

# 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Course Requests

**2019-2020 School Year**  
**Legacy Preparatory Academy**  
 2214 South 1250 West  
 Woods Cross, Utah 84087

## REQUIRED COURSES

Required courses are automatically chosen for students.  
 (See opposite side of this form for list)

### Science

- Earth Science  
 Biology

Are you interested in Honors:

- English Language Arts?  YES  
 History  YES

## ELECTIVE COURSES

Select a combination of full year and 1/2 year/semester courses to make a total of **3.5 credits**.

## FULL YEAR COURSES (1.0 credit each)

- Advanced Musical Theater (audition only) \$  
 Ballroom Dance Team (audition only) \$\$  
 Concert Band (Band 1) \$  
 Wind Ensemble (Band 2) (audition only) \$  
 Guitar \$  
 Concert Choir  
 Intermediate Orchestra 1 \$  
 Advanced Orchestra 2 (audition only) \$  
 Technical Theater (evening commitment required) \$

**Please sign below indicating you have reviewed this information with your student.**

\_\_\_\_\_ (student signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (parent/guardian signature)

## SEMESTER COURSES (0.5 credit each)

- 3D Art \$  
 Art Foundations 1 \$  
 Drawing \$  
 Intermediate Musical Theater \$  
 Drama I (1st sem only)  
 Non-performing/non-musical  
 Drama II (Must have Drama I or teacher approval) \$  
 Concert Choir  
 Social Dance Half Year \$  
 9th grade PE (Participation Skills)  
 TA/Office Aide (Teacher approval)  
 Keyboarding  
 Beginning Dance (1st semester only) \$  
 Intermediate Dance (2nd semester only. Must have beginning dance or teacher approval) \$  
 Independent Study (no credit)  
 Humanities (1st semester only)

**ALTERNATES:** List TWO or more elective courses you could take if your first choices are not available because of scheduling conflicts. Please list in order of preference.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. \_\_\_\_\_
- Is there any other Academic knowledge we should know about your child? (Above or below grade level?)
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

Questions about Auditions or classes? Contact the following people:

- Theater/Drama - jsnarr@legacyprep.org  
 Orchestra - prioridan@legacyprep.org  
 Band - sjensen@legacyprep.org  
 Ballroom Dance - flee@legacyprep.org  
 Art - kfontenot@legacyprep.org  
 Dance - chopkins@legacyprep.org

**\$ = Course Fee Required**

# LPA 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Course Requests 2019-2020

It's time to select your 9<sup>th</sup> grade classes for next year!

Make your selections carefully as schedule changes may not be possible later. The form has instructions to guide you through how to fill it out. You have until Friday, March 22nd to submit your course requests. Contact Mardee Merrill if you have any questions at [mmerrill@legacyprep.org](mailto:mmerrill@legacyprep.org).

## 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Required Classes

All 9<sup>th</sup> graders will take courses in the following subjects:

- Language Arts *Honors and basics levels are available*
- College Preparatory Math (CPM) *Honors levels and basic math skills classes are available as needed; final placement based on successful completion of previous math course. High school level math courses are called Secondary Math*
- Science *Options include Biology or Earth Science*
- Social Studies *The 9<sup>th</sup> grade course is called World Geography; honors is available*
- Digital Studies (on-line) *This class fulfills a High School requirement*

## Highly Recommended Classes

Taking a Foreign Language course in Jr. High is great preparation for high school Foreign Language courses. Studying at least 2 years of a Foreign Language in High School is recommended and often required by colleges and universities. If you are taking Spanish 1 this year, consider continuing it in 9<sup>th</sup> grade by taking Spanish 2.

## 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Elective Options

You will have the option to take any combination of full and half year elective classes that add up to 3.5 credits. Full year classes give 1.0 credit and half year classes give 0.5 credit. Look for classes that match your interests and will help you prepare for classes you hope to take in the future. Also, consider taking elective courses that will help you meet specific high school graduation requirements, such as Participation Skills for PE credit. Online courses may be taken, but MUST be coordinated with the school counselor. Auditions for advanced Fine Arts courses are held in May.

## Class Schedule

Below is an example of a full year 9<sup>th</sup> grade schedule. LPA Jr. High is on a block schedule (A/B Days) with Language Arts and Math every day and all other classes every other day. Your official schedule will be available online at the beginning of August.

| Semester 1                                | Semester 2                                |
|---|---|
| Language Arts 9 or 9 Honors – A Day       | Language Arts 9 or 9 Honors – A Day       |
| Language Arts 9 or 9 Honors – B Day       | Language Arts 9 or 9 Honors – B Day       |
| Secondary Math – A Day                    | Secondary Math – A Day                    |
| Secondary Math – B Day                    | Secondary Math – B day                    |
| Earth Science or Biology                  | Earth Science or Biology                  |
| World Geography or World Geography Honors | World Geography or World Geography Honors |
| Digital Studies (On-line)                 | Elective                                  |
| Elective                                  | Elective                                  |
| Elective                                  | Elective                                  |
| Elective                                  | Elective                                  |