# Pearson 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Center



5<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Information

### Why is 6<sup>th</sup> grade separated?

- Temporary
- Ease numbers
- Transitional
- Elementary to Middle
  - Dependent to independent
  - Sheltered environment
  - Social development

#### Our Goal

- Learned a lot
- Became more independent learners
- Feel strengthened for next level
- Made connections

#### Middle School Model

- 7 different teachers every day
- About 46 minute classes
- Lockers
- Some classes change at quarter
- More homework and responsibility
- No recess
- Technology 1-1

#### **Teams**

- Common middle school model
- For core classes only
- Students randomly assigned
  - Voyagers
  - Explorers
  - Discovery
  - Trailblazers

### **School Day**

- 7 period day + Advisory
- 7:30 arrival
- 25 minute lunch
  - By teams (4)
- 4 minute passing times between classes

	Term Q1	Term Q2	Term Q3	Term Q4
	(08/22/16- 10/28/16)	(11/01/16- 01/13/17)	(01/17/17- 03/23/17)	(04/03/17- 05/25/17)
1	3504T-6	3504T-6	3504T-6	3504T-6
	Reading 6 Trailblazers	Reading 6 Trailblazers	Reading 6 Trailblazers	Reading 6 Trailblazers
	Sawyer, Andrew W	Sawyer, Andrew W	Sawyer, Andrew W	Sawyer, Andrew W
	Rm: 125	Rm: 125	Rm: 125	Rm: 125
2	6100-2 (Day Schedule A) Physical Education 6 Snell, Brian D Rm: Gym	6100-2 (Day Schedule A) Physical Education 6 Snell, Brian D Rm: Gym	6100-2 (Day Schedule A) Physical Education 6 Snell, Brian D Rm: Gym	6100-2 (Day Schedule A) Physical Education 6 Snell, Brian D Rm: Gym
2	5502-2 (Day Schedule B)	5502-2 (Day Schedule B)	5502-2 (Day Schedule B)	5502-2 (Day Schedule B)
	Choir 6	Choir 6	Choir 6	Choir 6
	Keenan, Bridget E	Keenan, Bridget E	Keenan, Bridget E	Keenan, Bridget E
	Rm: 101	Rm: 101	Rm: 101	Rm: 101
3	6505T-2	6505T-2	6505T-2	6505T-2
	Minnesota Studies-Trailblazers	Minnesota Studies-Trailblazers	Minnesota Studies-Trailblazers	Minnesota Studies-Trailblazers
	Sauter, Chad A	Sauter, Chad A	Sauter, Chad A	Sauter, Chad A
	Rm: 120	Rm: 120	Rm: 120	Rm: 120
4	6601-3	8001-8	1001-13	4503-18
	GTWY: Be The Change	Programming is Electric	Arts and Communication: Heroes	Health 6
	Wilson, Katherine E	Fore, Ashley N	Smith, Jane K	Carter, Jason E
	Rm: 120	Rm: 127	Rm: 131	Rm: 114
5	5005T-5	5005T-5	5005T-5	5005T-5
	Math 6 Trailblazers	Math 6 Trailblazers	Math 6 Trailblazers	Math 6 Trailblazers
	Segar, Kirsten L	Segar, Kirsten L	Segar, Kirsten L	Segar, Kirsten L
	Rm: 100	Rm: 100	Rm: 100	Rm: 100
6	6005T-4	6005T-4	6005T-4	6005T-4
	Physical Science Trailblazers	Physical Science Trailblazers	Physical Science Trailblazers	Physical Science Trailblazers
	Neu, Mark A	Neu, Mark A	Neu, Mark A	Neu, Mark A
	Rm: 111	Rm: 111	Rm: 111	Rm: 111
7	3505T-6	3505T-6	3505T-6	3505T-6
	Language Arts 6 Trailblazers	Language Arts 6 Trailblazers	Language Arts 6 Trailblazers	Language Arts 6 Trailblazers
	Sovine, Robin	Sovine, Robin	Sovine, Robin	Sovine, Robin
	Rm: 124	Rm: 124	Rm: 124	Rm: 124

## Required classes

Quarter 2 Quarter 2		Quarter 3	Quarter 4
Math	Math	Math	Math
Social Studies	Social Studies	Social Studies	Social Studies
Science	Science	Science	Science
Reading/ Language Arts	<b>3</b> .		Reading/ Language Arts
N	Music Production/Choir/Band every other day Physical Education		
Health	Arts & Communication	Science & Technology	Human Services

### Music options

- Non-performance based
  - Music Production

- Performance based
  - Band
  - Choir

Music is required for 6<sup>th</sup> grade

#### Band & Choir

• In order for our groups to be successful, students must <u>want</u> to be there. They must positively contribute to the group process.

• Once student has made their music choice, they are committing to that for the year.

### Registration Form

#### PEARSON 6<sup>™</sup> GRADE CENTER 2017-18 REGISTRATION

Studer	nt Name: First	Last
5 <sup>th</sup> Gra	ade Classroom Teacher:	Current School
	read and discuss the following information with you nild's classroom teacher by <b>February 17, 2017</b> .	er student and complete this form. Please return it to
Musi	<u>c</u>	
Please	select <u>one</u> of the following choices for the 2017-18	school year:
	Please enroll my son/daughter in CHOIR	
	Please enroll my son/daughter in BAND	
	Please enroll my son/daughter in MUSIC PRODUC	CTION

### Extra-curricular Music Options

- Jazz Band
  - AM rehearsal
  - Once a week
  - Two concerts
  - Other performance opportunities outside school
  - Auditioned

- Saber Singers
  - AM rehearsal
  - Once a week
  - Three concerts
  - Other performance opportunities outside school
  - Auditioned

### Conferences

- Middle/High school model
- Twice a year: Fall and Late Winter
- Arena Style Conferences
  - Four hour time slot to rotate to different teachers
  - Up to 5 minutes to discuss student grades, concerns, highlights, etc.
  - Always welcome to schedule a longer conference with the teacher at any time outside of scheduled conferences if needed

### Parent and School Partnership

#### Be Patient

A transitional period is expected

#### Monitor Progress

- Use Infinite Campus and Canvas to monitor student success and/or needs
- Check win with teachers when needed
- Help kids set up a home schedule to stay on top of their work
- Talk with students about school specifics

#### Partner with Teachers

- Contact us anytime
- When concerned, don't wait until conferences
- Help students to begin to advocate for themselves, but follow up as needed



### Electronics



- Students are allowed to have electronics during passing time and in the lunch room
- School is not responsible for lost or stolen electronics, students use at their own risk
- If the device needs to be taken away because of inappropriate use the child may lose his/her privilege to have electronics at school and an adult may need to come pick the device up from school

### 1:1 Learning Environment

- iPads
- Policies and Procedures
- August Informational Meeting
- "Roll out" Nights in September
- District Wide Technology Plan

### 1:1 Learning Environment

- In class
- At home
- Organization
- Submission of work
- Access to resources



Archive: Rollout 2015 Analysis

iBooks and PDFs













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Home	Our District	Enroll	Parents/Students	Departments	Teaching & Learning	Community Ed	Calendar	
Took	nology		Home » Parents	/Students » Techn	ology			
	npus & Canvas		Parent Gu	ide for Infin	ite Campus and	l Canvas		
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	Common Questic	ns	Who is us	ing it?		Who is is usin	na it?	
<ul><li>Tech</li></ul>	nnology Docume	nts						
• Arch	nive: Rollout 16-1	7 Schedule	All scho	ols		Secondary	(6-12)	

#### Infinite Campus Link

What will I find there?

- Official Gradebook
- Transcript

Where is it?

- Course Schedule
- Attendance Records
- Food Service
- Health Records
- State & Local Assessments
- Fee Payment Options

#### How do I set up an account?

#### What might I find there?

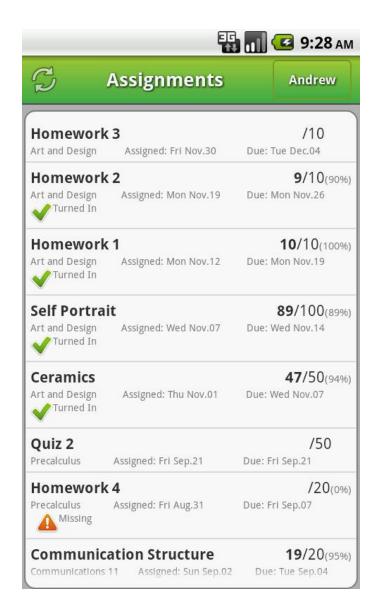
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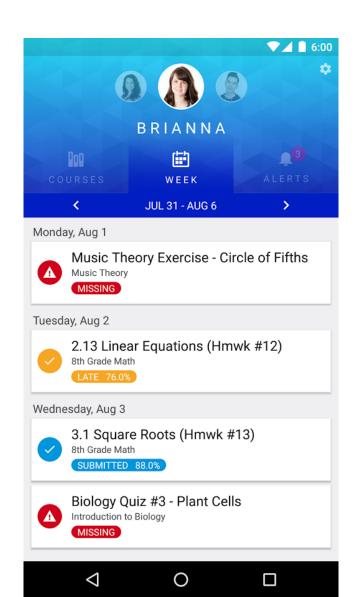
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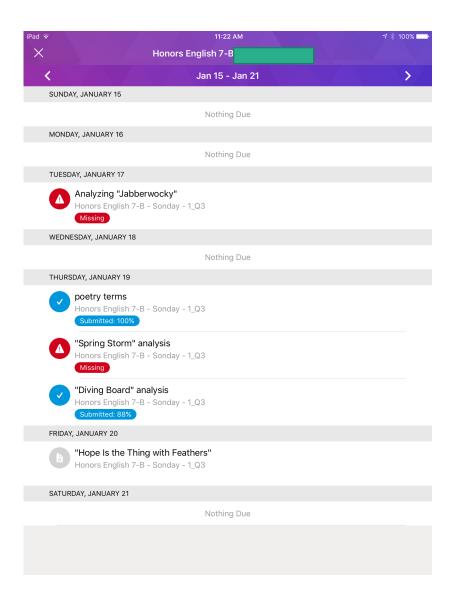
- Calendar and To-Do List of upcoming due dates for all courses
- · Assignments and directions
- In-progress Gradebook and digital feedback on assignments.
- Students can retrieve and turn in assignments electronically
- Multimedia (links to resources, movies, audio clips)

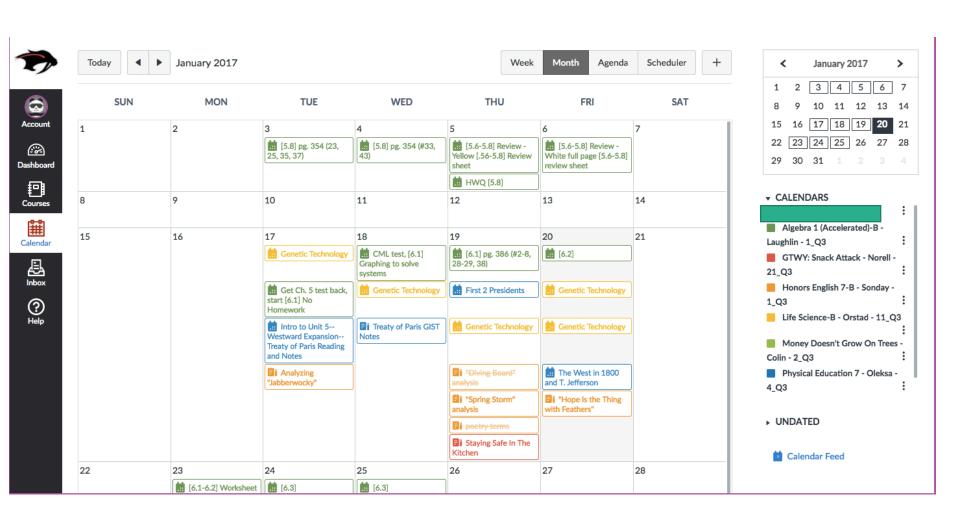
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	Term S1		>
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Semester Gr	Semester Grade		
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Week 5 prog	ress	F 85%	
Week 9 Prog	Week 9 Progress		
Week 14 Pro	Week 14 Progress		
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Semester Gr	ade	A 96.45%	>









# High Potential

Pearson 6<sup>th</sup> grade Center

#### 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Accelerated Courses

- Accelerated Reading & LA
- Accelerated Math Pre Algebra
- Twice Accelerated Math Algebra
- Accelerated Science

85<sup>th</sup> percentile or higher for 2 years

### Biggest challenges

- Lockers
- Advocating for self
- Organization with multiple classes
- Increased responsibility
- Greater independence

#### Summer Dates

- Open House
- Technology Information Nights
- iPad Roll Out



#### SAMPLE SCHEDULES

	9th Grade					
	Semeste	r 1		Semeste	er 2	
	Α	В		A	В	
B1	English 9	Geometry	B1	English 9	Geometry	
B2	Human Geography	Physics 9	B2	Human Geography	Physics 9	
В3	Freshman Seminar	Intro to Sport Performance	В3	Human Body Systems (POS Elective)	Business Dynamics (Other Academy Elective)	
B4	9th Grade Band (Fine Arts Elective)	Spanish 2 (Global Elective)	B4	9th Grade Band (Fine Arts Elective)	Spanish 2 (Global Elective)	

	10th Grade					
	Semeste	r 1		Semeste	r 2	
	Α	В		Α	В	
B1	English 10	Algebra 2	B1	English 10	Algebra 2	
B2	Modern US History	Chemistry	B2	Modern US History	Chemistry	
В3	Advanced Sport Performance	Global Health & Disease Prevention (Academy Elective)	В3	Health	Nutrition for the Human Body (Academy Elective)	
B4	Symphonic Band (Fine Arts Elective)	Spanish 3 (Global Elective)	B4	Symphonic Band (Fine Arts Elective)	Spanish 3 (Global Elective)	

	11th Grade					
	Semeste	er 1		Semeste	r 2	
	Α	В		Α	В	
B1	English 11	Functions, Stats, and Trig B1		English 11	Functions, Stats, and Trig	
B2	Modern World History	Biology	B2	Modern World History	Biology	
В3	Prin. of Biomedical Science (POS Elective)	Medical Terminology (Academy Elective)	В3	Prin. of Biomedical Science (POS Elective)	Human Relations (Other Academy Elective)	
B4	Business Technology (Other Academy Elective)	Spanish 4 (Global Elective)	B4	Ceramics 1 (Fine Arts Elective)	Spanish 4 (Global Elective)	

12th Grade					
	Semeste	r 1		Semeste	er 2
	A	В		Α	В
B1	English 12	Personal Financial Management	B1	English 12	Sculpture 1 (Fine Arts Elective)
B2	US Political and Economic Systems	AP Statistics (Global Elective)	B2	Psychology	AP Statistics (Global Elective)
В3	Medical Simulation (POS Elective Capstone)	Great Leadership Opportunities (Other Academy Elective)	В3	Photography (Other Academy Elective)	CIS: Anatomy & Physiology (Academy Elective)
B4	Pharmacology (Academy Elective)	Medical Interventions (POS Elective Capstone)	B4	Integrative Medicine (Academy Elective)	Medical Interventions (POS Elective Capstone)

#### Draft - Arts & Communication Academy - Draft



Related Careers: Art Directors, Curator, Stage Manager, Museum and Exhibit Manager, Director, Performer (Musician, Actor), Music Directors and Composers, Audio and Video Technician, Sound Engineer, Producers and Directors, Editors, Writers and Authors, Public Relations and Fundraising Manager, News and Print Media, Journalist, Multimedia Artists and Animators, Interior Designers, Artist and Art Marketer, Graphic Designers

Course Title Key	Existing Courses	Potential Courses (Subject to Change)
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MIDDLE SCHOOL		HIGH	SCHOOL	
Area of Interest Courses (Grades 6-8)	Program of Study	Introductory Courses	Intermediate Courses	Advanced Courses
Area of Interest Gateway (Grade 6):	Performance Production and Management	*Behind the Scenes: Production and Technical Design	Event Productions	Arts Administration
Heroes Middle School Electives	Media Production and Recording	*Elements of Media Production	Music and Sound Recording Video Production	Media Studio
(Grades 7 & 8):  Digital Art  Draw It, Paint It, Print	Publishing and Online Media	*Writing for Media	Creative Publications and Journalism	Publishing Studio
It  Drop a Beat  House of Style  Digital Storytelling  Sculpt It	Creative Design	*Design Fundamentals	Digital Design 1 Fashion Merchandising and Design Interior Design Photography 1	Studio Market
	Additional Academy Elective Courses:	Rock Band Essentials Acting Stagecraft Digital Design 2		
	CAPS Program:	S Digital Design		

\*Indicates new courses beginning in the 2017-18 school year.
Students in the Class of 2021 & Beyond will have to complete a 3 Course Program of Study

#### Draft - Business & Entrepreneurship Courses - Draft



Related Careers: Accountant, Bookkeeper, Actuary, Insurance Underwriters, Loan Officer, Financial Planner, Tax Preparer, Venture Capitalist, Small Business Owner, Entrepreneur, Business Analysts, Office Manager, Supply Chain Manager, Hotel Management, Event Planner, Tour Operator, Food and Beverage Manager, Executive Chef, Sous Chef, Restaurant Owner, Market Research Analysts, Recruiters, Social Media Marketing Manager, Sale Representatives & Retail Managers, Fundraiser, Media Buyer

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MIDDLE SCHOOL	HIGH SCHOOL			
Area of Interest Courses (Grades 6-8)	Program of Study	Introductory Courses	Intermediate Courses	Advanced Courses
Area of Interest Gateway (Grade 7):	Accounting and Finance	Business Dynamics	Accounting 1 Finance and Investments	Banking and Finance Management
Think Tank  Middle School	Entrepreneurship and Business Management	Business Dynamics	*Management and Leadership	Entrepreneurship
Electives (Grades 7 & 8): Innovation Lab	Hospitality and Restaurant Management	Business Dynamics Culinary Arts 1	Hospitality Management *Culinary Arts 2	Event Management
Money Doesn't Grow on Trees Teen Chef	Marketing and Sales	Business Dynamics	Marketing	Marketing Strategies
	Additional Academy Elective Courses:	Accounting 2 Macroeconomics International Business and Law *Business Technology  Baking and Pastry Culinary Arts 3 Sports and Entertainment Marketing E-Commerce and Social Media		
	CAPS Program:	Susiness Administration and Management		

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# Questions??