CHINESE AMERICAN PARENTS ASSOCIATION



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2022~2023

PART 1: Q&A

1. My daughter is in marching band. She's also interested in joining Girls Tennis Team. But both are in the fall semester. Is it possible to work out a schedule for that?

A: Yes. Music will work around sports.

- 2. When will incoming 9th graders submit their application to PAA program?
 - 5/1 Early Action audition deadline. Helps with transfer.
 - 6/1 is another audition deadline.
- 3. Where do they go to find a list of sports teams and music programs (besides marching band and orchestra)?
 - A: You can find the list on school's website https://dbhs.wvusd.k12.ca.us/
- 4. How do students and parents find out auditions time and what auditions are about? On School website? Or students ask the teachers?
 - A: Follow dbhs.org and Instagram for tryout dates and school announcements.
- 5. My daughter is a 9th grader, and she is in Brahma Tech. She is interested in PAA now. Is it possible to do both pathways? Do you have to join at the beginning of 9th grade, or can you still join in 10th grade?
 - A: It is possible to join PAA as a sophomore. There are students in PAA with IB or PAA with Brahma Tech. If in PAA, 9th graders must take 0 period PAA. Sophomores may skip 0 period PAA
- 6. My daughter is interested in Marquis Choir, how can she prepare and get in the program?
 A: Sing at high level and be able to dance. Some students get private lessons and dance training.
 It's the most competitive of choirs. Reach out to choir director to get some individual help to prepare for audition.
- 7. May I know what the training schedule for Cross Country is? Is training on the weekend needed? Do students need to take Athletic classes to join Cross Country and Track
 A: practice 3 days a week before school. Competitions and invitationals are on some Saturdays.
 They will need to enroll into 6th period.
- 8. Baseball. What are tryout dates?
 - A: November. Spring sports try out before winter break so we can adjust student schedules.

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PART 2: School Sport Teams

Summer Camps

- May 13, 2023. Athletic Clearance Day at DBHS
- May 13, 2023. Sign up for Sports Summer Camps
- Summer Camp for Fall Sports (Starts 6/16/2023): Volleyball, tennis, swimming, golf, basketball, Cross Country, pep/stunt, football, water polo. You can pay for Sports Summer Camp using GoFan.
- Summer Camp schedule will be after summer school hours.

> Tryout

- Fall Sports Try Out: Volleyball 8/8-8/11
- Football tryout in the early summer
- Polo, golf, cross country, tennis. First week of August.

Others

- College Sports: Get good grades. GPA is more important. 3.0 ideal, 3.5 is highly suggested. GLC is a great resource.
- Marching Band has PE credits
- Colorguard is a PE class
- Girls Golf and Cross Country: Because they are in the same season, it can be difficult, but possible to play both. Cross country practices are in the morning but will need to work around the afternoon meets.

Part 3: Performing Arts

> Audition

Choir: 4/25-4/26/2023

❖ Dance:

✓ Beginning Dance: no audition

✓ Intermediate and Advanced Dance

If you would like to be considered for Intermediate/Advanced Dance and you

a. Don't plan to audition for DBHS Dance Company and/or

b. Have not previously been in a DBHS Dance Department class (i.e. beginning, intermediate, advanced dance),

you will send a 1 minute solo in the style of your choice to JillRiley@wvusd.org by May

1st. Results will be posted on this website no later than Monday May 8th.

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✓ DBHS Dance Company (Team)

Audition Workshops: April 18th and 19th 3:45-5:45

Audition: April 20th 4pm-7pm

Audition package -->Click the link

Drama

√ Intermediate Drama

1 minute monologue, optional memorized song 30s-1 min length

√ Advanced Drama

11th and 12th only

Auditioned 1 minute monologue, memorized song I min length

- ✓ Audition applications due May 5th at 7 PM
- ✓ Audition videos due May 8th 3:30 PM
- Performing Art Academy (PAA)
 - ✓ Early Action Application & Audition Submission Deadline: May 1, 2023
 Regular Application & Audition Submission Deadline: June 1, 2023
 - ✓ For application and audition information, please click <u>here</u>
 - ✓ Start your application from <u>here</u>

Others

- For PAA, we don't always encourage kids to become music majors. Only encourage kids to do so if they can't live without it. A lot of PAA students go to high end schools that are looking for musicians, but not be music major.
- Drum line is 6th period class + 1 extra hour twice a week.