	ACADEMY MIDDLE SCHOOL Course Request Sheet Sixth Grade 2020-2021
	Due: Wednesday, March 4th
Name	5 th Gr Homeroom
COURSES:	
ELAR:	
Mathematics:	Mathematics 6
Science:	Science 6
Social Studies:	Social Studies 6
Physical Educatio	n: PE/Health
(circle ONE)	Girls PreAthletics/Health
	Boys PreAthletics/Health
Electives: (You will have <u>ONE</u> o	Please rank your choices 1, 2 elective)
	Band
	Art
	Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
Student Signature	
Parent Signature_	
Date	

6th Grade Elective Choices

<u>Band I</u>

Beginning band focuses on developing instrument performance fundamentals and music literacy. Students make an instrument selection based on an interview/placement process conducted by the band director, which happens in the spring semester of the student's 5th grade school year. The class concentrates on the development of note-reading skills, aural skills, rhythmic patterns, intonation, and tone production.

***Note: If your student is interested in band, he/she must start in 6th grade. Students will have multiple opportunities for additional electives in 7th and 8th grade.

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)

To ensure our students are prepared for the future workforce, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) education is a method of hands-on teaching and learning where students learn to apply academic content by creatively solving real-world problems with innovative design-based thinking. Designed to increase access for young people to STEM-rich learning environments, this class will ensure students are engaged and have mastered the necessary skills for success in STEM careers.

<u>Art 6</u>

Students will work with a variety of drawing, painting, and sculpting media while developing the elements and principles of art.