

And the impact on student success

The Research Says . . .





Academic Achievement

Higher standardized test scores, improved reading comprehension and language skills; enhanced math skills; and better attendance and engagement.



Cognitive Development

Increased brain stimulation in the regions involved in memory, spatial reasoning, and critical thinking.



Social-Emotional Well-Being

Increased confidence, stronger social connections, communication skills, emotional intelligence.

Life Skills and Career Readiness

Discipline, responsibility, teamwork, collaboration, critical-thinking, creativity, adaptability, communication



In Summary

Performing arts provide broad benefits beyond artistic skills.

Data

2024 - 2025 PVHS

Band-Choir-Drama	Not in Band-Choir-Drama
Average Weighted GPA = 2.66	Average Weighted GPA = 2.53
Average Unweighted GPA = 2.54	Average Unweighted GPA = 2.44
Average # of Behavior Events = 0.15	Average # of Behavior Events = 0.34

Questions?

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