

*From our talons to our wings, we
soar to our dreams!*

HVMS REGISTRATION 2022 - 2023

(Insert Date)

rising 7th and 8th grade



Primary Resource

A vertical banner with a light blue background. It features three horizontal images stacked vertically. The top image shows a group of students in various costumes. The middle image shows a classroom scene with students and a teacher. The bottom image shows students in graduation gowns. Below each image is a word in a stylized, white, rounded font: 'course', 'Registration', and 'Guide' respectively.

course

Registration

Guide

- Course descriptions
 - Clarification of various levels
- Graduation requirements
 - Available at <https://www.rcps.us/Page/1600>
 - Page 3

Daily student schedule...

4 – 90 minute blocks



- 1 English Everyday Full Year
- 2 Math/ Everyday Full Year
- 3 Science and Social Studies/Full Year
Every other day

4A PE

4B A-Day

Electives

B-Day

8th grade

Elective options include world language, concentrated focus on two electives by semester, and optional PE either full year or semester.

Registration Timeline



- Dec _ & _ -student presentations
- Jan __ -“Rec Day”-
 - English and math teachers confer with students
 - Forms sent home!!!!
- Jan 17 – **SIGNED** (by **both parent AND student**)
forms returned (English teacher) – *registration form*
- Jan 21-23 - counselors meet individually with rising 8th grade students

DECISIONS...

- General or Advanced course
- Math options
- Electives



Course Levels – General

- SOL/core content
- End of year assessment
- Consider balance of “load”....and life!!



Advanced COURSES

- Teachers will make recommendation for English and math; **parents** need to consider overall course load



What is a middle school advanced course?

- Early exposure to skills necessary for advanced courses
- Content-specific instructional strategies
- Develop thinking and problem-solving skills
- Emphasis analytical writing and reading



What is a high school advanced course?



- highly rigorous course
- content-specific instructional strategies to teach students advanced related skills, concepts, and assessment methods; writing skills essential
- potential to *earn college credit* based upon advance course exam score

Course levels – Advanced

- Faster pace
- Increases rigor; ability to work/produce independently
- A/B average to date
- Previous success with SOL

English

- **Summer Reading component**
- **Lexile level= proficient**

Math

- **Accelerated program**
 - Algebra 1 (HS credit)
 - Geometry (HS credit)
- **PreAlgebra 7/8**

Science

- **Science Fair project**





HIDDEN VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL

Grade 7 - Class of 2028

Registration Form 2022-23

Student Name	
Address	
Student ID #	

REQUIRED COURSES

COURSE NAME	GEN	ADV	ADV Algebra 7	GENERAL (supported)	FUNCTIONAL (Pullout)	Teacher recommendation
English 7	1110	1110.1P	NA	1110T	20715	
Math 7	3111	3111.1P	3130.1P	3111T	20715	3130.1P Teacher Initials
Life Science	4115	4115.1P	NA	4115T	20715	
US History, Pt II	2354	2354.1P	NA	2354T	20715	
Health & PE	7120	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

7TH GRADE ELECTIVES



- Band 7
- Chorus 7
- 7th Grade Interest Block
 - rotation business, art, tech ed, foreign language
- Jazz Band
 - 7:30 am (Parent provides transportation)
- Instrumental Ensemble (Parent provides transportation)
 - 7:30 am



ELECTIVE COURSES - Circle one choice or recommendation

9231	Band 7: Intermediate Band	
9270	Chorus 7	
0280	Interest Block 7 - Students will rotate through a variety of electives	
9415	Jazz Band- <u>Must be taking Band 7, meets @ 7:30 AM (Parent is responsible for transportation)</u>	
9236	Instrumental Ensemble- <u>Must be taking Band 7, meets @ 7:30 AM (Parent is responsible for transportation)</u>	
20788	Directed Study Hall-Sped students only; <u>needs teacher recommendation</u>	Teacher Initial

Check and sign...



STUDENT SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

PARENT SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

HOME PHONE _____

WORK PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

CASE MANAGER _____
(at time of registration)

DATE _____

CASE MANAGER _____
(at time of IEP meeting)

DATE _____

8TH GRADE ELECTIVES

- A/B schedule
 - every other day
- Full year and semester options
 - ⇒ 2-4 electives



8TH GRADE ELECTIVES

FULL-YEAR OPTIONS:

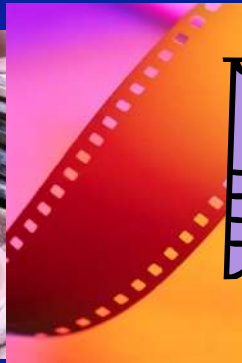
- Fit and Active (PE)
- Band 8
- Choir 8
- Prob Solving w/ STEAM
- Latin
- Spanish
- French
- Jazz Band
 - 7:30 am
- Instrumental Ensemble
 - 7:30 am



SEMESTER OPTIONS



- Art (2-D)
- Crafts (3-D)
- Problem Solving
- Digital Imaging
- PE
- Programming Solutions
- Keyboarding
- Computer Solutions
(Adv MS Office applications)



WORLD LANGUAGE



- Spanish I
- French I
- Latin 1



Notes:

- Required for Advanced Studies Diploma (3 yrs of 1 or 2 yrs of 2)
- Earns HS credit
- Students should expect **daily** study and practice
- “But all of my friends are taking it!” (**NOT** a good reason)
- # of language options are driven by enrollment

ELECTIVE COURSES:

RANK ALL:

1-12	COURSE NAME	Course #
1	KEYBOARDING (sem)	6153
5	COMPUTER SOLUTIONS (sem)	6609
6	PROB SOLV W/ STEAM (sem)	8462S
7	PROB SOLV W/ STEAM (year)	8462
4	PROGRMING SOLUTIONS (sem)	8464
11	INTRO DIGITAL IMAGING (sem)	8410
2	ART 8 (sem)	9115
10	INTRO TO CRAFTS (sem)	9106
8	FIT & ACTIVE FOR LIFE (year)	7200
3	FIT & ACTIVE FOR LIFE (sem)	7200S
9	CHORUS 8 (year)	9271
12	BAND 8: ADVANCED BAND (year)	9229

OPTIONAL LANGUAGE SELECTION- CHOOSE ONLY 1

X	COURSE NAME	Course #
	FRENCH 1 (YEAR)(CREDIT)	5110
	LATIN 1 (YEAR)(CREDIT)	5310
	SPANISH 1 (YEAR)(CREDIT)	5510

MUST BE TAKING BAND

X	COURSE NAME	Course #
	JAZZ BAND	9416
	INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE	9241

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION ONLY:

COURSE NAME	Teacher Initials	Course #	Course #
Directed Study Hall		20788 (year)	20789 (sem)

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PARENT INVOLVEMENT

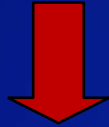


- Parents need to be involved in registration choices
- Parents can help students make good choices based on current academic needs, student interest, and future plans
- Parents can help students make good choices

Thoughtful decisions...accurate data



COURSE REQUESTS...class size



STAFFING & BUDGET ...class size
(Feb & March)



MASTER SCHEDULE DEVELOPMENT
(April - July)

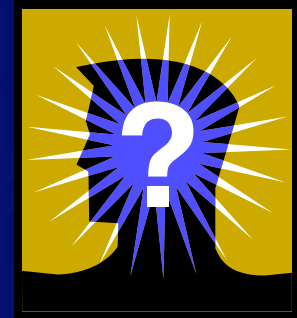
Registration questions?



Happy to help!!!

School Counselor:

- **Mrs. Farley (A-K)**
- **Ms. Long (L-Z)**



LOOKING AHEAD...planning for high school



- Applying for *Burton Center for Arts and Technology (BCAT)* programs
- Applying for *RCPS Specialty Centers*
- Applying for *RV Governor's School*