Articulation from Grade 6 to Grade 7

Silver Creek Middle School
Home of the Huskies

Counseling Office

Ms. Robinson – Rising 6th Grade Counselor

Mr. Skillings Rising 7th Grade Counselor

Ms. Gottlieb– Rising 8th Grade Counselor

Ms. Levine – Resource Counselor and 8th Grade

Ms. Williamson – Counseling Secretary and Registrar

Life at Silver Creek Middle School

Building a caring COMMUNITY where EVERYONE feels welcome!
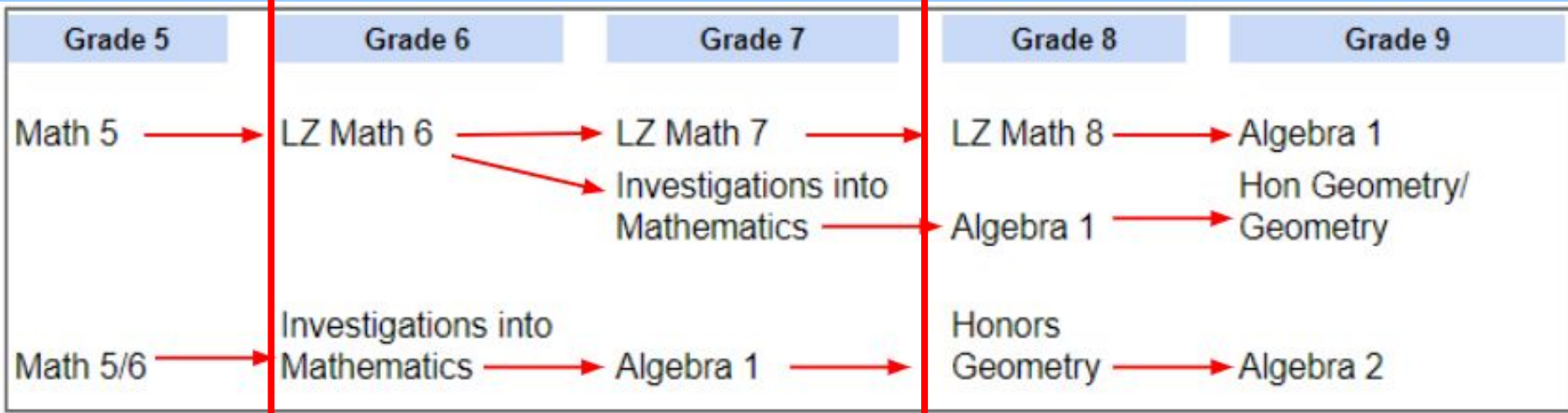
Academic Program

REQUIRED CLASSES	
1 **ADV English 7**	**Registered Automatically**
2 **ADV World Studies 7**	**Registered Automatically**
3 **Investigations in Science 7**	**Registered Automatically**
4 **Health/PE 7**	**Registered Automatically**
5 **Math**	**Based on recommendation**
6 **Reading Course OR World Language**	**Based on recommendation**
7 **Electives Choice** (Music, Art, Technology)	**Semester & year long options**

SILVER CREEK MIDDLE SCHOOL
MATHEMATICS ARTICULATION
2019-2020

Grade 5	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9
Math 5 →	LZ Math 6 →	LZ Math 7 →	LZ Math 8 →	Algebra 1
		Investigations into Mathematics →	Algebra 1 →	Hon Geometry/ Geometry
Math 5/6 →	Investigations into Mathematics →	Algebra 1 →	Honors Geometry →	Algebra 2

NEW State of Maryland Graduation Requirement =
Pass Algebra 1A and 1B **and** Pass Algebra MCAP Assessment

Additional Support Classes Offered by Teacher Recommendation Only:

- LZ Math 6 = Math 180
- IM 7th Grade = Related IM
- Algebra 8th Grade = Related Algebra

Digital Literacy

- Research skills
- Developing Core Knowledge
- Reading strategies

- Students that have not yet met proficiency on MAP Growth
- Students not quite ready to take a World language/High School credit course
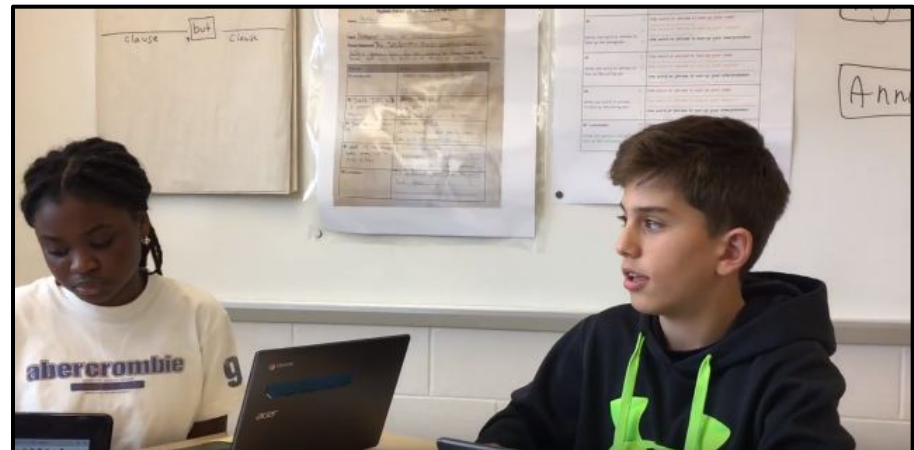
Reading Interventions

- Read 180

- Academic Literacy

- Basic Reading

- Students below proficient in reading

Academic Program Continued

ELECTIVE CHOICES
Full Year Courses
MS Chorus 2
MS Orchestra II
MS Band II
Semester Pairs

Semester 1 (Aug. – Jan.)	Semester 2 (Feb. – June)
MS Studio Art 2	MS Digital Art & Photo 2
Prin Info Tech, CyberSec, Engineering	Invention Engineering

Planning with your end goal in mind…

- **Support systems**
  - Who are supports in school for you now?

- **Investigate your interests**

- **Build for the future**
  - Select classes that interest you
  - High School credit vs Middle School classes

- **Help develop your "Life Skills"**
  - Responsibility
  - Accountability
  - Organization

Technology Classes at SCMS

7th Grade—**full year course**

●**Principles of Info Tech, Cyber Security, & Engineering**
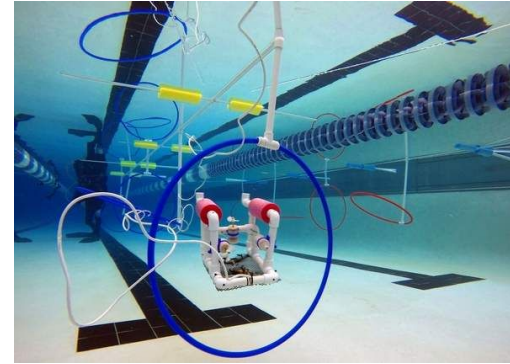
8th Grade-Full Year High School Credit Courses

●**Intro to Engineering Design (IED)**

●**Foundations of Computer Science (FOCS)**

●**Both are high school credit courses**

VAPA & World Language Electives

World Language	Visual and Performing Arts
French French 2AB, French 3AB (if you took 2AB grade 6) **Spanish** Spanish 2AB, Spanish 3AB (if you took 2AB grade 6) *If you took Digital Literacy as a 6th grader, you will move into Spanish/ French 1AB	**Music** Band 2, Orchestra 2, Chorus 2 *Full year courses **Visual Arts** Studio Art 2- Digital Art 2 *See next slide*

VISUAL ART

DIGITAL ART
Photo/ MS Digital Art

Art 2

SEMESTER COURSE

- Grade 6 art is comprised of six units of study that delve into key areas of the visual arts. These units include:

- 1.) Design
  2.) Drawing
  3.) Sculpture 4.) Painting
  5.) Ceramics 6.) Printmaking

Photo/ MS Digital Art 2

- In this Grade 7 semester course, students use Digital Art software (Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator) in a rigorous, project-based learning environment that promotes relevance and engagement. Students acquire knowledge and skill sets connected to Grade 7 content areas involving the use of application, web-based, and multimedia tools.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1JPXUKg_WHYIdLzZzzoXeN_uUCAudBkXk/view?usp=sharing
Electives Video

How can we support you during school?

- **Academic Support:**
  - Lunch time help

- **Social and Emotional Support:**
  - Individual Counseling
  - Group Counseling
  - Classroom lessons

How can we support you after school?

- **Academic Supports:**
  - Homework Club on Tuesdays and Thursdays afterschool
  - Benchmarks YMCA program
  - Extended Day Math
  - George B. Thomas Learning Academy (Saturday)

Directions to Register:

You will register online AND on paper
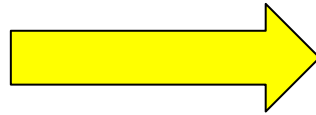
Fill out the top of the paper registration to the best of your knowledge

STUDENT _____ STUDENT ID# _____

PLEASE PRINT   (Last Name)   (First Name)

2020-2021 Silver Creek Middle School 7th Grade Registration

Parent/Guardian's Name_____   Parent/Guardian's Name_____

E-Mail _____   E-Mail _____

Cell Phone_____   Cell Phone_____

Home Phone _____Work Phone_____   Home Phone _____Work Phone_____

Student above Receives ('X' all that apply)
☐ Special Education Services via an IEP
☐ 504 Accommodations
☐ ESOL services

REQUIRED COURSES

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All Students are Registered for 4 Core Classes	Course #
☒ ADV English 7	101400
☒ ADV World Studies 7	200600
☒ Investigations in Science 7	352900
☒ Health/Physical Education 7	761000

Math Course: Choose 1 based on current math class & teacher recommendation	Course #
☐ Math 7 (self-contained)	306100
☐ MATHINVSTGTIONS.	300100
☐ Algebra 1A/1B	311100 311200

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			☐ French 2A/B	161200/162200	
			☐ Honors French 3A/B	163300/164300	
			☐ Spanish 1A/B	171100/172100	
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Students – From the nine Elective course options below, please label your top 3 choices using #1, #2, & #3.
NOTE: You will only register for your #1 full year course or semester pair on-line.

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☐ MS Chorus 2	669500	☐ MS Studio Art 2/MS Digital Art & Photo 2	600100/612300
☐ MS Band 2	683000	☐ Prin Info Tech Cyber Sec. Eng.	790400
☐ MS Orchestra 2	686000		

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Parent/Guardian Signature   Student Signature

Next, complete the **electives** section

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SKIP THE MIDDLE FOR NOW

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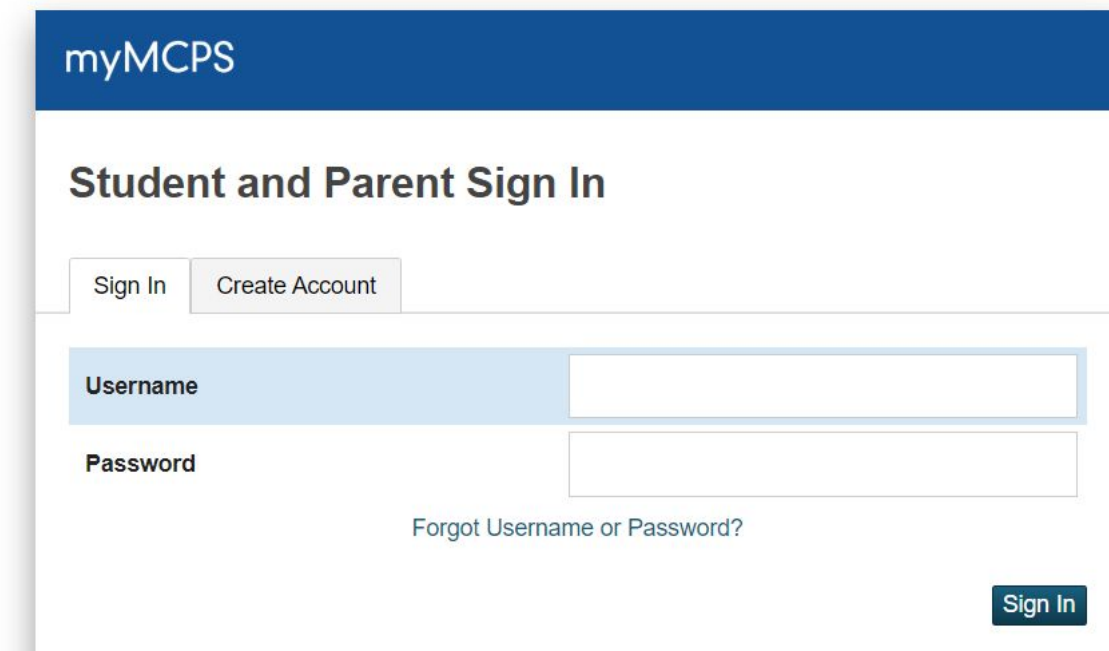_____   _____
Parent/Guardian Signature   Student Signature

Rank the electives 1,2,3

Example:

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Log into **myMCPS Portal** to review teacher recommendations.
https://portal.mcpsmd.org

myMCPS

Student and Parent Sign In

Sign In	Create Account

Username

Password

Forgot Username or Password?

Sign In

The Registration Process

1 Fill in All personal information at the top.
**Make sure contact information is correct.

2 Log into **myMCPS Portal** to review teacher recommendations.
https://portal.mcpsmd.org

3 On your Registration Card, check off the <u>Math & Reading</u> course your teacher recommended.

4 If you were not recommended for a Reading class, check off the World Language you want to take.

5 ESOL students should also check off the ESOL class their teacher recommended.

6 <u>Rank your top 3 ELECTIVES</u> by putting a **#1, #2, and #3** next to your choices. <u>DO NOT</u> place check marks next to your choices.

The Registration Process

The Final 3 steps are <u>very IMPORTANT</u>!

7 Review **ALL** of your selections and then **both you and your parents sign** at the bottom.

8 Return to the myMCPS Portal and **register online** for the courses you just selected on your registration card. **The two MUST MATCH.**

9 Return your Registration Card to your **SCIENCE teacher** once completed, but **NO Later than** Monday, **February 4, 2019.**

Important Date to Remember

February 4th

Due date for completing on-line registration & submitting registration card to your SCIENCE teacher

Questions?