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Dear Parent/Guardian:

We are beginning to look ahead to the 2020-2021 school year. Each student is being asked to choose which electives he/she will take during their 8th grade year at Edison Middle School. Please understand that these classes will provide high school credit. The grades they receive in these classes will show up on their high school transcript and will contribute towards their high school graduation requirements and GPA. Please confer with your child in regard to these decisions.

On the next page, please place a checkmark next to any elective that you would like on your child's schedule for the 2020-2021 school year. All efforts will be made to place your child in the electives chosen, but class sizes and possible scheduling conflicts may also need to be considered. **Please take a picture of or scan the completed form and email it to Mrs. Putnam at mputnam@edisonchargers.org by April 10th.** If this form is not returned by this date, we will assign your child's electives based on class size.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Marlene Putnam, School Counselor at mputnam@edisonchargers.org or Cory Smith, Principal at cosmith@edisonchargers.org.

Sincerely,

Cory J. Smith

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PLEASE CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING WHEN CHOOSING ELECTIVE CLASSES:

- Students who choose to take **Band** have the following options:
 - Choose one other semester elective or choose one semester of study hall

- Students who are **NOT** in Band have the following options:
 - Choose two electives and a semester of study hall
 - Choose one elective and a full year of study hall

_____ Art – 1 semester (1/2 High School (H.S.) fine art credit)

_____ Band – full year (1 H.S. fine art credit)

_____ Physical Education – 1 semester (1/4 H.S. PE credit)

_____ Study Hall – 1 semester (No H.S. credit)

_____ Study Hall – full year (No H.S. credit)

Students can only choose one of the following technology electives

★ **Engineering Principles is the only available technology option for band students.**

_____ Computer Science Applications/Coding/3-D Printing – 1 semester (1/2 H.S. elective credit):

- Computer Science Applications/Coding/3-D Printing - Introduction to computer programming, embedded computing, coding, and 3-D printing.

_____ Engineering Principles – 1 semester (1/2 H.S. elective credit):

- Engineering Principles - Students use engineering principles to build, design, and code using Vex IQ Robotics.

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____