# 5th to 6th Grade Registration Information

#### Agenda

- 1. Our goals for students
- 2. Overview of the Middle School Model
- 3. Challenges for 6th Graders
- 4. 6th Grade Teams
- 5. School Day and Schedule
- 6. 6th Grade Classes
- 7. Accelerated Programming
- 8. Registration
- 9. Resources















#### Middle School Model

- 7 Different teachers
- 46-min classes
- Some classes change at quarter
- Lockers
- Technology 1:1
- No recess
- More homework and responsibility





## **Biggest challenges for 6th Graders**

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

#### Teams

- Common middle school model
- Core classes only
- Students randomly assigned
- Benefits for students

### **School Day**

- 7-period day + Advisory
- Advisory: (what that looks like at both or each school)
- 7:45am start time; 2:25pm end time
- 25-minute lunches
- 5-minute passing time between classes

#### Sample Schedule

	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
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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
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	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 Language Arts 6 Trailblazers Sovine, Robin Rm: 124	3505T-6 Language Arts 6 Trailblazers Sovine, Robin Rm: 124	3505T-6 Language Arts 6 Trailblazers Sovine, Robin Rm: 124 Sovine, Robin Rm: 124 Sovine, Robin	

## **Required Classes**

Quarter 1	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	Reading/ Language Arts	Reading/ Language Arts	Reading/ Language Arts
Music Production/Choir/Band every other day Physical Education			
Health	Arts & Communication	Science & Technology	Human Services

## **Music is required for 6th grade**

Options:

- Music Production
- Choir
- Band

\*\*\* As all music options are full-year electives, once a student has made their music choice, they are committing to that choice for the year.

#### **Accelerated Programming**

#### **6th Grade Accelerated Classes**

- Accelerated Reading and Language Arts
- Accelerated Math: Pre-Algebra
- Twice Accelerated Math: Algebra
- Accelerated Science

Identification Criteria:

- 85th Percentile or higher on standardized tests for past two (2) years
- Students will be automatically placed based if they meet this criteria





Shakopee Public Schools 2018-19 Course Registration Form 6th Grade

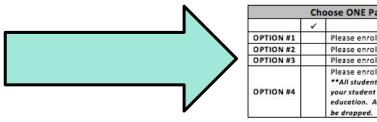
Student Name:	ID #:
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom Teacher:	Current School:

Middle School Placement: \_\_\_\_\_

Refer to the Middle School Registration Guide Book for detailed information about all courses. All students will be pre-loaded into the following required classes listed below, including those in accelerated (Accl.) courses. Placement in accelerated level courses will be based on criteria described on the backside of this form. GTWY refers to our required Gateway courses.

#### **6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE REQUIRED COURSES**

- Reading & Language Arts (or Acc), Reading and Language Arts)
- Math 6 (or Acci. Pre-Algebra or Acci. Algebra 1)
- Physical Science (or Accl, Physical Science)
- Physical Education 6
- Health 6
- Minnesota Studies
- GTWY: Be the Change
- GTWY: Programming is Electric
- GTWY: Heroes



	Choose ONE Pathway below for the 2018-19 School Year			
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OPTION #1		Please enroll my child in BAND and PHYSICAL EDUCATION		
OPTION #2		Please enroll my child in CHOIR and PHYSICAL EDUCATION		
<b>OPTION #3</b>		Please enroll my child in MUSIC PRODUCTION and PHYSICAL EDUCATION		
OPTION #4		Please enroll my child in BAND and CHOIR • All students are required to take physical education. In choosing this option, your student will lose two gateway (GTWY) courses to make room for physical education. Administrators and scheduling will determine which GTWY Courses will be dropped.		

### **Home/School Communication**

- Summer Newsletter
- School Website
- District Calendar
- School Messenger email and voicemail
- Twitter (@ShakoEast, @ShakoWest)
- Infinite Campus
- Canvas
- Parent-Teacher Conferences

#### If you have a question or concern, please reach out!

## **1:1 Learning Environment**

- iPads
- For following uses:
  - In Class
  - At home
  - Organization
  - Submission of work
  - Access to resources
- Policies and Procedures
- August Informational Meeting
- "Roll out" Days in September
- District Wide Technology Plan

#### **Electronics**

- Students are allowed to have electronics during passing time and in the cafeteria
- School is not responsible for lost of 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

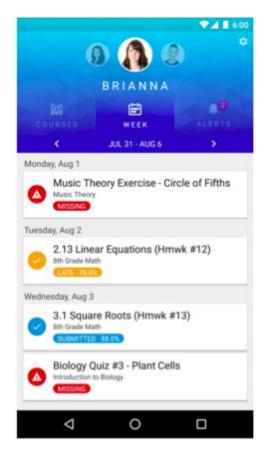
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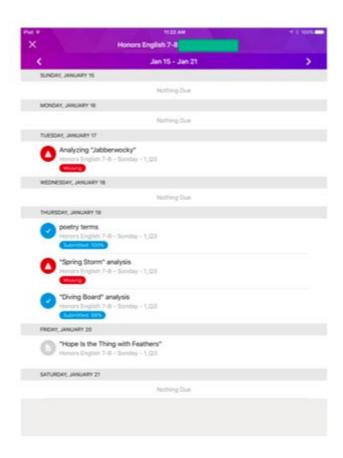
- Be Patient
  - A transitional period is expected
- Monitor Progress
  - Use Infinite Campus and Canvas to monitor student success and/or needs
  - Check with teachers when needed
  - Help kids set up a home schedule to stay on top of their work
  - Talk with students about school specifics
- Partner with Teachers
  - Contact them anytime
  - When concerned, don't wait until conferences
  - Help students learn to advocate for themselves, but follow up as needed

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Campus & Canvas	Home » Parents/Students » Technology Parent Guide for Infinite Campus a	and Canvas	
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<ul> <li>Software and Websites We Use</li> <li>Digital Citizenship &amp; Safety</li> <li>1:1 Device FAQ</li> <li>1:1 Common Questions</li> <li>Technology Documents</li> <li>Archive: Rollout 16-17 Schedule</li> <li>Archive: Rollout 2015 Analysis</li> <li>iBooks and PDFs</li> </ul>	What is it? Student Information Database Who is using it? All schools Where is it? <u>Infinite Campus Link</u> What will I find there? Official Gradebook Transcript • Course Schedule • Attendance Records • Food Service • Health Records • State & Local Assessments • Fee Payment Options	What is it?         Classroom & Course Materials         Who is is using it?         Secondary (6-12)         Where is it?         Canvas Link         What might I find there?         • 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)	
	How do I set up an account?	movies, audio clips)	

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Grading Per	iod	A 98.07%	>
Week 5 prog	gress	F 85%	
Week 9 Prog	gress	A 96.31%	
Week 14 Pro	ogress	A 96.49%	
Semester Ex	xam	A 90%	>
Semester G	rade	A 96.45%	>

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Art and Design	Assigned: Mon Nov.19	Due: Mon Nov.26
Homework	k1	10/10(100%
Art and Design	Assigned: Mon Nov.12	Due: Mon Nov.19
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Art and Design	Assigned: Wed Nov.07	Due: Wed Nov.14
Ceramics		47/50(94%
Art and Design	Assigned: Thu Nov.01	Due: Wed Nov.07
Quiz 2		/50
Precalculus	Assigned: Fri Sep.21	Due: Fri Sep.21
Homework		/20(0%
Precalculus Missing	Assigned: Fri Aug.31	Due: Fri Sep.07
Communio	ation Structure	19/20(95%









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