



# Pompano Beach Middle School

## Seventh Grade Course Information Sheet



Dear Student and Family,

Academic courses offered for seventh grade students for the 2020-2021 school year include: Language Arts, Math, Science, World History, and two half-year electives each semester (unless required to take a reading course due to FSA test scores). The following are course descriptions to provide you with information regarding what is covered in each class.

Academy of Information Technology, Broadcasting Arts, and Communications	Academy of Aviation and Computer Engineering
<p><b>Intro to Arts, A/V Tech, and Communications</b> Students will learn fundamental A/V technology editing and production skills within the broadcasting arts academy.</p> <p><b>Exploring Technology Design</b> This course provides students with instruction in the characteristics and evolution of technology, underlying principles of design, and fundamental knowledge and skills in the use of essential software.</p> <p><b>Information Technology</b> This course will provide students with an overview of the information technology industry. Additionally, students will be introduced to critical industry concepts like coding, electronic communication, data and data use, ect.</p>	<p><b>Exploration of Aerospace Technologies</b> Students will begin to develop proficiency in utilizing technology to explore and master fundamentals of flight.</p>
Teach STEM Academy	Academy of Tourism and Entertainment
<p><b>Fundamentals of Careers in Education</b> Students will explore the field of education by being exposed to the various careers in education. In addition to exploring the various careers in education, students will also develop essential skills applicable to various careers in the education industry.</p>	<p><b>Exploring Hospitality and Tourism Careers</b> In this course, students are introduced to the hospitality and tourism industry and the various careers and associated responsibilities. Additionally, students will develop a deeper understanding of the hospitality and tourism industry.</p>
Academy of E-Sports and Athletic Sciences	Non-Academy Electives
<p><b>E-Sports and Fitness</b> Students will be introduced to the essentials of human performance and fitness. Students will learn about effective fitness models for athletic performance. Additionally, students will learn how to apply their knowledge through exploring and designing the fitness requirements of E-Sports athletes.</p>	<p><b>Debate 2</b> In this course, students will continue to practice oratory skills to develop effective communication and leadership skills.</p> <p><b>Spanish 1</b> Students enrolled in Spanish 1 develop a fundamental understanding of the Spanish language and Spanish culture. Students will begin to develop oral and written literacy in Spanish by practicing essential concepts like the concepts of being and feeling, shopping, eating, and family.</p>