

# 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE ELECTIVE

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

What ELECTIVE class do you want to take at Revere?

**EXPLORATORY WHEEL**

*Student is automatically enrolled in four 10-week elective classes (Art, Shakespeare, Horticulture, Banking, etc...)*

*OR*

**MUSIC**

*Please read the descriptions carefully and select **ONE** option below.*

*Note: entry into a music class is not guaranteed as there are a limited number of seats available.*

\_\_\_\_\_ **6<sup>th</sup> Grade CHORUS:** For students interested in singing.

\_\_\_\_\_ **6<sup>th</sup> Grade BEGINNING WINDS:** *No experience is necessary.*  
For 6<sup>th</sup> graders who would like to learn to play flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone or another band instrument. (*recorder, guitar and piano are not taught in this class*)

\_\_\_\_\_ **6<sup>th</sup> Grade BEGINNING STRINGS:** *No experience is necessary.*  
For 6<sup>th</sup> graders who would like to learn to play violin, viola, cello or bass. (*guitar is not taught in this class*)

\_\_\_\_\_ **6<sup>th</sup> Grade BAND:** *at least 1 year experience required.*  
For 6<sup>th</sup> graders who have experience playing flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone or another band instrument. (*recorder, guitar and piano are not taught in this class*)

Please indicate what instrument you have at least one year experience of here: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **6<sup>th</sup> Grade ORCHESTRA:** *at least 1 year experience required.*  
For 6<sup>th</sup> graders who have experience playing violin viola, cello or bass.

Please indicate what instrument you have at least one year experience of here: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PREVIOUS MIDDLE SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE IN THE FALL: 7      8      (*please circle one*)

*The following electives are available to NEW 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students.*

*Enrollment in a selected class is not guaranteed. Please choose **three electives** and write in order of preference with a **1, 2 and 3**.*

\_\_\_\_\_ **7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Intermediate and Advanced Band and Orchestra:**

If you are entering Revere as a 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grader and have prior experience in band or orchestra, please check this line and indicate what instrument you play here: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **CHOIR:** Learn basic music theory and SING!

\_\_\_\_\_ **ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES:** Study the human interaction with the environment. Learn the principles of ecology, environmental science, as well as some of the ethics, policy, philosophy, planning and natural resource management related to the environment. You will also learn about Horticulture: the parts and functions of plants, gardening skills,

\_\_\_\_\_ **PHOTOSHOP/iMOVIE:** Students are taught the basic tools and skills of Photoshop CS4 using the iMac lab. They create projects throughout the year to develop logical thinking and inspire creativity.

\_\_\_\_\_ **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.

\_\_\_\_\_ **GENERAL ART:** Learn drawing basics and color theory. Focus is on 2D skills and multicultural projects. Express your creativity through mediums such as charcoal, paint, computer graphics, collage and other traditional materials.

\_\_\_\_\_ **INTRO TO SPANISH:** Learn the essentials of Spanish that you need to travel around the Spanish-speaking world. (This course starts at the beginning assuming you know nothing about the Spanish language.)

\_\_\_\_\_ **FILM:** *This class focuses on the development of the art of film from the silent era through present day. The different genres of comedy, drama, mystery and musicals are discussed and critiqued.*

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_