

# WELCOME TO CENTRAL



Burnaby Central Secondary School

## 2017/2018 COURSE SELECTION FOR GRADE 8

Student Name:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Last name)

\_\_\_\_\_ (First name)

Elementary School: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade 7 teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Students must take 6 required courses and choose two electives: one Fine Arts and one Applied Design, Skills and Technologies. In order for students to be eligible for honours courses, students must be recommended by their grade 7 teacher and will need to write admission assessments/tests.

### REQUIRED COURSES:

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| 1. English 8     | 4. Science 8                     |
| 2. Socials 8     | 5. French 8                      |
| 3. Mathematics 8 | 6. Physical & Health Education 8 |

### ELECTIVE COURSES:

7. **Fine Arts 8 Electives:** Order (1 – 5) by preference, #1 is your first choice.

- Advanced Band (one year of experience)
- Art
- Beginner's Band (no previous experience)
- Choir (no previous experience) Class held at 7:20 a.m. on alternate days
- Dance
- Drama



8. **Applied Design, Skills and Technologies 8 Electives:** Order (1 – 3) by preference, #1 is your first choice.

- Entrepreneurship & Marketing
- Foods & Practical Arts
- Technology Education

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PROGRAM ADJUSTMENT**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last name) (First name)

Elementary School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade 7 Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

1. English 8

2. Socials 8

3. Mathematics 8  Mathematics 8 Honours Teacher Signature \_\_\_\_\_

4. Science 8  Science 8/9 Honours Teacher Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Math 8 Honours and/or Science 8/9 Honours Criteria:**

- Be prepared to demonstrate intellectual curiosity and solve problems independently
- An enrichment course that requires initiative, commitment and research
- Covers regular curriculum plus extensions
- Involves participation in a mandatory math contest (for Math)
- Entrance is based upon teacher recommendation
- **Admission exam required (for Science) – will take place on Monday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> or Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 3:30pm in Room B312 at Burnaby Central**
- **Mark on Grade 7 Gauss Contest (written on May 10<sup>th</sup> at elementary school) will be considered**

5. French 8  French 9  French 10 Previous French Immersion: late  early

**ELL (Please attach ELL articulation form)**

Level 1  Level 2 Year service started: \_\_\_\_\_

Outreach Learning Support recommended for the following subject areas: \_\_\_\_\_

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION**

Ministry Designation  Current IEP  Yes  No  
Current SLP  Yes  No

Additional Comments:  
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Teacher signature: \_\_\_\_\_