

9TH GRADE REGISTRATION



DUE DATE

- **EVERYTHING** is DUE Wednesday, February 12th in the Counseling Center.
 - You can turn in registration forms early, but it **MUST** be turned in by February 12th.
(If you don't turn it in, we pick classes for you 😊)

****Write Counseling Center at the top of the form.**

Counseling Center-DUE: Wednesday, February 12th

MILLCREEK JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

9th GRADE COURSE REQUESTS

SCHOOL YEAR 2020-2021

Student Name _____

Student ID# _____



IMPORTANT DATA

- Use this information on your registration forms to help you make informed decisions for your course selection.
- Proficient: 3 or 4
- Non-proficient: 1 or 2
- SRI Lexile proficiency

Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9
1000-1155	1040-1155	1080-1305

Student Name	Language Arts #	LA Proficiency	SRI Score	Math # Score	Math Proficiency	Science # Score	Science Proficiency
«FIRST» «LAST»	«M_2016_ELA_SCALED»	«LA_Prof»	«SRI»	«MA_Score»	«MA_Prof»	«SC_Score»	«SC_Prof»



	Course Number	Required Courses Semester		Course Number	Required Courses Semester
1	4055 4060	English 9 English 9 Honors	1	4055 4060	English 9 English 9 Honors
2	5200 5205 5305	Secondary Math I Secondary Math I Honors Secondary Math II Honors	2	5200 5205 5305	Secondary Math I Secondary Math I Honors Secondary Math II Honors
3	6300 6200	Earth Science Biology	3	6300 6200	Earth Science Biology
4	4520 4590	World Geography AP Human Geography	4	4520 4590	World Geography AP Human Geography
5	1022 1022 1022	P.E. Skills & Technique 9 Basketball 9 Fitness 9	5		
6			6		
7			7		
8			8		

Suggested courses:
Read 180
Reading Lab
Enriched Reading
Study Skills

Look at end of level testing scores to determine class placement.

Course #	Alternate class choice name	Course #	Alternate class choice name
	1.		3.
	2.		4.

Student Name	Language Arts #	LA Proficiency	Score	Math # Score	Math Proficiency	Science # Score	Science Proficiency



SEMESTER VS. YEAR

- **Semester**
(half year)
- Fill out ONE
box.

- **Full Year**
- Fill out TWO
boxes.



CORE CLASSES

- Everyone takes:
 - math
 - English
 - geography
 - science
- We strongly encourage ALL 9th graders to take P.E.



MATH

- Students currently taking Math 8 will register for Secondary Math I.
- Students currently taking Math 8 Honors will register for Secondary Math I Honors.
 - Honors students in this course will receive differentiated instruction and be required to complete an additional unit each term.
 - You can choose to take Secondary Math I Honors if you are not currently registered for Math 8 Honors. If you want to take honors, you should **LOVE** math and problem solving.
- Students currently taking Secondary Math I Honors will register for Secondary Math II Honors.

Math Options for 9th grade:

- Math 8 → Secondary Math I
- Math 8 Honors → Secondary Math I Honors
- Secondary Math I Honors → Secondary Math II Honors



SUMMER MATH OPTIONS

- The USTAR program offers math classes through the district.
- You **MUST** let your counselor know if you will be completing a summer class.
- If you're interested in summer math to advance your math level, or help you gain stronger math skills, please click on the following website.

<https://www.davis.k12.ut.us/academics/summer-school/junior-high>

- We will email parents and students in April if USTAR is funded.

Summer 2020 Registration for classes is closed until April pending funding.



HONORS ENGLISH, SCIENCE AND GEOGRAPHY

- These classes are advanced classes. The reading and writing are more rigorous and the projects are bigger.
- Your reading Lexile level in this class should be 1200.
- Students may sign up for honors English, Science, or AP Geography.
- If you are interested in taking an honors class, you must:
 1. Sign the honors application.
 2. Circle the class you want on your form.
 3. Think about what you love. Take a class in that area.



EARTH SCIENCE

- Most 9th grade students take this for their science class.
- You study:
 - Astronomy
 - Geology
 - Oceanography
 - Meteorology
 - Environmental science



BIOLOGY

- Biology follows the 10th grade curriculum. There are more projects, reading, and independent learning.
- You study:
 - Cells
 - Genetics
 - Evolution
 - Body Systems



BIOLOGY

- Space is limited for this class. It is recommended students have A's and B's in math and science, end of level test scores of 3 or 4 and enrolled in Secondary Math I Honors.
- You need a lot more math in chemistry and physics when you take these classes in 10th and 11th grade.

Students need to complete 3 science credits to graduate. Here are examples of possible science tracks.			
9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th
Earth Systems	Biology	Chemistry, Physics, or other approved science	

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Biology	Chemistry or Physics	Chemistry, Physics, or other approved science	



ENGINEERING PRINCIPLES 1 & 2

- Exploring seven different types of engineering
 - Biomedical
 - Chemical
 - Civil
 - Computer Science
 - Electrical
 - Materials
 - Mechanical
- The curriculum for this class is rigorous and includes advanced math and science concepts.
- Students will be expected to do regular homework assignments.



ENGINEERING CREDITS

- This course may also be taken to fulfill a third science credit requirement.
 - (Third science means that the other science classes must be foundation science classes. For Example: Earth Science, Biology, Chemistry, or Physics)
- If students take Engineering Principles 1 and 2 for the full year, they can earn 1.0 science credit. This class could be taken in place of Earth Science or Biology.
- This class can also be taken for Career and Technical Education (CTE) credit. This class can be taken for one semester or a full year depending on their graduation credit needs. Students may earn 0.5 (semester) or 1.0 (year) CTE credit.
- This is not a pre-requisite class for other engineering classes taught in the high school. However, it is a great opportunity for students to explore the engineering field by taking this introductory course.



SUMMER SCIENCE OPTIONS

- The USTAR program offers science classes through the district.
- If you're interested in summer Earth Science or Biology, click on the link below. We will email parents and students in April if USTAR is funded.
- **Science Registration Information:**

<https://www.davis.k12.ut.us/academics/summer-school/junior-high>

- You **MUST** let your counselor know if you will be completing a summer class. Write it on your course request form.

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A.P. HUMAN GEOGRAPHY

- Solid reading and writing skills (Lexile >1200)
- Expect 30 min. of homework daily.
- Strong work ethic – COMMITTED to doing your best!
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively.
- Enthusiasm for subject matter.
- Willingness to be an active participant in learning.
- Don't be scared off, but be honest with yourself about your interest, willingness, and commitment.



P.E.

- We strongly encourage ALL 9th graders to take P.E.
- There are three choices for P.E.:
 1. P.E. Skills & Technique 9 (traditional P.E.)
 2. Basketball 9
 3. Fitness 9
 - Yoga
 - Circuit training
 - Kick boxing
 - Zumba
 - Weight lifting



RELEASED TIME

- Released Time is Seminary.
- You are released for a class period to have religious instruction taught by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.
- You don't earn high school credit for it, but you will still graduate on time with enough credits if you take the class.
- It is a full year class.



FINE ARTS

- Students must have 1.5 Fine Arts credits to graduate from high school. These classes are taken 9th-12th grade.
- Classes could be:
 - art
 - choir
 - theater
 - Orchestra
 - band



ART

(THIS COUNTS FOR FINE ARTS CREDIT)

- You must first take Art Foundations 1 before you can take another art class. If you haven't taken Art Foundations 1, you can still take it in 9th grade.
- After you have Art Foundations 1, you can take any of the other art classes.
- Advanced Art Foundations 2 has a prerequisite of 2-D or 3-D art.
- Cut and paste the link below on your computer for more specific information and examples of art projects.

<http://lauraeharris.wixsite.com/millcreekjrart>



CHOIR

(THIS COUNTS FOR FINE ARTS CREDIT)

There are two choices for choir next year:

- 1. Mustang Choir** is a full year choir. You must already have taken choir to be in this choir or get Mrs. Baer's permission. If you haven't taken choir and want to be in the Mustang Choir, see Mrs. Baer and schedule a time to audition.
- 2. Girl's or Boy's Choir-** This class can be taken for a semester or a year. This choir is for students who have never been in choir before, or for someone who can only fit a $\frac{1}{2}$ year of choir into their schedule.



BAND

(COUNTS FOR FINE ARTS CREDIT)

- If you are in Band 2 Concert now, you will sign up for Band 3 Symphonic.
- If you are NOT in band, you can take beginning band next year.
- Try outs for Jazz band are in May. If you make Jazz band, we put it into your schedule for a 0 period before school. You do not write Jazz band on your registration form.
- You earn 1.0 fine arts credit for Band 3.
- You earn 1.0 fine arts credit for Jazz band.



ORCHESTRA

(COUNTS FOR ART CREDIT)

- If you are currently in Orchestra 1, Mrs. Krivanec wants you to take Orchestra 2. You need to have a full year commitment to this class.
- Orchestra 1 is available to all students wishing to participate in orchestra, who do not have previous experience.



CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) CREDIT

- You need at least 1.0 credit (2 semesters) of CTE credit to graduate.
- You can take them anytime 9th-12th grades.
 - Engineering Principles 1
 - Engineering Principles 2
 - Exploring Tech 2 (Prerequisite of Ex. Tech. 1)
 - Food & Nutrition 1
 - Photography
 - Manufacturing Tech Pinterest to Projects
 - Sewing Construction/Textile



WORLD LANGUAGES

- No state college in Utah requires a world language for entrance. However, the U of U highly encourages students to enter the university with 2 years of a foreign language.
- The Regents' Scholarship requires 2 years of a Foreign Language in 9th – 12th grades.



SPANISH

The following classes are available:

- Spanish 1
- Spanish 2
- Spanish 3
- BHS languages offered: Spanish, German, and French
- WXHS languages offered: Spanish, French, and American Sign Language (ASL)



ALTERNATE CLASSES

- Be sure to write in at least **FOUR** alternates.
- If you can't get in a class, and you don't have an alternate, we will give you a class that **WE** choose. We don't want to choose your classes so please choose alternates.



APPLICATION CLASSES

TA, office assistant, peer tutor, or yearbook

- You must fill out an application for these classes. Turn these in with your course request form.
- List them as an **ALTERNATE** class.
- We give 9th graders first choice for these classes.



ASSISTANT AND PEER TUTOR APPLICATION

- List as alternate class.
- Place ranking #1-4

Millcreek Junior High Assistant/Peer Tutor Application

Name: _____ Grade (next year): _____

1. List TA/Peer Tutor/Office Assistant as an ALTERNATE choice on you course request form.
If you get this class, which elective(s) would you like to drop? _____

2. Rank in order your preferences: (#1 - #4) (You do not need all four options)
Peer Tutor Band Peer Tutor Teacher's Assistant Office Assistant

3. Please write why you want to be a peer tutor/teacher assistant/office assistant:

4. Have you had good attendance at school while here at Millcreek? If not, explain why.

5. Have you ever received an "N" or "U" in citizenship? If yes, when and for what reason?

Only check boxes you chose as your preferences on #2.

Peer Tutor:	Teacher Assistant: (Please check all teachers you would TA for)
Colby <input type="checkbox"/>	ANY TEACHER <input type="checkbox"/> Davis/Science <input type="checkbox"/> A. Rosier/CTE <input type="checkbox"/>
(Special Needs)	Densley/UT Hist. <input type="checkbox"/> E. Rosier/CTE <input type="checkbox"/>
King (Band) <input type="checkbox"/>	Allred/History <input type="checkbox"/> Grosshans/English <input type="checkbox"/> S. Smith/English <input type="checkbox"/>
Math (RAP only) <input type="checkbox"/>	Anderson/Geog. <input type="checkbox"/> Harris/Art <input type="checkbox"/> Spinney/Math <input type="checkbox"/>
Math <input type="checkbox"/>	Baer/Music <input type="checkbox"/> Haynes/PE <input type="checkbox"/> Steinhorst/Math <input type="checkbox"/>
(help in class)	Bovey/Math <input type="checkbox"/> Keller/English <input type="checkbox"/> Thompson/Math <input type="checkbox"/>
Office Assistant:	Brooks/PE <input type="checkbox"/> King/Band <input type="checkbox"/> Wilson/Science <input type="checkbox"/>
Main office <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Butler/English <input type="checkbox"/> Krivanec/Orch. <input type="checkbox"/>
Library <input type="checkbox"/>	L. Butler/Math <input type="checkbox"/> Lee/Math <input type="checkbox"/>
Counseling office <input type="checkbox"/>	Castro/Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> Love/English <input type="checkbox"/>
Copy Center <input type="checkbox"/>	Chandler/CTE <input type="checkbox"/> Maughan/Science <input type="checkbox"/>

***For Band Peer Tutor, please check the class that you want to help:
Flute/Oboe Clarinet Brass Percussion

For Band Peer Tutor, Mr. King must sign: _____

To be filled out by Mr. King: 1st semester: 2nd semester:



YEARBOOK APPLICATION

2020-2021 Yearbook Staff Application- READ CAREFULLY

Name: _____

Grade Level next year: 8th 9th

Email Address: _____

Are you willing to stay after school at events to take pictures? YES NO

Are you involved in activities (SBO, cheerleader, athlete, manager...) that cause you to leave school early?

YES NO

Why do you want to take yearbook?

Yearbook is not a regular class but takes place during RAP. Being chosen for the yearbook staff automatically puts you into the Yearbook RAP class. Please attach a current report card to this application and turn it in to the counselors. You will get an acceptance letter from Mrs. Wiedeman if you are selected to be a member of next year's Yearbook Staff!



HIGH SCHOOL TRY OUTS

- If you try out for classes at the high school (drill, football, baseball), there is almost **ALWAYS** a conflict with the junior high schedule.
- We will do our best to accommodate classes, but there are times you will have to give up certain honors or elective classes if you choose to take classes at the high school as a 9th grade student.



QUIZ

- **When is this form due?**
- **What do you need to turn in if you want to take an honors class?**
- **How many alternate classes should you pick?**



FILL OUT FORM

- I will demonstrate how to complete the form.
- Fill this out in PENCIL.
- Talk to your parents about your final class choices.

