Visual and Performing Art Concentrations include:
Band • Orchestra • Chorus • Musical Theater
Dance • Drama/Acting • Technical Theater
Graphic Design Pathway • Visual Arts
AV Tech and Film Pathway
Web Design Pathway

VPA Course Offerings may include:
Art Fundamentals • Art History • Ceramics
Drawing/Painting I-IV • Jewelry Design
Photographic Design I-IV • Print Making
Sculpture • Beginning-Advanced Band
Guitar • Music Theory Intro
Beginning-Advanced Orchestra
String Masters - Keyboard Tech
Piano Master • Beginning-Advanced Chorus
Voice Class • Jazz Dance • Modern Dance I-IV
Dance Master I-IV • Dance Composition
Acting I and II • Advanced Drama
Theater Tech I-IV • Fundamentals of Theater
Theater Literature I and II • Musical/Theater II-III
AP Art Drawing/2D Design/3D Design
AP Art History • AP Music Theory

VPA Parent Booster Organizations include:
Band Boosters
Orchestra Boosters
Dance Boosters
North Springs Theater Community

Our Mission
To inspire and develop emerging arts patrons, arts critics, and arts professionals.

Visual and Performing Arts Magnet Program
If you like drawing, painting, ceramics, acting, musical theater, technical theater, film, orchestra, band, chorus or dance, you will find the Visual and Performing Arts (VPA) Magnet program offers outstanding opportunities to explore and pursue your passions.
VPA faculty members are accomplished teachers and working professionals who nurture creativity, help develop artistic skills and techniques, and provide hands-on, real-world experiences.
Students interested in the Visual & Performing Arts magnet must apply, and have and maintain an overall 80 GPA. You may choose to be a dual magnet student - also meeting the requirement of the Math & Science magnet program by having and maintaining an 85 GPA in math and science classes.

Magnet Seal Diploma Requirements
In the magnet program students take a total of 8 VPA elective courses; 6 VPA electives for Dual Magnet. At graduation, you will receive a distinguished (gold) magnet seal diploma if:
• 2 of your VPA electives earned are Advanced Placement (AP) or at the highest level offered
• You have participated in at least 2 arts honor societies, organizations or competitions
• You have created a digital portfolio by maintaining a flash drive with performance clips, photographs of various artwork, all major papers, presentations and projects in your VPA courses.

Extra-Curricular Visual and Performing Arts Opportunities
You are encouraged to perform or exhibit work and join any of the many student arts clubs and honor societies. These are some of the opportunities available: Large Group Performance Music Evaluation, All State Band, Orchestra and Chorus; Marching Band, Solo & Ensemble, Tri-M Music Honor Society, Deconstruction Competition, Theatre Performances, Project Dance, Spring Dance Show, Kennesaw State Dance Competition, Congressional Art Competition, Roswell Spring Art Show, Sandy Springs Chalk Walk, Junied Art Show, Dogwood Arts Festival, Scholastic Arts Competition, Governor’s Honors, Thespian Honor Society, Georgia Theater Conference, Field Trips, Travel, National Art Honor Society