



LAKE NONA MIDDLE

COURSE SELECTION

**2020-2021
SCHOOL YEAR**



COURSE SELECTION FORM

School Curriculum Guide located at:
lakenonams.ocps.net
 ESE _____ 504 _____ LY _____

LAKE NONA MIDDLE SCHOOL Course Selection Form 8th Grade 2020-2021

2018-2019 FSA Scores
 RW _____ Math _____
 2019-2020 FSA Scores
 RW _____ Math _____

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Student # _____
 Parent/Guardian Name _____ Parent Phone # _____
 Parent Email _____ Science Teacher _____

Directions: Students will have 7 classes. Please select **ONE** course from each of the 4 core academic areas. Please note your selections are subject to change based on FSA scores, state/county mandates, and course availability.

8th Grade Language Arts	8th Grade Mathematics	8th Grade Science	8th Grade Social Studies
<input type="checkbox"/> 1001070 Language Arts 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 1001080 Language Arts 3 Adv	<input type="checkbox"/> 1205070 Pre-algebra <input type="checkbox"/> 1204000C Intensive Math <input type="checkbox"/> 1200320 Algebra I Honors (HS) <input type="checkbox"/> 1206320 Geometry Honors* (HS) <small>(*Must have successfully completed Algebra 1)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> 2002100 Comprehensive Science 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 2003320 Physical Sci Honors (HS)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2100015 US History <input type="checkbox"/> 2100025 US History Adv
8th Grade Physical Education <small>(both segments are required)</small> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1508050 IND/DUAL SPT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1508040 EXTRME SPRTS	Electives: Choose 10 (Number 1 through 10 with 1 being the most preferred) Form DUE January 24, 2020		
Reading Courses <input type="checkbox"/> 1000010 Intensive Reading <input type="checkbox"/> 1002181 ELD ESOL Reading <input type="checkbox"/> 1002181 DLA ESOL Reading ⇒ Students may be placed in an intensive reading class due to school and district guidelines. ⇒ Reading will take the place of one elective class.	<input type="checkbox"/> 1302000 Band** <input type="checkbox"/> 1302110 Instru Ens (Jazz band) <input type="checkbox"/> 1302040 Orchestra** <input type="checkbox"/> 1301030 Keyboarding (piano) ** <input type="checkbox"/> 1303000 Chorus** <input type="checkbox"/> 0400000 Theater** <input type="checkbox"/> 1006010 Journalism 2 (yearbook) <input type="checkbox"/> 1400000 Peer Couns (Latinos In Action) <input type="checkbox"/> 8207310 Digital Info Tech (HS) <input type="checkbox"/> 8600095 PLTW	<input type="checkbox"/> 0101040 3-D Studio Art <input type="checkbox"/> 0101050 3-D Studio Art-2 <input type="checkbox"/> 0701320 French 1 (HS) <input type="checkbox"/> 0701330 French 2 (HS) <input type="checkbox"/> 0708340 Spanish 1 (HS) <input type="checkbox"/> 0708350 Spanish 2 (HS)	⇒ Elective requests will be taken into consideration; however elective classes are not guaranteed and are based on class size, course availability, and number of course requests. ⇒ Jazz Band will be in addition to a primary band class, meaning all students will have two periods of band. ⇒ To be placed in a high school foreign language course the student must be on grade level in their Reading/Writing FSA.
		**Performing Arts Students will be placed based on experience & teacher recommendation	Schedule Change Policy Valid reasons for a change may include: ♦ Counselor error, computer error ♦ Failing a required course ♦ Passing a course in summer school ♦ Lacking a middle school credit ♦ Lacking a proper pre-requisite

I agree with his/her elective choices as indicated. I have also read and understand the schedule change policy.

Student Signature _____

Parent Signature _____

- Your Parent/Guardian will complete the highlighted areas with:
- Parent Name
- Parent Phone Number
- Parent Email Address

SELECTING CORE COURSES



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	<input type="checkbox"/> 1206320 Geometry Honors* (HS) (*Must have successfully completed Algebra 1)		

- In this area working with your Parent/Guardian, you will select **ONE** class for each of the four core academic areas.
- You will mark them with an X as noted in the example above.



CORE COURSES CONT.

- Final Placement decisions:
 - Placement decisions - for all core classes will be made once final grades are earned and 2020 FSA results come back.
 - High School level courses - ALL prerequisites must be met for students to be placed into high school level course.
 - Algebra I Honors (HS)
 - Geometry Honors(HS)
 - Physical Science Honors (HS)
- High School courses:
 - Counts as one of your credits towards high school graduation
 - Grade earned stays on your permanent high school transcript
 - Will have an End of Course (EOC) Exam or a Common Final Exam (CFE)



SELECTING ELECTIVE COURSES

Electives: Choose 10 (Number 1 through 10 with 1 being the most preferred) Form DUE February 6th, 2019

<p><u>1</u> 1302000 Band** ___ 1302110 Instru Ens (Jazz band)</p> <p><u>2</u> 1302040 Orchestra**</p> <p><u>10</u> 1301030 Keyboarding (piano) **</p> <p><u>3</u> 1303000 Chorus**</p> <p><u>4</u> 0400000 Theater**</p> <p><u>5</u> 1006010 Journalism 2 (yearbook) ___ 1400000 Peer Couns (Latinos In Action)</p> <p><u>6</u> 8207310 Digital Info Tech (HS)</p>	<p><u>7</u> 0101040 3-D Studio Art ___ 0101050 3-D Studio Art-2</p> <p><u>8</u> 0701320 French 1 (HS) ___ 0701330 French 2 (HS)</p> <p><u>9</u> 0708340 Spanish 1 (HS) ___ 0708350 Spanish 2 (HS)</p>	<p>⇒ Elective requests will be taken into consideration; however elective classes are not guaranteed and are based on class size, course availability, and number of course requests.</p> <p>⇒ Jazz Band will be in addition to a primary band class, meaning all students will have two periods of band.</p> <p>⇒ To be placed in a high school foreign language course the student must be on grade level in their Reading/Writing FSA.</p>
<p>**Performing Arts Students will be placed based on experience & teacher recommendation</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Schedule Change Policy</p> <p>Valid reasons for a change may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Counselor error, computer error ◆ Failing a required course ◆ Passing a course in summer school ◆ Lacking a middle school credit ◆ Lacking a proper pre-requisite

- In this area working with your Parent/Guardian, you will select your TOP 10 elective choices.
- You will mark them starting with #1 as your most favorite to #10 for those electives you are still interested in. Review the example above!

ELECTIVES CONTINUED



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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1006010 Journalism 2 (yearbook)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1400000 Peer Couns (Latinos In Action)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 8207310 Digital Info Tech (HS)		

****Performing Arts**
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Schedule Change Policy
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- Please do NOT complete the elective form with X's. We will not be able to determine which electives are your most favorite.



ELECTIVE COURSES CONT.

- FRIENDLY REMINDERS:
 - Electives are subject to change!
 - Physical Education – PE will take one of your elective spots as this is a requirement in middle school.
 - Intensive Reading – Students may be placed in an Intensive Reading course due to school and district guidelines. The reading course will take the place of one your elective classes.
 - High School Foreign Language (HS) – Students must be on grade level in their Reading/Writing FSA (Level 3 or higher) in order to be eligible to take this high school level course.
 - Performing Arts – Students will be placed in the various performing arts levels based on teacher recommendation.
 - Elective Requests – Requests will be taken into consideration. However, elective classes are not guaranteed and are based on class size, course availability, and number of course requests.

OVERVIEW OF COURSE SELECTION PROCESS



- Course Selection Forms:
 - **DUE - Friday, January 24th**
 - Forms are to be returned by students to their Science teacher.
 - Forms must be completely filled out alongside the Parent/Guardian signature.
- Curriculum Guide:
 - Lake Nona MS Curriculum Guide can be found on our schools website:
 - www.lakenonams.ocps.net