



4.59—ACADEMIC COURSE ATTENDANCE BY PRIVATE SCHOOL AND HOME SCHOOL STUDENTS

The District allows private school and home school students whose parents, legal guardians, or other responsible adult with whom the student resides are residents of the District to attend academic courses offered in grades 7-12. The District will place a list of courses that a private school or home school student may request to attend on its website by:

1. June 1 for courses to be offered during the Fall semester; and
2. November 1 for courses to be offered during the Spring semester.

A private school or home school student who desires to attend one or more of the available academic courses shall submit a written request to attend the academic course(s) to the superintendent, or designee, no later than:

- a. August 1 for Fall semester courses; or
- b. December 1 for Spring semester courses.

The District may reject a private school or home school student's request for attendance if the District's acceptance would:

- Require the addition of staff or classrooms;
- Exceed the capacity of a program, class, grade level, or school building;
- Cause the District to provide educational services the District does not currently provide; or
- Cause the District to be out of compliance with applicable laws and regulations regarding desegregation.

Requests to attend an academic course will be granted in the order the requests are received. Upon the receipt of a private or home school student's request to attend academic course(s), the District will date and time stamp the request for attendance. If a private school or home school student is denied attendance based on a lack of capacity and an opening in the requested course occurs prior to the start of the course, the District will use the date and time stamp on the request for attendance to determine the private school or home school student who will be notified of an opening in the requested course.

As part of the request to attend academic courses in the District, a private school or home school student shall:

- Indicate the course(s) the private school or home school student is interested in attending;
- If the course(s) the private school or home school student is interested in attending is being offered by the District in both a physical and a digital format, whether the private school or home school student intends to attend the physical course or the digital course;
- Agree to follow the District's discipline policies; and
- Submit immunization documentation required by Policy 4.57—IMMUNIZATIONS. In addition to the documentation methods provided in Policy 4.57, a home school student may submit a letter to the superintendent, or designee, stating an objection to immunizations and listing the immunizations the student has received, if any.
- LCSD reserves the right to request the student pay for any required text/work book that maybe required for any classes taken.

A private school or home school student who fails to attend an academic course by the eleventh (11) day of class shall be dropped from the course.

The responsibility for transportation of any private school or home school student attending academic courses in the District shall be borne by the student or the student's parents.

Legal References: A.C.A. § 6-15-509
 A.C.A. § 6-18-232
 A.C.A. § 6-18-702
 A.C.A. § 6-47-401 et seq.
 ADE Rules Governing Distance and Digital Learning
 ADE Rules Governing Kindergarten Through 12th Grade Immunization
 Requirements in Arkansas Public Schools

Courses Available at Lafayette County High School for Private and Home School Students:

9th Grade:

English 9
Algebra 1
Civics/Economics
Physical Science

10th Grade:

English 10
Geometry
World History
Biology

11th Grade:

English 11
Bridge to Algebra 2
Algebra 2
Physics
Chemistry
Environmental Science
American History

12th Grade:

English 12
Transitional English 12
Quantitative Literacy

Requirements

Computer Business Applications
Oral Communications ½ Unit
Fine Art Credit ½ Unit
Physical Education ½ Unit
Health ½ Unit

Career Focus

Social Media and Communications
Management
Business Procedures
Business Law 1.2
Survey of Agriculture
Agri Metals
Agri Mechanics
Plant Science
Animal Science
Family and Consumer Science
Clothing 1,2
Food and Nutrition/Wellness and Nutrition
Child Development/Parenting
Financial Literacy/Food Safety

Electives

Band
Athletics
Vocal Music 1,2
Music Appreciation ½ Unit
Art 1
Art 2
Art History 1,2
Journalism
ELA Drama/Creative Writing
ACT Prep ½ Unit
Psychology/Sociology
US Government/African American History
Spanish 1, 2
French 1, 2
Introduction to Photography
Introduction to Medical Professions
Anatomy and Physiology
Career Readiness 101 ½ Unit
Coding Level 2

AP Classes

AP Biology
AP Biology
AP Chemistry
AP Calculus
AP Statistics
AP English Language
AP Computer Science Principles
AP World History
AP Music Theory
AP American History

Concurrent Credit

Composition 1,2
College Algebra
Music Appreciation