

Student Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Please return this signed form to your classroom teacher **TOMORROW**.

8th Grade Registration Request Form **Spring Lake Middle School 2010-2011**

Spring Lake Middle School uses a trimester system divided into core classes and elective classes. All five core classes are required for all 8th grade students. Requesting elective classes for next year is offered to the students and their parents. These requests are only that – **requests**. Due to master schedule limitations, not all requests may fit into an individual student’s schedule, and thus, the school may replace a request with a class that does fit. The purpose of this form is to give you and your student the ability to prioritize the order with which we select those elective classes as we try to fit them into each and every middle school student’s schedule.

8th GRADE REQUIRED CLASSES

Science	(Full Year)
Social Studies	(Full Year)
Math	(2 Trimesters)
English	(2 Trimesters)
Physical Education & Health	(2 Trimesters)

First, please select one of the three elective options below.

OPTION A

2 full-year electives

OPTION B

1 full year elective + 3 one-trimester electives

OPTION C

6 one-trimester electives

Second, if you chose Option A or B, place an X on the line in front of the Full-Year Elective(s) you wish to request.

Finally, if you chose Option A, B, or C, please rank the One-Trimester Electives by placing a number “1” in front of the elective class you have the most interest in taking next year followed by “2” for the second favorite, “3” for the third favorite, etc., until all electives have a number.

Full-Year Electives

_____ Band
_____ Choir
_____ French *
_____ Journalism *
_____ Spanish *

(*based on availability and performance in 7th grade English)

One-Trimester Electives

_____ Advanced PE
_____ Art
_____ Jazz Band * (* Need Band Teacher Approval)
_____ Life Skills
_____ Multimedia
_____ Study Skills
_____ Technical Education
_____ Woodworking

Course descriptions, as well as other middle school scheduling information, can be found in the Spring Lake Middle School Course Selection Guide found online at the middle school’s link on our district website. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Shana Woodwyk or Rich Hyde in the Middle School guidance office.

NOTE: If your student is scheduled for an IEP this spring, please still fill out this form at this time. The guidance staff will bring this form to the IEP and discuss specific modifications for your student at that time.