

SKYVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL
8th Grade Course Request Sheet 2024-2025 - Class of 2029

Student FIRST & LAST name: _____ Student ID: _____

- Select both A & B for year long courses. Year long courses count as 2 semesters.
- Course descriptions can be found in the 8th Grade Course Catalog: <https://skyview.nsd.org/counseling>

REQUIRED COURSES							
Important Information							
• We strongly encourage all students to select all Challenge classes. Middle school is a time to stretch and explore, and this is a great time for students to begin their post secondary preparation.							
Special Programs - Multilingual Learners, Special Education, AAP/Highly Capable							
• Students that qualify for special programs will be automatically placed in the appropriate core courses.							
• See page 2 for additional information.							
Year Long Required Courses							
✓ A	✓ B	Challenge English 8	ENG850A&B	✓ A	✓ B	English 8	ENG800A&B
✓ A	✓ B	Challenge Integrated Science 8	SCI805A&B	✓ A	✓ B	Integrated Science 8	SCI800A&B
✓ A	✓ B	Challenge US History 8	SSS855A&B	✓ A	✓ B	US History 8	SSS800A&B
✓ A	✓ B	Math: Students will automatically be placed in the next sequential math course. Math teachers will communicate any placement questions.		✓		Health Fitness 8 *1 semester	PHF800

ELECTIVE COURSES							
Important Information							
• See the 8th Grade Course Catalog for prerequisites. *Indicates prerequisite required.							
Preferred Elective Courses							
• Select 3 semesters for your Preferred Elective Courses. • Number your choices in the order of preference 1-3.							
Alternate Elective Courses							
• Select 6 semesters for your Alternate Elective Courses. • Number your choices in the order of preference 4-9.							
• Alternate Elective Courses must be different from your Preferred Elective Courses.							
• Counselors will place students into Alternate Elective Courses based on space availability of Preferred Elective Courses.							
Semester Long Elective Courses							
#	Art 7/8	ART780	#	Library TA *Application Required	YLA780		
#	Beginning Weight Training 8	PWT800	#	Office TA *Application Required	YMO780		
#	Ceramics 7/8	ACE780	#	Peer Tutoring	YYN075		
#	Computer Science 1	BCS700	#	Robotics Foundations 7/8	TER780		
#	Computer Science 2*	BCS800	#	Team Sports 7/8	PTS850		
#	Drama 7/8	DRA780	#	Video Graphics 8	TEV810		
#	Exploring Technology 1	TEC700	#	Walking Fitness 8	PWA800		
#	Exploring Technology 2*	TEC800	#	Yearbook 7/8	ENG870		
#	Leadership 7/8	YYN785					
Year Long Elective Courses							
A#	B#	Choir 8	MUV830A&B	A#	B#	Spanish 100	WLS100A&B
A#	B#	Orchestra	MU0530A&B	A#	B#	Symphonic Band	MUB520A&B
Year Long Special Services							
A#	B#	Academic Lab 6/7/8	SPL678A&B	A#	B#	Social Skills 7/8	SPC770A&B
A#	B#	English Language Development	ELL781A&B				

COURSE SELECTION COMMITMENT

- Some elective courses may not be offered if the number of students requesting that course is not adequate, or if staffing is not available.
- Skyview Middle School cannot guarantee that students will receive the elective courses selected.
- By signing below, you are making a commitment to the course selections you have made.
- Course change requests will only be considered for the following reasons:
 - Placement in the wrong level or a duplicate course.
 - Appropriate medical reason.
 - Incomplete schedule.

Student Signature:

Parent or Guardian Signature:

SPECIAL PROGRAMS - MULTILINGUAL LEARNERS, SPECIAL EDUCATION, AAP/HIGHLY CAPABLE

Multilingual Students Receiving ELD Services

- Students should select their required and elective courses on page 1. If they qualify for an ELD English Language Arts course, students will be placed in that course with parent notification. This course will replace the student's grade-level English Language Arts course.
- ELD** is an acronym for English Language Development.

Students Receiving SPED Services

- Placement for required courses in their qualifying areas will be determined by each student's IEP team. This includes students in our FSA, Mid-Level, and LC programs. Students should register for required courses that are NOT in their qualifying areas. Questions regarding placement can be communicated by your student's case manager or counselor.
- SPED** is an acronym for Special Education.

Students Receiving AAP/Highly Capable Services:

- Students should select their required and elective courses on page 1. Qualifying students will automatically be placed into AAP/Highly Capable Math and Reading classes based on current year placements or information from the District.
- AAP** is an acronym for Advance Academic Placement.
- Highly Capable Students:** I have qualified as Highly Capable in Reading. I have qualified as Highly Capable in Math.
- Parents and Guardians of Highly Capable students:** If your student qualifies for AAP/Highly Capable courses and you prefer that they are NOT enrolled in AAP/Highly Capable courses, please email your student's counselor.

COUNSELOR INFORMATION

- If you would like to communicate any extenuating circumstances regarding your schedule for next year, please contact your counselor directly.

- Additional information and forms can be found on the Skyview Middle School website in the Counseling section:
<https://skyview.nsd.org/counseling>

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