

7th Grade Exploratory Options:

- **Step 1:** Login to PowerSchool Student Portal with your CCSD student login.
- **Step 2:** Navigate to Class Choice.
- **Step 3:** Complete a full schedule of 4 class units for 2021-22 on this by April 16.

Music Electives:

Concert Band 7- This Intermediate Band class offers students an expanded variety of music to learn and perform. Students will have the opportunity to qualify for the Moultrie Honor Band, which performs on the state level. Students may also qualify for individual All-Region and All-State honors. There is a performance trip combined with 7th and 8th grade band students to either Disney, Universal, or Atlanta.

Chorus 7- As a member of 7th grade chorus, students perform multiple concerts, attend field trips, and can qualify for All-County and All-State Chorus as well as a performers' workshop at Walt Disney World. We sing all types of music from classical to pop to Broadway. No audition required.

Music Appreciation and Exploration 7- This course will integrate music students of varying abilities, with the culminating goal to be a musical performance for all students. Advanced music students enrolled in the course will complete an independent study, selecting from a list of music-related careers: Music Education, Music Therapy, Musical Theatre, or Composition.

Orchestra/Strings 7- Orchestra is a performance based class in which students build technical skills playing the violin, viola, cello and string bass. Students will perform various musical styles as individuals and in groups in a learning environment that fosters responsibility, cooperation, healthy competitiveness, self-discipline, and fun. Students perform in many concerts, competitions, and festivals locally and have the opportunity to perform at Universal Studios and Walt Disney World.

STEM Electives:

Green Architecture Construction and Design- Today's students have grown up in an age of "green" choices. In this unit, students learn how to apply this concept to the fields of architecture and construction by exploring dimensioning, measuring, and architectural sustainability as they design affordable housing units using Autodesk's® 3D architectural design software.

Computer Science Discoveries (Code.org)- Design a computer application. Publish your own website. Create your own animations and games for computers and phone apps. Solve problems in real life using computers. Computer Science Discoveries (CS Discoveries) is an introductory computer science course that empowers students to create authentic artifacts and engage with computer science as a medium for creativity, communication, problem solving, and fun. This one semester course will focus on the aspects of exploration and expression. (.5 HS Credit. Remaining .5 will be in 8th grade)*

Medical Detectives I- Students will learn how to apply experimental design, creative thinking, and problem-solving to investigate the inner-workings of the human body, diagnose diseases, and improve human health. Students play the role of real-life medical detectives as they collect and analyze medical data to diagnose diseases and learn about outbreaks and pandemics throughout the world such as cholera, ebola, SARS, MERS, and Coronavirus/COVID19.

Art Electives:

Visual Art 7- Fundamental drawing techniques, the creation of mixed media compositions such as collage. Students will also learn the fundamental elements of art, the principles of design and how to incorporate them into their work. Students will be exposed to the history of different artistic movements, styles and the artists that popularized them.

Language Elective:

Spanish 7- This fun, interactive course for middle school students is filled with diverse, multimedia language activities. Students begin their introduction to Spanish by focusing on the four key areas of foreign language study: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. This is a *preferred prerequisite* for Spanish I HS credit in 8th grade.

General Electives:

Health/PE 7- Moultrie Physical Education class will provide students with the opportunity to learn a variety of sports and sport related movements as well as fitness concepts. Emphasis will be placed on active participation and positive social interaction during fitness and sport activities.

Drama 7- Acting skills will be developed through individual and group exercises, games, and activities. Stage movement, gesture, storytelling, and scene development are all a part of the curriculum.

Journalism 7- They study the basic principles of print and online **journalism** as they examine the role of printed news **media** in our society. They learn investigative skills, responsible reporting, and **journalistic** writing techniques as they read, respond to, and write their own news and feature articles.