

# ACPS Middle School Courses

The ACPS middle school curriculum provides a transitional experience for the student between the elementary and secondary years. The curriculum includes instruction in the core areas of language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, physical education, and health. Elective programs include opportunities for instruction in World Languages, Career and Technical Education, and Visual and Performing Arts.

Content Area	6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade	9th Grade
LANGUAGE ARTS	Language Arts 6	Language Arts 7	Language Arts 8	English 9 Advanced
				English 9 Honors
MATH	Math 6	Math 7	Math 8	Algebra I
			Algebra I	Geometry
	Math 6 Compacted	Algebra I	Geometry	Geometry Honors
				Algebra II
			Algebra II and Trigonometry Honors	
SCIENCE	Science 6	Science 7 - Life Science	Science 8 - Physical Science	Earth Science
				Biology
				Biology Honors
				Physics Honors
HISTORY	US History 6	US History 7	Civics and Economics 8	World History I
				World History I Honors
				World Geography
				World Geography Honors
PE and Health	PE & Health 6	PE and Health 7	PE and Health 8	Health I
				Virtual Health I
				PE I
				Virtual PE I

Content Area	6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade
Fine Arts	Art 6 exploratory	Art 7	Art 8
	Band 6	Band 7	Band 8
	Chorus 6	Chorus 7	Chorus 8
	Drama 6 exploratory	Drama 7	Drama 8
	Music 6 exploratory	Music 7	Music 8
	Orchestra 6	Orchestra 7	Orchestra 8
	---	Broadcast Journalism	Broadcast Journalism
	---	Creative Writing	Creative Writing
	---	Debate	Debate
	---	Guitar	Guitar
	---	Humanities	Humanities
	---	Mixed Media Art	Mixed Media Art
	---	Photography	Photography
	---	Sculpture 7	---
---	Yearbook	Yearbook	
Career and Technical Education (CTE)	<b>Career Investigations</b>	---	---
	CTE Coding, Cyber, and IT Exploration exploratory	CTE Coding, Cyber, and IT Exploration	CTE Coding, Cyber, and IT Exploration
	STEM Manufacturing and Prototyping exploratory	STEM Design & Construction Exploration	STEM Design & Construction Exploration
		STEM Engineering Exploration	STEM Engineering Exploration
	---	CTE Leadership Exploration 2	CTE Leadership Exploration 3
	---	CTE Media, Arts, and Design Exploration	CTE Media, Arts, and Design Exploration
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World Language	World Language exploratory	French A	French I
			Latin I
		Spanish A	Spanish I
			Spanish for Fluent Speakers
AVID	AVID 6	AVID 7	AVID 8