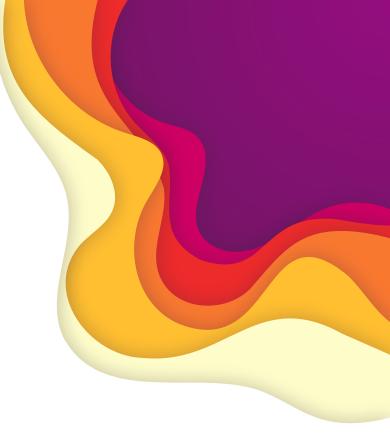
Rising 7th Course Selection

Frost Middle School



Presentation Overview

- General Information
- Course Selection Timeline
- Required Courses
- Elective Courses
- Next Steps
- Resources



Frost Administrators

- Mr. Harris, Principal
- Ms. Hornbecker, Director of Student Services
- Ms. Reed, Assistant Principal
- Ms. Champ, Assistant Principal
- Mr. Hudson, Assistant Principal
- Ms. Kownacki, Assistant Principal
- Ms. Metzker, After School Specialist

Counselors - School Year 2024-25

8th Grade

- Ms. Balderston
- Ms. Dunn

7th Grade

- Ms. Avina
- Ms. Gibas
- Mr. Joo



Middle School Teams

Voyagers

Travelers

Endeavor

Cavaliers

Same English, Science, History teachers & Counselor

Typical Day at Frost

7:30am-2:15pm

- Block Scheduling, 90 minutes
- Blue Days: Periods 1, 3, 4, 5, 7
- Gray Days: Periods 1, 2, 4, 6, 8

Periods 1 & 4 Every Day

Five minutes between classes

Four lunch periods (A, B, C, D)

Period 4 = Falcon Focus

NOTE: Bell Schedule subject to potential modifications for 2024-25



Falcon Focus

- Every day
- With one of your teachers
- Recess 15 min every day
- School wide lessons
- Academic support

Lockers

Hallway

- Available upon request, only if needed
- Only accessible before school, lunch, and end of the day

Gym

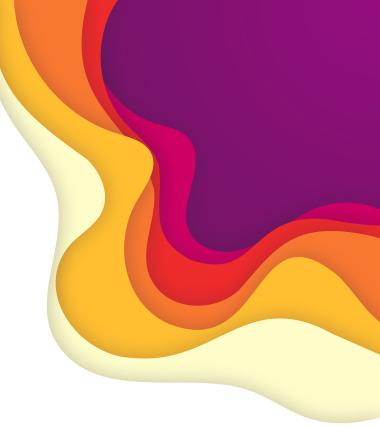
• Only used for PE essentials

Music

Instrument storage

After-School Program

- Programs every day 2:30-4:30
- Late busses M, T, W, TH
- Teachers also available for academic help
- Numerous options for everyone!



Required 7th Grade Courses



AAP in Middle School

- AAP Level 3
 - Option of Honors courses
- AAP Level 4
 - Auto Enrolled in AAP Core Classes
 English, Science, History
- Math is separate placement process



Core Course Overview

You will now hear from some of our 7th grade English, History, Science, and Math teachers about these courses.

7th Grade Core Course Overview



Grade-Level vs. Honors English 7 US History 7 Honors Science 7 Grade-Level

Math Sequencing

6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade	
Math 6	Math 7	Pre-Algebra	
	Math 7 HN	Algebra 1	
Advanced Math 6	Math 7 HN	Algebra 1	
		Algebra 1 HN	
Advanced Math 6	Algebra 1 HN	Geometry HN	

Health & PE 7

- Frost Activewear purchase optional
- Variety of activities introduced
 - Exs./flag football, volleyball, archery, biking, team games, etc...
- Stay physically active through a variety of games, sports, & fitness activities
- Have fun and spend time with friends
- Learn how to practice mental, physical, and emotional health

High School Credit Courses

- Algebra 1 HN
- Final grade listed on high school transcript and calculated in overall grade point average (GPA)
- 9th Grade Level Course



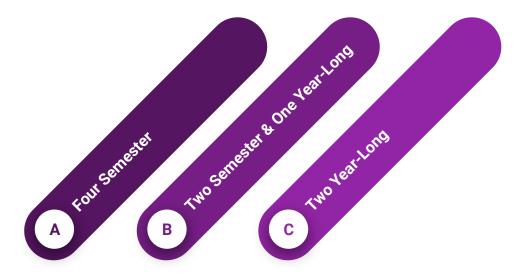
World Language Credit Exam

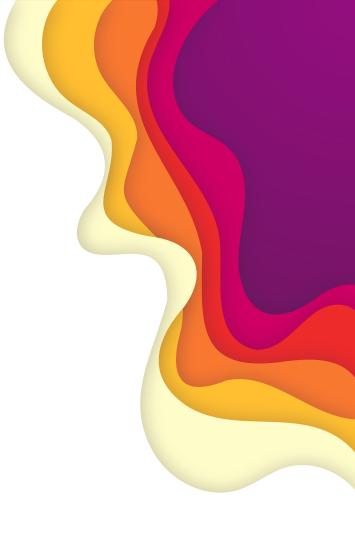
- Exam to test language proficiency available in 30 languages
 - Skills accessed: reading, writing, speaking
 - Test date: Fall 2023
- Opportunity to earn up to three high school credits
- Register with your Counselor Fall 2024



7th Grade Elective Courses

Elective Scheduling





Elective Ranking

- Although only 2-4 electives will be included in your schedule, you must rank <u>6</u> electives
- If you want a year-long elective included in your schedule, it must be ranked in the top 3
- Rank your top 6 electives so we can be sure to schedule you in something you have interests



Elective Courses

Semester Options

Rising 7th Elective Course Video



Semester Electives

Fine Arts (Art)	Fine Arts (Theater & Music)	Career & Technical Education	English & Other
Art Foundations	Theater Arts	Computer Solutions	Creative Writing
Art Extensions	Technical Theater	Coding 1	Literary Arts/Journalism
3D Art	Chorus	Engineering 1	Strategies for Success
Computers in Art	Piano Lab	Family & Consumer Sciences 1	Career Investigations

Career Investigations

- Explore career clusters, career pathways, or occupations
- Draft an Academic and Career PLan based on their academic and career interests
- Develop leadership, interpersonal, and career skills



Year Long Electives

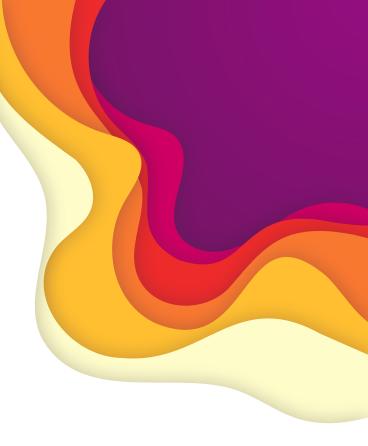
Fine Arts (Music)	World Languages
Band	Spanish 1 Part A
Chorus	French 1 Part A
Orchestra	



Next Steps

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- Visits to Frost Jan 30 & 31
- Frost Family Festival
 - February 22
 - 5:30-7:30 PM
- Discuss course selections with parents, teachers, and counselor
- Return completed, signed course selection sheet to teacher by elementary designated due date



Resources

- Rising 7th Course Selection Resource
- <u>Rising 7th Grade Course Selection</u>
 <u>Website</u>
 - Course Selection Sheet
 - Copy of Presentations & Videos
 - Course Selection Resource Google Doc

