## MUSIC STRAND - Instrumental/Choral/Composition ACADEMIC COURSE REQUIREMENTS

STATE REQUIRED COURSES (Core 40 Diploma):
Language Arts (English) - 8 semesters
Mathematics - 6 semesters, including Algebra I; Geometry; and, Algebra II
Science - 6 semesters, including Biology I; Chemistry I or Physics or Integrated Chemistry/Physic
Social Studies - 6 semesters, including World History ; U.S. History; Government; Economics

Physical Education-2 semesters
Health - 1 semester

REQUIRED MAGNET COURSES:<br>Musical Ensemble - 8 semesters<br>Piano Keyboarding - 2 semesters (or private lessons)<br>Music Theory/Composition-2 semesters<br>Fine Arts Connection - 1 semester<br>Fine Arts Electives - 2 semesters

ADDITIONAL REQ. FOR ACADEMIC HONORS DIPLOMA:
World Language - 6 semesters
Mathematics - 2 semesters

## SAMPLE FOUR-YEAR PLAN

| Grade 9 | Grade 10 | Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
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| Core 40 Courses | Core 40 Courses | Core 40 Courses | Core 40 Courses |
| English 9V *(Honors or Advanced) <br> Algebra ${ }^{*}$ <br> World Geography or World History <br> Biology $1^{*}$ <br> Choir, Band, or Orchestra <br> Health (1 semester) <br> Fine Arts Connection (1 semester) | English 10V *(Honors or Advance) <br> Geometry 1* <br> Physical Education (2 semesters) <br> Science Elective* <br> Choir, Band, or Orchestra <br> Piano Keyboarding (2 semesters) | English 11V *(Honors or Adv.) <br> Algebra II * <br> US History <br> Chemistry I* <br> Choir, Band, or Orchestra <br> Music Theory (2 semesters) | English 12V *(Honors or Advance) <br> Government (1 semester) <br> Economics (1 semester) <br> Choir, Band, or Orchestra <br> Fine Arts Elective (2 semesters) <br> Other Electives (4 semesters) |
| Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma** | Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma** | Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma** | Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma** |
| World Language (2 semesters) | World Language (2 semesters) | World Language (2 semesters) | Pre-Calculus* (2 semesters) |
| Highly Recommended Fine Arts Electives |  | Other Recommended Fine Arts Electives |  |
| Jazz Band <br> Vocal Jazz <br> Musical Theater <br> Summerfly Theater Production |  | Dance Perf: Intro./Modern I Speech/Advanced Speech <br> Dance Perf. II: Modern II/Ballet I Dramatic Literature <br> Dance Perf. IIIA: Modern III/Ballet II Intro. to 2-D \& 3-D Art <br> Dance Perf. IIIB: Jazz/Ethnic-Folk Dance Theater Arts I |  |
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* It is strongly recommended that students take honors level courses whenever possible.
** This diploma has additional credit and course requirements (See SBCSC Course Description Book)

