

# At a Glance:

## Middle School Changes for 2010-2011

Increasing Rigor!  
Improving Student Learning!  
Adding Opportunities!

For the past year the North St. Paul-Maplewood-Oakdale School District has been studying its middle schools and looking for ways to increase opportunities, add rigor and improve student learning. To accomplish these goals we will be implementing several changes to our middle school schedule and structure for the 2010-2011 school year.



### New for 2010-2011:

- **6-period Day** — Students will switch from the current 7-period day to a 6-period day. This change will not affect start and end times.
- **World Languages** — A full-year of world language will be offered in grade 8. Students will be able to choose from German, French or Spanish.
- **Middle School Music** — Students at all grade levels will have the opportunity to choose Band or Choir.
- **Bridge Courses** — Students who are behind their grade level in Math and/or Language Arts will be selected for a Bridge Course. Bridge Courses will take the place of a World Language, Trimester Classes or a main stream class.

### Informational Sessions:

- **John Glenn Middle:**  
Jan. 28 - 4 p.m. & 6 p.m.  
Jan. 29 - 9 a.m.  
Feb. 1 - 4 p.m. & 6 p.m.
- **Maplewood Middle:**  
Jan. 28 - 4 p.m. & 6 p.m.  
Jan. 29 - 9 a.m.  
Feb. 1 - 4 p.m. & 6 p.m.
- **Skyview Middle:**  
Jan. 28 - 5 p.m. & 6 p.m.  
Jan. 29 - 8:30 a.m. & 9:30 a.m.  
Feb. 1 - 5 p.m. & 6 p.m.

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2010-2011 Middle School Master Schedule		
Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8
Language Arts	Language Arts	Language Arts
Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics
Science (2 trimesters)	Science	Science
Social Studies (2 trimesters)	Social Studies	Social Studies
<b>Trimester Classes: (1 Trimester Each)</b>	<b>Trimester Classes: (1 Trimester Each)</b>	<b>Select a World Language or the Trimester Electives:</b>
Art	Art	Spanish, French or German
FACS	FACS	or
Computer/Engineering	Computer/Engineering	Art, FACS, and Computer/Engineering
Health		
Multicultural Literature	<b>Every Other Day:</b>	<b>Every Other Day:</b>
<b>Every Other Day:</b>	Band, Choir or Music	Band, Choir or Fitness PE
Band or Choir	Physical Education	Physical Education/Health
Physical Education		
*Students in grades 6-8 who are not proficient in math and/or reading may be placed in a Bridge course, which will alter their schedule.		