

***MOUNT SINAI MIDDLE SCHOOL
COURSE OVERVIEW EVENING
for Parents of Current 6th graders
TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019
7:00 P.M.***

COURSES OFFERED

Full year courses

- ✓ English Language Arts
- ✓ Mathematics
- ✓ Science
- ✓ Social Studies
- ✓ LOTE
 - Spanish/French

Half year/Alternating day courses

- ✓ Technology
- ✓ Family & Consumer Sciences
- ✓ Art
- ✓ Computers
- ✓ Music – Band, Chorus, Orchestra, General Music
- ✓ Physical Education

PRE-REQUISITES FOR ACCELERATED COURSES:

- **Pre-Algebra 7:** top 20% GPA in Grade 6 Math, score in top 20% on the Math screening exam and/or teacher recommendation.
- **Algebra 1 Regents (8th Grade):** minimum 90% GPA in Pre-Algebra 7, minimum of 85% on the Pre-Algebra 7 final exam and teacher recommendation.
- **Earth Science Regents (8th Grade):** Top 20% GPA in Science 7, minimum of 90% on the Science 7 final exam and teacher recommendation.

MATH

Grade

Regents

Accelerated

6th

Math 6

7th

Math 7

Pre-Algebra (Acc)

8th

Math 8

Algebra I (Acc)*

9th

Algebra I with Lab*

Algebra I *

Geometry*(H)

10th

Geometry with Lab*

Geometry *

Algebra 2* (H)

11th

Algebra 2 with Lab*

Algebra 2*

Pre Calc (H)

College/AP
Stats

College
Algebra

12th

Financial
Mathematics

Pre Calc

College/AP
Stats

College
Algebra

Intermediate
Algebra

AP Calc
(BC)

AP Calc
(AB)

Calculus

College/AP Stats

*Required for Advanced Regents Diploma

Lab classes meet daily with a double period every other day.

Note: Students who excel in Regents classes may be recommended for Honors classes.
Students who do not meet expectations in Honors classes will be recommended for Regents classes.

GRADE 7

Semester 1

HR (MA-FB)	HOMEROOM – MS
1(MA-FB)	COMPUTERS 7
2(MA-FB)	FOREIGN LANGUAGE 1A <u>or</u> ELA AIS 7
3(MA-FB)	ENGLISH 7
4(MA-FB)	LUNCH
5 (A-Days)	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
5 (B-Days)	Band, Orchestra or Chorus (based on previous year placement)
6(MA-FB)	MATH 7 or Pre-Algebra 7
7(MA-FB)	SOCIAL STUDIES 7
8(MA-FB)	TECHNOLOGY 7
9(MA-FB)	SCIENCE 7

Semester 2

HR (MA-FB)	HOMEROOM – MS
1(MA-FB)	ART 7
2(MA-FB)	FOREIGN LANGUAGE 1A <u>or</u> ELA AIS 7
3(MA-FB)	ENGLISH 7
4(MA-FB)	LUNCH
5 (A-Days)	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
5 (B-Days)	Band, Orchestra or Chorus (based on previous year placement)
6(MA-FB)	MATH 7 or Pre-Algebra 7
7(MA-FB)	SOCIAL STUDIES 7
8(MA-FB)	Family & Consumer Sciences
9(MA-FB)	SCIENCE 7

GRADE 8

Semester 1

HR (MA-FB)	HOMEROOM – MS
1(MA-FB)	SCIENCE 8 <u>or</u> Earth Science Regents
2 (A-Days)	READING and WRITING WORKSHOP <u>or</u> ES LAB
3 (A-Days)	HEALTH 8
3 (B-Days)	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
4(MA-FB)	FOREIGN LANGUAGE 1A <u>or</u> B (based on previous year placement)
5(MA-FB)	MATH 8 <u>or</u> Algebra 1 Regents
6(MA-FB)	SOCIAL STUDIES 8 <u>or</u> 8H
7(MA-FB)	LUNCH
8(MA-FB)	ENGLISH 8 <u>or</u> 8H
9(MA-FB)	COMPUTERS 8 <u>or</u> BOC

Semester 2

HR (MA-FB)	HOMEROOM – MS
1(MA-FB)	SCIENCE 8 <u>or</u> Earth Science Regents
2(A-Days)	TECHNOLOGY 8 <u>or</u> ES LAB
3 (A-Days)	HEALTH 8
3 (B-Days)	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
4(MA-FB)	FOREIGN LANGUAGE 1A <u>or</u> B (based on previous year placement)
5(MA-FB)	MATH 8 <u>or</u> Algebra 1 Regents
6(MA-FB)	SOCIAL STUDIES 8 <u>or</u> 8H
7(MA-FB)	LUNCH
8(MA-FB)	ENGLISH 8 <u>or</u> 8H
9(MA-FB)	ART 8 <u>or</u> BOC

*What courses do you and your child
need to select for the 2019-2020 school
year?*

Foreign Language – Spanish 1A or
French 1A

Mount Sinai Middle School Counseling Office

How can we help?

- ✓ Acts as a resource for parents and teachers regarding academic, social and developmental issues.
- ✓ Collaborates with teachers, school personnel and parents/guardians to support students and ensure students are placed correctly academically and receiving proper support to succeed.
- ✓ Attempts to keep students in an enthusiastic, understanding and safe environment where they feel valued and know their concerns are heard.

- ✓ Provides counseling in academic, personal and social domains.
- ✓ Conduct peer mediations/peer support groups when necessary.
- ✓ Counsels students to make better decisions and develop strategies for academic success.
- ✓ Listens to students when they have a problem (death or loss of loved one, anger management,, conflict resolution, self- esteem, peer issues)
- ✓ Classroom visits to discuss scheduling and character education.

***MOUNT SINAI MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSE
PROGRAM PLANNING WORKSHEET***

2019-20

Grade 6 to 7

Course Selection Sheets are due in the

Guidance Office:

Friday, January 11, 2019

***ON OUR WEBSITE:
MOUNT SINAI MIDDLE SCHOOL
CURRICULUM OFFERINGS GUIDE***

- Go to: <http://www.mtsinai.k12.ny.us>
- Click on:
 - Middle School
 - School Policy & Academics
 - Curriculum Guide
 - Grade 6 to 7 Course Worksheet on page 16