

*Academic
Excellence
For All
Our
Students*

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**Alexandria
Township
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**Schoolwide
Enrichment
Program
2009-2010**



Enrichment Opportunities

3rd Grade—

Literary Arts Magazine, Student Council, Chorus, Math Masters, Advanced Physical Education, Newspaper Club, Theme Day (literary adventures) , Games From Around The World

4th Grade—

I-Search (research of student's choice), Reader's Theatre, Discrete Math, Games From Around the World

5th Grade—

STEM Program (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math)

6th-8th Grades—

The Invention of Flight, Physical Leadership/Development, Measurement Applications, Smart Choices (decision making), Eastern European Art, Korean and Vietnam Wars, Advanced Art, World Cul-

Why Are We Implementing A Schoolwide Enrichment Program?

Our belief is that all students have strengths and talents to share. The focus of the enrichment program is to ensure that our students have the opportunity to excel and grow in their areas of strength/interest.

The program also ties in with our district focus of improved character education at both schools, since students who enrich themselves with exciting opportunities can become more dedicated and motivated learners.

Who Will Participate?

All students in Grades 3-8 will have the opportunity to sign up for enrichment classes. In grades 3, the students have already been surveyed and have listed course preferences. In grades 6-8, the enrichment classes have already been scheduled based on students' interests.

What Other Opportunities Are Available?

The students will have the opportunity to participate in courses each semester/trimester.

In addition, the following clubs will be offered during or after school: Ski Club, Cross Country, Cheerleading, Homework Club, Computer Club, Chess Club, Soccer, Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Field Hockey, Volleyball, Student Council, Morning Show, Science/Math Clubs, Train Trekkers, Peer Leaders, Student Readers, Peer Mediators, Rebel, and Yearbook Club.

Parent Resources

Schoolwide Enrichment Model:

<http://www.gifted.uconn.edu/sem/semexec.html>

New Jersey Association for Gifted Children:

<http://www.njagc.org/>

Enrichment Opportunities:

<http://www.montclair.edu/gifted/fall.html>

Information

<http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/>

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