

Cobb Middle School 6th Grade Course Descriptions 2017 – 2018 School Year

Mathematics Grade 6

Course Level:	Course Description:
Regular Advanced Talented	Students on a regular progression should enroll into the regular leveled math course. Advanced courses may cover all of the grade level benchmarks, as well as half of the next grade level benchmarks as outlined by the district pacing guide. No calculator for 6 th grade math.
Textbook:	Go Math Grade 6 Consumable text.
Resources:	On-line textbook and resources: https://my.hrw.com See teacher for log in ID and Password

Language Arts Grade 6

Course Level:	Course Description:
Regular Advanced Gifted	The language arts course at Cobb Middle School is an effective, research-based program, designed to provide instruction so that each student masters the grade-level expectation of the Florida Standards for Reading and Language Arts. It has an established progression of reading skills, focusing on vocabulary, comprehension, and higher-level thinking skills in addition to proficiency with written communication. Diagnostic and on-going assessments assure that students are mastering the appropriate benchmarks, with re-teaching occurring as needed throughout the class.
Textbook:	Student issued and on-line
Resources:	On-line textbook and resources: https://my.hrw.com See teacher for log in ID and Password

Science Grade 6

Course Level:	Course Description:
Comprehensive Science Gr: 6 Regular Advanced	Comprehensive Science 1 focuses on the scientific fields of life, earth, and physical science and how they are connected to each other. Students will experience hands-on labs and learn about the scientific process. \$5 lab fee. Advanced classes will move at a faster pace, covering topics at a greater depth.
Life Science Gr: 6 Magnet Students	This class will focus on the characteristics of life, human body systems, and ecology. \$15 lab fee.
Textbook:	6 th grade comprehensive/Life science: consumable text they will keep at the end of the year.
Resources:	http://connected.mcgraw-hill.com See teacher for specific log in ID and Password

Social Studies: World History Grade 6

Course Level:	Course Description:
Regular Advanced Gifted/Talented	Students in World History will learn about various ancient civilizations and their way of life. They will explore their cultural values and impact that helped shape the world we live in today. Each course is offered at varying ability levels, allowing teachers to focus on specific instructional goals best suited to the educational needs of the student.
Textbook:	Discovering Our Past: A History of the World, McGraw Hill
Resources:	http://connected.mcgraw-hill.com See teacher for specific log in ID and Password