Descriptions:

Beta Club Elective- Beta Club is a National Honor Society open to students who completed last year with a 3.25 GPA or higher. The club participates in several service projects throughout the year and competitions in February.

Middle School Cheerleading- Columbus Charter School Cheerleading. Cheerleaders will participate in school and local community events. All athletes must maintain a high academic average, attendance record and conduct report.

Show Choir- We combine acting, singing, and dance within the context of a specific story. Students will also learn melodies for special events, holidays, and graduation.

Life Skills- Students will learn skills necessary for everyday living. The course emphasizes goal setting, decision making and problem-solving, communication, healthy lifestyles and relationships, sewing, nutrition, personal safety, citizenship, and consumerism.

Life Skills 2- For students that have completed Life Skills 1. The course emphasizes goal setting, decision making and problem-solving, communication, healthy lifestyles and relationships, nutrition, sewing, personal safety, citizenship, and consumerism

Drama- An engaging, performance-focused, academic subject that develops skills in students that benefit them beyond the Drama classroom. It teaches students to be creative, confident, and connected young learners. Drama teaches students leadership skills, dynamic group skills and effective communicators.

History Bowl- History Bowl allows students to play competitive games while testing their knowledge of historical facts. History Bowl participants travel on HB field trips and compete against other RBA schools.

Science Olympiad- Students compete in 23 events from various scientific fields, such as Anatomy and Physiology, Tower Building, Rocks and Minerals, Forensics, and more. Events are in three categories: Study, Build, and Lab. Participants compete in March at the local competition at UNCW.

Chess and Board Games Club- This class will explore the basic strategy of different board games and chess. We will learn how to play them and talk about ways that these games can apply to our own lives as we visualize, plan, risk, and use self-control. Students will have the chance to measure their progress, and our focus will be on encouraging good sportsmanship while having fun.

Advanced Art- Students will participate in sketching, painting, ceramics, the elements and principles of design, color theory, the critical process, and keeping a sketchbook journal.

Cartooning and Sketching- Cartooning is for students, who love to imagine, design, and draw cartoons and or anime characters. Students will learn the basics of cartoon character design and cartoon panel creation. Students will need a sketchbook.

Computer Gaming and Coding - Students will focus on coding fundamentals and how to write coding languages like HTML/CSS, JavaScript, and Python. They will get comfortable with both front and back-end programming, including user interfaces, databases, APIs, and cross-platform development. Students can also play approved games such as Mine Craft.

Athletic Sports Boys and Girls- Students engage in various team sports such as Football, Basketball, Whiffle ball, Soccer, and Volleyball.

Archery- Learn the skill of archery while participating in the National Archery in the Schools Program.

Dance- Students will learn the beginning skills of dance while improving their techniques, poise, self-confidence, and creative ability.

*Electives may vary by campus.