



## Academy Overview and Course Descriptions:

## Fine Arts

Murphy High School prides itself on their Fine Arts Department. Located in the heart of Midtown, Murphy High School offers students the opportunity to experience the arts first hand through productions, guest speakers, and field trips. Students are given the opportunity to perform in a newly renovated auditorium in order to truly experience the production atmosphere.

Through this academy, students may participate in Murphy's Four Arts Club. The theatre, choir, dance, band, and art programs work hand-in-hand to create different projects throughout the year. This exposes students to vocal, movement, and theatre work with all four arts teachers.

The Fine Arts program has numerous pathways including Band, Chorus, Dance and Drama on the performance side and Art and Journalism on the visual side. A pathway is completed by taking three courses in a sequence in one pathway. Students pursuing this track

may want to supplement their curriculum with other elective courses from the Academy. Elective courses include but are not limited to, Theatre Productions, Virtuoso, Strings, and Pantomime.







## **Course Sequences**

Grade	Fine Arts
10th	Foundation Course: Band, Chorus, Dance, Drama, Journalism, Art
11th	Course in continued sequence
12th	Course in continued sequence