

7TH & 8TH GRADE LMMS SCHEDULING INFORMATION

**WELCOME TO LMMS FOR THE
2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR!**

LMMS IMPORTANT DATES

Students will schedule elective classes using a Google form posted in their math course in Schoology. All core classes will be scheduled by the school counselors.

7th Grade Scheduling

- Thursday May 4th- 6th grade students will meet with Mrs. Wall.
 - Dillon/Cash/Hounshell 8:15-9:15 in common area of pod
 - Barnett/Stein/Collinsworth 9:15-10:15 in common area of pod
 - Wilmes/Whitaker/Baldwin/Copley/Crawford 10:40-11:40 in common area of pod
 - Allen/Dipzinski/Huecker 1:00-2:00 in common area of pod
- Saturday May 13th- Electronic scheduling responses are due. Students are encouraged to complete as soon as possible.

8th Grade Scheduling

- Friday May 5th- 7th graders will meet with Mrs. Copeland.
 - 1st bell- All students who have Mrs. Eversole for math report to cafeteria
 - 2nd bell- All students who have Mr. Thomsen for math report to cafeteria
 - 3rd bell- All students who have Mr. Rose for math report to the cafeteria
- Saturday May 13th- Electronic scheduling responses are due. Students are encouraged to complete as soon as possible.

LMMS DAILY SCHEDULE

7TH AND 8TH GRADE

Period 1	7:20 - 8:04
Period 2	8:08 – 8:51
Period 3	8:55 - 9:38
Period 4	9:42-10:25
Period 5	10:30-12:26
ETEH (8)	10:30-11:00
ETEH (7)	11:56-12:26
LUNCH B (7)	10:30-11:00
LUNCH C (7/8)	11:04-11:34
LUNCH D (8)	11:38-12:08
Period 6	12:30-1:13
Period 7	1:17-2:00

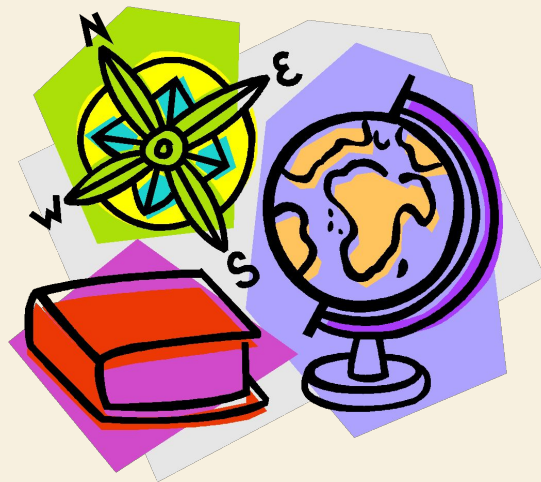
LMMS SCHEDULING RESOURCES

- ❑ Google form posted through math course in Schoology
- ❑ Go to LMMS homepage on the Little Miami website- click on the scheduling link on the left side of the page.
- ❑ Scheduling Resources on Schoology and the LMMS homepage include:
 - ✓ 2023-2024 Course Description Guide
 - ✓ Welcome to LMMS 2023-2024 School Year PowerPoint
 - ✓ AFJROTC Flyers
 - ✓ Foreign Language Flyer
 - ✓ 7/8 Honors English Syllabus and requirements

A TYPICAL DAY FOR A 7TH AND 8TH GRADE STUDENT

4 Core Classes

- Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies



Electives (2 year long, 1 yr. long and 2 semester or 4 semester classes)

- Gateway (STEM)
- Keyboarding
- Service Learning
- Physical Education/Health
- Sports and Fitness
- Art
- General Music-Ukulele
- General Music-Percussion Ensemble
- Band (Year-long)
- Women's Choir (Year-long)
- Men's Choir (Year-long)
- Apps Creator (Pre-requisite Gateway)
- Flight & Space (Pre-requisite Gateway)
- Advanced Robotics (8th grade ONLY w/teacher recommendation)
- Computer Application (8th Grade ONLY)
- Foreign Language-Spanish and French (8th Grade ONLY)
- AFJROTC (8th Grade ONLY)

7TH GRADE REQUIRED ELECTIVES

All students are required to take Keyboarding & Gateway if **not** taking 2 year-long electives. (ex. band and choir)

Gateway (STEM): Students will imagine the world through the eyes of an engineer while exploring STEM ideas and careers. They will explore concepts such as 3D printing, robotics, programming, and design using cutting edge computer software. The class uses activity-oriented curriculum that applies STEM principals. (**S**cience, **T**echnology, **E**ngineering, and **M**athematics) to projects.

Keyboarding Course Description: This Keyboarding course is designed for middle school students to master the skill of entering alphabetic, numeric, and symbolic information on a keyboard and a ten-key pad using the touch method of key stroking. Emphasis is placed on development of accuracy and speed, proper techniques, and correct finger positions. Students will further develop and enhance touch skills for entering information using a keyboard to compose and produce personal, educational, and professional documents. Digital literacy, composition, and language skills are embedded throughout the course.

8TH GRADE REQUIRED ELECTIVES

Computer Applications Course Description:

A semester long introductory course in personal computers using Microsoft Windows and Office Suite applications. The students will receive hands on experience in MS Windows, Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Office 365, OneDrive, Outlook, and other programs.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE-BIG CHANGES!!

- For the 2023-24 school year there will be 6 sections of Spanish and 3 sections of French.
- Foreign Language is only available for 8th grade students to take (rising 7th graders make sure to keep all criteria in mind as you complete your 7th grade year)
- To be eligible to take foreign language for High School Credit, you must have no D's or F's during your 7th grade year.
- Classes filled by GPA.
- Students with a 4.0 get priority.
- Which language should I take? Take time to read the foreign language flyer posted with the Google form in Schoology.

HONORS ENGLISH 7/8

- Course Description: Honors English focuses on the central themes of maturation, diversity, and the development of compassion, empathy, and respect for others. The curriculum teaches the skills of reading, writing, discussion, language use, and vocabulary development through the study of both literature and informational texts. Core readings include novels, plays, short stories, and poetry. Students will be asked to explore additional works of literature as well. The writing modes targeted are expository and fictional/personal narrative. Honors English serves as both an introduction to the high school English curriculum as well as an opportunity for students to critically explore their own maturation process through the lens of literature.
- The rigors of the course are intended to be commensurate with the preparation students need for success later in high school, in college, and in the working world. Students are being trained to be excellent critical thinkers, readers, textual analysts, writers, and creative producers of argument. The course will demand both high quantity and quality of effective writing for a range of audiences and purposes. By so writing, students will demonstrate their mastery of the conventions of the standard written language. Through the coursework, students will be expected to meet and exceed state standards for reading, writing, listening, speaking, and language.

IS HONORS ENGLISH A GOOD FIT FOR ME?

- 7th grade Honors English Syllabus-*Take time to read the 7th grade syllabus posted with the Google form in Schoology*
- [8th grade Honors English Syllabus](#)
- [Honors English Requirements to consider](#)
- [Honors English Application](#)

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**IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR
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