GUSD PARENT ACADEMY, MARCH 30, 2021



WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

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To provide information and answer questions on

- High School Science Courses
- High School Science Graduation Requirements
- High School Science Pathways

BACKGROUND

May 2019 – approval of the Earth & Space Science embedded 3-course model for high school beginning with the 2020-2021 school year

2019-2020 – Develop and finalize pathways

NEW HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE COURSES

- Combine all high school standards into 3 courses.
- Integrate Earth & Space Science into traditional domains
 - Living Earth
 - Chemistry in the Earth System
 - Physics of the Universe



ELECTIVE SCIENCE OPTIONS

- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Environmental Science (CVHS, Clark)
- AP Physics I, II, C
- Earth & Space Science (CVHS, GHS, HHS)
- Environmental GIS (Clark)
- Forensic Science (HHS)
- Geology of Disasters (Clark)

- Marine Biology (GHS)
- Physiology (CVHS, GHS, HHS)
- Honors Physiology (CVHS, GHS, HHS)
- Kinesiology Rehab (CVHS)
- Courses in CVHS Science CTE Pathway: BioTech, Sports Medicine, Advanced Sports Medicine, Healthcare Internship, and Science Research

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 3 years of core science
 - Living Earth
 - Chemistry in the Earth System
 - Physics of the Universe



Typical Pathway for Crescenta Valley, Daily, Glendale, and Hoover High Schools

9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade	
Living Earth	Chemistry in the Earth System	Physics of the Universe	Elective Science	
		AP Physics I		

Typical Pathway for Clark Magnet High School

9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
Physics of the Universe	Chemistry in the Earth System	Living Earth	Elective Science

Pathway with Summer Acceleration (CVHS, DHS, GHS, HHS)

	Summer Pre-9 th Grade	9 th Grade	Summer Pre-10 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
Option 1	Living Earth	Chemistry in the Earth System		Physics of the Universe AP Physics I	Elective Science	Elective Science
Option 2		Living Earth	Chemistry in the Earth System	Physics of the Universe AP Physics I	Elective Science	Elective Science

Pathway with Summer Acceleration - CMHS

	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	Summer Pre- 11 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
Option	Physics of the Universe	Living Earth	Chemistry in the Earth System	Elective Science	Elective Science

QUESTIONS

