

# Prosper ISD

## 8th Grade Course Reference Sheet 2023-2024

Student Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

### REQUIRED COURSES

Choose 1 from each of the following required areas:

#### English Language Arts and Reading

- ELAR 8
- Honors ELAR 8
- GT ELAR 8<sup>^</sup>

#### Mathematics

- Math 8
- Honors Algebra I\* (*prerequisite: Honors Math 7 or mastery of 8th grade math TEKS*)
- GT Algebra I\*<sup>^</sup> (*prerequisite: Honors or GT Math 7 or mastery of 8th grade math TEKS*)
- Honors Geometry\* (*prerequisite: Algebra I*)

#### Science

- Science 8
- Honors Science 8

#### Social Studies

- US History 8
- Honors US History 8

#### Electives

- ✓ College and Career Readiness

### ALTERNATE COURSES

Choose three other electives you wish to take in the event your chosen elective is full or you are not approved to take it. Rank them in the order of preference.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

\*Earns high school credit with GPA awarded

<sup>^</sup>Students placed in course once Identified Gifted and Talented

<sup>1</sup>Physical Release form and tryouts required.

<sup>2</sup>Application Required- students will be placed in course by counselors

<sup>3</sup>Application, Portfolio or Audition Required- students will be placed in course by director recommendation

<sup>4</sup>Physical Release form required. Placed in course with coach approval

### ELECTIVE COURSES

All students must select:

- 5 semester elective courses, OR
- 2 full year elective courses and 1 semester elective, OR
- 3 semester elective courses and 1 full year elective course.

#### **Semester Elective Courses**

- Art I 7/8
- Art II 8 (*prerequisite: art 6 or art I 7/8*)
- App Creators\* (previously Coding 7/8)
- Dance 7/8
- Design and Modeling\*
- Flight and Space\*
- Future Ready Leadership
- Graphic Design\*
- Medical Detectives\*
- Outdoor Education
- Photojournalism
- Physical Education
- Theater I 7/8
- Video Production

#### **Full Year Courses**

- Athletics<sup>1</sup> (Boys)
- Athletics<sup>1</sup> (Girls)
- Art II <sup>3</sup> (*prerequisite: art 6 or art I 7/8*)
- Band (*Fee*)
- Broadcast Journalism<sup>3</sup> (*prerequisite: video production*)
- Choir- Mens (*Fee*)
- Choir- Womens (*Fee*)
- Dance 7/8
- Fundamentals of Computer Science\*
- Spanish I\*
- Honors Spanish III\* (*Rogers Only*)
- Off Campus PE (*application and fee*)
- Orchestra (*Fee*)
- Partners PE<sup>2</sup> (*Select Campuses*)
- Physical Education
- Principles of Arts, Audio/Video Technology, and Communications\*
- Theatre II <sup>3</sup>
- Theatre Production<sup>3</sup>
- Tennis PE
- Tennis Team<sup>4</sup>
- Yearbook<sup>3</sup> (*prerequisite: photojournalism*)

Electives: Whenever possible, students will be scheduled into their first choice electives; however, due to class size and scheduling priorities, this cannot be guaranteed. The school's master schedule is based on students' course selections that you enter in Skyward; therefore, students need to make their decisions carefully as elective changes are not made after the last day of the 2022-2023 school year.