

Welcome to Edgemont Jr. High

Home of
the
Eagles!



Tonight's Agenda

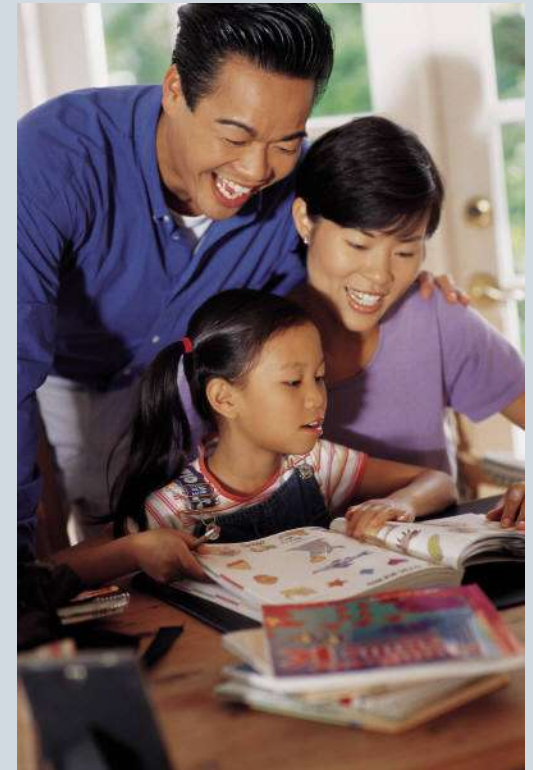
Topic #1 – What happened to my child?

Topic #2 – What does junior high look like?

Topic #3 – What is the curriculum?



What happened to my child?





Physical Development

- Rapid, intense growth
- Maturing hands & longer arms
- Voice changes
- Increase in muscle growth
- Faster bone growth
- Squirmy behavior
- Awkward & clumsy
- Increase in weight & size



Social-Emotional



- Attention seeking
- Fantasizes
- Overreacts
- Exaggerated responses
- Impulsive & childlike
- Conflict – Independent & dependent
- Fears rejection & craves acceptance
- Self-conscious & self-critical
- Insensitive & super-sensitive
- Friends vs. family loyalty
- Moody





Intellectual

- From concrete to abstract thinking
- Curious
- Active vs. passive learning
- Short attention span
- Creative
- Expanding critical thinking
- Who am I?
- Balancing academic vs. non-academic interests



Junior High



Life

Safety is still #1

No tolerance for hurting others: words or actions.

Continue to learn how to appropriately solve problems.

Dress Code

It's a challenge, but their clothes need to:

- Cover (not exposing/holes in jeans)
- Fit (not sagging)
- Be clean in message (drugs/alcohol/tobacco/language)
- Hats



School



Work



Typical Day

Class starts at 7:30 a.m.

6 separate classes each day

3 minute passing period

30 minute lunch

No recess

School ends at 2:00 p.m.

Extra-Curricular Activities:

Sports, clubs, dances


The Curriculum: 7th grade

Full Year Classes

- Math
- Science
- English: PNW studies
- Social Studies: PNW studies
- Performance Arts (1 year requirement)
 - Orchestra, Band, Choir, Art

Semester Classes

- Health & Fitness (semester requirement)
- Elective (1 semester)



Edgemont Junior High School
2016-2017 Course Selection
7th Grade Registration

Entered

For Office Use Only

Student Name: _____ ID #: _____

Parent Signature: _____

REQUIRED COURSES

Pacific Northwest Studies: English / Social Studies

Pacific Northwest Studies English 072001/072002

Pacific Northwest Social Studies 7 160001/160002

Or

Honors Pacific NW Studies English 072001/072002

Honors Pacific NW Social Studies 7 161401/161402

Mathematics (SELECT ONE) **Other Required Courses**

CMP Math 7 100111/100112 **Integrated Science 1** 150001/150002

Honors Math 7 100201/100202 **Health/Fitness 7** (1 Semester) 140100

ELECTIVE CLASSES:

Prioritize your choice by numbering 1, 2, 3. You will be selecting one year long elective and one semester elective.

YEAR LONG ELECTIVES	ONE-SEMESTER ELECTIVES
<p>Select your top THREE choices by writing 1, 2, or 3 on the line beside the class name. # 1=Class I want MOST</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Arts Requirement</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Beginning Band 124401/124402</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Cadet Band 134111/134112</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate Band 134181/134182</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Orchestra, String 124201/124202</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Choir, SA (Girls) 120001/120002</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Choir, TB (Boys) 135101/135102</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Speech/Drama 1, 2 079000/079100</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Art 1/Art 2 010600/010800</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> AVID 7 190701/190702</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">(Advancement Via Individual Determination)</p>	<p>Select your top THREE choices by writing 1, 2, or 3 on the line beside the class name. # 1=Class I want MOST</p> <p style="text-align: center;">General Elective</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Speech/Drama 1 079000</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Art 1 010600</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Fitness 7 140200</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Family and Consumer Science 050000</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Introduction to Technology 060000</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Field Investigations in Science 150600</p>

We need this blue card returned to us by:

Tuesday, Feb. 14th

How We Transition to EJH

- SPRING TRAINING
 - SUMMER MAILER
 - Packet of Information
 - PREP DAY
 - Sports Clearance
 - Fees
 - Schedules
 - Tours
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Computer Rollout

Next August Every 7th Grade Student Will Receive a Take-Home Computer

Your Child Will Have a Computer for Learning from 7th to 12th Grade



THANK YOU PARENTS!!!!

Thank you for coming!

We can't wait to get to know and support your students!

Help them to finish 6th grade **STRONG!**

Questions?