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**Arlington Public Schools**  
**Dorothy Hamm Middle School**  
**2023 –2024**



Grade 6 Course Request Form (CRF)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary School: \_\_\_\_\_

This Course Request Form (CRF) allows a student and their family to make course selections for the following year. All Grade 6 students are required to take the following core courses: English, reading, math, science, social studies, and health/physical education. Additional core courses may also be required based upon specific program in which the student is enrolled. Descriptions of all courses can be found in the **Middle School Program of Studies** at:

<https://www.apsva.us/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/APS-Middle-School-POS-2023-24-FINAL-1.pdf>

**Grade 6 Program:**

- Grade 6 English (11109/10045)
- Grade 6 Reading (11106/10006)
- Grade 6 U.S. History (12354/10047)
- Grade 6 Science (14105/10048)
- Math 6 (13110) OR Pre-Algebra for 6th Graders (13128)

(Math placement recommendations will be made prior to the end of the current school year. A letter noting the recommended course will be sent home to families from elementary schools before the final assignment is made.)

- Grade 6 Health & Physical Education (17110)

**By Teacher Recommendation Only:**

- Math Strategies
- Instructional Strategies
- Social Skills

Turn OVER for elective offerings



**Grade 6 Middle School Course Request Form (cont'd)**

While all Grade 6 students are required to take a core curriculum, students also have the opportunity to select electives. Please note that elective offerings vary by school, in some cases because of specific programs offered by individual schools. In the chart below, please mark your student's selection by checking the boxes, paying close attention to the instructions listed.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Electives: Please choose <b>ONE</b> full year elective		Interest Survey
<p><input type="checkbox"/> Chorus (19261)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Orchestra (19242)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Band- Brass/Percussion (19233)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Band - Woodwinds (19234)</p> <p>*Band is grouped by instrument vs level.</p> <p>If you signed up for orchestra or band, please complete the information below:</p> <p>Instrument: _____</p> <p>Years Played: _____</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Exploratory Rotation (19000)</p> <p>Students will rotate through a variety of courses that will include <b>some</b> of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Visual Arts</li> <li>• Computer Keyboarding</li> <li>• Technical Education</li> <li>• Family and Consumer Science</li> <li>• Theatre Arts</li> <li>• Chorus</li> <li>• World Language</li> </ul>	<p>1. List what languages, if any, you are fluent in other than English:</p> <p>_____</p> <hr/> <p><b><u>For Fluent Spanish Speakers Only:</u></b></p> <p>2. I would be interested in a semester of Spanish for Fluent Speakers 6th Grade.</p> <p>(The course would substitute a semester of Health &amp; PE, not your elective choice.)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>

Parent / Guardian Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_



This form is updated annually by the APS Department of Instruction along with individual schools and distributed through school Counseling Offices. Please see your school counselor or the Program of Studies for additional course information.