

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

Visual Arts Elective

| Course Level: | Course Description: |
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| Art 1 –Beginning | Grade 6: - Develop basic art appreciation skills through the study and production of 2 & 3 dimensional works of art. Students will gain a basic understanding of the Elements of Art and the Principles of Design. \$10 Supply fee. |

Performing Arts Electives

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| Band 1 – Beginning | Grade 6: Learn the basics of a band instrument. No prior playing experience required. 2 performances required. \$15 fee covers band T-shirt. |

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| Men's Chorus Women's Chorus | Chorus class for women and men at all grade levels that explore music from different styles, genres, and parts of the world. Students will also learn music reading/writing skills and proper singing techniques. Required Fall and Spring performances. |

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| Orchestra 1 | Grade 6: Students learn to play the violin, viola, cello, or bass. No prior playing experience is needed. Students develop proper playing technique, learn music reading and writing skills, and play a variety of styles of music. Fall and Spring required performances. If not owned, students must rent their instrument by second week of school (information will be provided.) \$15 fee. |

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| Theatre 1 - Beginning | Academic-based course that examines theatrical performance, analysis, playwriting, sewing, design, directing, and construction. |

Elective Course: Physical Education

| Course Level: | Course Description: |
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| Grade 6 PE | Physical Education includes the study and acquisition of various movement skills related to physical fitness, team sports, recreational and leisure activities, integrated movement patterns in sports and lifelong health and fitness activities. This class will focus on development through game play and activities. CHAMPIONS fitness program will also be incorporated with all grade levels. Note: Students are required to dress out in approved PE gear daily and will have a locker rental fee of \$5. |

Elective Course: Computer Technology

| Course Level: | Course Description: |
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| Computer Technology 1 Digital Tools Certification | This course will focus on four critical areas: (1) increasing basic computer competency; (2) increasing typing proficiency; (3) developing basic knowledge of computer programming; and (4) developing basic knowledge of gaming essentials. |

Elective Course: Magnet Research

| Course Level: | Course Description: |
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| Magnet Program Grade 6 | Required elective for 6 th grade magnet students. Students will learn about the science behind crime scene investigation. Life Science involving the study of wetlands and the animals that inhabit them, dissection labs correlating with the study of the human body. Lab fee - \$15.00. |