

## GERMANTOWN ACADEMY MIDDLE SCHOOL CURRICULUM OUTLINE

Department	Classes per rotation	Sixth Grade	Seventh Grade	Eighth Grade
Art*	5	Art 6	Art 7	Art 8
Drama*	3	Drama 6		
English	6	English 6 English 6T	English 7	English 8
Health & Wellness* Leadership**	3 1	Health & Wellness 6	Health & Wellness 7 Leadership Lab**	Health & Wellness 8
History	6	History 6	History 7	History 8
Language***	6	Chinese A, French A, Latin A, or Spanish A	Chinese B, French B, Latin B, or Spanish B Spanish B Honors	Chinese C, French C, Latin C, or Spanish C Spanish C Honors
Mathematics	6	Pre-Algebra Honors Pre-Algebra Mathematics 6	Algebra A Honors Algebra A Pre-Algebra 7	Algebra B Honors Algebra B Algebra A 8
Music****	3 4 3 or 4 4	Music A Sixth Grade Band Junior Chorus String Ensemble	Music B Concert Band Senior Chorus String Ensemble	Music C Concert Band Senior Chorus String Ensemble
Physical Education	4	Physical Education 6	Physical Education 7	Physical Education 8
Public Speaking*****			Public Speaking 7	Public Speaking 8
Science	6	Science 6	Science 7	Science 8
Technology**	1		Technology 7	
Electives	1			Electives are offered annually for 8 <sup>th</sup> grade only

\*Denotes a one-semester course. Students will have it in either the fall or spring semester.

\*\*The Leadership Lab and Technology 7 (new in 2018-2019) are courses for all seventh graders. Each course meets once per rotation.

\*\*\*New 7<sup>th</sup> grade students may be placed in level A language classes. New 8<sup>th</sup> grade students may be placed in level B courses or take Upper School Level I classes.

\*\*\*\*Students choose from one of four music concentrations to follow through Middle School. Junior Chorus and Music A/B/C meet 3 times per rotation; all other ensembles meet 4 times per rotation. The instrumental ensembles require private lessons and auditions for students new to the school.

\*\*\*\*\*Public Speaking 7 and Public Speaking 8 meet two times per rotation for one semester