



7th Grade Registration

PIONEER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

2022-23

Return this form to PRMS
FAX (952) 556-7809 or
Email to: PRMMainOffice@district112.org

PRINT STUDENT NAME _____

PARENT SIGNATURE _____

Welcome to the 7th grade registration process! In 7th Grade, students are placed in an Advisory and are **required** to take four core classes (Math, Language Arts, Science, and Social Studies) **and at least one semester of Personal Wellness**. Students have elective choices to fill out their other two hours of the 6-period day. We do our best to honor all student course requests, however, classes are subject to availability and may be cancelled if registration numbers or staffing can't support one section. Refer to the [Middle School Course Guide](#) at the PRMS website for detailed information on all courses. Below are sample schedules. Individual schedules will vary.

SELECT COLUMN A or B

A. NON-PERFORMING ARTS PATH			
ADV	Advisory		
1	Language Arts 7 (full year)		
2	Math (full year)		
3	Introduction to Biology (full year)		
4	Civics (full year)		
5	*Elective, PW, or Spanish*	*Elective, PW, or Spanish*	
6	*Elective, PW, or Spanish*	*Elective, PW, or Spanish*	
STEP 1: Pick FOUR Classes from list below. If course has 2 course numbers list each one separately (it counts for 2). At least (1) Semester of PW Required in your selection.			
COURSE #	COURSE NAME		
STEP 2: Pick TWO Alternates (Spanish can not be used as an alternate)			
COURSE #	COURSE NAME		

B. PERFORMING ARTS PATH			
ADV	Advisory		
1	Language Arts 7 (full year)		
2	Math (full year)		
3	Introduction to Biology (full year)		
4	Civics (full year)		
5	Alternating Music Combo (every other day, full year)		
6	*Elective, PW, or Spanish*	*Elective, PW, or Spanish*	
STEP 1: Check ONE Alternating Music Combination			
	Band & Choir		Choir & Orchestra
	Band & Orchestra		Choir & PW
	Band & PW		Orchestra & PW
Personal Wellness Requirement on Back			
STEP 2: Pick TWO Classes from list below. If course has 2 course numbers list each one separately (it counts for 2). If PW is not selected in Step 1, include it here unless you are taking Spanish.*			
COURSE #	COURSE NAME		
STEP 3: Pick ONE Alternate (Spanish can not be used as an alternate)			

If course has 2 course numbers list each one separately (it counts for 2).

COURSE #	COURSE NAME	COURSE #	COURSE NAME	COURSE #	COURSE NAME
PW7a & PW7b	Personal Wellness (full year)*	FACS7	Food Company, Inc.	ART7	Weird & Wacky Art
PWS7	Personal Wellness (semester)*	LR7	Lifetime Recreation	SP1a & SP1b	Spanish 1*
ENG7	Engineering: Some Assembly Required	MM7	Multimedia Mashup		

Elective Descriptions, Personal Wellness Requirement and Spanish Consent on Back

PERSONAL WELLNESS REQUIREMENT

At least ONE semester of Personal Wellness is a requirement for 7th graders. Students who select TWO music courses AND Spanish will not be able to fit Personal Wellness into their schedule. The PW requirement will be waived for students with double music and Spanish.

7th GRADE ELECTIVE DESCRIPTIONS

Some descriptions shortened for space. For full descriptions refer to the Middle School Course Guide at <https://prm.district112.org/academics/course-registration>

Engineering: Some Assembly Required: This course provides the opportunity to apply multiple technologies in the areas of transportation. Learners will apply the design process to solve technical challenges & use several types of hand tools and machines to complete their projects. Projects may include: Kites, hot air balloons, rockets, planes, CO2 cars, gear cars & hovercrafts.

Food Company Incorporated: Are you a Foodie? Would you like to compete in a "Cupcake Wars" competition? You and your team will create the ultimate business plan including an advertising campaign and nutrition label. The finale includes "Opening Day" for your food company and invited customers.

Lifetime Recreation: This class is designed for the individual that seeks participation in activities that emphasize moderate physical activity and social interaction. Topics may include: Team Building and Leadership Concepts, Aquatic Fitness, Scuba Diving, Snorkeling, Cross Country Skiing, Snowshoeing, Tennis, Badminton, Ping Pong, Pickle Ball, Frisbee Golf, Golf, Yard Games, and Archery. Please note: When selecting this elective 25% of class time will be activities in the pool.

Multimedia Mashup: Gaming, videos, pictures, music, oh my! If you're interested in having fun and being creative, this class is for you. You will learn many ways to use multimedia resources online or offline to get your point across in the best way possible while using these resources safely and appropriately.

Complete this section ONLY if your child is taking Spanish

Middle School Parent Consent Form for Full Year Spanish

In order to determine if you are prepared for the expectations of a full year course, please read the following statements:

- ✓ I understand that all middle school Spanish courses are high school level courses. The pace and rigor will be fast and challenging for the average Middle School student. This is an accelerated course.
- ✓ I understand that the grade I earn in the course will be included in my high school transcript and cumulative Grade Point Average.
- ✓ I already know that Spanish interests me, and I am committed to the Spanish language.
- ✓ I understand that I will be required to pass a Spanish language proficiency exam in order to advance to the next level of Spanish language study.
- ✓ I am dedicated to studying on a daily basis and am prepared for the rigor of high school level work.
- ✓ I plan to take Spanish through High School, or I plan to learn multiple languages, or I have already had experience learning the Spanish language. My goal is to work towards fluency in Spanish.
- ✓ I understand that the full-year Spanish language course will take the place of Elective courses which may include the Performing Arts/Personal Wellness hour.

Other things to Note:

- It is suggested you do NOT register for a full year of Spanish study in middle school if you are planning to only take two years of a world language; completing your world language study later in your high school career will better prepare you for success on college placement exams.
- Students may have to travel to another building to take Spanish 3 in 8th grade.
- Enrollment in a Spanish class may impact the lunch period for students.
- These classes may be in a multi-grade class setting.

We have read the above information and understand the expectations required of a full year language course.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Questions?

Please contact our counselor

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