Student Name: _____

Student #: _____

Return by March 11, 2024

Middle School Promotion Requirements

Middle school students are required to successfully complete three years of language arts, mathematics, science and social studies. Students who do not receive passing grades in their four core content classes (Math, ELA, Science and Social Studies) will be placed in course recovery.

Acceleration & Supports

We believe that with the right support, ALL students can meet grade-level academic standards through challenging course work. Science and Mathematics are offered in regular and advanced options. Students may receive intensive reading or math supports in a co-teach setting based on student FSA scores.

■Physical Education

All students are required to take 1 Semester of PE every year. If choosing an elective other than PE, a PE waiver is required to be completed by the parent on the back of this form. Completing a PE waiver does not guarantee that your student will not have PE.

Classes are offered based on the choices you make. The choices you make are binding. If you do not choose elective courses and your first-choice electives are full, your classes will be chosen for you and schedule change requests will not be honored. Schedule changes will not be made because you decide that you do not want to take a course any longer. Please choose wisely as you will be taking the classes you select.

*Prerequisite Completion of class required to participate in this course.

∇**High-school credit class** counts towards graduation requirements and high school GPA. Teacher approval required.

Required Courses

Language Arts:
- Language Arts 3
- Language Arts 3 Advanced

World History:
- World History
- World History Advanced

Science Selection:
- Science 3
- Science 3 Accelerated

Math Selection:
- Pre-Algebra
- Algebra 1 Honors *Prerequisite Pre-Algebra

Year Long Elective Classes (1.0)
- Band 1
- Band 2 *Prerequisite Band 1
- Band 3 *Prerequisite Band 2
- Beginning Spanish
- Spanish 1 ∇
- Spanish 2 ∇ *Prerequisite Spanish 1
- Digital Art & Design 1
- Digital Multimedia ∇
- Business Entrepreneurial Principles ∇

Semester Elective Courses (.5)
- Computer Applications in Business 1
- Computer Applications in Business 2
- Introduction to Business Management
- Coding Fundamentals 1
- Coding Fundamentals 2
- Computer Science Discoveries 1
- Computer Science Discoveries 2
- Intro to AV Arts/Photoshop
- Guitar
- 2D Art 0101005 / 3D Art
- Physical Education Comprehensive 7/8
- Individual & Dual Sports Grade 8
- Exploring Music
- Exploring Technology
- Explorations of Health Science Professions

Class 1: (CIRCLE 1) Language Arts or Language Arts Adv.

Class 2: (CIRCLE 1) World History or World History Adv.

Class 3: (CIRCLE 1) Science 3 or Science 3 Accelerated

Class 4: (CIRCLE 1)   Pre-Algebra or Algebra 1 Honors*

ELECTIVE CHOICES

Remember you need either:
- o 2 full year electives
- o 1 full year and 2 semester electives
- o 4 semester electives

Class 5:

  Full Year: _____

Or

  2 semester: _____   _____

Class 6:

  Full Year: _____

Or

  2 semester: _____   _____

Alternate Choices:

_____

_____

_____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

- • Check here if you plan to enroll your child in Pasco eSchool, home education, or another virtual option.

Return to your ELA teacher by March 11

COURSE ELECTIVE PATHWAYS

Descriptions are available on the BPMS website.

Some courses are specific to grade level, and others may require pre-requisites or teacher approval.

(.5) = semester course   (1.0) = full year course.   ▽ High-school credit class.

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8
FINE ARTS	• 2D Art (.5) • Band 1 (1.0) • Guitar (.5) • Exploring Music (.5)	• 2D/3D Art • Exploring Health Occupations • Intro to AV Arts (photoshop) (.5) • Band 1, 2, 3 (1.0) • Guitar (.5) • Exploring Music	• 2D Art (.5) • 3D Art (.5) • Exploring Health Occupations (.5) • Digital Art & Design 1 (1.0) • Band 1, 2, 3 (1.0) • Guitar (.5) • Exploring Music (.5)
TECHNOLOGY	• Intro to Business Management (.5) • Computer Applications in Business 1 (.5) • Computer Applications in Business 2 (.5) • Coding Fundamentals 1 (.5) • Coding Fundamentals 2 (.5) • Orientation to Career Clusters (.5) • Computer Science Discoveries 1 (.5) • Computer Science Discoveries 2 (.5)	• Intro to Business Management (.5) • Computer Applications in Business 1 (.5) • Computer Applications in Business 2 (.5) • Intro to AV Arts (photoshop) (.5) • Coding Fundamentals 1 (.5) • Coding Fundamentals 2 (.5) • Computer Science Discoveries 1 (.5) • Computer Science Discoveries 2 (.5) • Orientation to Career Clusters (.5) • Exploring Technology (.5)	• Intro to Business Management (.5) • Computer Applications in Business 1 (.5) • Computer Applications in Business 2 (.5) • Intro to AV Arts (photoshop) (.5) • Coding Fundamentals 1 (.5) • Coding Fundamentals 2 (.5) • Computer Science Discoveries 1 (.5) • Computer Science Discoveries 2 (.5) • Orientation to Career Clusters (.5)
WORLD LANGUAGES	• Beginning Spanish (1.0)	• Beginning Spanish (1.0) • Spanish 1 ▽ (1.0)*Prerequisite • Spanish 2 ▽ (1.0) *Prerequisite	• Beginning Spanish (1.0) • Spanish 1 ▽ (1.0) *Prerequisite • Spanish 2 ▽ (1.0) *Prerequisite
PE & HEALTH	• Fitness (.5) • Health (.5) • PE 6/7	• PE 6/7 (.5) • PE 7/8 (.5) • Individual & Dual Sports Grade 7 (.5)	• Individual & Dual Sports Grade 8 (.5) • PE 7/8 (.5)

PE COURSE REQUIREMENT/WAIVER

Senate Bill 610 requires the equivalent of one class period per day of Physical Education for one semester each year for students in grades 6-8.

A waiver is required for students for the following criteria:

• Student requires a remedial course

• Parent requests another offered course

• Parent verifies that student participates in equivalent activities outside the school day

I have read the PE Waiver Statement and believe that my child meets one of the listed criteria for exemption and requests courses other than PE.

Student #: _____

Student Name: _____

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

Course cards due to your ELA teacher by March 11th