

7th Grade Registration

PIONEER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL
2020-21

**Return this form to your ADVISOR by:
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2020**

PRINT STUDENT NAME

PARENT SIGNATURE

Hello, 7th Grade Students and Families,

Welcome to the 7th grade registration process! Middle school is an exciting time as more academic opportunities become available to students. This registration process is your opportunity to begin shaping your middle school schedule for the 2020-2021 school year. The Middle School Course Guide with full course descriptions is available online at the PRMS website: prm.district112.org

	Semester 1	Semester 2
	Advisory	Advisory
1	Language Arts	Language Arts
2	Math	Math
3	Introduction to Biology	Introduction to Biology
4	Civics	Civics
5	Intro to Art	Engineering: Design and Modeling
6	Elective (Box A or Box B below)	Elective (Box A or Box B below)
7	Personal Wellness and/or Performance Arts	Personal Wellness and/or Performance Arts

Registration Guidelines

- In this sample schedule, the required courses are listed.
- Students will select courses for their Elective hour and their Personal Wellness/Performing Arts option.
- Individual schedules and hours will vary in appearance and class order.
- Students will be scheduled in teams for the 20-21 school year based on their individual school requests and course availability.
- We do our best to honor all student course requests, however, classes are subject to availability and may be cancelled if registration numbers or staffing can't support one section.
- Questions? Please call one of our counselors.

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Step 1: Complete Box A or B

Box A

World Language – FULL YEAR

High School Credit*

Choose one

- _____ Spanish 1*
- _____ Spanish 2*: Prerequisite: Spanish 1**
- _____ Spanish 3*: Prerequisite: Spanish 2**

*Parents, please read and sign consent form on back.

**Successfully completed prerequisite

OR

Box B

7th Grade Semester Electives

Select 4 – Please number 1-4 in the order of preference.

1 = Elective you want the most. Numbers 3 & 4 are your alternates

- _____ **Engineering: Robotics & Manufacturing:** 22709
- _____ **Food Company Incorporated:** 23713
- _____ **Lifetime Recreation:** 27717
- _____ **Multimedia Mashup:** 22716
- _____ **Weird & Wacky Art:** 21711

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS ON BACK

Step 2: Select your Personal Wellness or Performance Arts option

Select One:

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| _____ Band and Personal Wellness | _____ Band and Choir* |
| _____ Choir and Personal Wellness | _____ Band and Orchestra* |
| _____ Orchestra and Personal Wellness | _____ Choir and Orchestra* |
| _____ Personal Wellness Every Day (No Performing Arts) | |

*taking 2 music courses may result in not being with your same grade level



Engineering: Robotics and Manufacturing: This course allows learners to explore the history, development, and influence of robotics and manufacturing as they learn about mechanical systems, energy transfer, machine automation, and computer control systems. Learners use the VEX Robotics® platform to design, build, and program real-world objects such as traffic lights, toll booths, and robotic arms. This course will also provide learners the opportunity to explore a variety of manufacturing operations in the woodshop

Food Company Incorporated: Are you a Foodie? Would you like to compete in a "Cupcake Wars" competition? Then this is the class for you! You and your team will create the ultimate business plan including an advertising campaign and nutrition label. The finale includes "Opening Day" for your food company and invited customers. Smoothies anyone?

Lifetime Recreation is designed for the individual that seeks participation in activities that emphasize moderate physical activity and social interaction. Topics can vary based on facilities but may include: Team Building and Leadership Concepts, Aquatic Fitness, Scuba Diving, Snorkeling, Cross Country Skiing, Snowshoeing, Tennis, Badminton, Ping Pong, Pickle Ball, Frisbee Golf, Golf, Yard Games, and Archery.

Multimedia Mashup: Gaming, videos, pictures, music, oh my! If you're interested in having fun and being creative, this class is for you. You will learn many ways to use multimedia resources online or offline to get your point across in the best way possible while using these resources safely and appropriately.

Weird & Wacky Art: Find out about many of the fun, crazy, and famous artworks from around the world and throughout history. This is a class for those students who can get into the "believe it or not" of art creation. Projects will include some of your own unusual art using clay, paint, drawing, papier mache, printmaking, and collage.

Complete this section ONLY if your child is taking Spanish

Middle School Parent Consent Form for Full Year Spanish

Student Name: _____

In order to determine if you are prepared for the expectations of a full year course, please read the following statements:



- I understand that all full year world language courses are high school level courses. The pace and rigor will be fast and challenging for the average 7th grade student, and this is an accelerated course.
- I understand that the grade that I receive in the course will be included in my high school transcript and accumulative Grade Point Average.
- I already know which language interests me, and I am committed to that language.
- I understand that I will be required to pass a language proficiency exam in order to advance to the next level of language study.
- I am dedicated to studying on a daily basis and am prepared for the rigor of high school level work.
- I plan to take six to seven consecutive years of a single language, I plan to learn multiple languages, or I have already had experience learning a language. My goal is to work towards fluency.
- I understand that full year language will take the place of one hour of Elective.

Special Note: If you do not desire to take more than two years of a world language, taking world language courses later in your high school career will better prepare you for college foreign language requirements. ***Spanish 3 may require that you travel to another building.***

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I have read the above information and understand the expectations required of a full year language course.

Student signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE NOTE: Curriculum adjustments may be made pending upcoming School Board decisions. Students and families will be updated when and if this happens.