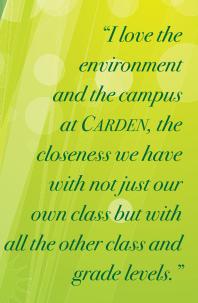


By middle school our students are ready for the challenges of a departmentalized program taught by teachers trained specifically in their subjects. Our focus is for students to graduate from Carden with a comprehensive understanding of their subjects, rather than an education comprised of an assortment of facts garnered solely by rote. Our middle school students rotate through five periods of academic courses and two periods of enrichment "center" classes each day.

For seventh graders our curriculum includes Latin, which broadens their vocabulary development as it enhances their overall mastery of English and prepares them for advanced levels in high school and college. Eighth graders at Carden take Spanish 1 and either Algebra 1 or geometry.



Eighth grade student