

WELCOME FUTURE SYRACUSE  
SEAHAWK



# YOUR PACKET CONTAINS A LOT OF VALUABLE INFORMATION:

MOST IMPORTANT are these two items →



#1: Course description booklet. Gives detailed info on classes you might take next year.

SYRACUSE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL      7th GRADE COURSE REQUESTS      SCHOOL YEAR 2020-2021

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Course Number	Semester Course Title (circle course choice)	Course Number	Semester Course Title (circle course choice)
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5005	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Honors	5005	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Honors
3 6000	Int. Science 7	3 6000	Int. Science 7
6001	Int. Science 7 Honors	6001	Int. Science 7 Honors
4 7050	College/Career Awareness (CCA)	4 7050	College/Career Awareness (CCA)
5 4500	Utah Studies	5 1020	Beginning Fitness 7 (P.E.)
4504	Utah Studies Honors		
6	Fine Arts Choice: (see Foundations L, Music Exploration, Choir, Band, Orchestra or Theatre L)	6	Fine Arts Choice: (see Foundations L, Music Exploration, Choir, Band, Orchestra or Theatre L)
7		7	
8		8	

Alternates (Choose carefully because these courses might be added to your schedule.)

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#2: Course request sheet. This HAS to be filled out with (and signed by) a parent. You will need to bring this to your individual appointment at your elementary school.

**FINE ARTS** (At least 1 full-year Fine Arts required)

**Visual Arts**  
2101 Art Foundations 1 (sem)

**General Music**  
2316 Music Exploration (sem)

**Choir**  
2304 Women's Choir (Soprano/Alto) (girls) (sem)  
2305 Men's Choir (Tenor/Bass) (Boys) (sem)

**Band**  
2204 Band Level 1 (Brass) (year)  
2205 Band Level 1 (Woodwind) (year)  
2206 Band Level 1 (Percussion) (year)

**Orchestra**  
2405 Orchestra 1 (year)

**Theatre**  
2502 Theatre Level 1 (sem)

**PHYSICAL EDUCATION**  
1041 Beginning Dance (sem)  
1041 Intermediate Dance (sem)

**SCIENCE**  
6700 Robotics (sem)

**WORLD LANGUAGES**  
3310 Chinese 1 (year)  
3332 † Chinese 3 DU Honors (year)  
3110 Spanish 1 (year)  
3132 † Spanish 3 DU Honors (year)  
3135 † DU Spanish Culture & Media (sem)

**CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE)**  
7743 Comp. Game Design (Creative coding) (sem)  
7552 Keyboarding 1 (sem)

**ELECTIVES-MISC.**  
4335 Creative Writing (sem)  
4375 Intro. to Public Speaking (sem)  
4154 Lit. Survey (The Last Great Race) (sem)  
408 National Academic League (NAL) (sem)  
4225 Read 180 (sem/year)  
400 Study Hall (sem)  
400 Study Skills (sem)

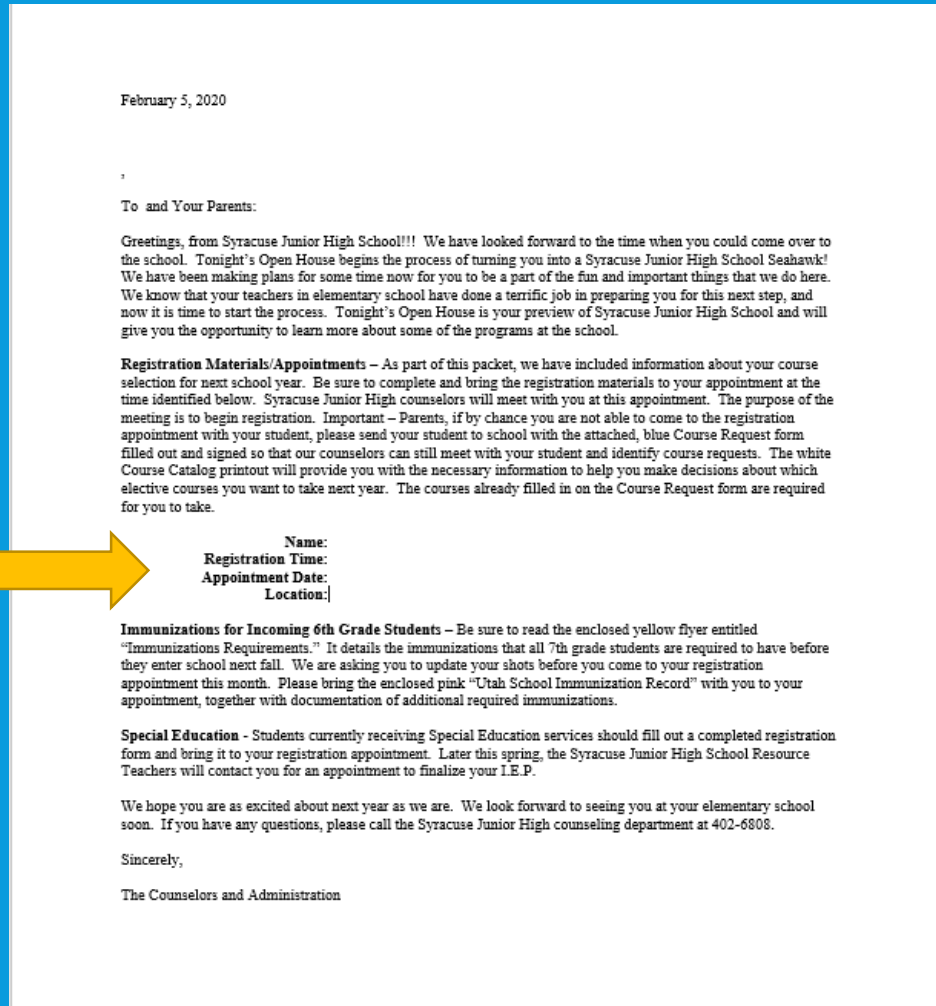
†Dual Language Immersion (DU) Students Only

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# INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT YOUR COURSE REQUEST SHEET

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	6001	Int. Science 7 Honors		6001	Int. Science 7 Honors
4	7050	College/Career Awareness (CCA)	4	7050	College/Career Awareness (CCA)
5	4500	Utah Studies	5	1020	Beginning Fitness 7 (P.E.)
	4504	Utah Studies Honors			
6		Fine Arts Choice: (Art Foundations 1, Music Exploration, Choir, Band, Orchestra, or Theatre 1)	6		Fine Arts Choice: (Art Foundations 1, Music Exploration, Choir, Band, Orchestra, or Theatre 1)
7			7		
8			8		

Alternates (Choose carefully because these courses might be added to your schedule.)

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1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____

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Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Honors classes are self select. If you select an honors, please circle your choice.

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			7		
8			8		

7<sup>th</sup> graders need either 2 semester or 1 year "fine arts" classes

Circle your choice from those provided and add course number

# INSTRUCTIONS CONTINUED

When filling out your course request sheet, please write a full year class in both first and second semester.

Read 180 is a class that can be taken as a semester OR year

4225	Read 180	(sem/year)
400	Study Hall	(sem)

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6	2502	Fine Arts Choice: (Art Foundations I, Music Explorations, Choir, Band, Orchestra, or Theatre I)	6	2101	Fine Arts Choice: (Art Foundations I) Music Explorations, Choir, Band, Orchestra, or Theatre I
7	4225	Read 180	7	4225	Read 180
8	2400	Study Hall	8		

For a semester only class, you can write it in either semester, **but not both**.  
For example, Study Hall is a semester class and can **ONLY** be taken one time in 7<sup>th</sup> grade.

# MORE INSTRUCTIONS

## ALTERNATES MATTER:

Please choose alternates wisely. Expect to get one of these classes in your schedule.

**Alternates (Choose carefully because these courses may/will be added to your schedule.)**

	Course #	Course Title
1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____

# A FEW THINGS:

- Keyboarding:
  - Take this class if you type less than 35 wpm (words per minute), it is a prerequisite to type 35 wpm to take the required 8<sup>th</sup> grade Digital Literacy class.
- Art
  - Consider taking Art Foundations I, if you plan to continue in visual arts in 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade. This class is a prerequisite for any other visual arts class.
- Some students might be a good candidate for the following:
  - Study Skills & Study Hall have the same course number(#400), so please select the specific course that you are interested in (descriptions below).
    - Study Skills: Students needing some organization, note-taking skills, etc.
    - Study Hall: Students who just need more time to work on class/homework
- NAL (National Academic League) This trivia-based curriculum prepares students to compete as a member of the NAL team. Participation in the competitions is required.
- Beginning and Intermediate Dance requires in-class performances every 2-3 weeks.

# MATH ACCELERATION

- Accelerated 7th/8th Grade Math

- This fast-paced course covers all of the 7th and 8th grade USBE standards in a single year! Students must qualify for the Accelerated 7th/8th Grade Math course by scoring in the 90th percentile or above on the quantitative portion of the CogAT exam. The CogAT is given once a month to a maximum of 30 students at different locations beginning in October 2019 and ending in early August 2020-- The CogAT is an age normed exam that assigns a percentile ranking based on the student's performance relative to other students within a 3-month birthday window—waiting until later in the school year is not necessarily beneficial. The CogAT test is free to Davis School District students, non-Davis School District students (including Charter School students) incur a \$35 fee which may be paid the day of testing. Please contact Margo Hammond at [mhammond@dsdmail.net](mailto:mhammond@dsdmail.net) or 801.402.5251 for assistance. (DETAILED LETTER ON ACCELERATED MATH INCLUDED IN REGISTRATION PACKET).

- There are two options if you are not interested in the accelerated math:

- 7<sup>th</sup> grade math honors or regular
- You can sign up for the 7<sup>th</sup> grade math over the summer, and once successful, we will make the change to 8<sup>th</sup> grade math honors for next year (information in March).



# WHEN FINISHED, YOUR COURSE REQUEST SHOULD LOOK LIKE THIS...

These are the classes you are really hoping that you get next year.

These are the classes you will settle for, but they aren't your first choice.

- SAMPLE -

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7	7552 Keyboarding	7	7743 Comp. Game Design
8	3110 Spanish I	8	3110 Spanish I

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1. <u>4335</u>	<u>Creative Writing</u>
2. <u>400</u>	<u>Study Skills</u>
3. <u>6700</u>	<u>Robotics</u>

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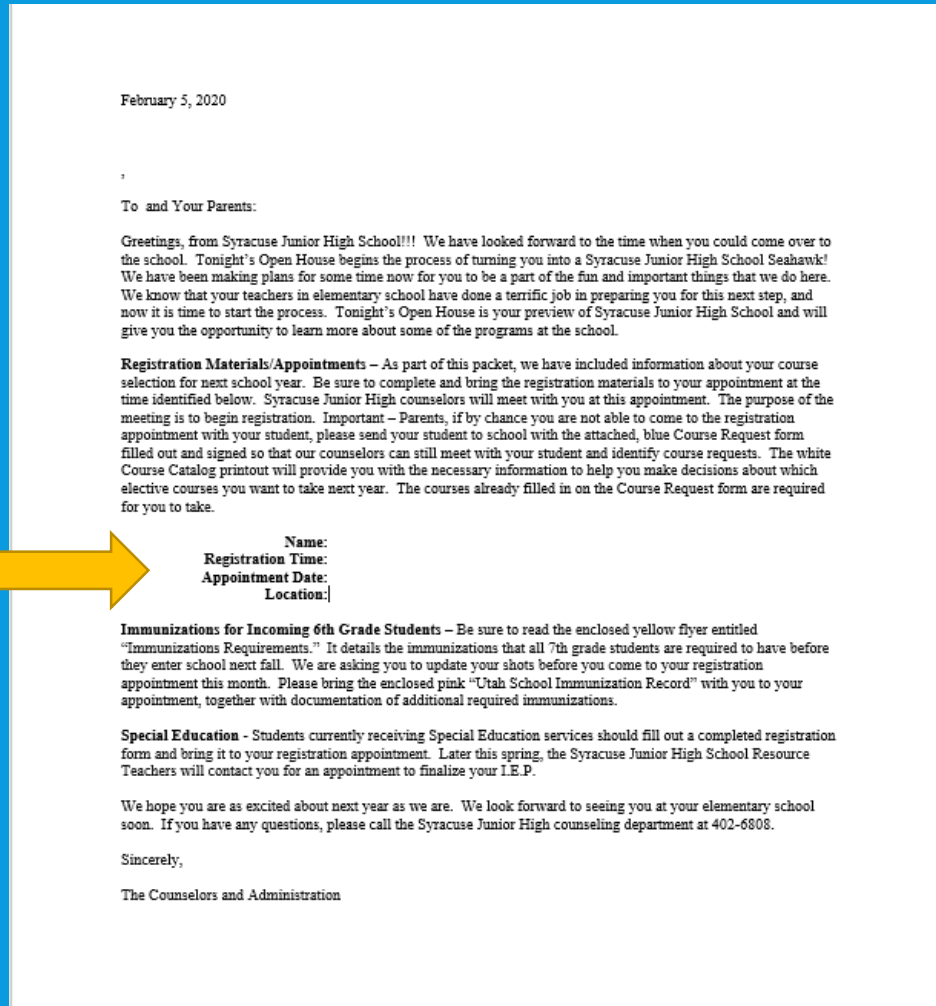
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# LAST NOTES:

- You can access all of the forms/information contained in this presentation at the Syracuse Junior High website under “Registration” at <https://syracusejr.davis.k12.ut.us/parents-students/registration/course-requests>
- Schedules are generated over the summer, based on the classes you request.
  - We will have several schedule change days in August before school begins.
  - \$10 schedule change fee