

MADEIRA BEACH FUNDAMENTAL
8th GRADE COURSE SELECTION SHEET
2020-2021

Current FSA Scores:

Reading _____ Math _____

Level _____ Level _____

 Last Name First name Middle name Home telephone number/ Parent cell phone number

 Parent's/Guardian's Name

 Parent's email address

☐ ESOL Student ☐ Student has an IEP ☐ Student has an EP ☐ Student has a 504 Plan

GRADE 8 MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSES

**Placement into academic courses will be determined by student performance data such as:
 FSA, Lexile, MAP and other district-based data sources.**

Math - Placement Options:

M/J Pre-Algebra (1205070)
 Algebra I Honors (1200320M) **high school credit*
(Prerequisite Required)
 Geometry I Honors (1206320M) **high school credit*
(Prerequisite Required)

Double Block:

M/J Pre-Algebra Grade 8 (1205070) & Algebra I Honors
 (1200320M) **high school credit*
(Prerequisite Required)

Special Note: 8th Grade students with a level 1 or higher on the FSA Math Assessment will be placed into Algebra 1 Honors (in some cases students will be placed in a double block of Math) (Pre Alg: 1205070 & Alg 1H: 1200320)

Language Arts - Placement Options:

M/J Lang Arts 3 REG (1001070)
 M/J Lang Arts 3 ADV (1001080)
 English Honors 1 (10013201M) **high school credit*

Reading - Placement Options: REQUIRED for students with a FSA Achievement Level of 1 or 2

M/J Reading iReady (10000118)

Gifted - instead of Reading if you're level 1,2,3) or as a selective: M/J Advanced Academics (78550423)
 This course is based on the Florida Frameworks Gifted Standards and incorporates the expectations for Career and Education (Year long)

Science - Placement Options:

M/J Science 3 ADV (2002110)
 Physics Science Honors (2003320M) **high school credit*
(Prerequisite Required)

Social Studies - Placement Options:

M/J Civics & CP (21060168)
 Pre-Advanced Placement World History and Geography (2109415M) **high school credit* Pre-AP World History and Geography is a high school level class aimed at preparing students for future Hon and AP classes at the high school level.

REQUIRED ELECTIVE COURSES

Physical Education - REQUIRED, Automatic Scheduled All students are **automatically enrolled** in this course.

M/J Wellness Education Grade 8 (1508080) & M/J Extreme Sports (1508040)

Wellness is a course to develop the knowledge, skills to enhance healthy behaviors that influence lifestyle choices and student fitness. Extreme Sports provides the skills, knowledge, and motivation necessary for participation in non-traditional forms of physical activity.

ELECTIVE COURSES

Information regarding Elective Courses are on the back of this form.

Please review and complete with signatures by Friday, January 31st.

I understand that the school reserves the right to change a student's schedule based on scheduling needs, course availability and/or conflicts. Your signature indicates acknowledgment of this year's course options.

 Parent's/Guardian's Signature

 Student's Signature

 Date

8th Grade Electives

Student name: _____

17001300- Advancement Via Individual Determination

(AVID) Students receive instruction utilizing a rigorous college preparatory curriculum provided by AVID Center, tutor-facilitated study groups, motivational activities and academic success skills. In AVID, students participate in activities that incorporate strategies focused on writing, inquiry, collaboration, and reading to support their academic growth. **(Yearlong)**

1302000 – Band 1 for beginners in grade 8 **(Yearlong)**

1302020 – Band 3 students with previous band experience build on instrumental technique, music literacy, and aesthetic response through rehearsal, performance, and study of a variety of high-quality band literature. Band course levels will be selected by the instructor based on student competence. **(Yearlong)**

1303020 – Chorus 3 students build on previous choral experience to expand vocal, technical, musical, and ensemble skills through rehearsal, performance, and study of high-quality choral literature. Chorus course levels will be selected by the instructor based on student competence. **All boys Chorus option available. Let us know. (Yearlong)**

8207310 - Digital Information Technology (DIT)

Industry Certs in this is course counts toward School Grade for Acceleration Points - Word, Excel, PPT, Access, Outlook, Software, Hardware, HTML, Soft Skills, Continue MOS Certifications **(Yearlong & High School 1-credit-Fine Arts Graduation req.)**

0101100 - Visual Arts & 01030000 - Digital Arts In Visual Arts students explore the concepts, terminology, techniques, and applications of digital imaging creating original work.. (semester 1) In Digital Arts students explore media and techniques used to create a variety of 2-D artworks through developing skills in drawing, painting, printmaking, and collage. (semester 2) = **Yearlong combination course**

07008340M - Spanish 1 introduces students to the target language and its culture. The student will develop communicative skills in all 3 modes of communication and cross-cultural understanding. An introduction to reading and writing is also included as well as culture, connections, comparisons, and communities. **(Yearlong & High School 1-credit course)**

0708350M - Spanish 2 reinforces the fundamental skills acquired by the students in Spanish 1 developing increased listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills as well as cultural awareness. Reading and writing receive more emphasis, while oral communication remains the primary objective. The cultural survey of the target language-speaking people is continued. **(Yearlong & High School 1-credit course)**

0400000 - Theatre 1 students learn the basics of theatre arts and the importance of technical theatre and explore the use of such elements as costumes, props, and scenery. **(Yearlong)**

As an 8th grader you are required to take: (5 classes or 6 if you're level 1 or 2 reading) You will need another 1 or 2 course(s) to complete your schedule of 7 classes.

- Language Arts
- Science
- Math
- Social Studies
- Reading (Level 1 & 2)
- 1 semester of Wellness & 1 semester of Extreme Sports

Elective 1: _____ Length: _____

Elective 2: _____ Length: _____

Elective 3: _____ Length: _____

Elective 4: _____ Length: _____



To view the Guidance Counselor registration video presented in the classroom – visit our school's website.

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