

# COLLEGE COUNSELING

Our College Counseling Office will be staffed with college counselors to work to ensure students matriculate to a college or university suited to their personalities and passions. A personalized higher education plan will be created for every Landow Jewish Academy Student beginning Fall of their Freshman Year. Counselors will meet with students to track students progress throughout their educational career.

## TIMELINE

### FRESHMEN & SOPHOMORES

- Beginning in the ninth grade, a series of class meetings for students and evening programs for parents is offered to inform families about the college search and application processes.
- Freshmen students and parents attend “The Road Ahead” program during the spring semester where college planning resources are introduced laying the foundation for a successful college admissions journey.
- The College Counseling Office is open to underclassmen on an as-needed basis. Common questions concern standardized testing, summer programs and course scheduling. Through partnerships with advisory, college counselors are available to all underclassmen to answer any and all questions during the first two years of high school.

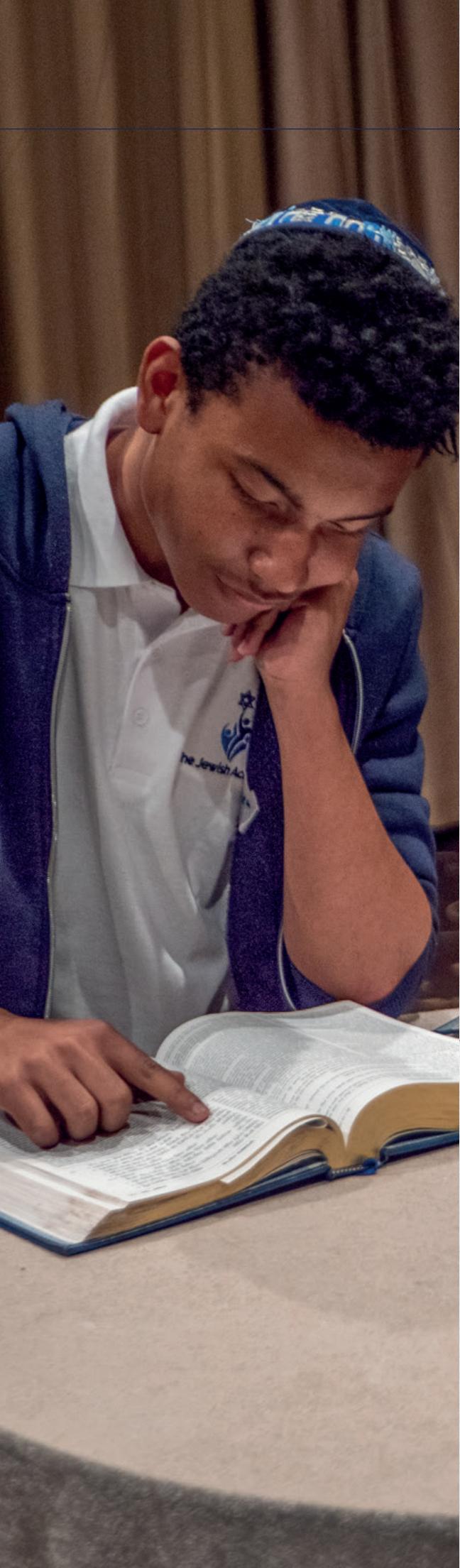
### JUNIORS

- Individual college counseling assignments occur during the fall semester of junior year. The kickoff event, our College Admissions Forum, will provide juniors and their parents in-depth insights into the admission process. The process will include frequent meetings between counselors, students and parents, along with continued class meetings, workshops and evening programs.
- Juniors will attend the College Fair, where representatives from colleges will speak to students about their application requirements.

### SENIORS

- The College Counseling Office will hold a series of senior workshops aiding students in all aspects of the college application process including composing effective personal statements and supplemental essays, completing the Common Application and applying for financial aid and scholarships.

# GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS



## ENGLISH

**4 Credits**  
English courses

## MATHEMATICS

**1 Credit**  
Algebra  
(EOC=30% of final grade)}

**1 Credit**  
Geometry  
(EOC=30% of final grade)

**2 Credits**  
Additional Math

## ELECTIVES

**3 Credits**

## SCIENCE

**1 Credit**  
Biology  
(EOC=30% of final grade)  
**2 Credits**  
Additional Science

## SOCIAL STUDIES

**1 Credit**  
Geography  
**2 Credits**  
World History  
**1 Credit**  
United States History  
(EOC =30% of final grade)  
**.5 Credit**  
United States Government  
**.5 Credit**  
Economics

## TOTAL CREDITS TO GRADUATE

**24 Credits**

## Grade Point Average (GPA) Requirements

Cumulative GPA of 2.0 on  
a 4.0 scale (unweighted)

# 2025 Skills/Jobs Outlook

*According to the World Economic Forum*

## GROWING NEED

- ★ Analytical thinking and innovation
- ★ Active learning and learning strategies
- ★ Creativity, originality and initiative
- ★ Technology design and programming
- ★ Critical thinking and analysis
- ★ Complex problem-solving
- ★ Leadership and social influence
- ★ Emotional intelligence
- ★ Reasoning, problem-solving and ideation
- ★ Systems analysis and evaluation

## DECLINING NEED

- ★ Manual dexterity, endurance and precision
- ★ Memory, verbal, auditory and spatial abilities
- ★ Management of financial, material resources
- ★ Technology installation and maintenance
- ★ Reading, writing, math and active listening
- ★ Management of personnel
- ★ Quality control and safety awareness
- ★ Coordination and time management
- ★ Visual, auditory, and speech abilities
- ★ Technology use, monitoring and control



# ★ HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OFFERINGS

## ENGLISH

English 7	English 10
English 8	English 11
English 9	English 12

## DUAL ENROLLMENT

### English (3)

ENC 1101 College Writing & Rhetoric I\*  
 ADV 3008 Principles of Advertisement\*  
 SPC 2608 College Public Speaking\*

### Math (2)

MAC 1105 College Algebra\*  
 MAC 1147 College Pre-Calculus & Trigonometry \*

### Science (3)

COP 1000 College Intro to Computer Programming\*  
 EGN 2271 College Intro to Circuits & Hardware for Electrical Engineering\*  
 PSY 2012 College Intro to Psychology\*

### Social Studies (3)

GEB 2011 College Intro to Business\*  
 ENT 1000 College Intro to Entrepreneurship\*  
 ECO 1000 College Intro to Economics\*  
 \*Must meet college requirements to enroll

## SCIENCE

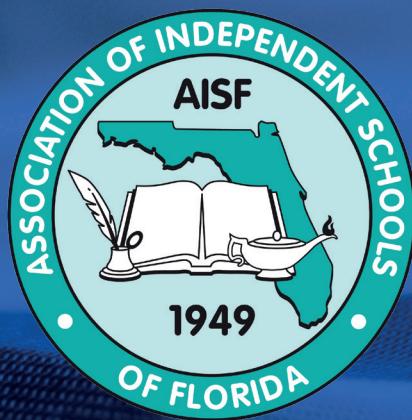
Biology  
 Chemistry  
 Anatomy and Physiology

## SOCIAL STUDIES

Geography  
 World History  
 U.S. History  
 U.S. Government  
 Economics

## ELECTIVES

Physical Education, Yoga, Health & Fitness, Speech & Debate, Art Design, Journalism/ Creative Writing, Introduction to Social & Digital Media, Advanced Performance & Wellness, Future Engineers, Intro to Business, Entrepreneurship Lab



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