



WELCOME TO KOMACHIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

6th Grade Parent Night

ADVISORY

(KASSIE LUDEMAN)

- Based on grade level
- Same advisory for 6th-8th grade
- Meets everyday
 - Monday - Grade check/binder clean out; Start SEL Lesson
 - Tuesday - Wolf Pack Time (Study Hall)
 - Wednesday - SEL Lesson
 - Thursday - Wolf Pack Time (Study Hall)
 - Friday - Friendship Friday

NEXT UP: KASSIE LUDEMAN

ADVISORY

(KASSIE LUDEMAN)

CONTACT ADVISOR	CONTACT CONTENT TEACHER
● YOUR STUDENT NEEDS SOME TLC FOR THE DAY ● YOUR STUDENT IS STRUGGLING IN MULTIPLE CLASSES	● YOU HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT A SPECIFIC CLASS ● YOUR STUDENT IS STRUGGLING IN A PARTICULAR CLASS

NEXT UP: KELLI NYE

SCHOOL COUNSELORS

(KELLI NYE)

- Mrs. Sawyer and Mrs. Nye
- Each student is assigned a counselor
 - When you receive your schedule in the fall, you will recognize your counselor's name on your schedule under 7th period (you do not have a 7th period class)
 - Last Names A-L (Sawyer)/M-Z (Nye)
- Here to help your student transition through middle school & process peer, friendship, and bullying issues.



NEXT UP: TAMMY GREENWELL

SKYWARD

(TAMMY GREENWELL)

- Family Access – find student grades and attendance
 - Check WEEKLY
 - Set alerts for missing assignments, grades, attendance, etc.
- Make sure your information is updated
- Sign up for conferences through Skyward
- Setup notifications in Skyward (i.e. missing work, grade threshold, attendance etc.)

NEXT UP: KELLY SERRAO

CANVAS

(KELLY SERRAO)

- Used for most classes
- Become an observer in your student's class
- Still check Skyward for an accurate representation of your student's grades

The screenshot shows the Canvas LMS Dashboard. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation icons for Account, Dashboard, Courses, Calendar, Inbox, History, Commons, and Help. The main content area is titled 'Dashboard' and features a 'Published Courses (4)' section. This section contains four course cards: 'ADVISORY 8-REHN' (blue), 'Komachin' (white with green text and logo), 'ACCELERATED MATH 6 S2-REHN' (teal), and 'MATH 6 S2-REHN' (green). Below this is an 'Unpublished Courses (0)' section with the message 'No courses to display'. On the right side of the dashboard, there are sections for 'Coming Up' (Nothing for the next week), 'Recent Feedback' (Nothing for now), and two buttons: 'Start a New Course' and 'View Grades'.

Dashboard

Published Courses (4)

- ADVISORY 8-REHN
ADVISORY 8-REHN
2023/2024 YR.
- Komachin**
Go Wolves!
Komachin Staff
Komachin
- ACCELERATED MATH 6 S2-REHN
ACCELERATED MATH 6 S2-R...
2023/2024 S2
- MATH 6 S2-REHN
MATH 6 S2-REHN
2023/2024 S2

Unpublished Courses (0)

No courses to display

Coming Up [View Calendar](#)
Nothing for the next week

Recent Feedback
Nothing for now

[Start a New Course](#)

[View Grades](#)

NEXT UP: MUSIC DEPARTMENT

MUSIC

(MUSIC DEPARTMENT)

- In the fall, please check your student's schedule to make sure they are assigned the correct music class.
- Music classes are a year long commitment - students must remain in the class for both semesters.



Mrs. Schooler - Orchestra



Mrs. Rucker - Choir



Ms. Ninee - Band

NEXT UP: MEGAN BIRGE

SCHEDULES

(MEGAN BIRGE)

- Check student's schedule in the fall to make sure they have all their core class (math, science, English, and social studies).
- If you're concerned about special education services, contact your current case manager so they can put you in touch with the right person

**Schedule changes will only be available for students who are placed in an incorrect class or missing a class (i.e. band instead of orchestra, missing a math class, etc.)*

NEXT UP: KASSIE LUDEMAN

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

(KASSIE LUDEMAN)



- Label school supplies (i.e. label math notebook: Student Name/Math)
- Check your backpack weight – students carry them from class to class all day

**Please check in with your student periodically to refill supplies throughout the school year.*



NEXT UP: GOOLSHAN REHN

STUDENT PLANNER

(GOOLSHAN REHN)

- Use everyday in ALL classes
- Write down all homework assignments
- Utilize the planner at home too
- Check in with your child daily
- Great communication tool (parent reminders for student, appointments, etc.)
- Have a planner? Share it with your student!

**1st planner is free, after that students must purchase a replacement for \$5*

NEXT UP: GOOLSHAN REHN

(GOOLSHAN REHN)



CHROMEBOOKS

(KIM MATTHEWS)

- Distributed in the fall
- Must be in the case at all times
- Used for academics
- Charge every night & bring every day
- Chargers should stay at home. (\$20 to replace)
- No stickers/gum wrappers/writing on CB or case
- Problems? See Mrs. Matthews in library
- \$10 assurance cost to each student covers routine problems.
- Repeated damage, purposeful damage or lost devices will incur additional cost to repair or replace.



NEXT UP: NATE GRYGORCEWICZ & SHAWN McDONALD

BEHAVIOR EXPECTATIONS

NATE GRYGORCEWICZ (MR. G.) & SHAWN McDONALD (MR. MCD.)

- School & Family Partnership
- Parking lot/safety
- PACK (Pride/Respect, Achievement, Citizenship, Kindness)
- HIB (Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying)
- Attendance: In School, On time, All Day, Every Day
- Electronic Policy – Off & away ALL day

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NEXT UP: GOOLSHAN REHN

TIPS FOR SUCCESS

(GOOLSHAN REHN)

- Set up a homework station without electronics (other than Chromebook)
- Consistent homework time
- Check Skyward **weekly** (students and parents)
- Check Planner **daily** (students and parents)
- Charge Chromebook outside of bedroom every night
- Consistent bedtime (keep electronics out of bedroom)
- Healthy breakfast
- Be proactive/advocate for yourself
- ParentSquare – communication tool coming in August

NEXT UP: HEATHER HOPKINS

GET READY FOR 6TH GRADE THIS SUMMER

(HEATHER HOPKINS)



- Math

- Memorize multiplication/division facts (1-10)
- Get on Khan Academy and review 5th grade math or get a head start on 6th grade math

- English

- Read at least 15-20 minutes a day
- Aim for 15 pages a night

- Science

- Get outside and appreciate the natural world
- Practice developing questions (why/how changes & patterns we see are happening)

NEXT UP: KATIE BAYDO-REED

WHAT'S SO AWESOME ABOUT 6TH GRADE?

(KATIE BAYDO-REED)



- More independence
- You get to rotate through advisory and 6 different classes throughout the day
- Reward days at the end of each quarter
- Clubs (Multicultural & Equity Club, FLBA, HOSA, ASB)
- Intramurals

NEXT UP: NATE GRYGORCEWICZ

THANK YOU FOR COMING!
WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING
YOU THIS FALL!

