



Music & Performing Arts Pathway

Ponaganset High School offers a full array of academic and Advanced Placement courses with a deep commitment to developing the whole child. The school sits on 100+ acres and features cutting-edge facilities and equipment. We provide a collaborative, relevant and personalized education supported by 1:1 technology that purposefully prepares students for college and careers. Ponaganset is accredited by NEASC, a member of the League of Innovative Schools, and an XQ Super School.



PATHWAY COURSES:

Music Education/Performance

- Concert Band or Honors Instrumental Ensemble I-IV or
- Concert Chorus or Honors Vocal Ensemble I-IV
- EEP Music History
- AP/EEP Music Theory

Music Technology

- Concert Band or Honors Instrumental Ensemble I-IV or
- Concert Chorus or Honors Vocal Ensemble I-IV
- EEP Music Technology I and II
- Music Technology III

Other Related Courses

- Music Theory I-IV
- Piano
- Guitar

Through longstanding articulations with Rhode Island College's highly respected Music, Theatre and Arts Department, a student could graduate with a total of seven to eight college credits, depending upon the pathway chosen.

Seeking Highly Motivated Students who Want to Pursue Their Interests and Passions

Are you interested in a high-quality academic education combined with a meaningful career pathway that provides each student a laptop to enhance learning? Do you want the opportunity to earn college credit and/or industry certifications?

The Music & Performing Arts Academy features two pathways for students to choose from:

The Music Education/Performance Pathway is designed for students interested in a career in music performance or music education. Each of these pathways allows students to focus on either a vocal or an instrumental track. Students will also take courses including Music History and Music Theory.

The Music Technology Pathway is tailored for students who aspire to enter industries like radio, movie and television production, as well as video game audio. Students will take three sequential Music Technology courses and may also take Piano and/or Guitar.

Students in each pathway have the opportunity to perfect their craft at musical performances, while simultaneously preparing them for careers in the music and performing arts industry. All students will participate in Concert Band / Instrumental Ensemble or the Chorus / Vocal Ensemble.

PLEASE NOTE: Our pathway courses, credits, certifications, etc. are continuously improving and changing. For complete up-to-date information, please visit www.fg.k12.ri.us/pathways.

Out-of-district students can apply to attend Ponaganset by visiting our website at www.fg.k12.ri.us/apply. You may also email admissions@fgschools.com.

Tuition is provided by sending districts for accepted students. Transportation is also provided to students from Coventry, East Greenwich, Scituate, Warwick and West Warwick. Limited transportation is provided to other towns via centralized bus stops.

Cutting-Edge Equipment:

- Music Tech Lab with full Pro Tools rigs, the industry standard software platform in the recording, film and video game industries.
- New instruments including full concert percussion, tubas, bassoons, contra-bass clarinet, etc.

Major Projects/Activities:

- Performances at state and national/international music festivals.
- Digital audio recording, editing and production, sequencing, looping, composing and sound design/effects for radio, television, film, computer games, multimedia presentations and web sites.



Start here. Go big!®

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