

CESAR CHAVEZ ACADEMY

A CALIFORNIA DISTINGUISHED SCHOOL

2020-21

8th Grade Registration Packet



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8th Grade Registration Packet Check List

All of the items listed below must be completed in order to complete your registration for the 2020-21 school year and be scheduled into classes.

- Complete your online registration on Parent Connect – see pages 2-4
- Review the course descriptions **and** Complete the Course Selection sheet – see pages 5-7
- Complete any application requirements for any 7th period classes you would like to apply for. 7th period classes requiring an application are Leadership, Yearbook, PLTW Flight and Space, and AVID. All applications can be found on our school webpage – see page 8 for instructions

You can find directions, applications, and more information about CCA's class offerings on our webpage at <https://chavez.cnusd.k12.ca.us/>, click on the "Registration" tab.

2020-2021 Parent Connect Online Registration

Hello Cesar Chavez Parents & Guardians,

We are very excited to announce we are completely paperless for student registration for the 2020-21 school year! We believe you will find the process easy and time effective. You can find tutorials and additional information on Parent Connect website: <https://parentconnect.cnusd.k12.ca.us/>

Once you have completed your child's online parent connect registration you will receive a CONGRATULATIONS email.

Please note: Any student that does not complete the entire registration process as outlined in this packet will not be scheduled for the 2020-2021 school year.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- You no longer need to call the school to reset your Parent pin or password. You can now select NEED YOUR LOG IN INFORMATION link on Parent Connect.
- Please ensure that emails are not duplicated in Parent Connect accounts. Each parent/guardian must have their own individual email. **No family emails.**
- You can now use your mobile device to complete registration. See the flyer on the following pages for instructions.
- Computers are available to complete online registration at Cesar Chavez Academy, if needed.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact our office at 951-736-4640.

**2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR
ONLINE REGISTRATION**

Online Registration (OR) for the 2020-21 school year is now open!

Options for completing OR:

- ✓ Complete on a computer by visiting Parent Connect at <https://parentconnect.cnusd.k12.ca.us>.
- ✓ Download the Q Parent Connection app and complete online registration from your mobile device. You will also be able to access your student's grades, attendance, and more throughout the school year!
- ❓ Need help or have questions? Please contact your school site!

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**REGISTRO EN LÍNEA
AÑO ESCOLAR 2020-21**

El registro en línea para el año escolar ya está abierta.

Opciones para completar el registro en línea:

- ✓ Complete usando una computadora. Visite Parent Connect en <https://parentconnect.cnusd.k12.ca.us>.
- ✓ Descargue la aplicación Q Parent Connection y complete el registro en línea desde su dispositivo móvil. También podrá acceder a las calificaciones, asistencia y más de su estudiante durante el año escolar.
- ❓ ¿Necesita ayuda o tiene preguntas? Por favor contacte a su escuela.

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HOW TO COMPLETE ONLINE REGISTRATION FROM YOUR MOBILE DEVICE

Follow these steps:

Step 1: Download the Q ParentConnection App!

Step 2: Connect to CNUSD by filling out the state, county, and district.



Step 3: Select the Log In button.



Step 4: Once logged in, select the menu icon then Online Registration.



Step 5: Select edit on each student.



Step 6: Complete the seven areas and required fields: 2 Emergency Contacts Required.



Once all sections are complete, a confirmation e-mail will be sent at the end of the day.

Need help or have questions? Please contact your school site.



¡COMO COMPLETAR LA INSCRIPCION EN LINEA DESDE SU DISPOSITIVO MÓVILI

Siga los siguientes pasos:

Paso 1: Descargue la aplicación Q Parent Connection!

Paso 2: Conectese al CNUSD por completando las secciones de estado, condado y distrito.



Paso 3: Inicie la sesión con su número de PIN y contraseña.



Paso 4: Seleccione el icono de menú y luego el registro en línea.



Paso 5: Seleccione editar en cada alumno.



Paso 6: Revise cada área y complete las áreas obligatorias. Debe tener dos contactos de emergencia.



Quando haya completado todas las secciones para la inscripción en línea se le se enviará un correo electrónico.

¿Necesita ayuda o tiene preguntas? Por favor contacte a su escuela.

8th Grade Classes at Cesar Chavez Academy

Students will be enrolled in seven classes.

Please see the course descriptions for more information about the classes listed below.

Five core classes

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| Language Arts 8 or Language Arts 8 Honors |
| Math 8 or Integrated Math 1 |
| US History or US History Honors |
| Physical Science or Physical Science Honors |
| Physical Education 8 |

To be enrolled into honors class, students must meet the honors criteria explained on the next page.

One Elective Class

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| PLTW Design & Modeling/PLTW Automation & Robotics |
| Choir |
| Band |
| If you apply and are accepted into AVID, you MAY be placed into AVID as your elective instead of one of the courses listed above. |

One 7th Period Class

You will automatically be placed in an academic support class if you meet the district criteria. If you do not qualify for academic support, then you will be placed in one of the other classes listed below.

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| 7th Period Academic Support |
| Math Academy |
| ELA Academy |
| ELD 1,2,3 |
| Read 180 |
| Math 180 |

Students are automatically enrolled in these classes based on district criteria and/or IEP.

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| 7th Period Elective (no application needed) |
| Beginning Band |
| Success for School (Fitness & Conditioning) |

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| 7th Period Elective (application required) |
| Yearbook |
| Leadership |
| PLTW Flight & Space |
| AVID* |

*Students can be placed in AVID as their elective or as their 7th period class.

The Corona Norco Unified School District is committed to equal opportunity for all individuals in education and in employment and does not discriminate on the basis of actual or perceived ancestry, age, color, disability, gender, gender identity, gender expression, nationality, immigration status, race or ethnicity, religion, sex, sexual orientation, pregnancy, parental/marital or family status, primary language, social class, geographical location, or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics. The Board prohibits, at any district school or school activity, unlawful discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying of any student based on the protected characteristics named above. (CNUSD BP0300, BP1321, BP5145, BP/AR4301, BP/AR5208, BP5146)

Honors Class Requirements

Criteria for enrolling students into honors courses (Science, History, Lang. Arts) may include the following.

1. The student requested the honors class on the online course request in student connect.
2. The student has an overall GPA of 3.4 in the last trimester/semester of the most recent school year.
3. The student has a B+ or better in each subject that honors is being requested.
4. The student has a “meets standards” or above on State Assessments.
5. Current teacher recommends student for honors placement.

Criteria for placement in Integrated Math 1

Students are recommended for all math classes, by the district, based on i-Ready Assessments, State Test scores, Teacher survey, Math grades and overall GPA. There are multiple opportunities for students to accelerate in math in future grades based on their grades, assessments, and readiness to accelerate.

Elective Course Descriptions

Band

Band emphasizes the fundamentals of music education including tone production, technical development, basic music theory concepts, and all elements related to successful public performance. Students are exposed to a wide variety of music with a goal of performing and will participate in performances at local theme parks and competitions. There are a limited number of school instruments available, so students should own their own or be prepared to rent from a local vendor. All ability levels are welcome!

Choir

Choir is open to all students who are not afraid to sing in front of others. Students will learn and perform vocal music of different styles and genres and focus on proper voice technique, ear training, stage etiquette, and song interpretation. Choir students will also learn about dynamic markings and other symbols written on sheet music and participate in performances at major amusement parks and school/community events.

PLTW Design & Modeling/PLTW Automation & Robotics












Students that choose this elective will be enrolled in PLTW Design & Modeling for half the year and PLTW Automation & Robotics for the other half of the year. PLTW Design & Modeling: Students will discover the design process and develop an understanding of the influence of creativity and innovation in their lives. They are then challenged and empowered to use and apply what they’ve learned throughout the unit to solve a real-world problem using the design process.

PLTW Automation & Robotics: Students trace the history, development, and influence of automation and robotics as they learn about mechanical systems, energy transfer, machine automation, and computer control systems. Students will use the VEX Robotics® platform to design, build, and program real-world objects such as traffic lights, toll booths, and robotic arms.

AVID

Information about AVID can be found under the 7th period course descriptions. AVID is offered as an elective class or a 7th period class depending on space availability and student needs. Students that enroll in AVID should register for at least one honors class.

7th Period Course Descriptions

| 7th Period Academic Support | | |
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| Students are enrolled in these classes based on district criteria and/or IEP. | | |
| ELD 1,2,3 | English Language Development is for our English Learner students. Students will receive intensive English instruction in reading, writing, speaking & listening. |  |
| Math Academy | Math Academy is for students identified as needing additional support and extended learning time in math concepts. |  |
| ELA Academy | English Language Arts Academy is for students identified as needing additional support and extended learning time in literacy skills (reading, writing, vocabulary, etc.). |  |
| Read 180 | Read 180 is for students identified as needing intensive support and extended learning time in reading comprehension. |  |
| Math 180 | Math 180 is for students identified as needing intensive support and extended learning time in mathematical concepts and number sense. |  |
| 7th Period Elective (no application) | | |
| Beginning Band | Band emphasizes the fundamentals of music education including tone production, technical development, basic music theory concepts, and all elements related to successful public performance. Students are exposed to a wide variety of music with a goal of performing. |  |
| Success for School (Fitness & Conditioning) | Fitness and Conditioning is a class that uses various strategies to help improve individual fitness goals throughout the term. Students will be learning the benefits of exercise by walking, going to the weight room, and engaging in various sports activities. |  |
| 7th Period Elective (application required) | | |
| AVID application required | AVID teaches skills and behaviors for academic success and provides intensive support with tutorials and strong student/teacher relationships. AVID develops personal achievement gained through hard work and determination. Students that enroll in AVID should register for at least one honors class. |  |
| Leadership application required | As the name implies, students will learn to take on leadership roles and help organize important events that take place at Cesar Chavez Academy. Students must be hardworking, collaborative, and creative. |  |
| Yearbook application required | Students will learn both print and video media production skills, including the basics of journalism, photography, videography, computer graphics, and yearbook design. |  |
| PLTW Flight & Space application required | The exciting world of aerospace comes alive with flight and space. During this unit students delve into the history of flight and space, discover the science behind aeronautics, and explore traveling and living in space. Students are then challenged to use their knowledge to design, build and test an airfoil. |  |

How do I find the 7th Period Applications?

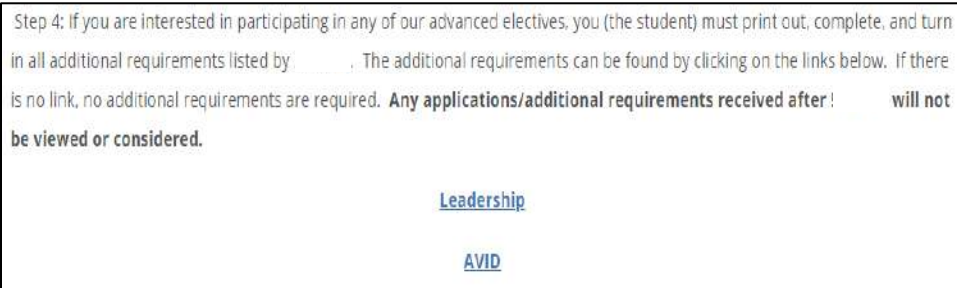
It is recommended that all students apply to at least one 7th period class.

To apply for Leadership, Yearbook, PLTW Flight and Space, and/or AVID follow these steps to complete the application process.

- 1) Go to the Cesar Chavez web page at <https://chavez.cnusd.k12.ca.us/>
- 2) Click on the **Registration** tab.



- 3) Click on the link for the class or classes you would like to apply for. Apply for as many as you would like.



- 4) Print out and complete the application(s) from the links above.
- 5) Turn in your completed applications to Mrs. Lindsey at dlindsey@cnusd.k12.ca.us ASAP to be considered for these classes.