



GATEWAY MIDDLE SCHOOL

March 3, 2020

Dear 6th Grade MSMS Families,

The time has come to begin planning for the 2020-2021 school year. Soon we will be meeting to discuss the transition from Moss Side Middle School to Gateway Middle School for your current 6th grade student.

On Tuesday, March 4, 2020 your child will receive the first ingredient for creating their 7th grade class schedule. A Seventh Grade - Student Scheduling Guide will be sent home with your student. This form is to be signed and returned to Moss Side Middle School no later than Friday, March 6, 2020.

All 7th grade students will have the option of participating in a full year performance ensemble or taking a rotation of classes for one grading period each. Students are permitted to request more than one performance ensemble. Our performance ensembles in 7th grade are Choir 7, Band 7, and Orchestra 7. If a student does not enroll in a performance ensemble, they will take Digital Fluency 7, Engineering and Design 7, Fine Arts 7, and STEAM 7.

To assist families and students in making this decision, we will be posting our Program of Studies on our website for parents and students to review. The document will be found under Gateway Middle School and the School Information link.

In closing, we will hold a GMS Orientation Night on April 15, 2020 at 6:30 pm. This orientation will occur in the GMS Auditorium. We will discuss student scheduling guidelines and building operations. We look forward to working with you as we continue to prepare for the 2020-2021 school year.

Sincerely,

Mr. Rocco Telli
Principal

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