



# River Ridge Middle School

## 2023-2024 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Course Card

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Grad Year: 2029

Welcome to the 2023-2024 School Year. The information below is for students and parents to provide input for student schedules. Students will use this information to choose their elective courses.

<b>7<sup>th</sup> Grade Required Courses</b> Language Arts 2 Adv. (1.0) Math 7, Math 7 ACCEL*, or Algebra 1 Honors* (1.0) Science 2 Adv or ACC Honors Sci 2* (1.0) Civics Adv. (1.0) PE (.5) ***	***All students are required to take 1 Semester of PE every year. If choosing an elective other than PE, a PE waiver is required to be completed by the parent on the back of this form. Completing a PE waiver does not guarantee that your student will not have PE.  Students may be enrolled in an Accelerated Reading course based on FAST scores.
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### Pick Your Courses!

Check (✓) your selection and teachers should initial approval.

1<sup>st</sup> Selection: \_\_\_\_\_ Language Arts 2 Adv. (all students)

2<sup>nd</sup> Selection: \_\_\_\_\_ Civics Adv. (all students)

3<sup>rd</sup> Selection: \_\_\_\_\_ Math 7  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Math 7 ACCEL\*  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Algebra 1 Honors\*\* (must successfully complete Math 6 ACCEL online prior to school starting)

4<sup>th</sup> Selection: \_\_\_\_\_ Science 2 Adv.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Science 2 ACC Honors\* (must be enrolled in Math 7 ACCEL or HS Algebra 1 Honors next year **AND** successfully complete semester 1 of Science 3 Advanced prior to school starting)

5<sup>th</sup> Selection: \_\_\_\_\_ 2 Semester Electives\*\*\* OR \_\_\_\_\_ 1 Yearlong Elective

6<sup>th</sup> Selection: \_\_\_\_\_ 2 Semester Electives\*\*\* OR \_\_\_\_\_ 1 Yearlong Elective

#### Middle School Elective Classes (0.5)

**Choosing 2 Semester Electives?**  
 Rank your top 4 semester elective choices 1-4.

**Choosing 4 Semester Electives (5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> selection)?**  
 Rank your top 6 semester elective choices 1-6.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Exploring Art 2D
- \_\_\_\_\_ Exploring Art 3D
- \_\_\_\_\_ Coding 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Coding 2
- \_\_\_\_\_ Computer Science Discoveries
- \_\_\_\_\_ Engineering 1: Explore Tech Design
- \_\_\_\_\_ Engineering 2: Robotics
- \_\_\_\_\_ Engineering 3: Green Construction
- \_\_\_\_\_ Engineering 4: Power & Energy\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intro to A/V Arts
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intro to Dance
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intro to Basic Theater
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intro to Tech Theater
- \_\_\_\_\_ Guitar 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Guitar 2
- \_\_\_\_\_ PE-Team Sports\*\*\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ PE-Comprehensive 6/7\*\*\*

**Choosing 1 Yearlong Elective?**  
 Rank your top 2 yearlong elective choices 1 & 2.

**Choosing 2 Yearlong Electives (5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> selection)?**  
 Rank your top 4 yearlong elective choices 1-4.

#### Middle School Elective Classes (1.0)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Art 2D\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Art 3D\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Creative Photography 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Digital Art 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Band 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Band 2\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Dance 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Dance 2\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Orchestra 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Orchestra 2\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Musical Theatre\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Tech Design Theatre\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ M/J Peer Counseling\*\*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Yearbook\*\*

#### High School Credit Elective Classes (1.0)

- \_\_\_\_\_ American Sign Language 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Introduction to Teaching @ RRHS#
- \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish 1\*

#### Legend

- \*Teacher Recommendation Required
- #Application Required
- \* Student ELA FAST Score of 3 or higher **strongly** recommended.
- ^ Student Math FAST Score of 3 or higher **strongly** recommended

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



ID:

Last Name, First Name:

**Middle School Promotion Requirements**

Middle school students are required to successfully complete three years of language arts, mathematics, science and social studies.

Students who do not receive passing grades in their four core content classes (Math, ELA, Science and Social Studies) will be placed in the academic learning lab for course recovery.

**Advanced and Accelerated Course Options**

We believe that with the right supports, ALL students have the ability to meet high academic standards through challenging course work.

**Schedule Changes**

Schedule changes will not be possible once enrolled due to class-size mandates and end-of-course requirements. Classes are offered on the basis of the choices that you make. The choices that you make are binding. If you do not choose elective courses and your first choice electives are full, your classes will be chosen for you and schedule change requests will not be honored. Schedule changes will not be made because you decide that you do not want to take a course any longer. Please choose wisely as you will be taking the classes that you select.

**Helpful Resources**

Review the elective course catalog and video descriptions on the RRMS website in the School Info tab.

**RRMS Website**

<http://rrms.pasco.k12.fl.us/>

**MyStudent**

<https://pasco.focusschoolsoftware.com/focus/?skipSAML=true>

**PE WAIVER STATEMENT**

**Only complete if your child is not taking PE.**

PE Waiver Requirement: Senate Bill 610 requires the equivalent of one class period per day of Physical Education for one semester each year for students in grades 6-8. A waiver is required for students for the following criteria:

- Student requires a remedial course
- Parent requests another offered course
- Parent verifies that student participates in equivalent activities outside the school day

*I have read the PE Waiver Statement and believe that my child meets one of the listed criteria for exemption and requests courses other than PE.*

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ID:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_