• Unless noted, purchase of textbooks and workbooks is the responsibility of the parents.
• PCLA Administration also reserves the right to make changes to course descriptions and required materials listed. Administration not responsible for typographical errors.
• Book rental fees are to be paid and books picked up at the August Parents’ meeting.
• All courses must have a minimum of 6 students unless approved by Director.
• Parents are encouraged to seek out the best deal on textbooks. Note ISBN.
• PCLA administration reserves the right to cancel, combine, or reschedule classes.
• Additional classes may be created as needed.

Please note grade levels and prerequisites. These are not suggestions. Exceptions must be approved by the PCLA Headmaster.

**ELECTIVES**

**EL3D - Journalism and Publications (9th – 12th Grade)**  
Students will work on all aspects of the PCLA yearbook. This course may be taken multiple times.  
Text book will be provided with a rental fee to be paid and picked up at parent meeting.

**EL3B - Psychology (Advanced 9th-12th Grade)**  
The goal of the class is to help high school students gain an appreciation for and an overview of the scientific field of Psychology. Using a combination of lectures, papers, activities and projects, students will learn the names of significant scientists in the history of Psychology and the main concepts covered in the discipline of Psychology. In addition, we will discuss the various ways that the concepts of Psychology are in accord with or are contrary to the teachings of Christianity. **This course will not be offered again until 2020-2021.**  

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE**

**FL3A - High School Spanish 1 (Advanced 8th-11th Grade)**  
Designed to provide students with the vocabulary and grammar skills they need to create language for communication.  
Students will converse, read and write in Spanish. Culture studies are integrated throughout.  
Text provided for a rental fee ($15). **Workbooks must be purchased through PCLA.**

**FL3B - High School Spanish 2 (9th – 12th Grade)**  
A continuation of the skills and culture studies begun in Spanish 1, the text uses less English and more Spanish in its pedagogy, reflecting student progress in the language. Meets the standards for Foreign Language Learning set forth by the ACTFL.  
**Prerequisite:** Completion of high school level Spanish 1 with grade of C or better. A placement test will be required if Spanish 1 was taken elsewhere.  
Text provided for a rental fee ($15). **Workbooks must be purchased through PCLA.**  
*This course fulfills rigor requirements.*
FL3C – High School Latin 1 (Advanced 8th-11th Grade)
This course is designed to introduce Latin to the student through a grammar based approach. Grammar will be taught systematically and workbook exercises will ensure mastery. Text and workbook will be supplemented with readings and lessons on Roman history, culture and geography, as well as Latin prayers and songs.
**Required Texts:** *First Form Latin Student Text* (ISBN 978-1-61538-002-2) and *First Form Latin Workbook* (ISBN 978-1-61538-003-9)

FL3D - High School Latin 2 (Advanced 9th - 11th Grade)
*Second Form Latin* continues the study of the Latin grammar in much the same format as *First Form Latin*. Units are organized in a logical, systematic order that maximizes understanding and retention. Workbook, vocabulary and grammar exercises, as well as cultural and historical readings will reinforce the lessons taught in class.
**Prerequisite:** High School Latin 1 with grade of C or better.
**Required Text:** Second Form Latin (ISBN: 978-1615380237) and Second Form Latin Workbook (ISBN: 978-1615380251)

**This course fulfills rigor requirements.**

FL3G – American Sign Language 3 (10th-12th Grade)
Level 3 will be diving deeper into the Deaf culture through books, reading assignments and videos. This will be a voiceless class with concentration on learning to interpret meaning. Requirements include attending at least four deaf events.
**Prerequisite:** American Sign Language 2 with grade of C or better.

**This course fulfills rigor requirements.**

**LANGUAGE ARTS**

LA3B – H - Honors World Literature and Composition (9th - 12th Grades)
*This class will be capped at 18 students*
This course will broaden students’ understanding of a wide range of literary classics through critical thinking, and by focusing on excellence in communication through both the written and spoken word. Students will study and interpret works in light of a biblical worldview. This course is a complete Language Arts course.
**This course will not be offered again until 2020-2021.**
**Required Text:** *World Literature Student Book* by James P. Stobaugh (ISBN: 978-0-89051-675-1)
*Additional literary selections:* *The Iliad* (978-0226470498), *The Odyssey* (978-0061244186), *War & Peace* (978-1400079988)

LA3D – H - Honors British Literature and Composition (11th-12th Grades)
*This class will be capped at 15 students*
Discusses literature selections and cultural issues from eight literary periods in light of Scripture: Old English, Middle English, Tudor, Stuart, Neoclassical, Romantic, Victorian, and Modern. Traces English Christianity from its beginning to the present and studies the Shakespearean drama Macbeth. This class will give students the unique opportunity to read and discuss literature in a small classroom setting while providing an in-depth study of Grammar, Vocabulary, and Composition. This course is a complete Language Arts course.
**This course will not be offered again until 2010-2021.**
**Prerequisite:** Completion of Comparative Literature and World Literature with a grade of C or better.
*Additional literary selections will be forthcoming.*
MATH

Special Notes:
It is recommended that parents purchase a copy of the Teacher's Edition so that parents can work with students at home. Saxon Math with or without Saxon Teacher is recommended as an alternative.

MA2B - Honors Pre-Algebra (Advanced 7th – 8th Grade)
Class is being offered at 2 different times, Session A & Session B
*This Class will be capped at 10 Students*
Eases students into algebraic thinking by introducing the concept of variables early, then emphasizing equation-solving procedures throughout the remaining chapters. Reviews and builds on traditional arithmetic skills and includes a consumer-related application of math to everyday life.

MA3A – Honors Algebra 1 (Advanced 8th – 9th Grade)
Class is being offered at 2 different times, Session A & Session B
*This Class will be capped at 10 Students*
This course continues into the practical methods of solving first- and second-degree equations and inequalities. Algebraic skills are introduced in logical order: relations, functions, graphing, and systems of equations, radicals, factoring polynomials, rational equations, and quadratic functions. Contains review questions that refresh the memory without wearying the mind. It also includes word problems and special interest sections on computer technology and famous mathematicians.
Prerequisite: Pre Algebra with grade of C or better.

MA3C – Honors Algebra 2 (10th – 11th Grade)
*This Class will be capped at 10 Students*
Mathematical contributions of various cultures provide the theme for this continuing journey into algebra. The first seven chapters provide thorough review of basic skills, including detailed studies of linear equations and functions, polynomials, factoring, quadratic equations and functions, systems of equations, and radicals, then progresses to topics such as complex numbers, rational expressions and equations, conic sections, trigonometry, exponents and logarithms, matrices, and probability.
Prerequisite: Algebra 1 with grade of C or better.
Also Required: Texas Instruments 83 (TI 83) calculator or equivalent.

SCIENCE

SC3A – Honors Physical Science (Advanced 8th – 9th Grade)
Course discusses such topics as the property of matter, elementary chemistry, structure and interactions of matter, chemical and non-chemical combinations of matter, elementary physics including forms of energy, mechanics, electromagnetics, wave theory, and optics.
Prerequisite: Pre-Algebra with a C or better and must be currently taking Algebra 1 or higher.
SC3B – Honors Biology (Advanced 9th – 11th Grade)
Using a combination of lecture and laboratory activities, this course introduces scientific investigation, cellular biology, biochemistry, energy relationships, homeostasis, genetics, heredity, biotechnology, microbiology, classification, taxonomy, origins, comparative physiology, ecology, botany, and zoology.

SC3D – Honors Anatomy & Physiology (11th – 12th Grade)
This course covers both the anatomy and the physiology of the human body’s 11 organ systems in detail. The course includes: Microscope labs - Dissection labs - Coloring Book Exercises.
Prerequisite: Biology and Chemistry.
This course fulfills rigor requirements.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

SS3F - World History (9th-12th Grade) Recommended for 9th-10th Grade
This course recounts the story of mankind from creation to the present. Students examine ancient civilizations through the Greeks to the Roman Empire. Then they survey India, Asia, and Africa on their way to the Middle Ages, the Renaissance, and the Reformation, upon which modern history is founded. They are challenged to discover the forces, issues, people, and movements that have shaped our modern world. God’s providence and Bible integration are given prominence as the students are taught to view the world through a Christian lens.
This course will not be offered again until 2020-2021.

SS3D - Current Issues and Worldview (9th – 12th) offered first semester only
Take a journey into the world of "ideas." Encounter a biblical worldview. Contents include: Preface by Josh McDowell About this Study; Introduction: Discover a Whole New World Week; Theology - A Close Encounter of the God Kind; Philosophy: Getting Down to Reality; Biology: "Designed" or "Evolved"; Psychology: How to Live with Yourself & Like It; Ethics: Is There Any Real Right or Wrong; Sociology: What Makes a Healthy Society; Law: Why So Many Laws; Politics Everybody's Got Rights ... Right?; Economics: Making Money by the Bible; History: Dry Bones or Dynamic Ideas? A Final Challenge: Biblical Christianity in Retreat.

SS3C - Economics (9th – 12th Grade) offered second semester only
This course covers topics such as the origin and history of money, the history of our dollar, the economic behavior of the government, the business cycle, inflation, recession, depression, the federal debt, foreign currency, how and why the government impacts the value of money, and the wisdom and pitfalls of investing.
Required Text: Textbook will be provided for rental fee ($15).
TUESDAY STUDY HALL
Middle and High School – (5th – 12th)

SH2A – 8 am – 9 am  
SH2B – 9 am – 10 am  
SH2C – 10 am – 11 am  
SH2D – 11 am – 12 pm  
SH2E – 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm  
SH2F – 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm  
SH2G – 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm  
SH2H – 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

THURSDAY STUDY HALL
High School – (9th – 12th)

SH3A – 8 am – 9 am  
SH3B – 9 am – 10 am  
SH3C – 10 am – 11 am  
SH3D – 11 am – 12 am