

Welcome to THE Heritage Graduating Class of 2025!





Key Points

<u>Typical Day</u>

Start: 7:55 am

End: 2:40 pm

Each period = 49 minutes

Need 7 units/credits total

- Unit is used for middle school courses
- Credit is used for high school courses

Math =1 Language Arts = 1 Science = 1 Social Studies = 1 PE/Health = .5 Other electives/interventions = 2.5 (Any combination of year long or semester)

7 units/credits total

1+1+1+1+.5+2.5 = 7

What to think about when choosing classes

- Take your Teacher Recommendations and suggested criteria seriously
- Be Honest with yourself
- Do NOT take a class because of your friends
- Challenge yourself, but be realistic

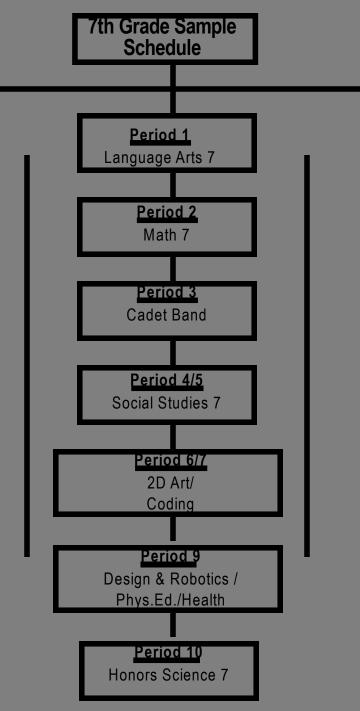
(Only choose Honors for the subjects you truly enjoy)



Hilliard City Schools 2019-2020 Middle School Scheduling

- 4 CORE CLASSES (Math, Science, Language Arts, & Social Studies)
- Physical Education/Health (one semester total)
- Two and a half periods of elective/intervention periods, which allow students to take courses of interest or to get needed academic support
- Be sure to refer to the Middle School Program of Studies course descriptions for a detailed explanation of all the classes along with their required prerequisites.

This Schedule indicates Lunch 8th period



4 Core Courses

Please see Program of Studies for Description and prerequisites/suggested criteria

Language Arts

L.E.A.P. 7 (2 Period LA Course) ^ Language Arts 7 Honors Language Arts 7

<u>Science</u>

Science 7 Honors Science 7

Mathematics

Math 7 Accelerated Math 7 Algebra 1A and 1B *

Social Studies

Social Studies 7 Honors Social Studies 7

Each student is required to take one from each Core area

* Denotes a course in which high school credit can be earned
^ Students are assigned to this course based on academic need

Math Courses

Math 7

• Prerequisite: (Math 6 or Advanced Math 6)

Accelerated Math 7

- Prerequisite: (Math 6 or Advanced Math 6)
- Suggested Criteria: (Teacher Recommendation and Winter STAR Score of 838 or higher)

Algebra 1A and 1B

- Prerequisite: (Accelerated Math 7)
- Suggested Criteria: (Teacher recommendation and successful completion of Accelerated Math 7)

Language Arts Courses

LEAP 7

- Prerequisite: (Teacher Recommendation)
- Double block = 2 periods
- You will not choose this course. You will be notified if you get placed in it

Language Arts 7

• Prerequisite: (None)

Honors Language Arts 7

 Suggested Criteria: (Grade 6 Winter STAR Reading score of 961 or higher)

Science Courses

Science 7

• Prerequisite: (None)

Honors Science 7

 Prerequisite: (Concurrently enrolled in Accelerated Math 7/Algebra 1 or Teacher Recommendation

Social Studies Courses

Social Studies 7

• Prerequisite: (None)

Honors Social Studies 7

 Suggested Criteria: (Grade 6 Winter STAR Reading score of 961 or higher)

ELECTIVES

Please see Program of Studies for Description and pre-requisites

Pre-Engineering

- Design & Robotics
- Magic of Electrons (D&S is a pre-req)
- Middle School Coding
- See other STEM courses offered at the ILC/HUB campus

Family & Consumer Sciences

• Family & Consumer Sciences

Wellness

- Physical Education/Health (Required)
- Fitness

Social Studies

- Hail to the Chief
- History of Rock & Roll as a Social Movement

Language Arts

- Digital Broadcasting (New)
- Creative Publications
- Coaching and Leadership (New)

ELECTIVES

Please see Program of Studies for Description and prerequisites

Fine Arts

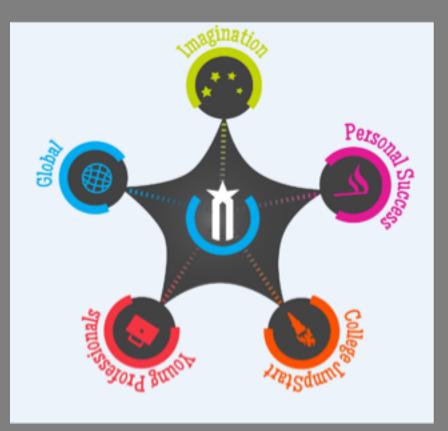
- Two-Dimensional Art
- Three-Dimensional Art
- Music Alive
- Choir 7
- Cadet Band
- Concert Band
- Symphonic Band
- Cadet Orchestra
- Concert Orchestra

Innovative Learning Center

- Core Infusion
- Honors Core Infusion
- Project Discover
- The Happiness Equation
- Project Art and Ecology
- BE²TA

(i) Innovation Campus

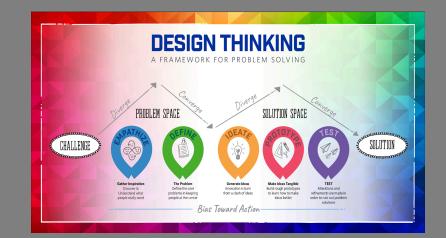
Offering new and unique experiences for the students of Hilliard City Schools. The Innovation Campus is a 21st century learning facility open to students during the school day and beyond.



7th Grade Core Infusion with an Emphasis on Design Thinking

- Multidisciplinary approach
- Emphasis the skills, knowledge and attitude of design thinking
- Intentionally embeds critical thinking skills within content
- Creates a unique experience for students
- Mastery-based, Standardsreferenced grading
- Three period block and will be taught throughout the entire school year

- Language Arts 7
- Science 7
- Discover Design Thinking
- *Enrollment is limited



7th Grade Honors Core Infusion with an Emphasis on Design Thinking

- Multidisciplinary approach
- Emphasis the skills, knowledge and attitude of design thinking
- Intentionally embeds critical thinking skills within content
- Creates a unique experience for students
- Mastery-based, Standardsreferenced grading
- Three period block and will be taught throughout the entire school year

- Honors LA 7 (STAR Reading Scaled Score 961 or higher)
- Honors Science 7

 (Concurrently enrolled in Accelerated Math 7, Algebra 1 or Geometry)
- Discover Visual Solutions
- *Enrollment is limited
- Suggested Criteria: Superior Cognitive Identification and Gifted Reading Identification Grade 6 Winter STAR scaled score of 961 or higher
 Concurrent enrollment in Accelerated Math 7 or higher
 AND teacher recommendation

Project Discover

1 Semester, double-blocked period at the Innovation Campus Intro to Discovery and Creative Publications *Enrollment is limited

This course:

•Encourages creativity and critical thinking by developing problem solving and decision making skills using the Design Thinking

process

Students will apply real-world skills to discover personal drive and think more productively
Through creative expression, students will develop skills in writing, 21st-Century communication and videography



The Happiness Equation

1 Semester, double-blocked period at the Innovation Campus The Happiness Equation and Every Day Leaders *Enrollment is limited

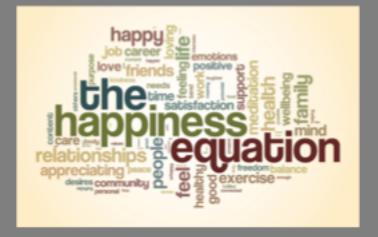
This course will:

•Help students develop or unlock their equation for daily joy and lasting fulfillment and then make it contagious by broadcasting it out

to the world around them.

•Help students discover the power of happiness through hands-on experiences based on personal interests

**Topics include happiness, self-esteem, empathy, friendship, love, achievement, creativity, music, spirituality, and humor -



**This course is inspired by one of Harvard's most popular electives entitled Positive Psychology: The Science of Happiness

Project Art and Ecology

1 Semester, double-blocked period at the Innovation HUB *Enrollment is limited

Based on current environmental issues with a focus on how to create real world solutions through art
Emphasis will be on the theme of reducing, reusing, and recycling material to create art

•Students will explore spatial relationships and the intersection of ideas and materials as a foundation to create visually balanced works of arts.

•Goal is to educate, create advocacy opportunities, and empower students to be agents of change in their own communities



BE²TA Business, Entrepreneurship, Engineering, Technology and Art 1 Semester, double-blocked period at the Innovation HUB *Enrollment is limited



•Students will be active in experiential learning and design challenges within an entrepreneurial ecosystem

•Students will navigate with empathy from concept to design to consumer within a hands-on innovative learning laboratory

•This course will introduce business foundations, entrepreneurism, engineering, and design thinking through the use of modern manufacturing technologies such as a laser engraver, 3D printer, vinyl cutter, and CNC router to produce goods for commerce Hilliard City Schools 2019-2020 Middle School Scheduling

For more information about the Innovation Campus and the experiences K-12, please visit: www.hilliardschools.org/ilc



Interventions

- <u>Panther Center</u> = Center for students to receive intervention/support in any core academic area on an "as needed" basis or on a daily basis
- <u>Math Lab</u> = Small group Math support for students who need daily math specific intervention/support or support on an "as needed" basis
- <u>Focus/Supported Studies</u> = Small group support for students who have an IEP (Individualized Education Program)
- Interventions are assigned based on State AIR Test data, STAR data, and/or teacher recommendation
- Students may be placed in or removed from intervention courses throughout the year based on their current academic progress.

All scheduling information can be found on our websites Click "Guidance" then "Scheduling Information"

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Preparing for the 2019-20 School Year

6th into 7th

- Parents Scheduling Meeting: Monday, F bruary 25, 2019 7:00 pm-8:00 pm @Heritage MS
- Middle School Program of Studies

7th into 8th

- ** DC Trip Parent Meeting Feb 11th at 6:30 right before 7th into 8th scheduling meeting
 - Parents Scheduling Meeting: Monday, February 11, 2019 7:00 pm-8:00 pm @ Heritage MS
 - Middle School Program of Studies

8th into 9th

Parents Scheduling Meeting: Wednesday, January 23, 2019 – 7:00 pm-8:00 pm @ Darby HS

Middle School Program of Studies

2019-2020 Middle School Program of Studies Hilliard City Schools



Where the Average STOP and the ELITE START

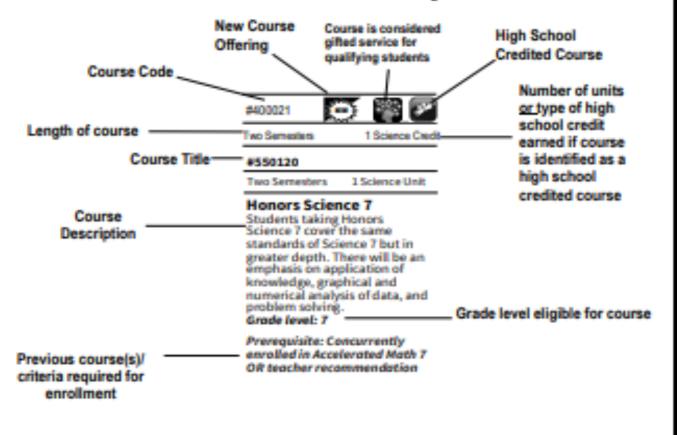


Found on the school's website under the "Guidance" tab or the District's website

Please look carefully through the Program of Studies for specific course descriptions and prerequisites/recommendations

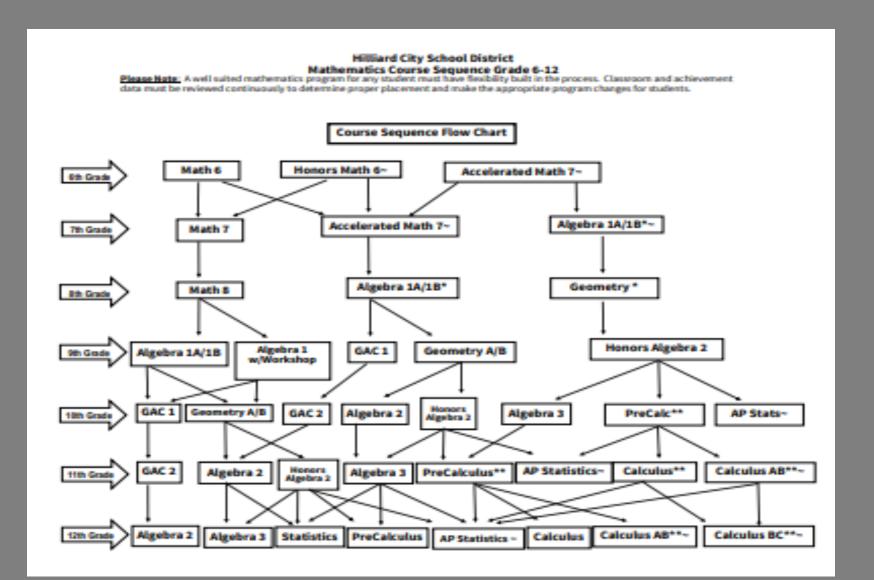
Carefully reviewing the Program of Studies while choosing classes is your key to scheduling and a successful school year

Course Code Key



Course Sequence Flow Chart

Each Core Subject area has a Flow Chart. Please take a close look at each of these, especially if you are thinking about taking Advanced or Honors courses



Course Planning Worksheet

Middle School Plan Worksheet

Use the following templates to help you schedule your 7th and 8th grade years.

Grade 07				
Area	Course	Course Code	Unit	
Language Arts			1	
Math			1	
Science			1	
Social Studies			1	
Physical Education/ Health	Required	450100	0.5	
Elective				
	Total number of units must equal seven (7)			

Online Registration Process

- Will choose courses online through the student's Home Access account
- 4 core classes have teacher recommendations and are already in their course requests
- Physical Education/Health is already in their requests
- Registration window in Home Access opens February 25th and will close on March 8th
- Specific directions for choosing courses can be found in the Program of Studies on pages B5 and B6

Online Registration Process

Student's Home Access, not the parents

Using Home Access Center to select courses for next year

- To access Home Access Center from any browser, type https://homeaccess.hboe.org into the address bar.
- To access Home Access Center from your building website, click on the <u>Student Home Access</u> link.

The login page is simple and straightforward. For students, your Username and Password are the same as what you use to log into the network when you are at school.

- Enter your username and password and then click the 'Log In' button. You will see several buttons across the top of the screen. Click on the 'Classes' button.
- 2. Click on 'Requests.'

A screen similar to the one below will appear. To choose course requests for next year, click on the 'Edit' button next to the Middle School department.

Click on "Classes" and then "Requests"

Go to Classes screen > Requests tab				
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Course Requests - 2018-	-2019 - Hilliard Memorial Middle School - Grade 08			
Department	Course	Credits		
Middle School (MS)		E		
	Language Arts 8 (300500) (Teacher Recommendation)	1.0000		
	Honors Language Arts 8 (300600) (Teacher Recommendation)	1.0000		
	Algebra 1A (500002) (Teacher Recommendation)	0.5000		
	Algebra 1B (500003) (Teacher Recommendation)	0.5000		
	Science 8 (550500) (Teacher Recommendation)	1.0000		
	Social Studies 8 (600500) (Teacher Recommendation)	1.0000		
	Middle School (MS) Tota	al : 5.0000		
No Department		E		
	Total :	5.0000		
+ Graduation Subject Area	Requirements			

4 Core Classes recommended by this years teachers will automatically display under each Subject Heading

Middle School (MS) Total :	1.5000	
Science (SC)		Edit
Honors Science 8 (550600) (Teacher Recommendation)	1.0000	
Science (SC) Total :	1.0000	
Social Studies (SS)		Edit
Honors Social Studies 8 (600600) (Teacher Recommendation)	1.0000	
Social Studies (SS) Total :	1.0000	
No Department		Edit
Total :	6.5000	

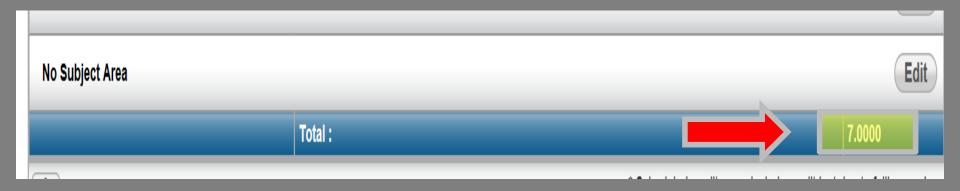
To Choose Electives, click on the "Edit" button to the right of "Middle School"

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	Total :	5.0000	

Click on the courses you want and hit save. (*Requested Credits must = 7*)

Select A Course Save Cancel					
Requested Credi	its : 5.0000		,		
Course Status Key: Required Suggested Locked Incomplete Prerequisite Alternate Request					
Request	Description	Course	<u>Credit</u>		
	Algebra 1A	500002	0.5000		
	Algebra 1B	500003	0.5000		
	Honors Language Arts 8	300600	1.0000		
	Language Arts 8	300500	1.0000		
	Science 8	550500	1.0000		
	Social Studies 8	600500	1.0000		
	8th Grade Core Infusion (ILC)	989000	0.0000		
	Adv Phys Ed - 2nd sem	450005	0.2500		
	& Advanced Art 2D	100004	0.5000		
	Advanced Art 3D	100009	0.5000		
	Advanced Physical Education	450004	0.2500		
	ASL and LA 8 (ILC)	983200	0.0000		
	Band	980100	1.0000		
	Chinese 1	400031	1.0000		
	Choir 8	650500	1.0000		
	Creating America	600090	1.0000		
	Creative Publications	300350	0.0000		
	Design & Robotics	210100	0.5000		

Need 7 Units/Credits Total



Important Information

- Lunch will be automatically scheduled
- If you select 7th grade Core Infusion or Honors Core Infusion at the ILC, you will need to delete your recommended Language Arts and Science courses from their respective subject area in order to have only 7 units/credits total
- These are schedule REQUESTS only. Making a request does not guarantee placement into that particular course. Course prerequisites, course offerings, course periods, and/or seat availability can affect the outcome. Most courses offered at the ILC/HUB have limited enrollment. If you request one of these and don't get in, you will have to choose other electives

Online Scheduling window

Opens February 25th and Closes on March 8th

Worksheet and Elective Ranking Sheet

Student Name: ______ Student ID #: ____

1. Use this chart to help you plan the courses you will be selecting in Home Access Center.

Area	Course	Course Code	Unit
Language Arts			1
Math			1
Science			1
Social Studies			1
Physical Education/ Health	Required	450100	0.5
Elective			

2. Once you have entered your course requests in HAC, fill out the Elective Course Ranking sheet below. Making a course request does not automatically guarantee placement into that course. Course prerequisites, course offerings, course periods and/or seat availability can affect outcome of a schedule. Most ILC/HUB Courses have limited enrollment. Tell us what electives you would most like to take by ranking them.

Please number your elective choices from 1-10 (#1 is your Top Choice):

Two-Dimensional Art	Coaching & Leadership
Three-Dimensional Art	Family & Consumer Science
Music Alive	Digital Broadcasting
Choir	Project Discover (HUB/ILC)
Design & Robotics	Project Art & Ecology (HUB/ILC)
MS Coding	Art 2.5D (HUB/ILC)
Fitness	BETA (HUB/ILC)
Hail to the Chief	STEM (HUB/ILC)
History of Rock & Roll	The Happiness Equation (HUB/ILC)
Creative Publications	

Rank electives 1 to 10

• #1 being your top choice



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Thank You!