to HS Worldview grades 9-10			Physical Science grades 7-9, Prerequisites: General Science/Pre-Algebra
HS Worldview Analysis grades 11-12, successful completion is required to participate in the KEYS graduation ceremony			Biology grades 9-11
Psychology grades 9-12			Anatomy and Physiology grades 10-12, Prerequisite: Biology
<b>ENGLISH</b>			Chemistry grades 10-12, Prerequisite: Algebra I + II or enrolled simultaneously
<i>All students who are not currently enrolled in an English class at KEYS will be required to take a placement evaluation prior to registration.</i>			
Elementary Language Arts grades 4-6 This is a 3-year rotating curriculum so students can take it for multiple years and develop skills for MS Writing.			<i>Physics</i> grades 11-12, Prerequisite: Geometry/Algebra II/Chemistry
MS Writing grades 6-8 This class has a 2-year rotating curriculum for students who need more confidence before moving to MS Lit.			
MS Literature & Composition grades 7-8			
HS English I grades 8-10			<b>High School ELECTIVES</b>
HS English II grades 9-12			Geography grades 8-10
American Literature & Composition grades 10-12			Journalism grades 9-12 This is not an English class. Prerequisite: HS English I
British Literature & Composition grades 10-12			Personal Finance grades 10-12 This is not a math class.
Writing for College grades 11-12			Public Speaking grades 9-12 This is not an English class. Prerequisite: HS English I

## See Next Page for Fine Arts Classes

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\*Denotes a MOST Ensemble which requires an audition and \$65 non-refundable deposit due at registration.

*The 2024 MOST (Ministry Outreach Spring Trip) will be to Lancaster, PA with 6 additional payments of \$65 Sept-Feb.*

<b>ART</b> <i>Art classes will remain on Mondays</i>	<b>BAND</b>	<b>CHOIR</b>
Elementary Art grades 3-5	Beginning Band grade 5 & up	Elementary Choir grades 1-6
Art in Mixed Media grades 6-12	Intermediate Band grade 6 & up	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 Band <i>audition only, grades 7-12</i>	*Concert Choir <i>audition only, grades 9-12</i>
		*A cappella Ensemble <i>audition only, gr 9-12</i>
<b>DRAMA</b>	<b>GUITAR</b>	<b>PERCUSSION</b>
	Please contact the teacher for the correct placement in Intermediate and Advanced.	Please contact the teacher for the correct placement in Intermediate and Advanced.
Elementary Drama grades 3-5 <i>will meet on Mondays</i>	Beginning Guitar grades 5-12	Beginning Percussion grades 6-12
Middle School Theatre grades 6-8	Intermediate Guitar grades 6-12	Intermediate Percussion grades 6-12
High School Theatre grades 9-12	Advanced Guitar <i>grades 7-12, by audition only</i>	*Advanced Percussion <i>grades 9-12 by audition only</i>
		<b>STRINGS</b>
		Please contact the teacher for the correct placement in Intermediate, Advanced, and Chamber.
	<b>*PRAISE TEAM</b> <i>(grades 9-12 by audition only)</i>	Beginning Strings grades 4-12
		Intermediate Strings grades 5-12
		Advanced Strings <i>grades 6-12 by audition only</i>
		*Chamber Strings <i>grades 8-12 by audition only</i>