



Class of 2016

Registration

Registration is Important to You!

It facilitates...

- **Proper placement in courses**
- **Fulfillment of graduation requirements**
- **Appropriate selection of elective courses**

Registration is a THREE Step Process

- 1. Orientation with Park Vista counselor**
- 2. Consultation with teachers and parents for input and signatures**
- 3. Submission of completed course selection sheet to “seal” registration process must be returned to your middle school Guidance Counselor.**

Materials Needed for Registration

- ✓ **Curriculum Guide** *(online at www.pvchs.com)*
- ✓ **Course Selection Sheet**
- ✓ **English Summer Reading**
- ✓ **Freshman Checklist**
- ✓ **Cobra Athletic Information** *(online at www.pvchs.com)*
- ✓ **Dress Code**
- ✓ **Attendance Policy**
- ✓ **Required Registration Information**

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

BELOW ARE THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS NEEDED FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION.

STATE OF FLORIDA UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS AND THE BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP HAVE ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING A MINIMUM OF 18 ACADEMIC CREDITS TO INCLUDE AT LEAST 4 CREDITS IN MATH AT OR ABOVE THE ALG I LEVEL IN ADDITION TO TWO YEARS OF THE SAME FOREIGN LANGUAGE.

I. A total of 24 credits are needed for graduation. These credits must include:

ENGLISH:	4 credits
MATHEMATICS:	4 credits (must include <i>Algebra I</i> , <i>Geometry</i> and <i>Algebra II</i> credits) 2012-2013 GRADE 8 students taking high school algebra will earn high school credit and that credit will count as <u>one</u> of the four mathematics credits that must be earned in grades 9-12.
SCIENCE:	3 credits (must include 1 Biology and 1 Physical Science credit)
SOCIAL STUDIES:	3 credits (must include 1 World History, 1 American History, ½ American Government, ½ Economics credit)
PHYSICAL EDUCATION:	1 credit (½ credit of PERSONAL FITNESS and ½ credit of a P.E. class)
PERFORMING/FINE ART:	1 credit
ELECTIVES:	<u>8 credits</u> 24 credits total

II. A cumulative grade point average of 2.0 is needed in ALL high school credit courses.

III. A passing score is needed on the 10th grade FCAT Reading, Algebra I EOC, Geometry EOC and Biology EOC.

IV. NEW FOR 2012-13 INCOMING 9TH GRADERS

- 2012-2013 incoming 9th graders must pass the Algebra I EOC (end of course exam) to earn credit.
- 2012-2013 incoming 9th graders must pass the Geometry EOC to earn credit
- 2012-2013 incoming 9th graders must pass the Biology EOC to earn credit

V. 20 hours of community service/volunteer hours completed in high school are required before graduation.

VI. 2012-2013 incoming 9th graders must earn course credit in at least one course through online learning

ONLINE COURSE REQUIREMENT

Each student is required to complete at least ½ credit (1 course) using an online learning program.

Suggestions for an online school:

www.flvs.net

www.americanschoolofcorr.com

<http://is.byu.edu/site>

More sources available at:

<http://www.palmbeachschools.org/homeeducation/documents/RegAccrCorrPgmsSY2011.pdf>

9th Grade Course Requirements (7 classes):

- 1. English***
- 2. Math***
- 3. Science***
- 4. PE / Personal Fitness***
- 5. Social Studies***
- 6. Elective***
- 7. Elective/Academy***

2012-2013 GRADE 9 REGISTRATION FORM

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

M.I.

STUDENT NUMBER

HOME PHONE

PARENT'S CELL PHONE

PARENT'S WORK PHONE

- See the curriculum guide on the web at WWW.PVCHS.COM for course descriptions. Click on COURSE GUIDE under the GUIDANCE tab.
- Parents and students should choose classes carefully. ***ELECTIVES will NOT be changed next year.***
- Courses in ***Italics*** are included in calculation of ***BRIGHT FUTURES FMS/FAS GPA.***
- Make sure that you have obtained teacher recommendation if course name is followed by a signature line.
- Mark an "X" for all required core courses that will be included in your schedule.
- Choose 3 electives. Number these 1,2,3 in order of preference.
- Failure to return your course selection sheet by the deadline will result in courses being selected for you by your counselor. **No changes will be permitted.**

All students will be scheduled for levels of English, math and science based upon their FCAT scores and prior performance. **Students with low FCAT scores will be required to have a Progress Monitoring Plan (PMP) and to drop elective courses to take INTENSIVE READING and/or INTENSIVE MATH to support their regular English and/or math class. Thus, the schedule you choose may be changed when FCAT scores are received.**

Parents must be involved in the student's selection of classes. Students will be expected to remain in selected courses for the entire year. Please review this course selection sheet carefully and sign below.

Parent Signature _____

Student Signature _____

THIS IS A REQUIRED COURSE

**THIS COURSE WILL NEED TO BE RECOMMENDED AND SIGNED BY
YOUR CURRENT LANGUAGE ARTS TEACHER.**

LANGUAGE ARTS DEPARTMENT – CHOOSE ONE (1)

___ 1001310 ***ENGLISH I***

SUMMER READING: Red Kayak by Priscilla Cummings

___ 1001320 ***ENGLISH I HONORS***

SPRING FCAT READING LEVEL OF 4 OR 5

SUMMER READING: To Kill A Mockingbird by Harper Lee

THIS A REQUIRED COURSE

**THIS COURSE WILL NEED TO BE RECOMMENDED AND SIGNED BY
YOUR CURRENT MATHEMATICS TEACHER.**

MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT – CHOOSE ONE (1)

SPECIAL NOTE FOR STUDENTS CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN ALG I:

Student earned a D in Algebra 1 Regular....Retake Algebra 1 in 9th grade

Student earned a weak C in Algebra 1 Regular.....2 OPTIONS

Option 1: Retake Algebra 1 Regular to improve high school GPA

Option 2: Take Informal Geometry in 9th grade if Level 1 on EOC

Student earned a strong C in Algebra 1 Regular...2 OPTIONS

Option 1: Take Geometry Regular in 9th grade

Option 2: Retake Algebra 1 Regular in 9th grade

Note: Grade forgiveness for a "C" in Algebra 1 is a special case and may be done only for incoming 9th graders.

___ 1200310 ALGEBRA I _____

___ 1206300 INFORMAL GEOMETRY _____

___ 1206310 GEOMETRY _____

STUDENTS EARNING AN A OR B IN ALGEBRA I

___ 1206320 GEOMETRY HONORS _____

STUDENTS EARNING AN A OR B IN ALGEBRA I HONORS AND/OR LEVEL 4/5 ON FCAT MATH AND

STUDENTS EARNING A D OR F IN GEOMETRY HONORS IN GRADE 8

___ 1200330 ALGEBRA II _____

*STUDENTS EARNING A C OR D IN GEOMETRY HON AND STUDENTS EARNING AN A, B OR C IN GEOMETRY
REGULAR*

___ 1200340 ALGEBRA II HONORS _____

STUDENTS EARNING AN A OR B IN GEOMETRY HONORS AND/OR LEVEL 4/5 ON FCAT MATH AND

STUDENTS EARNING A D OR F IN ALGEBRA II HONORS IN GRADE 8

THIS IS A REQUIRED COURSE

**THIS COURSE WILL NEED TO BE RECOMMENDED AND SIGNED BY
YOUR CURRENT SCIENCE TEACHER.**

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT – CHOOSE ONE (1)

___ 2001310 ***EARTH/SPACE SCIENCE REGULAR***_____

___ 2001320 ***EARTH/SPACE SCIENCE HONORS***_____

**STUDENT MUST HAVE TAKEN ALGEBRA I REGULAR AND 8TH GRADE
SCIENCE HONORS WITH A “B” OR BETTER IN BOTH AND FCAT
READING LEVEL 4 OR 5**

___ 2000320 ***BIOLOGY I HONORS***_____

**STUDENT MUST HAVE TAKEN ALGEBRA I HONORS AND 8TH GRADE
SCIENCE HONORS WITH A “B” OR BETTER IN BOTH OR STUDENTS
WHO HAVE COMPLETED INTEGRATED SCIENCE HONORS OR
EARTH/SPACE SCIENCE HONORS AND FCAT READING LEVEL 4 OR 5**

___ 1700300 ***RESEARCH I (HONORS – TEACHER REC ONLY)***_____

**SCIENCE RESEARCH CLASS – SCIENCE FAIR REQUIREMENT
THIS IS IN ADDITION TO YOUR SCIENCE COURSE**

****Course level may be changed based on results of 2012 FCAT Science score****

THIS IS A REQUIRED COURSE

**THIS COURSE WILL NEED TO BE RECOMMENDED AND SIGNED BY
YOUR CURRENT SOCIAL STUDIES TEACHER.**

SOCIAL STUDIES – CHOOSE ONE (1)

___ 370-2103300 ***WORLD CULTURAL GEOGRAPHY***

___ 21033002 ***WORLD CULTURAL GEOGRAPHY HONORS*** _____
FCAT READING LEVEL OF 4 OR 5

THIS IS A REQUIRED COURSE

PHYSICAL EDUCATION – REQUIRED FOR FRESHMEN

X 1501300/1503350 PERSONAL FITNESS/TEAM SPORTS I
STUDENT WILL HAVE ONE OF THESE CLASSES 1ST SEMESTER AND THE OTHER 2ND SEMESTER.

ELECTIVES

Please choose three (3) electives and NUMBER THEM IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE (for example : #1 for your 1st choice, #2 for your 2nd choice, etc.). Every effort will be made to give students their first choices subject to course availability. Your choices are final and courses selection is for the entire year. If there is a line to the right of a course, your 8th grade teacher/counselor must sign the line to indicate their recommendation. The \$ symbol indicates material cost/donation requested.

WORLD LANGUAGES DEPARTMENT

0708340 SPANISH I

Student must have earned a “B” or better in 8th grade Language Arts and have an FCAT READING Level of 3 or higher.

0708350 SPANISH II

Student must have earned a “C” or better in both semesters of Spanish I

0701320 FRENCH I

Student must have earned a “B” or better in 8th grade Language Arts and have an FCAT READING Level of 3 or higher.

0701330 FRENCH II

Student must have earned a “C” or better in both semesters of French I.

BUSINESS EDUCATION / IT

___ 8207310 INTRODUCTION TO INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(MS WORD, POWER POINT, EXCEL, ACCESS)

This is the prerequisite course for FOUNDATIONS OF WEB DESIGN, DIGITAL DESIGN I, PC SUPPORT, E-COMMERCE, MULTIMEDIA PRESENTATION and NEW MEDIA DIGITAL IMAGING.

LANGUAGE ARTS DEPARTMENT

___ 1006300 JOURNALISM I _____

Needs English teacher's signature. Journalism I is the prerequisite course for the school newspaper.

FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT

___ 0104320 DRAWING/PAINTING I (\$)

___ 0107300 JEWELRY I (\$)

___ 0101330 ART 3/D COMP (\$)

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Students will have the opportunity to apply for academy for 10th grade.

___ 450-8709410 **AUTO SERVICE TECH 1 (\$)**

___ 451-8709010 **AUTO COLLISION REPAIR 1 (\$)**

MEDICAL SKILLS DEPARTMENT

Students will have the opportunity to apply for academy for 10th grade.

___ **442-8417100 HEALTH SCIENCE I HONORS**

3.0 Middle School Grade Point Average Required

TELEVISION PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT

Students will have the opportunity to apply for academy for 10th grade.

___ **8772110 TELEVISION PRODUCTION I**

PERFORMING ARTS DEPARTMENT

MUSIC – CHORUS

___ 1303320 **BEGINNING CHORUS (\$)**

Email Mr. Castle (castle@pvchorus.net) for more information.

MUSIC – INSTRUMENTAL

___ 1302310 **CONCERT BAND (\$)**

At least one year of middle school band is required. Auditions for Symphonic Band, Jazz Ensemble and Wind Ensemble will be held in May or during the summer. Email Mr. Snipes (aaron.snipes@palmbeachschools.org) for more information.

___ 1305300 **EURYTHMICS I (COLOR GUARD-\$)**

Audition is required and will be held in May or during the summer. Email Mr. Snipes (aaron.snipes@palmbeachschools.org) for more information.

MUSIC – GENERAL

___ 1301360 **KEYBOARD I (BEGINNING PIANO)**

Dress Code

School is a student's place of business and appropriate dress is important.
DISRUPTIVE CLOTHING IS FORBIDDEN.

A listing of disruptive types of clothing are listed on your handout "Dress Code".

ABSENCES

*A student who is absent from school has 48 hours to produce a note to excuse an absence. Failure to do so will result in the absence being marked unexcused, and the student will not be permitted to makeup assignments or tests missed.

*Unless prior approval by the Assistant Principal has been granted, only illness, death of immediate family members and medical/dental appointments are considered EXCUSED absences.

*An absence is considered UNEXCUSED when it is due to oversleeping, missing the bus/ride, vacations, car failures, and clock problems.

*For the 11th and subsequent absences, students will only be excused for the following reasons: Illness, documented by doctor's note; Court subpoena; Funeral (verifiable) Religious (verifiable)

NOTE: A "Block" absence is equal to two absences due to the length of the instructional block.

*All make up work is the responsibility of the student. Students will be allowed one day for each day absent to make up their work.

*Parents or guardians of students who need to miss school due to religious holidays should notify the principal in writing within five days prior to an expected absence to request that the student be excused from attendance.

Students shall be permitted to make up work without adverse effects. (DS.095).

TARDINESS

All students are expected to be on time to school and in class ON TIME.

Students who are not in their classroom when the TARDY BELL signals the start of the class period are considered tardy. Tardy students will not be admitted without a pass or a tardy admit to class.

Students who are tardy to 1st hour are sent to the TARDY ROOM for the first period. This will result in an unexcused absence from the missed class.

Students brought in by parents will be given only 3 excused tardies PER semester regardless if the parent writes an excuse for the student being tardy. Traffic on Jog Road is extremely heavy from 7:00 a.m. until 7:40 a.m. Please allocate enough time for your child to get to school on time.

Students who are tardy to class between 2nd and 7th period will be taken to the tardy room and the student will remain there until the end of the period. This will result in an unexcused absence from the missed class. Students who are habitually tardy will be given additional discipline (e.g. Saturday school, ISS, or out of school suspension).

NOTE: Tardies in excess of ½ of the period is considered an absence.

CELL PHONES/ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Cell phones, CD players, DVD players, digital video players, headphones, cell phone headsets, electronic games (PSP), radios, laser pointers, and other items that are not conducive to a safe learning environment are **not allowed** on campus for use during class or between classes, including lunch time. Violation of this policy during the school day will result in confiscation of the device and it will only be released to a parent.

Park Vista Community High School **COBRA ATHLETICS**

In order to ensure your athletic eligibility for the 2012-2013 school year, please adhere to the following:

The **entire** eligibility packet must be completed prior to any participation (including conditioning or try-outs). There will be no exceptions.

The physical must be dated AFTER May 15, 2012. Physicals for cheerleaders must be dated during the 2011-2012 school year because try-outs will be in April.

The residency and medical consent forms **must be notarized.**

All student athletes are required to fill out the insurance fee paperwork and pay a nonrefundable fee of \$10.00. If the athlete is selected to participate on one of Park Vista's athletic teams, they will be required to pay an additional \$65.00. This insurance fee is mandated by the School District of Palm Beach County.

The eligibility packet and the insurance fee are good for the entire school year.

Incoming freshmen are academically eligible to participate in athletics during the fall season, but must earn a 2.0 during their 1st semester to remain eligible. Incoming sophomores, juniors, and seniors must have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0.

You may obtain an eligibility packet on the Park Vista website and turn it into the coach of your selected sport or the athletic department.

If you have any questions, please contact Pam Romero, Athletic Director, at 491-8482..

Park Vista High School

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FALL

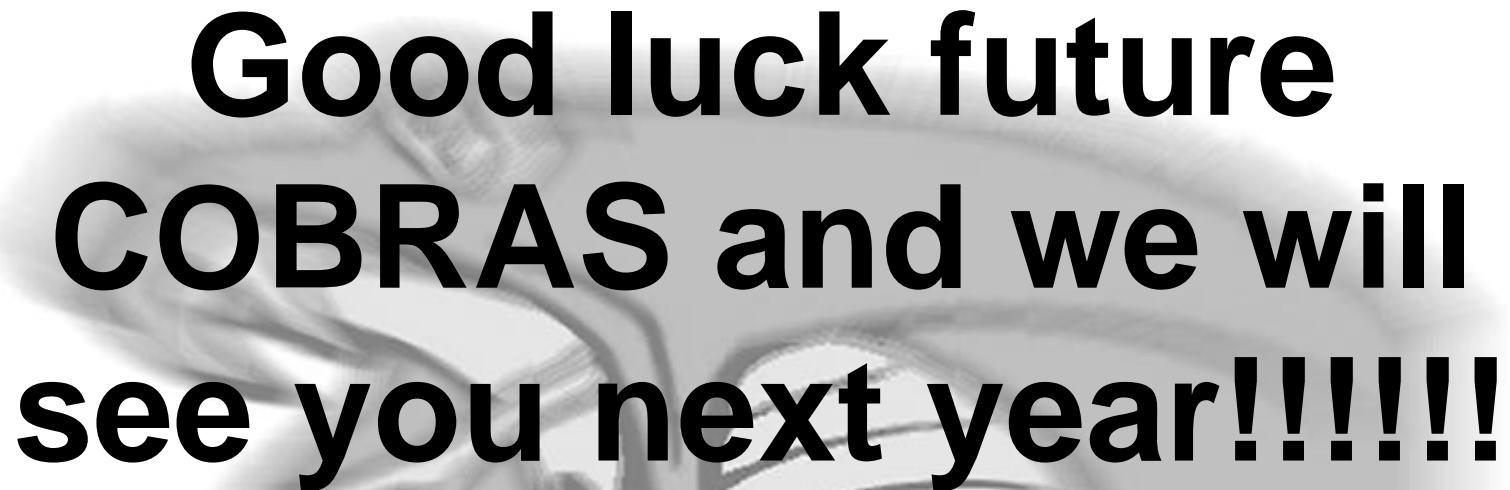
BOYS	CO-ED	GIRLS
CROSS COUNTRY – JENNIFER WHITE	BOWLING – LINDA KUNF	CROSS COUNTRY – SARAH HAMILTON
FOOTBALL – BRIAN DODDS	SWIMMING – EMILY PAINTER	GOLF – VICKI POLITIS
GOLF – IRA HUBSCHMAN		VOLLEYBALL – ERICA GREEN

WINTER

BOYS	GIRLS
BASKETBALL – CARLTON SMITH	BASKETBALL – ERIN POKABLA
SOCCER – TONY SHELLARD	SOCCER – JAMES CAPPELLO
WRESTLING – DAVE WINKLER	WEIGHTLIFTING – ERIC LUCHINA

SPRING

BOYS	CLUB - BOYS	GIRLS
BASEBALL – LARRY GREENSTEIN	LACROSSE – TRAVIS KLABON	FLAG FOOTBALL – CARLTON SMITH
TRACK & FIELD – JEFF FOSSEN		SOFTBALL – CHUCK LAYMAN
VOLLEYBALL – IRA HUBSCHMAN		TRACK & FIELD – SARAH HAMILTON
TENNIS – LUKE DULIN		TENNIS – HAROLD WILLIAMS
WEIGHTLIFTING – THADD POKABLA		LACROSSE – LARRY BRANNON



**Good luck future
COBRAS and we will
see you next year!!!!!!**