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## HOW TO FILL OUT YOUR REQUEST CARD FOR 2019-20

### INCOMING 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS

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FOR FLYERS/BROCHURES AND THE CURRICULUM GUIDE (COURSE DESCRIPTIONS), PLEASE GO ONLINE TO: [SOUTH.MPLS.K12.MN.US](http://SOUTH.MPLS.K12.MN.US) AND SEARCH FOR INCOMING 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE REGISTRATION.

MAKE SELECTIONS AND INDICATE YOUR PREFERENCE ON THE REQUEST SHEET.

#### ENGLISH

- 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS WILL HAVE 1 YEAR-LONG ENGLISH CLASS, AS INDICATED ON THE FORM. ALL NATIONS AND LIBERAL ARTS STUDENTS TAKE HUMANITIES. OPEN STUDENTS TAKE ENGLISH 9.

#### SOCIAL STUDIES

- 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS WILL HAVE 1 YEAR-LONG SOCIAL STUDIES CLASS, AS INDICATED ON THE FORM. ALL NATIONS AND LIBERAL ARTS STUDENTS TAKE HUMANITIES. OPEN STUDENTS TAKE HONORS WORLD STUDIES.

#### MATH

SELECT 1 CLASS. TALK TO YOUR CURRENT TEACHER FOR GUIDANCE ON THE RIGHT LEVEL.

#### SCIENCE

- 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS TAKE PHYSICAL SCIENCE.

#### WORLD LANGUAGES

IF YOU ARE BEGINNING WITH LEVEL 1 OF A LANGUAGE, PLEASE GIVE US A 2<sup>ND</sup> CHOICE AS WELL.

#### ELECTIVES

CHOOSE 8 FROM THE FOLLOWING ELECTIVES AND NUMBER THEM IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE:

- ART
- CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION
- MUSIC
- DANCE
- THEATER
- PHYSICAL EDUCATION
- HEALTH
- OR OTHER ELECTIVES

#### MUSIC AUDITIONS

- MUSIC AUDITIONS ARE REQUIRED FOR CERTAIN CLASSES. YOU MAY SELECT YOUR CHOICE NOW, BUT ADJUSTMENTS MAY NEED TO BE MADE LATER.

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- REFER TO THE SOUTH HIGH GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE APPROPRIATE LEVEL CLASSES AND/OR SEQUENCE OF CLASSES YOU SHOULD BE TAKING.
- THE CHOICES YOU ARE MAKING ARE REQUESTS, NOT YOUR ACTUAL SCHEDULED CLASSES.
- THE SCHEDULE WILL BE CREATED BEFORE SCHOOL STARTS IN THE FALL.
- EVERY EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO GIVE YOU YOUR PREFERRED CLASSES, BUT THERE ARE SOMETIMES UNAVOIDABLE CONFLICTS.
- YOU NEED TO BE ENROLLED FOR A FULL YEAR IN CORE CLASSES (ENGLISH, SOCIAL STUDIES, MATH & SCIENCE).
- 1 YEAR OF FINE ART, 1 SEMESTER OF FITNESS FOR LIFE (PE) AND 1 SEMESTER OF HEALTH ARE REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION.
- 2 SEMESTER CLASSES = 1 FULL YEAR.
- WHEN NUMBERING CHOICES IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE: #1 IS YOUR 1<sup>ST</sup> CHOICE, #2 IS YOUR 2<sup>ND</sup>, ETC.
- THE AVID ELECTIVE IS A CLASS THAT PREPARES STUDENTS FOR COLLEGE. AN APPLICATION AND INTERVIEW IS REQUIRED TO TAKE THIS CLASS.
- PLEASE BE SURE TO SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR PARENTS/GUARDIAN AND HAVE THEM SIGN YOUR FORM.