

Student Name: _____

8th Grade Course Offerings 2023-2024

Parents, please discuss the following course options with your child. This form is to help you and your child choose courses that fit your child's learning needs and experiences.

Required Courses: PLEASE CIRCLE CODE FOR YOUR LANGUAGE ART, MATH, and SCIENCE CHOICE

High School Prep History 8006		Students will be placed into advanced courses based on the criteria noted in the Junior High School Program of Studies	
High School Prep Language Arts (2 periods) 8000	OR	*Advanced Language Arts (2 periods) 8000A	____ Teacher initials required for Advanced
High School Prep Science 8005	OR	*Advanced Science 8005A	____ Teacher initials required for Advanced
High School Prep Math 8004	OR	**Algebra -High School Course 8004HS	OR
OR 8004A *Advanced Math Teacher initials _____	OR	Teacher initials required _____	OR **Honors Geometry - High School Course 8008H Teacher initials required _____

For Parents of Gifted Students: Placement in an advanced class serves as gifted services for students with gifted identification of Superior Cognitive, Reading, Math, Science or Social Studies. Please note that a gifted identifier in one area does not mean they will be placed into ALL advanced courses. **If your child is identified as "gifted" in any area, and you DO NOT want them placed in an advanced class of their gifted identification that is considered a waiver of gifted services. Please sign below if you DO NOT want your child in the designated advanced class(es). Please have your child return this signed form to the office.**

I do not want my identified gifted child in the designated advanced class.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

HIGH SCHOOL COURSES (INDICATED BY)**

**These classes are high school courses and grades earned in them will be counted in the student's cumulative high school grade point average. That grade point average will ultimately be used to determine class rank, valedictorian, and salutatorian.

Electives: Your school day will consist of 7 classes and lunch. You will have FIVE required classes/periods (see above). This means you will choose Electives to make up the rest of your day. You may retake (repeat) electives that you took for 7th grade EXCEPT for ASL.

Please choose: FOUR Semester electives OR ONE year - long and TWO semester electives OR choose TWO year- long Electives:

Semester Electives

- Physical Education (900)
- Mixed Media I (706)
- Mixed Media II (707) (must have completed MM1)
- Intro. To Digital Art (708) (must have completed MM1 & MM2)
- Everyday Living (902)
- Gateway II (325) (All new curriculum)
- Leadership (901) (May NOT be repeated)
- American Sign Language (ASL) (May NOT be repeated) (Limited Seats)

Year-long Electives

- Choir (713)
- Band (811)
- Spanish I (5521)**High School Course (Limited Seats) *closed*

Please enter TWO alternative course choices of electives in case your 1st choice is full

Alternative choice of Elective	
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This courses request sheet does not guarantee your child's requested electives. If classes are full or there are scheduling conflicts, we move to the alternative elective options.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

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