

NORTH COUNTRY ROAD MIDDLE SCHOOL

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The following is the Middle School profile for the 2014-2015 school year. Below you will find the required course listing for each grade level of the North Country Road Middle School. The school day is divided into 9 periods.

<u>Grade 6</u>	<u>Grade 7</u>	<u>Grade 8</u>
Language Arts 6	English 7	English 8
Social Studies 6	Social Studies 7	Social Studies 8
Science 6	Science 7	Science 8/Earth Science
Math 6	Math 7	Math 8/Algebra I
Music	Foreign Language 7	Foreign Language 8
Physical Education/Art	Physical Education/Music	Physical Education/Music
Reading 6	FACS 7/Technology 7	FACS 8/Technology 8
Reading 6	Health/Art/ELA lab/Math lab	Science Lab and Health/Art or
Lunch 6	Lunch 7	Health/Art
		Lunch 8

For your child to be considered for Regents level Earth Science in grade 8, he/she is evaluated based upon the following criteria:

1. Science 7 Midterm exam – 30%
2. Science 7 Final exam – 40%
3. Math 7 Final exam – 15%
4. ELA 7 Final exam – 15%

A rubric will help guide our process for all Grade 8 math placements. The following qualifiers will be used as criterion for placement in Math during their grade eight year of instruction:

1. Math final exam 75%
2. ELA final exam 25%

Special services such as Resource Room, Reading, Writing, Speech, and Academic Intervention Services (AIS) are provided during one of our Reading/Language Arts periods or during Music in Grade 6, the 10-week “Wheel”, or Family and Consumer Science, depending upon the child’s grade and schedule.

If you have any questions about your child’s 2014-2015 schedule, please contact your child’s teacher or guidance counselor at the middle school.

Sincerely,

Matthew C. Clark
Principal