Summer School 2020
Powhatan High School Students Grades 9-12
June / July 2020

Location: ONLINE ONLY; Students will be issued PCPS chromebooks as needed.
Session Dates: Vary based on course requirements
Offerings:
- Credit Advancement - For students who would like to get ahead in an area or open up space in their 20-21 schedule for additional courses
  - APEX Learning
  - Virtual Virginia
- Credit Recovery - For students who failed a course during the regular school year
  - Virtual Virginia
- PHS Economics and Personal Finance
- PHS Online Health and PE - Grades 9 and 10

Credit Recovery or Credit Advancement
Option #1 - APEX Learning

Credit Advancement
These classes are for highly motivated students who are able to self-pace during the summer. All semester exams must be taken with a parent or other adult home. Students may enroll in only one online course during the summer session. Students should plan to devote at least 4 hours per day to working on an online class. A reliable internet connection with the capability to stream video is mandatory. Students and parents must attend orientation and sign an online agreement.

Student & Parent Online Orientations Sessions via Zoom
Thursday, June 4, Wednesday, June 10, Tuesday, June 16
ALL sessions will be held at 6pm.

The instructor will provide a Zoom link to registered students

Registration: May 27 - June 19 via PHS Online Registration Form
Course Session: Start Date Window - June 8 - June 19; End Date for All Courses - July 24
Cost: $600 for Powhatan residents only, payable to PHS. **No Refunds**
Option #2 - Virtual Virginia

Credit Recovery
Online content from Virtual Virginia coordinated by PHS Staff
Registration: May 26 through June 17 via PHS online registration form
Course Session: June 8 - July 24
Cost: $75 per quarter or $300 total payable to PHS. **No Refunds**

Credit Advancement
There are over 50 courses being offered this summer, including core academic courses, foreign languages, electives and Health/PE. Spaces are limited and classes do fill up. Classes are taught by Virtual Virginia teachers with additional support available as needed from the Powhatan online summer school teacher.
Online content from Virtual Virginia coordinated by PHS Staff
Registration: Through June 17 via PHS online registration form and https://www.virtualvirginia.org/programs/summer/
Course Session: June 17 - July 28
Courses Available: 52 courses available at https://www.virtualvirginia.org/programs/summer/

Differences between APEX Learning & Virtual Virginia Credit Advancement Opportunities

PHS Online Economics & Personal Finance

In this course required for graduation, students will learn how to make informed decisions related to career exploration, budgeting, banking, credit, insurance, taxes, saving & spending, investing, managing debt, retirement, inheritance, and living independently.
Student and parent orientation will be posted in Schoology once a student registers.
Registration: May 26-June 8
Course Session: June 8 - July 24
Cost: $300.00. **No Refunds**
Economics and Personal Finance culminates with a financial literacy test (W!SE Test) that serves as a CTE certification toward graduation. This test must be taken at PHS. The test is an integral part of the class. During each testing window, the test may be taken up to three times in order to pass.
W!SE Test dates: July 24, 29 & 30
Online Health/PE for Grade 9 and 10

Students are required to successfully complete the course content and plan/implement a personal wellness/activity plan. Seventy hours of physical activity plus the equivalent of 70 hours of online health instruction are necessary. The final grade will be based on written assessments and the quantity/quality of physical activity. With the exception of fitness testing and health assessments, all activities will be completed off campus. The course must be started no later than June 14 to ensure that students have enough time to complete the course requirements by July 31. The midterm will be open at 6:00 on July 7 and closed at 8:00 that day. The final will be opened at 6:00 on July 31, and closed at 8:00 that day. Students and their parents will be required to attend an orientation and sign a usage agreement.

Mandatory Orientation Date: June 8, 6:00 p.m. via zoom.
A second meeting on June 10 at 6:00 via zoom will be offered for technical connectivity for those who need extra assistance.

Registration: May 26 through June 12 via PHS online registration form
Course Session: June 14 - July 31
Cost: $200 plus the cost of a fitness band. Students are required to have bands that are enabled for heart-monitoring and the band prices begin at approximately $100. Fitness bands for this course may either be a Polar band or a Garmin band. Any Polar model with a heart rate sensor will work or the Garmin Vivo line with a heart rate sensor. Please assess your choice of activity and purchase a band that works for your activities and price point.

Driver Education Classroom

This will be a combination of online and face to face zoom time. Students will need to have access to reliable internet and a computer. Students will need to log the time they work on their own as well as the zoom meetings. This time must be a minimum of 36 hours.

Registration: May 26-June 19 via PHS Online Registration Form
Course Session: June 29-July 31. The course will begin June 29 at 8:00 a.m. with a zoom meeting and finish on July 31.
Cost: Cost of this course is $150. This does not include behind the wheel.
Summer Session Expectations

Attendance – Due to the accelerated pace of the summer session, students must participate daily in activities. Teachers may provide deadlines for specific tasks or assessments. No refunds will be given.

Conduct – Disruptive behavior in virtual activities will not be tolerated. Students are expected to abide by the Powhatan County Public Schools (PCPS) Guide for Student Rights and Responsibilities. Failure to comply could lead to dismissal. No refunds will be issued due to dismissal for disciplinary reasons.

Registration Information

PHS Online Registration Form
The deadline for registration varies by course.

You will be notified to confirm registration and course enrollment. For additional information regarding registration for the summer session contact Jan Bradshaw at 804-598-5710. For questions regarding financial assistance, please contact Mike Barak at 804-598-5710.

To register and pay:
Registration must be completed online.
Mail payment to Powhatan High School's main office % Carol Lucas. Or, pay online using My School Bucks (4% usage fee will be charged).

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