

6TH GRADE COURSE SELECTION DIRECTIONS SPRING 2025

****PARENTS & STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO COMPLETE COURSE SELECTION TOGETHER****

1. Login to MyKaty Cloud (using your student login)



2. Go to the SchoolLinks app



3. On the left-hand side there is an option that says “School”. Click here, then select “Course Planner”.

4. Select the blue button that says, “Complete plan”.

5. On the next screen make sure your junior high says Beck Junior High. If it does, click the blue “Let’s go” button.

6. **Core Courses:** From here, the next 4 screens will look the same for Language Arts, Math, Science, and Social Studies. You will select Academic or KAP for each subject. From here it will automatically add 7th and 8th grade courses. You do NOT need to make any changes to 7th or 8th grade. To move to the next course, click the “Continue” button on the top right-hand side of the screen. ***If a student is already identified as GT in a subject, it will automatically be preloaded & locked on the screen.***

7. **PE:** After the core courses are entered, you will select Boys PE or Girls PE. You will see Pre-Athletics as an option in SchoolLinks, but you should select Boys PE or Girls PE.

8. **Fine Arts:** 6th grade students have a choice of Fine Arts (Band, Orchestra, Choir, Art, or Theatre). Lead Worthy Intermediate is also an elective option, but it is **NOT** a Fine Arts elective. It is highly recommended that 6th graders take a Fine Arts elective during 6th grade to avoid having to take a beginner Fine Arts class in 7th grade.

9. **Alternate Electives:** Students must select THREE **different** alternate electives on this screen. These should be entered in order of preference. Scheduling conflicts may prevent a student from getting their first elective choice, so alternates are important.

10. **Submit:** Once everything is selected for 6th grade, click the blue “Submit plan” button. It is OK if there are empty spots or areas that are the color red. Mrs. Clay, the Counselor, will review course selections one-on-one with students, and will make changes if needed.

11. **Personalized Plan:** After you submit your Course Planner, click the “School” icon on the left-hand navigation bar, then select “Personalized Plan” from the drop-down menu. Then click, the green button that says, “Start Plan”. **See step-by-step directions on the back of this page.**

12. **Course Verification:** Parents will receive an email to approve or request changes to their child’s course selections. **Friday, March 7 is the deadline to request changes to course selections!** No changes will be made after this deadline.

****DIRECTIONS FOR SUBMITTING PERSONALIZED PLANS ON BACK****

← All student plans (2023 - 2024) 11th grade - Mayde Creek HS

Katy ISD
Personalized Graduation Plan (PGP)

STUDENT SUBMITTED 03/15/2024	COUNSELOR APPROVED 03/18/2024	GUARDIAN MISSED APPROVAL DEADLINE
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STEP 1: Read the Course Commitment Form then click the blue “Next” button.

1 AP/KAP Course Commitment

Katy ISD recognizes the value of student participation in advanced academic coursework and encourages students to graduate from high school with at least one advanced academic course credit such as Advanced Placement. Participation in advanced academic courses is a foundation of college readiness. Students who participate are more likely to complete a bachelor’s degree in college and typically have higher college GPAs (Hargrove, Godin and Dodd, 2007; Dodd and Keng, 2008). The intent of this commitment is to maximize each student’s potential for success in AP and KAP courses.

Parents and students are encouraged to preview the AP/KAP Course Commitment Form using the link(s) provided::

[Course Commitment Form](#) (English)
[Course Commitment Form](#) (Spanish)

By submitting this personalized plan, I acknowledge my opportunity to preview the AP/KAP course commitment form. I understand that all course expectations will be communicated directly from the junior high campus at the start of the 2025 -2026 school year.

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STEP 2: Read this paragraph about opting out of automatic KAP placement then click the blue “Next” button.

2 KAP Opt Out (SB 2124 Info)

Per Senate Bill 2124, incoming 6th grade students who achieve within the top 2 quintiles on the Reading, Math, or Science STAAR tests in the 5th grade will automatically be placed in the corresponding KAP course. If you DO NOT agree to automatic placement for your child, you will have an opportunity to opt-out of automatic placement.

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STEP 3: Review your course plan then click the blue “Submit plan” button.

3 Academic Plan

Review and verify your course plan with your guardian

Course plan submitted for **Williams Elementary**

[View course plan](#)

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STEP 4: Finalize submission by typing your name in the signature box and then click the blue “Submit” button

Finalize submission ×

Sign your name below as an indication that this plan is accurate to the best of your knowledge.

Signature

(Optional) Is there anything you’d like to mention or clarify about this plan?

Comments will be visible to student, guardians, and school staff.

Cancel [Submit](#)