



Seven Lakes Junior High School
2026-2027 8th Grade Course Planning

Student Name: _____
Last Name First Name Katy ISD ID #

This document is for planning purposes only. All courses MUST be entered into your personalized plan in SchoolLinks. Please see directions on the back of this page.

Directions: Use the list of courses as a guide to help you select your classes in SchoolLinks. Check one course from each of the required areas of English, Math, Science, Social Studies and PE. Academic courses prepare the student for the next grade level. KAP (Katy Advanced Program) courses prepare the student for the next grade level and are more rigorous and move faster. Students who need to be put in the athletics class will be reviewed by the coach and a list will be sent to the counselor to change the schedule later. Final placement into courses is contingent upon campus approval. GT placement requires the student to have met specific Katy ISD screening criteria with confirmation by the GT facilitator.

Required Courses- 8th Grade-(GT Students will be placed by the GT facilitator)

English and Reading

- ☐ J802 English Language Arts and Reading Academic
- ☐ J806 English Language Arts and Reading KAP

Math

- ☐ J811 Math 8 Academic
- ☐ J0211 Algebra* High School Credit Course (must have completed Math 8)
- ☐ J0251 KAP Geometry* High School Credit Course (must have completed Algebra)

Science

- ☐ J830 Science Academic
- ☐ J833 Science KAP

Social Studies

- ☐ J820 Social Studies Academic
- ☐ J824 Social Studies KAP

Physical Education- Coaches will send the list of students to put in athletics. Schedules will be changed later.

- ☐ J880 PE 8 Boys
- ☐ J881 PE 8 Girls
- ☐ J887 Dance 8
- ☐ J880/J881 Partner PE (buddy program/will replace your PE course)

Important: Students planning for 8th grade will select two elective courses. Final placement into courses is contingent upon campus approval.

Check the **two** elective courses that are the choices for next year and list **three** alternate electives in order of preference. The student and parent should review all course guidelines and course selections should be made based on the student's individual strengths, interests, and commitment. **Students may not receive their first choice elective due to insufficient enrollment in a course, scheduling conflict, or over enrollment in course.**

Elective Courses- In the box provided list the two electives you choose to take in 8th grade, then 3 alternates in order.

Fine Arts

- ☐ J7511 Art 1* High School Credit (student must have taken Art 1 or Art 2)
- ☐ J921 Band 1
- ☐ J922 Band 2
- ☐ J923 Band 3
- ☐ J931 Orchestra 1
- ☐ J932 Orchestra 2
- ☐ J933 Orchestra 3
- ☐ J941 Theatre 1
- ☐ J942 Theatre 2
- ☐ J943 Theatre 3 (Director Approval)
- ☐ J951 Choir 1 - Boys
- ☐ J952 Choir 2 - Boys
- ☐ J953 Choir 3 - Boys
- ☐ J961 Choir 1 - Girls
- ☐ J962 Choir 2 – Girls
- ☐ J963 Choir 3 - Girls

List 2 electives in choice order. Then list 3 alternates.	
1.	_____
2.	_____
List 3 alternate electives (must all be different)	
1.	_____
2.	_____
3.	_____

Language Other than English (LOTE)- *High School Credit Courses

- ☐ J6319 Spanish 1*
- ☐ J6361 Spanish for Speakers 1* (fall sem) (1 credit) (taken w/ 6362)
- ☐ J6362 Spanish for Speakers 2* (spring sem) (1 credit) (taken w/ 6361)

Career and Technology Elective Courses- *High School Credit Courses

- ☐ J8353 Principles of Human Services* (Home Ec)
- ☐ J8616 Principles of Applied Engineering*
- ☐ J8043 Principles of Manufacturing* (Wood Shop)
- ☐ J8644 Principles of Information Technology*
- ☐ J8037 Principles of Arts, A/V, Technology, and Communications*
- ☐ J8601 Foundations of Business Communications and Technology*

Other Elective Courses

- ☐ J999 Lead Worthy
- ☐ J902 Spartan News Network (IND study in SchoolLinks-Must apply)
- ☐ J755 Publications 1 (Must apply) or J885 Publications 2 (Must apply)



Counselor Website



KISD Course Catalog- view to read course descriptions

Once courses are entered into SchoolLinks, parent/guardian and student must sign indicating agreement with selection.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date