



Pioneer High School for the Performing Arts

Director's Report
Wednesday, February 22, 2017

Discussion Summary

- Enrollment Update
- Academy Rebranding
- Academic Changes
- Accreditation
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- School Land Trust
- Code R277-609
- 2017/2018 Fees
- Student Assembly
- American Fork Police

Enrollment – Students Withdrawn

From: 01/02/2017 To: 02/22/2017

Grade	Exit Date	Gender	Ethnicity	Race	Birth Date	Reason Dropped
12	01/10/2017	M	H	WH	03/23/1999	Graduated
12	01/10/2017	F	N	WH	10/01/1998	Graduated
12	01/10/2017	F	H	WH	05/15/1999	Graduated
10	01/11/2017	F	N	WH	11/01/2000	Not a good fit
10	01/11/2017	F	N	WH	02/26/2001	Not a good fit
10	01/24/2017	M	H	WH	06/18/2001	Not a good fit
11	01/20/2017	M	H	WH	05/20/2000	Not a good fit
11	01/03/2017	F	H	WH	03/18/2000	Transportation
11	01/17/2017	F	N	WH	12/13/1999	Transportation
10	02/06/2017	F	N	WH	07/19/2001	Not a good fit
09	02/15/2017	F	N	WH	07/30/2002	Unexcused Absences
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Enrollment – Students Admitted

From: 01/02/2017 To: 02/22/2017

Grade	Entry Date	Gender	Ethnicity	Race	Birth Date	School Transferred from
9	01/11/2017	F	N	WH	07/30/2002	Monticello Academy
9	01/23/2017	F	H	WH	09/30/2001	Frontier Middle School
10	01/18/2017	M	H	WH	06/18/2001	Westlake
10	01/23/2017	F	N	WH	04/02/2001	Mountain View HS
11	01/11/2017	M	N	WH	09/21/1999	Pleasant Grove HS
11	01/20/2017	M	N	WH	03/21/2000	Lehi HS
11	01/27/2017	M	N	WH	08/08/1999	Skyline High School
11	01/20/2017	M	H	WH	05/20/2000	Mountain View HS
11	01/11/2017	F	H	WH	05/15/2000	Skyridge High School
11	01/17/2017	F	N	AS	06/10/2000	American High School
11	01/4/2017	F	N	WH	05/02/2000	Summit Academy HS
12	01/11/2017	F	N	WH	05/03/1999	Bingham High School

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Enrollment

- **FY 2017 Enrollment Target: 190 Students**
- **When does Open Enrollment begin for Pioneer High School?**
 - **Post information on Website**
 - **Submit website updates thru Gil**
 - **Post 2017/2018 Fee Schedule**
 - **Board approved Fee Schedule?**

Academy “Rebranding”

- **Conservatory Track**
 - ▶ Students invited to participate in Conservatory Track, based on level of talent
- **Fundamentals Track**
 - ▶ Track for all remaining students
- **Would require all-day curriculum in order to service all students**
 - ▶ Will it pencil, financially?

Music Academy - Conservatory

Music Conservatory Track - Contemporary Music (Rock, POP, EDM, R&B, Country, etc.)

LEVEL 1	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Period 1	CORE Ensemble	Movement for Musicians	CORE Ensemble	Movement for Musicians	CORE Ensemble
Period 2	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 1	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 1	CORE Ensemble
Period 3	Music Business	Masterclass	Contemporary Music History 1	Masterclass	Contemporary Music History 1
LEVEL 2	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Period 1	CORE Ensemble	Recording & Live Sound	CORE Ensemble	Recording & Live Sound	CORE Ensemble
Period 2	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 2	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 2	CORE Ensemble
Period 3	Music Business	Masterclass	Contemporary Music History 2	Masterclass	Contemporary Music History 2
LEVEL 3	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Period 1	CORE Ensemble	Intro to Songwriting	CORE Ensemble	Intro to Songwriting	CORE Ensemble
Period 2	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 3	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 3	CORE Ensemble
Period 3	Music Business	Masterclass	Improvisation	Masterclass	Improvisation
LEVEL 4	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Period 1	CORE Ensemble	Advanced Songwriting	CORE Ensemble	Advanced Songwriting	CORE Ensemble
Period 2	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 4	CORE Ensemble	Music Theory 4	CORE Ensemble
Period 3	Music Business	Masterclass	Auditions/Senior Project	Masterclass	Music Production

Dance Academy

		Conservatory Tracks	Fundamentals Track	
Period	9th Grade	10th Grade	11th Grade	12th Grade
1	Ballet	Ballet	Ballet	Ballet
2	Jazz/Tap/Company	Jazz/Tap/Company	Jazz/Tap/Company	Jazz/Tap/Company
3	Hip Hop/Ballroom	Hip Hop/Ballroom	Hip Hop/Ballroom	Hip Hop/Ballroom
4	Acting for Dancers/Dance History	Voice for Dancers/Auditions	Acting for Dancers/Dance History	Voice for Dancers/Auditions
1	Intro to Dance - Jazz/Hip Hop	Intro to Dance - Jazz/Hip Hop	Intro to Dance - Jazz/Hip Hop	Intro to Dance - Jazz/Hip Hop

Academics for FY 2017

- **Restructuring & redefining our Model**
- **Faculty Proposal Presentation – Sarah Nielsen**

Academic Schedule

Beginning 2017-2018 School Year

Looking for?

- **Stream-lined approach**
- **Face-to-face courses**
- **Student support system/accountability**
- **Increased class time**
- **Decreased “free” time**
- **Increased credit requirements**

Course	Credits	
English/ Language Arts	4.0	
Mathematics	3.0	
Science	3.0	Currently, students earn 10 credits for Academy, which cover the 8 required credits for CTE (through “Industry” courses), Fine Arts, and Electives.
Social Studies	3.0	
Fine Arts	1.5	
CTE	1.0	
Computer Tech/Literacy	0.5	
Financial Literacy	0.5	Dance can count for .5 Physical Education credit
Physical Education/ Health	2.0	
Electives	5.5	
Total	24.0	

The Ideal Schedule

	Dance Conservatory Music Fundamentals Theater Fundamentals	Dance Fundamentals Music Conservatory Theater Conservatory
Morning Block	Academy Classes	Academic Classes
Afternoon Block	Academic Classes	Academy Classes

	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
1	Language Arts 9	Computer Technology/ Fit for Life	U.S. History	Elective
2	Secondary Math I	Language Arts 10	P.E. Skills/ Health	Elective
3	Science 9	Secondary Math II	Language Arts 11	U.S. Government/ Elective
4	Geography	Science 10	Secondary Math III, Accounting 1 & 2, Computer Prog. 1 & 2	Language Arts 12
5	Student Success	World Civilizations	Science 11	Financial Literacy/ PE elective

Potential Elective Courses

- **AP[®]**
- **Concurrent Enrollment**
- **Business/Accounting**
- **Social Studies Electives**
- **Debate**
- **Health Science**
- **Yearbook**
- **Student Newspaper**
- **Journalism**
- **Desktop Publisher**
- **PE Elective**
- **Teacher Assistants**
- **Peer Tutors**
- **Public Speaking**
- **Weight Lifting**
- **Foreign Language**

Reality 2017-2018



	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade	
1	Language Arts 9	Health (24)/ Fit for Life (22)	U.S. History (29)	Science (15)	Student Success
2	Secondary Math I	Language Arts 10 (25)	P.E. Elective (22)/ Financial Literacy (27)	U.S. Government (22)/ Social Science (8)	Student Success
3	Science 9	Secondary Math II (23)	Language Arts 11 (29)	PE Elective (9)/ Elective	Student Success
4	Geography	Chemistry (24)	Secondary Math III (29)	Language Arts 12 (36)	Student Success
5	Student Success	World Civilizations (24)	Science 11 (28)	Math III (11)	Student Success

	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade	
1	Language Arts 9 Carol Gregory	Health (24)/ Fit for Life (22) Adam Smith	U.S. History (29) Tara Allen Sarah Nielsen	Science (15) David White	Student Success Mike Mitchell
2	Secondary Math I Nate Lovelady	Language Arts 10 (25) Carol Gregory	P.E. Elective (22)/ Financial Literacy (27) Adam Smith Mike Holmes	U.S. Government (22)/ Social Science (8) Tara Allen AP US Government Sarah Nielsen	Student Success Adam Smith Mike Holmes
3	Science 9 David White	Secondary Math II (23) Nate Lovelady	Language Arts 11 (29) Carol Gregory Mike Mitchell	PE Elective (9)/ Elective Adam Smith Mike Holmes	Student Success Adam Smith Mike Holmes
4	Geography Tara Allen	Chemistry (24) David White	Secondary Math III (29) Nate Lovelady	Language Arts 12 (36) Carol Gregory Mike Mitchell	Student Success Mike Holmes
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Interim SAGE Test Results

ELA	Last Year		This Year	
	% of Students Proficient	% of Students Tested	% of Students Proficient	% of Students Tested
Grade				
9th	16%	28%	25%	28%
10th	18%	34%	25%	32%
11th	100%	6%	17%	36%

Interim SAGE Test Results

Math	Last Year		This Year	
Grade	% of Students Proficient	% of Students Tested	% of Students Proficient	% of Students Tested
9th	21%	34%	27%	33%
10th	11%	26%	12%	53%
11th	14%	40%	0%	28%

Interim SAGE Test Results

Science	Last Year		This Year	
	% of Students Proficient	% of Students Tested	% of Students Proficient	% of Students Tested
Grade				
Earth Science	48%	31%	-	-
Biology	20%	34%	20%	82%
Chemistry	25%	27%	7%	75%
Physics	43%	39%	17%	63%

Accreditation

- **Four remaining objectives to accomplish**
 - **Establish a clearly defined student assessment system that assures consistent measurement across all classrooms and courses**
 - **Implement school-wide grading policies**
 - **Train teachers in the evaluation, interpretation and use of data**
 - **Train faculty to collect, analyze & apply learning from a range of data sources**

Assessments

- **Mike Holmes assuming responsibility for Assessments**
 - ▶ Sage, ACT, Interim Assessments, etc.
- **ACT Practice Test Proposal**
 - ▶ Two Practice ACT tests for 10th grade
 - ▶ one in Fall & one in Spring
 - ▶ Practice ACT test for 11th grade (Fall)

School Land Trust

- **Resubmitted final report for 2015/2016**
 - ▶ Lacking documentation
- **Working to document expenditures for FY2016**
 - ▶ Lacking documentation
- **Amount for FY2018 estimated to be \$28,834**
 - ▶ Increase of \$8K

Utah Admin Code R277-609 Policy

- **Enacted 09/01/2015**
- **Effective 03/01/2016**
- **Board should adopt a policy regarding
Emergency Safety Interventions**
 - **Restraint & Seclusion policies**
- **Disability Law Center will perform a follow-up
audit in June 2017**

School Fees for FY 2017

- **NEW Transportation Fee (offset busing expenses)**
 - \$75 per student
- **NEW Computer/Tech fee for ALL students**
 - \$25 per student
- **Performing Arts – higher fee for Conservatory?**

Student Assembly on Behavior

- **Phone Use**
- **Tardy & Absences**
- **Expected Classroom Behavior**
- **While we are focusing on enrollment, we will continue to enforce policy violations up to, and including, expulsion from school**

Board Policies & Procedures

- **Is there a policy on issuing credit for student internships (Work Based Learning)?**
 - ▶ **Board-approved policy on how, and when, credit may be issued to students for off-site internships**
- **Registered Agent with State of Utah for corporation?**
 - ▶ **Currently Shari – should it be Board Chair?**

Thank you, again!