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Asheboro City Schools

Middle School Registration

6th Grade

Make any corrections below:

Name: _____

Home Phone: _____

All students are required to take the following classes:

English Language Arts; Math; Science; Social Studies; Health/Physical Education

Please place a 1 beside your first choice, 2 beside your second choice, 3 beside your third choice, and 4 beside your fourth choice.

We will try to accommodate your selections, yet classes will be assigned based upon availability.

Course Descriptions

Art 6

ART: The sixth grade level emphasizes exploration and discovery of visual arts. Students begin to form a foundation of learning about visual arts and continue to increase appreciation of visual arts.

Band 6
 (Counts for TWO Choices)

BAND: Students will work on developing instrumental technique, instrumental range, and their musical knowledge and skill. Students will perform in concerts, pep rallies, assemblies, and so forth. Attendance is required at all band events, including those in the evening. The level of instruction and depth of study increases with each passing month and with each school year. **This course meets every day for the ENTIRE school year.**

Check one

___ Clarinet
___ Flute
___ Trombone
___ Trumpet

CHORUS: Students will develop their vocal performance skills and actively participate in a performance group. They will learn to use their voices properly, learn to read musical notation, play the keyboard, understand characteristics of various vocal and choral styles of music, and learn appropriate "etiquette" in a variety of performance and rehearsal settings. All musical genres are open to view. Attendance is required at all chorus concerts, including those in the evening. **This course meets every day for the ENTIRE school year.**

Chorus 6
 (Counts for TWO Choices)

DISCOVERING TECHNOLOGY: An exploration into the different types of technology utilized in past, present and future societies. Students will gather an understanding as to how technology is developed and improved based off of social and cultural needs and/or wants. The class will also view technology's role in disaster prevention and relief. **(NAMS Only)*

Discovering Technology**(NAMS Only)*
 Exploring Biotechnology in Agriculture
 Exploring Careers in Biotechnology**(SAMS Only)*
 Keyboarding & Basic Microsoft Word Application
 General Music 6
 Performing Arts 6
 Spanish 6

EXPLORING BIOTECHNOLOGY IN AGRICULTURE: This course focuses on the science and technology used within the agriculture industry to produce food, fiber, and energy for the world. Career options within the industry are explored and students have the opportunity to begin developing essential career skills through job shadowing, service learning, and the Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE) program. Leadership and personal growth are also emphasized through opportunities for involvement in the youth leadership organization, the FFA, such as competitive events, leadership workshops, conventions, and community service projects.

EXPLORING CAREERS IN BIOTECHNOLOGY:

This course introduces students to understanding how interests, values and personality influence career choices while discovering careers in biotechnology. **(SAMS only)*

GENERAL MUSIC: The middle grades General Music program is designed to act as a bridge between the elementary and high school music programs. In General Music, students will study about various composers, learn to read and write their own music, and study the instruments of the orchestra.

KEYBOARDING & BASIC MICROSOFT WORD APPLICATION: This course is designed to provide hands on instruction in basic keyboarding skills, concepts, and software applications. Emphasis is placed on extending and reinforcing touch keying skills while providing experiences for learning word processing applications. Communication skills and basic mathematical concepts are reinforced in this course. Work-based learning strategies appropriate for this course are field trips and job shadowing.

PERFORMING ARTS: The drama/performance elective provides an introduction to theatre arts. Students participate in group improvisational activities to help them become comfortable performing in front of an audience. They are introduced to the elements of acting technique: imagination building, projection, and articulation, and basic staging skills. Students may write and perform plays.

SPANISH 6: This course is a semester-long exploration of the Spanish language and of the culture of various Spanish-speaking countries. The emphasis of this course is on listening, speaking and pre-reading/writing.

**School Specific Elective—See Course Descriptions*

Student Signature

Parent signature