

7th Grade Course Selection Directions

If your child **will not** be attending MBJH next year, put an X across the attached Course Selection Form and sign the bottom of the page.

If your child **will be** attending MBJH next year, follow the instructions below.

Please read over course descriptions carefully in the Course Selection Guide before choosing classes.

4 CORE ACADEMICS:

- Review your child's recommended courses, which are **indicated in the top box** on the Course Selection Form. If you agree with these choices, there is no need to change anything in this box.
- Read course descriptions and prerequisites in the **Course Selection Guide** to make the best choices for your child. The guide was given to students at the transition meetings at their elementary schools.
- To drop a recommended advanced class, **mark through the course indicated in the box and circle the regular level course.**
- If your student is taking Advanced Pre-Algebra 7, the course is a 2 period long class. This means they will pick PE and **one** other elective since the extra period of math will count in the place of an elective. (This means one year-long elective, or 2 semester electives.)
- To "parent place" into Advanced English 7, email Jennifer Nelson at nelsonj3@mtnbrook.k12.al.us to set up an appointment to meet with her. Mrs. Nelson will have the "Parent Placement Form" for you to sign if you choose to take Advanced English 7. ***This meeting must take place to "parent place" in Advanced English 7. Please attach the parent placement form to the course selection sheet. If your meeting is after the course selection sheet is due, just note this on the sheet and Mrs. Nelson will turn in your parent placement letter.***
- To "parent place" into Advanced Pre-Algebra 7, circle the desired level on the Course Selection Form **AND** complete the "Parent Placement Form" found in the back of the Course Selection Guide and staple to the back of the course selection form. ***This form must be signed and attached to "parent place" in Advanced Pre-Algebra 7. **If you have questions regarding your child's math placement, please contact your child's current math teacher.*****

3 ELECTIVES:

PE CLASSES:

- Circle one PE course.
- If Early PE (7:15-7:50) is chosen, please pick another elective in its place.

ELECTIVE CLASSES:

Circle either:

- 2 year-long electives
- 1 year-long elective and 2 semester electives
- 4 semester electives

Advanced Math:

*1 year-long elective

OR

* 2 semester electives

ALTERNATES:

- Students **MUST** select alternate electives. If alternates are not selected, they will be chosen for the student.

The signed Course Selection Form is due back to your child's homeroom teacher no later than **Thursday, February 19th**.

For additional information, please see the online video presentation on our website, www.mtnbrook.k12.al.us/mbjh.

A student may request a schedule change through **June 5th**. Please contact the JH for a schedule change request form or you may email your request to Lori Akin, 7th grade counselor, at akinl@mtnbrook.k12.al.us. ***A parent signature/note and a \$25 processing fee are required for all changes after May 1st***. Changes will be considered if 1) the change is of an academic nature; 2) a school error exists; or 3) principal discretion. All courses, including alternates, listed on the course selection sheet will be scheduled in priority order. Upon completion of a schedule update, the student will receive an accurate schedule at summer registration.