



**FAUBION**  
MIDDLE SCHOOL

# Welcome to Faubion Middle School Home of the Lions





## Introductions

- Administration
  - Principal
    - Mr. Jimmy Bowser
  - Assistant Principals
    - Dr. Sara Kriesel-Hall
    - Mr. Michael Demakas
  - Counselors
    - Ms. Robin Phillips
    - Ms. Christina Kiefer





## Goals for Today

- Discuss course registration
  - Selection of courses
  - Electives
  - Keys to choosing the right courses for your child
- Answer any questions you may have



## FMS House Structure

### Upstairs E109 Suite Includes: All Students A-K

- Dr. Sara Kriesel-Hall- Assistant Principal
- Robin Phillips- Counselor ([RPhillips@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:RPhillips@mckinneyisd.net))
- Ashley Dunning- Secretary

### Upstairs D207 Suite Includes: All Students L-Z

- Michael DeMakas- Assistant Principal
- Christina Kiefer- Counselor ([ChKiefer@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:ChKiefer@mckinneyisd.net))
- Omie Dedman- Secretary



## 7th Grade Vaccines

- Texas state law requires that all current 6th grade students provide proof of the following immunizations prior to the start of 7th grade:
  - Tetanus/Diphtheria/Pertussis-containing vaccine (unless a booster dose was received within the past five years)
  - Meningococcal vaccine (one dose)
  - Varicella vaccine (two doses received on or after 1st birthday)
  - Hepatitis A (two doses received on or after 1st birthday)
- If you have any questions, please contact Nurse Amy Marland at 469-302-6914 or by email at [amarland@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:amarland@mckinneyisd.net)



## Daily Class Schedule

- Core Courses
  - Language Arts & Reading
  - Math (Academic or Pre-AP)
  - Social Studies
  - Science
- Electives
  - Variety
  - Choose carefully
  - Applications required for some electives





## 7th Grade

- Core Courses have Academic or Pre-AP option
  - ELAR
  - Math
  - Social Studies
  - Science
- Electives
  - 3 Electives
  - Athletics, Cheer & Drill count towards four semester PE requirement

Faubion Middle School Registration 2017-2018  
7th Grade Student Information

Student Name:	School Use Only Place Sticker Here
ID #:	

**Required Academic Classes** (select one in each group)

Language Arts		Check One	Science		Check One
Academic	07100		Academic	7300	
Pre AP	07101		Pre AP	7301	

Math		Check One	Social Studies		Check One
Academic	7200		Academic	7400	
Pre AP	7201		Pre AP	7401	

**Required Physical Education** (select one)

Physical Education – Boys		7660
Physical Education – Girls		7670
Athletics – Boys	Physical Required	7510
Athletics – Girls	Physical Required	7520

**Elective Class** (Please mark your choices 1-5) 1 = "I really want this!"

Art 1		7500
Art 2 (Student must have completed Art 1)		7502
AVID	Application Course	7530
Band		7546
Broadcast and Media Journalism		7590
Cheer 7	Physical Required	7585
Choir I Boys		5241
Choir II Boys (Student must have completed Choir 6)		5242
Choir I- Girls		5231
Choir II -Girls (Student must have completed Choir 6)		5232
Creative Writing		7160
Drill Team 7	Physical Required	7686
Investigating Careers		7800
Teen Leadership/PALS 7		7721/7650
Theatre 7		7560
Orchestra		5552
PE Partner Leaders 7	Application Course	7665
Yearbook 7	Application Course	7730

**\*\*This form needs to be turned into your child's math teacher by Thursday March 2, 2017.**

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

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





## 8th Grade

- Core Courses have Academic or Pre-AP option
  - ELAR
  - Math
  - Social Studies
  - Science
- Electives
  - 3 Electives
  - Athletics, Cheer & Drill count towards four semester PE requirement

Faubion Middle School Registration 2017-2018		Bth
Grade Student Information		
Student Name:	School Use Only Place Sticker Here	
ID #:		

Required Academic Classes (select one in each group)				
Language Arts		Check One	Science	Check One
Academic	08100		Academic	8300
Pre AP	08101		Pre AP	8301

Math		Check One	Social Studies	Check One
Academic (Pre-Algebra)	8200		Academic	8400
Algebra (based on MAP/STAAR scores)	8202		Pre AP	8401

Elective Choices (Please mark your choices 1-5) 1 = "I really want this!"		
Art 2 (Student must have completed Art I)		8502
Art 3 (Student must have completed Art I and Art II)		8504
Athletics – Boys	Physical Required	8510
Athletics - Girls	Physical Required	8520
AVID 8	Application Course	8530
Band		8546
Broadcast and Media Journalism		8590
Cheer 8	Physical Required	8685
Choir II Boys (Student must have completed Choir I)		5252
Choir III Boys (Student must have completed Choir I and Choir II)		5253
Choir II Girls (Student must have completed Choir I)		5232
Choir III Girls (Student must have completed Choir I and Choir II)		5233
Creative Writing		8160
Drill Team 8	Physical Required	8686
Health/Communication Applications	High School Credit Course	8871/8861
Orchestra		5553
PALS 8	Application Course	8650
PE Partner Leaders B	Application Course	8665
Physical Education – Boys		8660
Physical Education – Girls		8670
Principles of Applied Engineering	High School Credit Course	9910
Principles of Arts, Audio Visual Tech & Communications	High School Credit Course	9920
Spanish for Spanish Speakers	High School Credit Course/ Application Course	8704/8705
Spanish 1	High School Credit Course	8890
Theatre I		7560
Theatre II (Student must have completed Theater I)		7562
Yearbook 8	Application Course	8730

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





## Pre AP Academic Profile

- Willing to work hard, complete all assignments on time and are conscientious students
- Are ready to commit to a course sequence leading to AP Calculus or Statistics in high school
- Well organized
- Seeks help when needed



## What a Successful Faubion 7th Grade Pre-AP Math Student Looks Like

- Discipline to plan, organize and complete tasks independently and on time – teacher recommendation.
- Read at or above grade level and possess proficient verbal and written communication skills.
- Unit Test , QCA and project scores consistently above 80% (no retesting needed).
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Math STAAR test score Level III: Advanced
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Spring MAP score 229 or higher
- Proactive -- Asks for help and/or attends tutorials as needed to further understanding.



## What a Successful Science 7th Grade Pre-AP Student Looks Like

- Discipline to plan, organize and complete tasks independently and on time – teacher recommendation
- Read at or above grade level and possess proficient verbal and written communication skills
- Unit Test, QCA and project scores consistently above 80% (no retesting needed)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science STAAR test score Level III: Advanced
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Spring MAP score 210 or higher
- Proactive -- Asks for help and/or attends tutorials as needed to further understanding



## What a Successful Faubion Pre-AP Algebra Student Looks Like

- Discipline to plan, organize and complete tasks independently and on time – teacher recommendation
- Read at or above grade level and possess proficient verbal and written communication skills
- Unit Test , QCA and project scores consistently above 80% (no retesting needed)
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Math STAAR test score Level III: Advanced
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Spring MAP score 240 or higher
- Proactive -- Asks for help and/or attends tutorials as needed to further understanding.



## What a Successful Faubion 8th Grade Pre-AP Science Student Looks Like

- Discipline to plan, organize and complete tasks independently and on time – teacher recommendation.
- Read at or above grade level and possess proficient verbal and written communication skills
- Unit Test , QCA and project scores consistently above 80% (no retesting needed)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science STAAR test score Level III: Advanced
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Spring 2015 MAP score 210 or higher
- Proactive -- Asks for help and/or attends tutorials as needed to further understanding



## Math Curriculum Sequence

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Academic</b>	<b>Pre-AP</b>
<b>6th</b>	<b>6th Grade TEKS</b>	<b>6th &amp; 7th Grade TEKS</b>
<b>7th</b>	<b>7th Grade TEKS</b>	<b>8th Grade TEKS</b>
<b>8th</b>	<b>8th Grade TEKS</b>	<b>Algebra I</b>
<b>Students take the MAP Test at the end of 7th grade for recommendation of 8th grade math course placement</b>		
<b>9th</b>	<b>Algebra I</b>	<b>Geometry</b>
<b>10th</b>	<b>Geometry</b>	<b>Algebra II</b>
<b>11th</b>	<b>Algebra II</b>	<b>Pre-Calculus</b>
<b>12th</b>	<b>Elective Math</b>	<b>AP Calculus or AP Statistics</b>



## Elective Choices

- Art
- Band
- Choir
- Orchestra
- AVID
- Cheer
- Drill
- Athletics
- PALS
- Teen Leadership
- Art 2 or 3
- Advanced Art
- Partners PE
- Engineering
- Yearbook
- Spanish
- Drama
- & many more

\*Most electives are full year courses







## Elective Choices

- 8th Grade Electives for High School credit
  - Health
  - Speech
  - Concepts of Engineering
  - Principles of Arts, A/V Tech. & Comm.
  - Principles of Information Technology
  - Spanish 1
- NOTE: Counts as HS credit, but **DOES NOT count in HS GPA**



## What Now?

- Students will receive their Registration Card on February 23rd
- Review the Academic Planning Guide (APG)
- Complete the Registration Card
  - Call your child's counselor if you have any questions
  - Sign the bottom of the registration card
- Return the registration card to your child's Math teacher by March 2nd



## STAAR Testing

Sixth Grade	Seventh Grade	Eighth Grade
Reading	Reading	Reading
	Writing	
Math	Math	Math
		Science
		Social Studies

- In accordance with the Student Success Initiative, students in 8th grade must pass both Math and Reading STAAR test to qualify for promotion to 9th grade
- Students who fail one or more exams in 6th or 7th grade may be placed into a course aimed at helping them to close any gaps in learning that caused them to fail the STAAR.



## FMS Who to Contact, All things...

Counselor (A-K): Robin Phillips [rphillips@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:rphillips@mckinneyisd.net)

Counselor (L-Z): Christina Kiefer [chkiefer@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:chkiefer@mckinneyisd.net)

Athletics Boys Coordinator: Zach Wiggins [zwiggins@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:zwiggins@mckinneyisd.net)

Athletics Girls Coordinator: Amber Burgess [aburgess@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:aburgess@mckinneyisd.net)

AVID: Alexis McCorvey [amccorvey@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:amccorvey@mckinneyisd.net)

Band Director: Brian Beck [bbeck@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:bbeck@mckinneyisd.net)

Cheerleading Sponsor: Brittany Neal [bneal@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:bneal@mckinneyisd.net)

Choir Director: Liz Turner [lturner@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:lturner@mckinneyisd.net)

Community Liaison: Sylvia Blair [sblair@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:sblair@mckinneyisd.net)

Drill Team Sponsor: Elena Villavicencio [Evillavicencio@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:Evillavicencio@mckinneyisd.net)

Gifted and Talented Coordinator: Karen Green [kjgreen@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:kjgreen@mckinneyisd.net)

Library Media Specialist: Melissa Willardson [mwillardson@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:mwillardson@mckinneyisd.net)

Nurse: Amy Marland [amarland@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:amarland@mckinneyisd.net)

Orchestra Director: Kari Zamora [kzamora@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:kzamora@mckinneyisd.net)

Registrar/Attendance/HAC: Laurie Kiley [lkiley@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:lkiley@mckinneyisd.net)

Special Education and 504: Brenda Allred [ballred@mckinneyisd.net](mailto:ballred@mckinneyisd.net)



## Keep in Touch!

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