

OVERVIEW OF THE THOMAS MACLAREN SCHOOL CURRICULUM

The table below lays out the Thomas MacLaren curriculum for grades six through twelve. “Hours” denotes how many times weekly a course meets. There is one exception: “2.5 hours” indicates that a course will meet 5 times weekly but for only one semester.

6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th
Literature and Composition 5 hours	Literature and Composition 5 hours	Literature and Composition 5 hours	Humane Letters American Studies 10 hours	Humane Letters Modern European Studies 10 hours	Humane Letters Ancient Greek Studies 10 hours	Humane Letters Medieval to Modern Studies 10 hours
6th Math 5 hours	Prealgebra 5 hours	Algebra 5 hours	Geometry/ Precalculus 5 hours	Precalculus 5 hours	Calculus 5 hours	Calculus/ Group Theory 5 hours
Life Science 3 hours	Earth Science 3 hours	Physical Science 3 hours	Biology 5 hours	Chemistry 5 hours	Physics I 5 hours	Physics II 5 hours
Public Performance 2 hours	Studio Art 2 hours	Studio Art 2 hours			Studio Art/ Art History 2.5 hours Drama 2.5 hours	Studio Art/ Art History 2.5 hours Drama 2.5 hours
Latin I 5 hours	Latin II 5 hours	Latin III 5 hours	Latin IV 5 hours	Modern Language I* 5 hours	Modern Language II* 2.5 hours	Modern Language III* 2.5 hours
Ancient history 5 hours	Medieval history 5 hours	Geography 5 hours			Junior Colloquium 2.5	Senior Colloquium 2.5 hours
Music I 5 hours	Music II 5 hours	Music III 5 hours	Music IV 5 hours	Music V 5 hours		

*Students may opt for a Classic Track in which they would continue one more year of Latin and two of ancient Greek.

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