



# P.K. Pathways and Athletics



# Introductions

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# P.K. YONGE STUDENT SUCCESS



# What are family expectations for post-secondary for their PKY student?

**190 - University Admission**

**119 - State College Admission**

52 - Career and Technical

37 - Career Ready

16 - Military

23 - Other

Students who participate in HS athletics have better educational outcomes, including higher grades, higher achievement test scores, and higher educational expectations beyond high school.

# NCAA & HS Academic Rigor

## Division I

- Earn 16 NCAA-approved core courses
- Minimum core course GPA 2.3
- Earn corresponding test score that matches core course GPA

| Core GPA | SAT* | ACT Sum* |
|----------|------|----------|
| 3.550    | 400  | 37       |
| 3.525    | 410  | 38       |
| 3.500    | 430  | 39       |
| 3.475    | 440  | 40       |
| 3.450    | 460  | 41       |
| 3.425    | 470  | 41       |
| 3.400    | 490  | 42       |
| 3.375    | 500  | 42       |
| 3.350    | 520  | 43       |
| 3.325    | 530  | 44       |
| 3.300    | 550  | 44       |
| 3.275    | 560  | 45       |
| 3.250    | 580  | 46       |
| 3.225    | 590  | 46       |
| 3.200    | 600  | 47       |
| 3.175    | 620  | 47       |
| 3.150    | 630  | 48       |
| 3.125    | 650  | 49       |
| 3.100    | 660  | 49       |
| 3.075    | 680  | 50       |
| 3.050    | 690  | 50       |
| 3.025    | 710  | 51       |
| 3.000    | 720  | 52       |

# NCAA & HS Academic Rigor

## Division II

- Earn 16 NCAA-approved core courses
- Minimum core course GPA 2.2
- Earn corresponding test score that matches core course GPA

| Core GPA      | SAT* | ACT Sum* |
|---------------|------|----------|
| 3.300 & above | 400  | 37       |
| 3.275         | 410  | 38       |
| 3.250         | 430  | 39       |
| 3.225         | 440  | 40       |
| 3.200         | 460  | 41       |
| 3.175         | 470  | 41       |
| 3.150         | 490  | 42       |
| 3.125         | 500  | 42       |
| 3.100         | 520  | 43       |
| 3.075         | 530  | 44       |
| 3.050         | 550  | 44       |
| 3.025         | 560  | 45       |
| 3.000         | 580  | 46       |





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# Why P.K. Pathways?







Our School. Your Future.



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# P.K. High School Pathways

P.K. Pathways  
provide structure for  
how a student spends their  
*elective*  
time in high school.



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# PATHWAYS

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## **CAPSTONE**

Prepping students for college success  
through academically rigorous coursework

PKY

## **BAND/PERFORMING ARTS**

Engaging students through creative  
coursework in Band, Musical Theater, or  
Theater

23

## **CTE: ENGINEERING**

Developing students for a career in  
engineering

24

## **CTE: ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

Certifying students for a career in  
Entrepreneurship

## **CTE: COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH AI**

Preparing students for a career in  
Computer science and Artificial  
intelligence

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## **HEALTH & HUMAN PERFORMANCE**

Developing students through health and  
human performance coursework

WAVE

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# P.K. Pathways Transitions 10th-12th Grade in 2023-24

- **Students entering 12th grade in 2023-24 will**
  - a. take AP English Literature as their ELA requirement
  - b. experience College & Career Readiness seminar
- **Students entering 11th grade in 2023-24 will**
  - a. take AP English Language and Composition as their ELA requirement
  - b. experience SAT/ACT Test Prep seminar
- **Students entering 10th grade in 2023-24 will**
  - a. experience pre-AP coursework
- **Students entering 10th-12th grade in 2023-24 may**
  - a. elect AP Pre-Calculus as a replacement to Pre-Calculus honors (in consideration)



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# P.K. Pathways Transitions 8th-9th Grade in 2023-24

- **Students entering 9th grade in 2023-24 will**
  - a. have new Pathway electives available to them
  - b. experience pre-AP coursework
  - c. experience Spanish 1 and 2 in their high school program
- **Students entering 8th grade in 2023-24 will**
  - a. experience pre-AP coursework
  - b. experience Spanish 1 and 2 in their high school program



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# How Do I Get More Info?

**January 10, Noon** - Webinar: Pathways Part 2

**January 11** - Student Webinar during Advisory

**January 18, Noon** - Webinar: Course Guide and Scheduling

**January 19, 5:30-6:30 pm** - 9th & 10th Grade Academic Seminar

**January 23** - Recorded Webinars available about each Pathway Webinar

**January 24, 5:30-7:00 pm** - Secondary Meet & Greet

**January 26, 8:30-9:30 am** - In-Person: Coffee & Conversations

**January 26, 1:30-2:30 pm** - In-Person: Afternoon Tea

**January 26, 5:30-6:30 pm** - In-Person: Evening Dessert

**February 2, 5:30-6:30 pm** - Junior Journey Seminar

**February** - Counselors will start meeting with students



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# What We Heard Tonight

