



Option Classes



Dear Parents/ Guardians,

We are starting quarter 2 of option classes at Spring Glen Jr. High. As such we would like to communicate with you what we are offering this quarter. Please visit with your student and help them pick the best option for them.

Monday/Wednesday

- **Art**
 - Students will learn and use a variety of art mediums throughout the quarter.
- **Bread Making**
 - Students will learn how to mix and bake a variety of different breads.
- **Band (Gr. 6)**
 - Students are taught how to play an instrument.
 - Note – The grade 6 curriculum requires students to have a certain amount of hours in music instruction. After the second quarter students can opt out of band if they would like.
- **French**
 - Students will be introduced to basics of the French language.
- **Strategy Games**
 - Students will learn a variety of strategy games. The main focus will be chess and checkers.
- **Choir**
 - Students will be directed on the basics of singing and participate in a choir made up of fellow students. Directed by Mrs. Demes.
- **Intervention / Homework**
 - Students who need time and assistance in their core classes may opt to take this class. Students must meet with Teachers to help assess their needs before being allowed into this class. Students who fall behind in their core classes may be asked to attend this class until they are caught up.



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Tuesday/Thursday

- **Hunter Ed**
 - Students will learn the skills necessary to hunt here in Alberta. They will then have the opportunity to be tested to receive their Alberta Hunters Education Certificate. **There is an extra cost of \$40 associated with this course.**
- **Creative Writing**
 - Students will learn and have the opportunity to improve their writing skills.
- **Basketball**
 - Students will learn from one of our PE teachers the basic skills of basketball.
- **Band 7-9**
 - Students will learn to play a variety of songs on a musical instrument. They will also perform at different points throughout the year. This is generally students with at least some previous band experience.
- **Film Study**
 - Students will watch short films, documentaries and other movies. They will be taught to analyze the different narrative structures required to make a film. These will include aspects like character, setting, conflict resolution, and others.
- **Hot Lunch Program**
 - Students will learn basic kitchen and meal preparation skills by preparing food for our hot lunch program.
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