



Hilliard City Schools
6th Grade Scheduling

Welcome Parents!



**Parent Informational Meeting about Scheduling for 6th Grade
for the 2020 - 2021 School Year**



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Station Parent Information

- Website: <http://www.hilliardschools.org/hst/>
 - [HST Parent Info Tab](https://www.hilliardschools.org/hst/parent-info/): <https://www.hilliardschools.org/hst/parent-info/>
 - [Program Of Studies](https://www.hilliardschools.org/departments/curriculum-instruction/middleschool-program/):
<https://www.hilliardschools.org/departments/curriculum-instruction/middleschool-program/>
- Parent Orientation - Monday, August 10
 - Last Name A - L 6:00pm
 - Last Name M - Z 7:15pm



- Home Access Center UPDATE!
 - Please make sure your home address, phone number, and email are up to date.



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Station 6th Grade Information

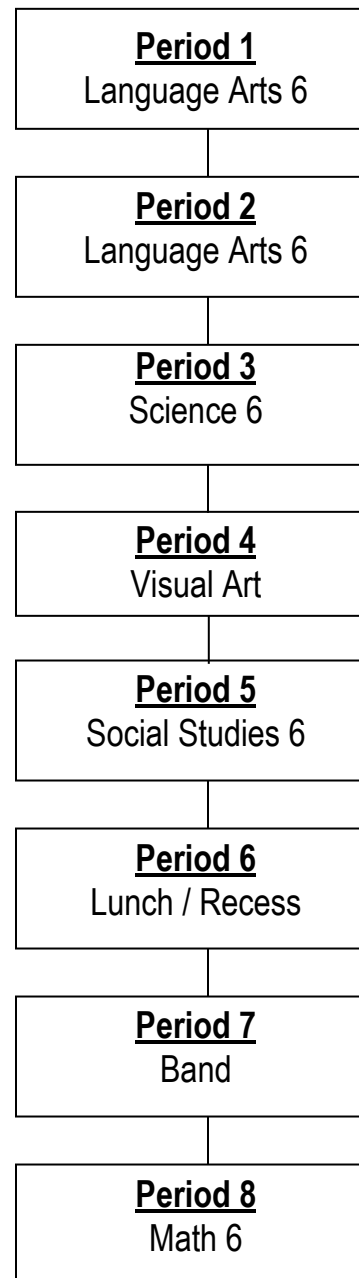
- **School day begins at 7:55am (tardy bell) and ends at 2:40 pm.**
 - School doors open at 7:40 am.
 - Breakfast is served from 7:40 am – 7:55 am
- There are 8 teams each with approximately 100 students.
 - C, O, U, G, A, R, S, 27
- PAW Days in the summer to help orient students to their new building and schedule.
 - August 11 (Morning and Evening) and Aug 12 (Afternoon)
- Extracurricular activities are offered after school & other special events occur throughout the year!



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Key Points:

- 8 periods in the day
- 4 Core Classes
 - Math
 - Science
 - Social Studies
 - Language Arts (2 Period Block)
- Up to 2 Periods (8 Quarters) for Electives
- Everyone will have lunch and recess
- Every Student will start the school day in Power Up. (May have been known as Morning Meeting in their Elementary)



6th Grade **Sample**
Schedule



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Electives

Students will have the opportunity to have up to two (2) periods for elective courses. This is up to eight (8) quarter electives.

Please refer to the student scheduling reference sheet.

It is important to note that requesting elective courses **does not guarantee enrollment in those courses** - Final placement in elective courses will be based on student academic needs and staffing availability.



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Full Year Music Electives (Ensembles) **(4 Block Electives)**

- **Band**
- **Orchestra**
- **Choir**

Band and Orchestra Fittings are Feb 4, 5, 6

To sign up for a fitting, please visit:

Band:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080f45ada72ca75-band2>

Orchestra:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050A4AA8AA22A1FF2-station1>

**All students wanting to play an instrument
MUST attend a fitting.**

If you choose a full year music ensemble, it is recommended you only take ONE.

A full year music elective is NOT required.



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Semester Electives

(2 Block Electives)

- **Visual Art**
- **Digital Art and Design**
- **Music in Action**
- **PE Power of Three**
- **Physical Education**

Full course descriptions and videos can be found on **Station's Website:**
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Quarter Electives

(1 Block Electives)

- **Coding with S.T.E.M.**
- **S.T.E.A.M.**
- **Technology Factor**
- **Mixed Media - Newspaper and School Announcements**
- **Books, Plays and Poems Oh My!**
- **Creative Writing**
- **“Pay” It Forward**
- **Sports History and Leadership Development**

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Sample Schedule

1

Language Arts

2

Language Arts

3

STEAM

Coding

*Creative
Writing*

Mixed Media

4

Math

5

Lunch and Recess

6

Science

7

Social Studies

8

Music in Action

P.E.



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Pay It Forward

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Requesting Elective Courses

Elementary Visits Feb 10 thru Feb 20

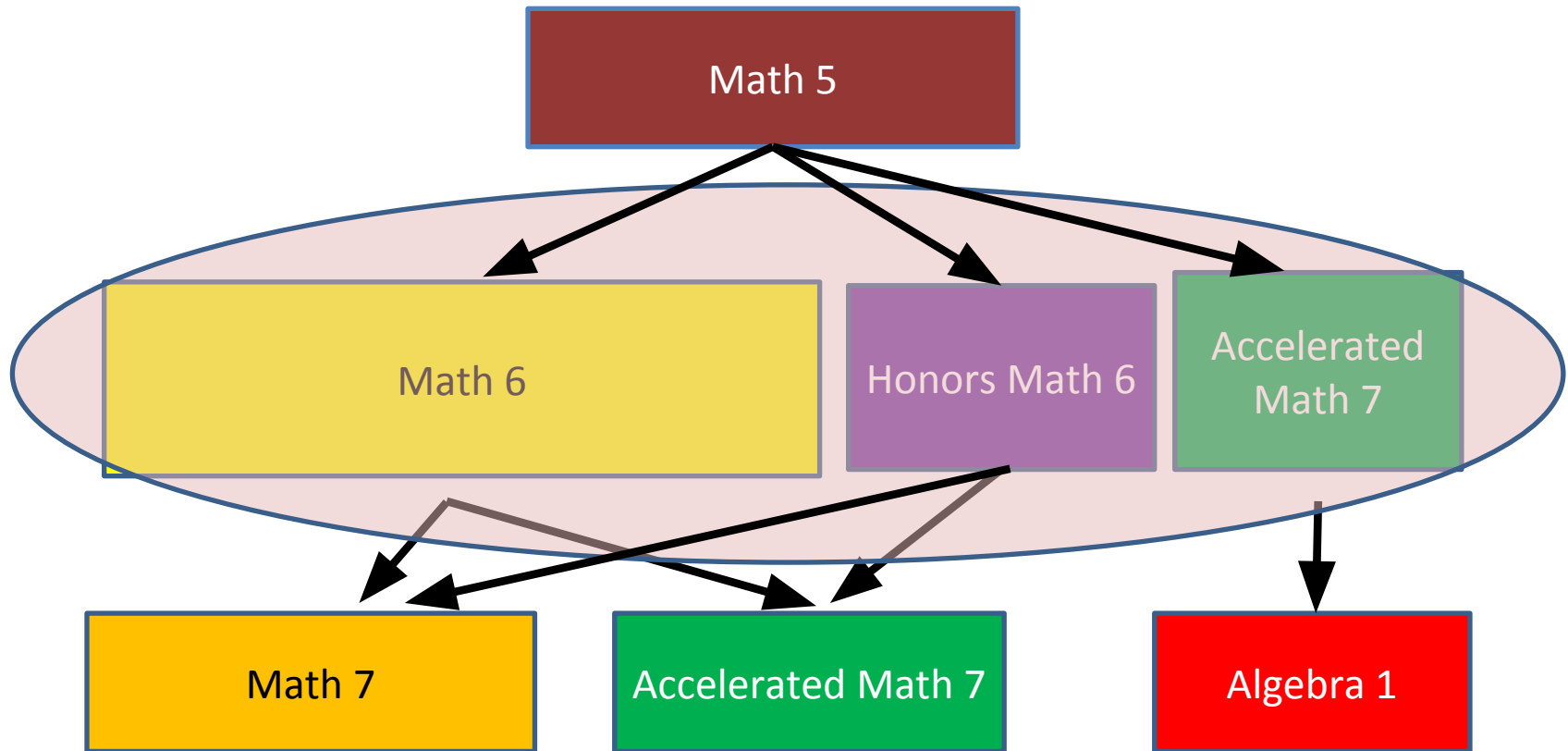
Students will complete a google form and worksheet prioritising their elective choices.

Students will select back back up choices.

Full year ensembles requests are prioritized.



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Math Placement

- Proper placement is the correct balance between *challenge & enrichment* vs. *frustration & discouragement*
- Misplaced students begin to struggle and often become extremely overwhelmed
- Once on this rapidly accelerating trajectory – it is often hard to get back on a more appropriate placement.
- Misplaced 6th grade Accelerated Math 7 students often end up repeating or taking remedial math courses at the high school level.



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Honors Math 6 Placement Criteria

Successful Completion of Math 5 with Teacher
Recommendation AND Winter STAR Scaled Score of 797*

**Parent letters will be mailed home by
March 6th informing you of your child's math
course placement. If you have questions,
please contact your child's
5th grade math teacher.**



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Accelerated Math 7 Placement Criteria

Successful Completion of Math 5 with Teacher Recommendation

AND

Winter STAR Scaled Score of 863*

AND

Completion of HCSD Math 6 Online Course by August 1, 2019

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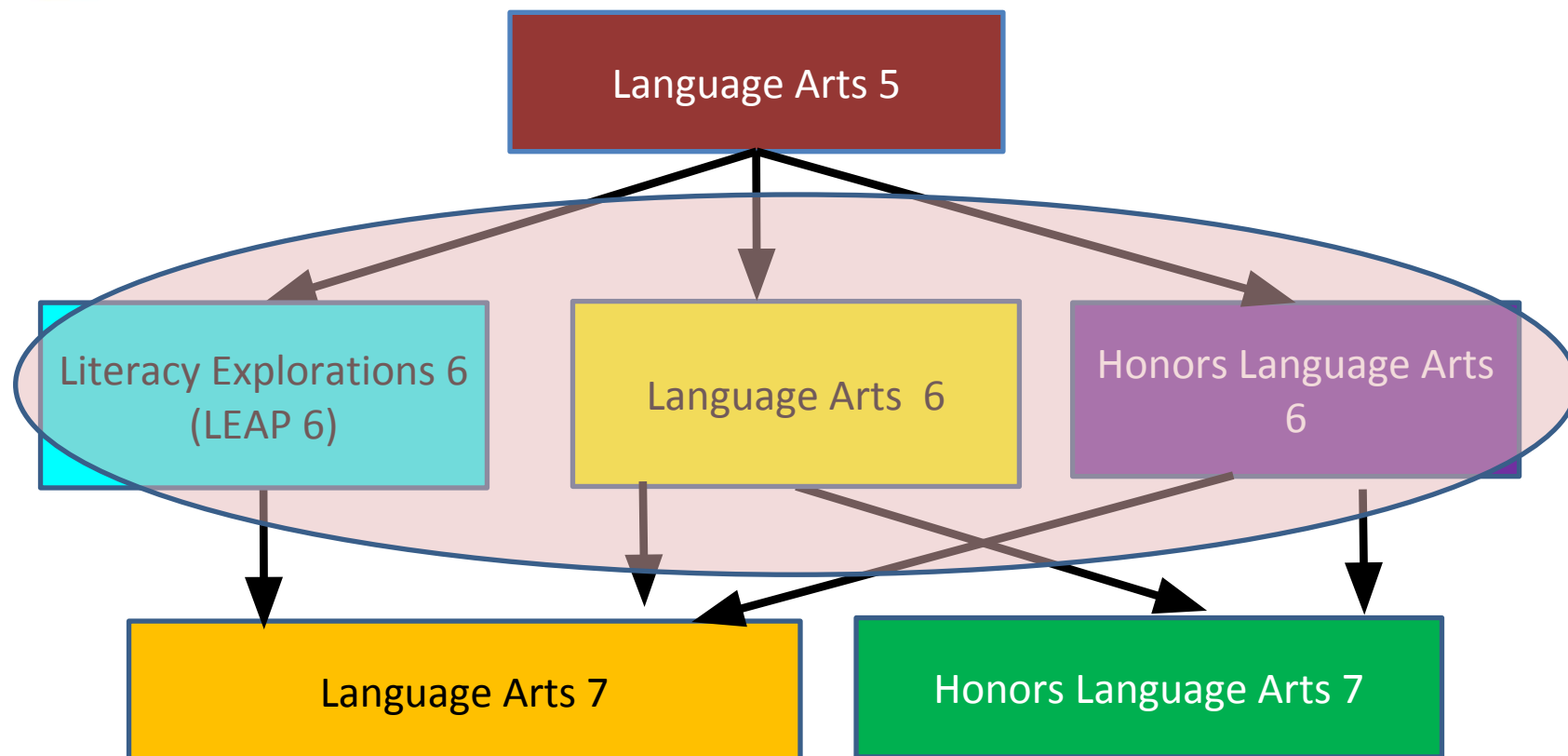
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Academic Supports

A number of intervention opportunities will be available for students based on IEPs, testing data such as *STAR*, *Fountas and Pinnell*, student or parent request, and/or teacher recommendation.

These courses may be:

- Focus Period (*Students who receive IEP and EL supports*)
- Math Lab
- Math 180
- Reading Lab
- Cougar Lab

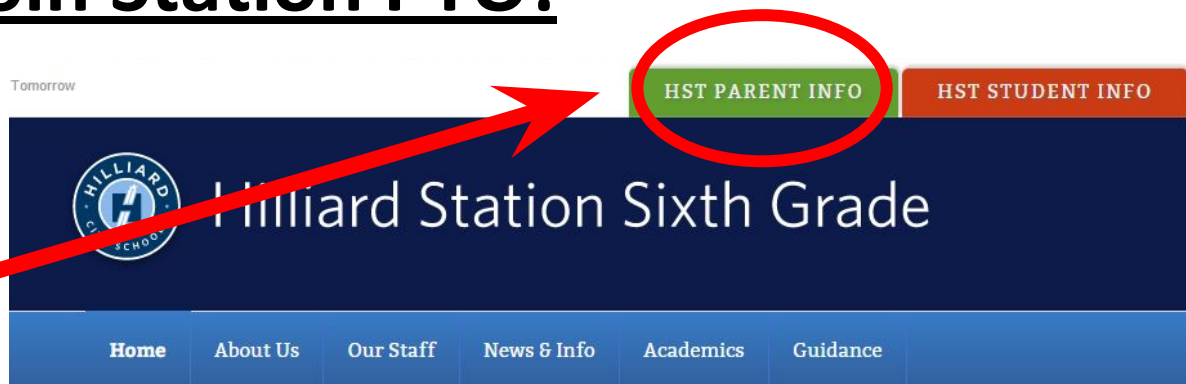
An Intervention Period will REPLACE one of your student's elective periods.



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Join Station PTO!

On the Station Webpage
click on the
HST PARENT INFO
tab



Then choose the
PTO information
link under References

***Please fill out the
online interest form!***



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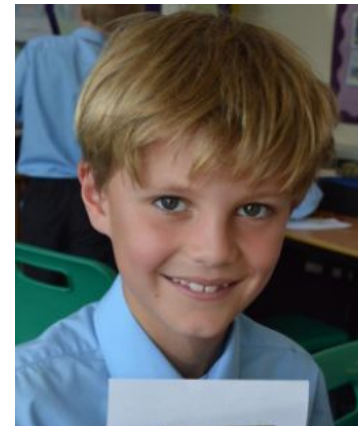


Visit our School's website for future updates and announcements!

<http://www.hilliardschools.org/hst/>

Important Items to Note!

- Parent Summer Newsletter - Mailed End of July
- Parent Orientation - Aug 10
- PAW Days - Student Schedule Pick Up
 - Aug 11 Morning, Evening
 - Aug 12 Afternoon
- First Day of School - Aug 20
- Open House - Aug/Sep
- Schedules on HAC in August





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Thank You!

