

Van Hoosen Middle School

New Student 7th Grade Registration Card

Name: _____
Last Name First Name

Phone: _____ Parent/Guardian E-Mail: _____

REQUIRED FULL YEAR ACADEMIC COURSES

	<u>1st Sem.</u>	<u>2nd Sem.</u>
Language Arts 7	01007	71007
Science 7	06007	76007
World Geography 7	07007	77007
Math 7	04007	74007
*Accelerated Math 7 (if space allows)	04018	74018

**PLEASE NOTE: Course selections are not needed in this box. Students will be placed in the appropriate math course based on course taken in 6th grade. Please provide documentation/current copy of report card from previous school.*

REQUIRED WELLNESS COURSES

Health (20 weeks) and Physical Education 7 (20 weeks)

Students will take 1 full-year elective course OR 2 semester elective courses.

Please complete only ONE box below:

FULL-YEAR ELECTIVE COURSES

40 Weeks

(Choose 1 full-year elective) **

*If your **first choice** is Choir, Band, or Orchestra, mark an X next to that course.*

_____ Choir 7
_____ Band 7 *(this is a 2nd year band course, previous experience with woodwind/brass instruments required)*
_____ Orchestra 7 *(this is a 2nd year orchestra course, previous experience with string instruments required)*

World Language Level 1 (High School Credit): *If your first choice is a World Language, rank courses 1-4 in order of preference. *These classes are for high school credit and are a full year commitment.*

_____ Chinese I *(course will be held at Adams HS)*
_____ French I
_____ German I *(course will be held at Adams HS)*
_____ Spanish I

OR

SEMESTER ELECTIVE COURSES

20 Weeks

(Rank all courses 1-6 in order of preference)

_____ Art 7
_____ Choir 7
_____ Introduction to World Language
_____ Life Skills 7
_____ Software Applications
_____ STEM 7

Note: *Students choosing a full year elective course in the left box will not choose any semester elective courses (leave this box blank).*

****Students who wish to take 2 full-year elective courses, please see back of card for more information****

My child and I have discussed these course selections:

Parent Signature _____

Student Signature _____

Instructions for 7th Grade Registration Card

Our school day consists of six class periods that meet every day of the week. The school year consists of two 20 week semesters.

ACADEMIC COURSES: Every student will be assigned four academic classes. The classes are Language Arts, Science, World Geography, and Math. Students will be placed in the appropriate Math course based on course taken in 6th grade. Please provide documentation/current copy of report card from previous school.

REQUIRED WELLNESS COURSES: PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND HEALTH

These courses are required for all seventh grade students and will not be waived to take additional 20 week elective courses. In the case a 7th grader wishes to take two full year elective courses - ***a full year of Music along with a Level 1 World Language only*** - the Physical Education and Health requirement may be waived.

- *Please be aware that once enrolled in 7th grade full-year music and language, it is not an option to drop either class during that school year.*

ELECTIVE COURSES: Students will take 1 full-year elective OR 2 semester electives. *

- **If your choice is 1 full year elective**, please rank the order of the choice of your World Language elective (1-4) **or** mark an "X" next to the music course choice.
- **If your choice is 2 semester electives**, the 20-week elective classes must be ranked in order of preference (1-6).
- ***If your choice is a full year Music class and a full year World Language class**, mark an "X" by your music choice and rank your World Language choices.

MUSIC: Band 7 or Orchestra 7 should only be selected if Band/Orchestra was taken in 6th grade or special arrangements have been made through the instructor. No experience necessary to choose Choir.

WORLD LANGUAGE: Students have the opportunity to begin learning a Level 1 World Language in 7th grade; however, it is **not** a required elective in 7th grade (students will also have an opportunity to begin Level 1 Language in 8th or high school). Students successfully completing the Level 1 language course in 7th grade can then take Level 2 of that language in 8th grade or in high school. Students receive a high school credit for passing this course. For this reason, they should be organized students who are capable of handling a **high school level** work load. **The grade they receive in this course will be on the high school transcript that goes to colleges.** It will not, however, be factored into the high school grade point average (GPA). **Please be aware that once enrolled in 7th grade language, it is not an option to drop the language class during that school year and switch to another elective.**

****If choosing to begin a Level 1 World Language class, please sign and attach "High School Course Agreement" form to the scheduling card.***

NOTE: Students with IEP's: Certain requirements or course options may be altered as a result of an IEP.

Parents – Please be sure to:

1. Discuss with and assist your child in making the appropriate elective class selections.
2. Fill out the registration card completely and include required signatures on form(s).
3. Provide documentation/a copy of current report card from previous school.

Questions should be directed to the Van Hoosen Counseling Department:

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