



Overland Trail Middle School

8TH GRADE ENROLLMENT 2020-2021



MS PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE

Student Name: _____

Required Courses

All 8th grade students are enrolled in the following required courses:

Required Courses:	
English (Full year course)	Social Studies (Full year course)
Science (Full year course)	Physical Education (Semester course)
Math (Full year course)	

Step #1: Math Courses

8th grade students will enroll in one of the following mathematics courses. **Please refer to teacher recommendation** to assist you with the choice. The Middle School Program Planning Guide can be found at the QR code above or on the Blue Valley website at, www.bluevalleyk12.org, under Parents/Students, Curriculum. **Please mark one with an "X" in the corresponding box:**

Integrated Mathematics 8

Algebra I

Step #2: Elective Courses

Elective courses are offered for either one semester or a full school year (2 semesters). You will need to fill 5 semesters for your elective courses next year.

Music & World Language

Please indicate your desire to take a music course by placing an "X" in the corresponding box:

Band 8	<i>Previous Band experience required.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2 semesters
Strings 8	<i>Previous Orchestra experience required.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2 semesters
Vocal Music 8	<i>You may select a full year <u>or</u> semester course.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2 semesters <input type="checkbox"/> 1 semester
Spanish 2	<i>Spanish 1A and 1B or equivalent is required. Spanish 2 may count for HS credit.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2 semesters
Chinese 2	<i>Chinese 1A and 1B or equivalent is required. Chinese 2 may count for HS credit.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2 semesters
Beginning Chinese 2	<i>Prerequisite Beginning Chinese 1 (7th grade)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2 semesters

***Online PE is an option for 7th and 8th grade students during first semester in cases that a student's schedule is full or they are looking for more flexibility. Please contact the OTM counselor to discuss this option at (913.239.5416)

Additional Elective Courses

Please rank **ALL** the courses from 1 (first choice) to 11 (last choice).

These courses meet every day for a semester. The Middle School Program Planning Guide can be found at the QR code above or on the Blue Valley website at, www.bluevalleyk12.org under Parents/Students, Curriculum.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Visual Arts 8* Taking 3 years of Visual Arts in middle school will waive Design Fundamentals in HS.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Exploring Foods 8* Taking this class will waive the prerequisite for a few of the HS foods classes.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Design & Robotics 8*	<input type="checkbox"/>	Theatrical Productions 8
<input type="checkbox"/>	Code Studio 8	<input type="checkbox"/>	Modern Communications 8
<input type="checkbox"/>	My Style 8**	<input type="checkbox"/>	Digital Media & Design 8
<input type="checkbox"/>	Study Hall 8	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pre-Engineering 8*

*NOTE: This class has a fee.

**NOTE: Additional cost for student projects.

Step #3

Please sign and date below indicating these are your choices for the 2019-20 school year.

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

Student Signature _____

Date _____

Important Points to Consider

This document is used to create your class schedule. We work hard to enroll each student in the classes that have been selected and give students their top elective choices. However, class size, staff availability, and time slots may impact the student's schedule.

Please review the following checklist prior to turning in your completed form.

- Select one math course
- Review the elective course list
- If your student has an IEP please consult your child's case manager before completing the enrollment form
- **Thoughtfully rank ALL the elective courses**

If you have any questions, please contact:

Kristin Emmitt, School Counselor
All 7th grade students
6th grade students, last names A - L
kemmitt@bluevalleyk12.org
913-239-5418

Melanie Watson, School Counselor
All 8th grade students
6th Grade Students, last names M - Z
mwatson@bluevalleyk12.org
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MOVING?

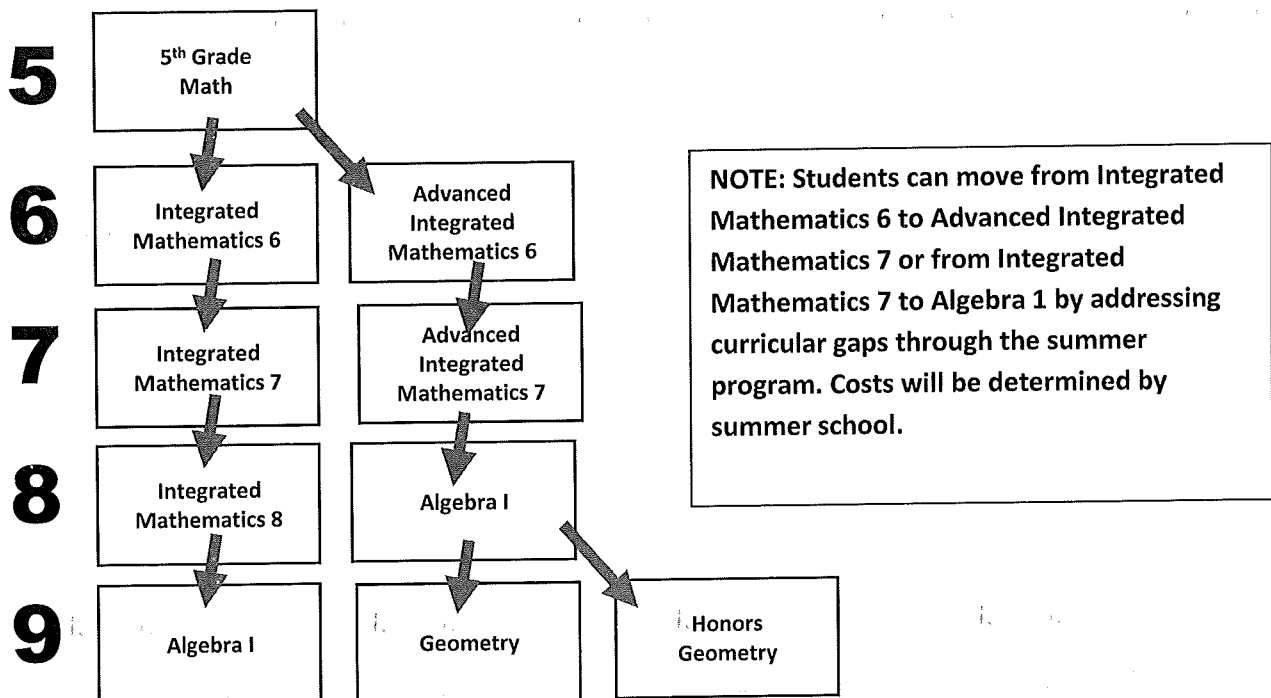
If you are planning to move, please contact
Melanie Rockers, Registrar.
marockers@bluevalleyk12.org or 913-239-5416

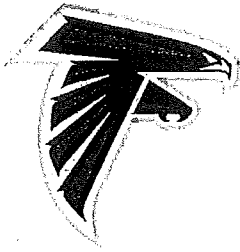
Dear Families:

As we begin the enrollment process, we want you to be aware of the math progression as a student transitions from elementary to middle to high school. The chart below details the math progression from 5th grade math into high school.

The requirement for graduation from a high school in the Blue Valley School District is 3 credits (6 semesters of passing grades) in math courses at the high school. Pre-Algebra does not count towards Board of Regents requirements.

For Board of Regents qualified admissions into a Regents' University, students graduating from an accredited Kansas High School must have an ACT score of 21 or higher or an SAT score of 980 or higher, or complete 4 credits of Math including Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2, with one unit taken in the graduating year.





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Previous School: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

The following student(s) have enrolled in our school:

Name: _____ Grade: _____

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Please provide the following student records:

Birth Certificate: _____

Academic Information: _____

Transcripts: _____

Standardized Test Scores: _____

Attendance: _____

Discipline Records: _____

Health Records & Immunizations: _____

IEP/504, if applicable: _____

Under public law 93-380, now amended in Section 99.34, PL 35-568. No parent signature is required for educational records sent to another educational agency.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Overland Trail Middle School Education History

Student Name _____ Date _____

Current Grade Level _____

Date Student Entered U.S. School _____

Date Student Entered Kansas School _____

Grade Level	Dates	School Name	Public or Private	School Address	School Phone#
Kindergarten					
1 st Grade					
2 nd Grade					
3 rd Grade					
4 th Grade					
5 th Grade					
6 th Grade					
7 th Grade					
8 th Grade					