

8th Grade Registration



Brownell Middle School



Classroom Requirements



- English 8
- Math 8
- Social Studies 8
- Science 8

*Students will be automatically enrolled in academic classes

Electives



- Art
- Journalism
- Lifeskills
- World Languages
- Creative Drama
- Physical Education

- Performing Arts
- Industrial Technology
- Broadcast Journalism
- Foods & Nutrition
- Computer Education
- Support Classes

Art



- Exploring Art I (Art 2D & 3D)- ½ year
- Exploring Art II * (Art 2D & 3D)- ½ year
- Exploring Art III * (more advanced) - ½ year
- Exploring Art IV * (advanced concepts)- ½ year

- Digital Art & Design I- ½ year
- Digital Art & Design II *- ½ year
- Digital Art & Design III *- ½ year
- Digital Art & Design IV *- ½ year



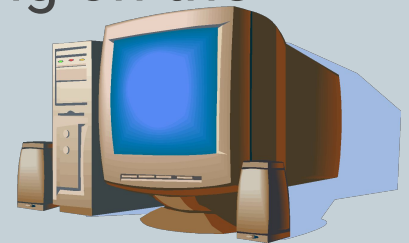
Computer based: photography, digital cameras, scanners, 3D printers, design software, product/media design, communication design, advertising

**Prerequisites apply*

Broadcast Journalism/Journalism



- Journalism: improve both written and oral communication skills
- Broadcast Journalism: explore both TV production and journalism fundamentals (Bronco News)
- Both classes are combined and will be working on the Bronco News



Life Skills/Foods



- Lifeskills: Character development, family, childcare (sugar baby), food preparation, nutrition, and sewing
- Advanced Life Skills *: career paths, housing (interior decorating/design), money management/budget
- Foods & Nutrition: study of nutrition and food preparation
- Advanced Foods & Nutrition *: greater depth and exploration with self-selected areas of interest related to food prep culinary skills

**Prerequisites apply*

World Languages



- Spanish Introduction
- Spanish Enrichment*
- Spanish I* or II *(H.S. credit, full year)
- French Introduction
- French Enrichment*

**Prerequisites apply*

- French I and German I (offered at North/South)
- Italian I and Latin I (offered at South only)

** All HS languages are scheduled based on availability

** Parents must provide transportation to all HS classes



Performing Arts



- Choir- *full year only*
- Concert Band
- Concert Orchestra
- Creative Drama I
- Creative Drama II *

**Prerequisites apply*

Industrial Technology



- Introduction to Woods and Metals
- Wood Technology *
- Metal Technology *
- Introduction to Computer Aided Drafting (Learn basic drafting/drawing techniques using CADKEY 3D Modeling Software. Architectural drawing using 3D Home Architect, model house building and career exploration).



**Prerequisites apply*

Physical Education



- PE Semester Grade 8
- PE Year Grade 8

INCLUDES:

- Individual & Team sports
- Swimming



Computer Education



- Innovation and Design I - IV*

New courses teaching students to solve real world problems using technology, working in teams with 3D printers, graphic software etc. to develop and pitch prototypes to end users

- Coding I - IV*

Students are introduced to computer languages of HTML, CSS and JavaScript. Topics such as website design, computer animation and game design.



**Prerequisites apply at Level II through Level IV*

Support Classes



- Math Foundations

Based on test scores and teacher recommendation

- Academic Assistance

Academic and organizational support based on teacher/counselor recommendation

Middle School Program of Studies



Detailed descriptions of each class at:

[Middle School Program of Studies](#)

Located on the Brownell Counseling website (under Registration) or go to the GPPSS website (under Departments/Teaching and Learning-Curriculum/Middle School)

Timeline



- Forms are due to your Social Studies teacher: **On or before Thursday, February 15th**
- Make sure you have completely filled out your sheet with primary classes and alternates
- Make sure it is signed by a parent!

Contact Information



If you or your parents have any questions, please contact your middle school counselor:

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