



MPJH 5th Grade Course Offerings Sheet

KISD 2024-2025

Due to HR Teacher Date:

Student Name: Last, First MI	KISD Student ID	Birth Date:
Address: Street		City / Zip
Parent/Guardian #1 Name: Last, First	Parent/Guardian #1 Email:	
Parent/Guardian #1 Home Phone:	Parent/Guardian #1 Cell Phone:	Parent/Guardian #1 Work Phone:
Parent/Guardian #2 Name: Last, First	Parent/Guardian #2 Email:	
Parent/Guardian #2 Home Phone:	Parent/Guardian #2 Cell Phone:	Parent/Guardian #2 Work Phone:

DIRECTIONS: CHOOSE one course from each of the required areas of English, Math, Science, Social Studies and PE. Mark required courses by CIRCLING the course number for the course. **IMPORTANT: List Fine Arts/Elective choices in order of preference.** Students may not receive their first choice elective due to insufficient enrollment in a course, scheduling conflict, or over enrollment in course. Student and parent signatures confirm that all course guidelines have been reviewed and course selections have been made based on the student's individual strengths, interests and commitment. Use this sheet as a guide to help you select your classes in SchoolLinks.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Per SB2124, incoming 6th grade students who achieve Masters level on Reading, Math, or Science STAAR exams in the 5th grade will be automatically placed in KAP **if they did not already select KAP**. Please circle OPT-OUT if you **DO NOT** agree to automatic placement for each of the subject areas listed below:

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	Social Studies	OPT-OUT	Science	OPT-OUT

REQUIRED COURSES	
ENGLISH AND READING	
J600	- O k
J606	- O k
G606	- O k Mh 8u
MATH	
J611	U
J614	U Mh
G614	U Mh 8u
SCIENCE	
J630	o
J634	o Mh
G634	o Mh 8u
SOCIAL STUDIES	
J620	o o
J624	o o Mh
G624	o o Mh 8u
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	
J680	h- Boys
J684	Pre Athletics - Boys
J681	PE 6 - Girls
J685	Pre Athletics - Girls

FINE ARTS ELECTIVE COURSES	
<p>One year of junior high Fine Arts is required for all students. ALL Fine Arts placement is based on Director Approval.</p>	
J941	u
J911	
J921	"
<p>Director will contact the student regarding instrument selection. Participation in instrument selection is mandatory.</p>	
J931	\
<p>Director will contact student regarding instrument selection. Participation in instrument selection is mandatory.</p>	
J951	#
J961	# 8
LIST FOUR ELECTIVE CHOICES IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE. LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE IN SOME COURSES.	
<p>**Please be advised that scheduling conflicts may prevent your student from getting his/her first elective choice. Please list alternate choices.</p>	
<p>Strategic Reading and Math Lab are intervention courses that may be required for students who did not pass the STAAR and/or based upon documented reading and/or math levels. These courses will take the place of the student's PE or elective.</p>	

Parent Signature: _____

Student Signature: _____



5th Grade Course Selection Worksheet

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Dear 5th Grade Parent/Guardian,

Course selection for the upcoming 2024-2025 school year has begun. Important dates for course selection are listed below:

- January 16 @ 6 pm** Incoming 6th Grade Parent Information Night at MPJH
- February 5 – February 19, 2024** Students select courses in SchoolLinks using Course Planner
- February 19, 2024 @ 11:59 pm** Course Planner becomes “viewable only” in SchoolLinks
- February 20 – March 8, 2024** Counselors meet with students individually to review course requests
- March 18 – March 26, 2024** Course Verification – Parents verify courses and request course changes

Students received information about all required and elective courses that are available to them for the next school year. Now students need to make informed choices about courses that will best meet his or her educational needs.

There are different formats for the core courses from which to choose:

- **Academic** - on grade level and designed to prepare students for high school and college
- **KAP (Katy Advanced Placement)** - prepare students for Advanced Placement courses (college level instruction) while in high school
- **KAP/G/T (Gifted and Talented)** - placement requires the student to have met specific KISD screening criteria and have been accepted into the G/T program

Katy ISD has an open enrollment policy for advanced academics. Early enrollment in these courses contributes to student achievement in later years. KAP courses are designed to challenge students beyond grade-level academic courses and prepare them for success in future advanced level coursework. Students may require encouragement and support from both family and campus to be successful in advanced academics. Please review your child’s report card and test scores in making course level decisions. Please note that students often enroll in a combination of course formats. Consider each course separately when deciding to select Academic or KAP.

OPT-OUT Required: Incoming 6th grade students who achieve Masters level on Reading, Math, or Science STAAR exams in the 5th grade will be placed as follows:

Masters on STAAR	Placement
5 th Grade STAAR Reading	6 th Grade KAP English Language Arts & Reading
5 th Grade STAAR Reading	6 th Grade KAP Social Studies
5 th Grade STAAR Math	6 th Grade KAP Math
5 th Grade STAAR Science	6 th Grade KAP Science

On the 5th Grade Course Selection Worksheet, your child will request the following courses: English/Language Arts Block, Math, Social Studies, Science, P.E., and **list your top four elective choices in order of preference**. Students identified as gifted may opt for a class designated as GT.

If your student changes his/her mind about course selections after January 31, your child will have an opportunity to request changes to their selections during Course Verification during the week of March 18-26, 2024.

Thank you for your careful consideration of courses for your child.

After completing the worksheet, please see the next steps on how to enter courses in Course Planner in SchoolLinks.

	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
Language Arts			
Science			
Social Studies			
Math			
Physical Education			
Fine Arts/Electives			



Directions for entering course requests in SchoolLinks



KISD Course catalog - view to read course descriptions