

ELECTIVE DATES TO REMEMBER

MARCH 15

- ELECTIVES FOR 2021-2022 POSTED TO SCHOOLOGY & REVERE WEBSITE
- STUDENTS CAN START APPLYING FOR ELECTIVES IN SECTION 2

APRIL 1

- APPLICATIONS FOR ELECTIVES REQUIRING APPLICATION **DUE**
(see elective sheet for details on how to apply)

APRIL 12 – APRIL 16

- ONLINE *ELECTIVE SELECTION FORM* WILL BE POSTED IN SCHOOLOGY
- ONLY STUDENTS CAN FILL OUT THE ONLINE FORM (form only accepts LAUSD email addresses)

THIS ELECTIVE SHEET **DOES NOT** NEED TO BE TURNED IN.
STUDENTS WILL BE SENT INSTRUCTIONS TO FILL OUT AN ONLINE ELECTIVE FORM, INDICATING HIS/HER CHOICES FOR NEXT YEAR.

RETURNING NEXT YEAR? & STUDENT ELECTIVES

RETURNING TO REVERE NEXT YEAR?

As we prepare for the 2021-2022 school year, it is important to know if your child will be returning to PRMS next year. **NO APPLICATION IS NECESSARY TO CONTINUE ENROLLMENT AT REVERE**, but you need to confirm that your child will return.

- YES, my child will return to Paul Revere Middle School for **2021-2022**.
- NO, my child will NOT return to Paul Revere Middle School for **2021-2022**. He/she will be attending:

School: _____ District & State: _____

7TH & 8TH GRADE ELECTIVES

#1 CURRENT MUSIC STUDENTS ONLY

- Are you continuing with Music next year? _____ **YES** (*I don't want to do anything else but continue in music*)
_____ **NO** (*I don't want to continue with music AND I have my parent consent*)
_____ **YES and NO** (*I've applied for another elective below in #2 but not sure if I'll get in to it*)

#2 ELECTIVES REQUIRING AN APPLICATION or APPROVAL

If you are accepted into one of the classes in this section, it will automatically replace ANY elective.

To find information and apply for these classes, join the **SCHOOLGY GROUP** with the access code provided and look in the **RESOURCES** tab.

HOW TO JOIN GROUPS

1. In Schoology, go to GROUPS
2. Tap on the "+" symbol
3. Enter the access code listed below (you may omit the "-" dashes)

NOTES

- After adding the group, it may take 3-5 minutes before the class is listed in your Groups listing. Exit Groups and then check later.
- Once in the Group, look in the RESOURCES tab on the left.
- You can join and apply for multiple electives

ELECTIVE	SCHOOLGY GROUP ACCESS CODE	ELECTIVE	SCHOOLGY GROUP ACCESS CODE
JOURNALISM	2PD5-DRZX-WQB74	LEADERSHIP	9F6C-5X4S-BZZ4S
SHOW CHOIR	59XH-NPJ9-WD6Q5	AG & ANIMAL SCIENCE	WWNJ-Q79R-FQBBP
YEARBOOK	B6HP-5KX8-6G8RF	ADVANCED ART	2WRJ-XTTP-7FDD7
		MADRIGALS	9GVF-XXPM-4ZQ7S

#3 GENERAL ELECTIVES

Do not write the same elective twice. You are filling this out JUST IN CASE you don't get into one of the electives listed in section #2 above.

- AGRICULTURE & THE ENVIRONMENT
- BEGINNING BAND (*new Band students*)
- BEGINNING ORCHESTRA (*new Orch students*)
- CHOIR (*new Choir students*)
- DIGITAL IMAGING
- DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY
- FILM & SCREENWRITING
- INTRO TO ART
- INTRO TO COMPUTER SCIENCE

SERVICE WORKERS

Only 8th graders are eligible to be Service Workers.

You must currently have C's or better and no U's in work habits or cooperation.

*We will do our best to schedule electives as requested above. Based on student scheduling, there is no guarantee.

GENERAL ELECTIVES

AGRICULTURE & THE ENVIRONMENT:

Learn about plants, animals, food, nature and technology with hands on lessons at our newly expanded school farm. Make a landscape design using CAD software, grow fruits & veggies, try new foods, take home a plant you grow, help take care of school animals, work with garden tools, go hiking, & explore the exciting & unique career opportunities in agriculture & natural sciences. Reading, writing, & note taking support project-based learning. Get outside and learn about the world around you.

(course title: ENV STUDIES MS)

BEGINNING BAND:

Learn how to play flute, clarinet, sax, trumpet, trombone, tuba or drums and be part of Revere's legendary Band Program! We will learn how to read music and understand rhythms as well, so you don't need any musical experience to join. Come be part of a real live band!

BEGINNING ORCHESTRA:

Learn how to play Violin, Viola, Cello, or Bass and be part of Revere's legendary String Program! We will learn how to read music and understand rhythms as well, so you don't need any musical experience to join. (You should, though, be pretty good at finishing your homework and sitting up straight -- we get a lot done!) Come be part of a real live orchestra!

FYI: This is NOT a guitar class.

CHOIR:

Choir is open to all interested students in all grades. It is open to both experienced singers and students who are beginners and want to try something new. There is a non-auditioned spot for all interested 6th, 7th and 8th graders. Do you want to learn to be a better performer? Would you like free instruction from a professional singer on vocal technique? Would you like to be part of a group of friends (we are like a family) who share a similar interest? You are never required to sing by yourself in front of others. You can volunteer to do solos, or if you prefer, just sing anonymously in the larger group. You will learn a lot about how to read music. You will make some new friends. It is fun!

DIGITAL IMAGING:

Students are taught the basic tools and skills of Photoshop Creative Suite using the iMac lab. Students create projects throughout the year to develop logical thinking and inspire creativity which also include topics ranging from coding, music projects, animation, and even 3D modeling and printing. *(course title: DIG IMAG MS)*

DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY:

Learn about taking pictures and using a digital single lens reflex (DSLR) camera. Learn the basics about film speed, aperture, and shutter speed. *(course title: PHOTO MS)*

FILM & SCREENWRITING:

Students will study the art of screenwriting and the film medium by participating in collaborative environments and/or scenarios with the goal of developing, writing, casting, directing and producing their own short film. *(course title: TH MEDIA MS)*

INTRO TO ART:

Learn the elements and principles of art. Focus is on 2D skills and multimedia projects. Express your creativity through different media such as color pencils, oil pastels, pencils, and other traditional materials. *(course title: GENERAL ART)*

INTRO TO COMPUTER SCIENCE GAME DESIGN:

This course introduces game design and development with the MIT Scratch coding environment. Students learn programming concepts including sequence, conditionals, loops, operators, and variables while developing creative game design skills. Design elements include player interactivity, user-experience and genre specific dynamics. Game genres include Racing, Platform, Escape, Launcher, Quest (RPG), and others. Some game designs involve physical computing applications by interfacing with robots. *(course title: INTOR PROG: GAME DSN&APP D)*