

**Stafford Middle School**  
**7<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration**  
**2009-2010**

Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUIRED COURSES**

Choose 1 from each of the following required areas:

**Social Studies**

Texas History

**Science**

\_\_\_\_\_ Science 7

\_\_\_\_\_ Pre AP Science 7

**Reading**

Reading 7

**English**

\_\_\_\_\_ English 7

\_\_\_\_\_ Pre AP English 7

**Mathematics**

\_\_\_\_\_ Math 7

\_\_\_\_\_ Pre AP Math 7 (Prerequisite Pre AP Math 6)

\* GT Language Arts (Reading and English) – Must be currently identified in FISD’s GT program

**PHYSICAL EDUCATION COURSES**

Choose 1 of the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ Boys Athletics (Football and/or Basketball)

\_\_\_\_\_ Girls Athletics (Volleyball and/or Basketball)

\_\_\_\_\_ PE

\_\_\_\_\_ Tennis

**\*\*If you are only participating in Soccer or Cross Country/Track, you will need to sign up for PE rather than Athletics.**

**ELECTIVE COURSES**

- Student will be assigned a tutorial/lab period in place of an elective if he or she was not successful on a TAKS administration and/or academic performance in a core subject.

Mark your first choice with a “1” and your second choice with a “2”.

\_\_\_\_\_ Spanish 1A (1 High School Credit upon completion of Spanish 1A & Spanish 1B)

\_\_\_\_\_ Art I

\_\_\_\_\_ Theatre Arts I

\_\_\_\_\_ Choir

\_\_\_\_\_ Skills for Living

\_\_\_\_\_ Robotics

\_\_\_\_\_ Multimedia I/Video Production I

\_\_\_\_\_ Orchestra

\_\_\_\_\_ Advance Band (Prerequisite beginning band)

\_\_\_\_\_ Beginning Band (Instrument – per band director

\_\_\_\_\_)

Write in your third and fourth Alternate Elective Choices from the list above.

Alternate Elective Choices: 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please read and sign the Addendum on the back of this card.*

### *Student Registration Information*

By signing below, you (the parent or guardian) understand and acknowledge the following statements:

1. **TAKS (for all grade levels):** If your child does not meet expectations on any section of TAKS, he or she will be scheduled into an appropriate TAKS lab class. In addition, according to district guidelines, students who narrowly met the TAKS passing standard may also be included in a pull-out tutorial program. According to state law, we are required to provide your child with intense accelerated instruction to promote future academic success. This class(es) will take the place of one or more electives.
2. **New Students:** Students transferring from another Texas school must provide TAKS results from the most recent administration. If TAKS results are not available immediately, or if a student does not have TAKS results, a released TAKS test may be administered to determine a class schedule that is most appropriate for the student.
3. **Pre AP Guidelines:** (English and Science) It is highly recommended that students only enroll in Pre AP courses if they meet the following specifications 1) a classroom average of 90 % or higher in the subject area and 2) 85% or higher on the TAKS. In addition, students should expect an additional time requirement for this class and be willing to work independently.
4. **Math Pre AP Entrance Requirements:** Enrolling in Pre AP 6<sup>th</sup> grade math follows the same recommendations aligned above. The requirements for Pre AP 7<sup>th</sup> grade math and 8<sup>th</sup> grade Algebra I are outlined specifically in the Course Guidebook. Please note that you must meet ALL these requirements in order to qualify for enrollment in 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade Pre AP.
5. **Pre AP Maintenance Criteria (for all grade levels):** A student who earns a 79 or below in a six week grading period will be placed on academic probation. If a 79 or below is earned for two consecutive six weeks, the student will be placed into the corresponding regular level class.
6. **Algebra I Maintenance Criteria:** A student who earns a 79 or below in a six week grading period will be placed on academic probation. If a 79 or below is earned for two consecutive six weeks, the student will be placed into the corresponding regular level class.
7. **Spanish 1A Maintenance Criteria:** A student who earns a 79 or below in a six week grading period will be placed on academic probation. If a 79 or below is earned for two consecutive six weeks, the student will be placed into another available elective. Students must have a final grade of 80 or above to enroll in Spanish 1B in eighth grade. **To obtain high school credit, students must complete both Spanish 1A and 1B with a final grade of 80 or above.**
8. **Schedule Changes:** Schedule changes are subject to availability in the class requested. Students need to choose classes carefully and understand the schedule change policy. Schedule changes will not be permitted the first week of school.

Exceptions to this policy will be students who:

- are enrolled in a class twice
- are enrolled in too many or too few classes
- need to move from Pre AP to on-level or vice versa

**\*Classes marked with an asterisk qualify for high school credit. See course catalog for more information.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date