

Grade 9

2020-21 Classes, Book List & Summer Reading

Core Classes

English 1 (year)
Spanish Language & Culture 2 (year)
Biology (year)
Algebra 1 (year) | Geometry (year) |
Geometry Honors (year)
Caribbean History (fall) and Ancient
Civilizations (spring)

Elective Classes

Physical Education & Health (fall or spring)
Introduction to Art (fall or spring)
Introduction to Theatre (fall or spring)
Steel Pan (fall or spring)
Studio Art I (year)
Beginner Production Ensemble (year)
Honors Symphonic Band (year)
Honors Jazz Band (fall or spring)

Books and Materials by Classes

Textbooks and workbooks are available for purchase through Follett P.E. uniforms and uniform shirts are available for purchase at the school bookstore.

English 1

- 1. Language of Literature Interactive Reader Plus
- 2. Worldly Wise 3000 online learning site for fee

In-Class Readings:

- 1. Of Mice and Men by John Steinbeck
- 2. To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
- 3. Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare
- 4. I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings by Maya Angelou

Students use only new in-class reading books in order to annotate the books as a part of the learning process – no used books. Books have been bundled by grade level for necessary organizational needs and student/teacher convenience. To avoid confusion with potentially erroneous publications and editions, please make your purchase from the school bookstore.

Spanish Language & Culture 2

1. Descubre 1, Lengua y cultura del mundo hispánico

- used in grades 8 & 9

Textbook and workbooks are available separately.

Spanish Reader: Bring both readers to class on day one;

readers must be new editions

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Biology

1. Biology textbook

Algebra 1

1. Algebra: Structure and Method, Book 1 textbook

OR

Geometry

1. Geometry textbook

OR

Geometry Honors (vetted course)

1. Geometry textbook

Caribbean History (semester course) and Ancient World Civilizations (semester course)

1. A Brief History of the Caribbean textbook

2. World History textbook (also used in grade 10)

Introduction to Art

Sketch-book and artworks portfolio (available in the school bookstore)

Studio Art 1

Sketch-book and artworks portfolio

Band

School provides instruments or students may purchase their own; mouthpieces and reeds purchased by students.

Physical Education & Health

Antilles School P.E. shorts and t-shirt & your own sneakers

Required Summer Reading

Read each book before the first day of school and bring these books to school on the first day of English 1 class.

1. Farenheit 451 by Ray Bradbury

2. The Old Man and the Sea by Ernest Hemingway