

Glenwood Middle School

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Dear Parents / Guardians:

You are receiving this letter because your child is taking a high school credit bearing course in middle school. In accordance with Policy 8020: *“Any high school course listed in the Middle School Course Catalog which is offered at the middle school is eligible for high school credit and will be treated as an equivalent.”*

- The student’s course grade will be recorded on the high school transcript.
- The student’s grade will not be calculated into the high school grade point average.
- If a student re-takes one of the high-school courses that was taken in middle school for which credit was earned:
 - The high school grade(s) will be calculated into the GPA, and
 - Only the first credit will be awarded.

Please note that any middle school student enrolled in a high school level course who withdraws after the published withdrawal date of **October 4, 2022** will receive a “W” on their high school transcript. A W (Withdrawal) code will be used to indicate that a student withdrew from a course more than 24 days from the start of the course, and did not transfer into another level of the same course. Courses with W codes will not receive credit.

Courses* this policy applies to include:

- ESOL - English Language Development 1 & 2
- Mathematics - Algebra I, Algebra I GT, Geometry G/T, Algebra II G/T, and AP Statistics
- Computer Science, Engineering, and Technology Education - Exploring Computer Science & Foundations of Technology
- World Language - Spanish I & II, French I & II, and Chinese I & II (only at MHMS & MVMS)

* For more information on Middle School Courses please visit the 2022-23 Middle School Course Catalog (<https://www.hcpss.org/f/academics/ms-catalog-2022-23.pdf>)

Please do not hesitate to call your school counselor should you need assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Melissa Shindel". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Melissa Shindel
Principal