

West Lake Middle School
6th Grade Elective Registration Form
2017-2018



Student Name _____

(Please Print)

Student ID # _____ **Track Assignment** _____

Current Elementary School _____

All sixth grade students have one elective slot (one period) each day. This elective may be a year-long elective (Beginning Band) OR 2 semester electives. To complete your child's registration, it is necessary that you make some decisions with your child regarding electives. After making your selection(s), please sign the form.

Rising 6th grade elective registration will be entered in PowerSchools. Your elementary school counselor will instruct you about the on-line registration process.

Elective Courses

- **Beginning Band** (*Beg. Band*) (year- long)
 Explore basic musical skills as students learn to play a brass, woodwind, or percussion instrument. A student must take Beginning Band in sixth grade if he or she wishes to participate in band during seventh or eighth grade. Exceptions to this will have to be addressed with our band teacher
- **Art and Music Exploratory** (*Art/Music Exp*) (semester - 9 weeks of art/9 weeks of music)
 Art – Explore elements of art through: drawing, painting, printmaking, mixed media, pottery, and weaving.
 Music – Introduction to skills necessary for singing and playing music with accuracy and expression.
- **Spanish Beginning** (*Beg. Span.*) (semester)
 This course begins the study of the Spanish language and culture; first part in the Spanish curriculum series for possible high school credit.
- **Keyboarding & Basic Word Processing** (*Keyboard & WP*) (semester)
 Learn keyboarding, basic word processing and digital literacy
- **Exploring Interpersonal Relationships - Childcare** (*Exp Int Rel*) (semester)
 Exploring interpersonal relationships and childcare & Exploring nutrition and wellness
- **Invention & Innovation** (*Invention & Inn*) (semester)
 Exploring invention and innovation & Exploring engineering and design

Instructions: Choose from the list above the courses your child is interested in taking next year. List these courses in the spaces provided in the chart below – you may use the abbreviated course names in italics. Your top 2 elective choices should be listed under Primary. In case of a schedule conflict you will also need to list 3 Alternate elective courses. No elective course should be written twice. (Note: If Beginning Band is your Primary elective choice, you do not need to choose a second primary elective)

Primary Elective Choices (must list 2 unless Beg. Band)	Alternative Elective Choices (must list 3)
1.	1.
2.	2.
	3.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Directions for Returning Elective Registration Forms
 Please return this completed and signed form to your elementary school counselor by the announced due date.

Rising 6th Grade Registration Open Houses

When: Thursday, March 9, 2017
or
 Thursday, March 30, 2017
 Where: **West Lake Middle School Auditorium**
 Time: 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
 Agenda: General Information Session
 Break Out Sessions and Self-Guided Tour

When: Tuesday, March 14, 2017
 Where: **Walnut Creek Elementary School**
 Time: 6:30-7:30 pm
 Agenda: General Information Session
 Question and Answer Session