



VENADO MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

April is the month that we begin planning for the next school year. The purpose of this communication is to provide incoming 8th grade students and families with important spring registration information. The registration process will be completed online, as it has been in the past. Students will be placed in classes according to current placement, IUSD math placement criteria, EL status, etc. Some students may be placed in an intervention support/lab or ELD class. Parents/guardians will submit elective course requests online.

Registration

All registration documentation will be posted on our website on this [page](#) in the immediate future. You can navigate to this page manually by following this path: <https://venado.iusd.org/> > About > Enrollment & Registration.

Listed below are important action items for all of our incoming 8th grade families:

1. Review Venado Middle School's Course Descriptions document.
2. To learn more about our elective class offerings, review the *Electives Program Slide Deck*. This document has rich information for students and families that will assist with elective course request selections.
3. Submit elective course requests between Friday, April 24 and Friday, May 8 by completing the Elective Course Requests Form.

On Friday, April 24, teachers will also review this important information with students during Advisement. Elective classes are not assigned on a first come, first served basis. Once requests are submitted, changes are not permitted, so please take time to consider your requests carefully with your child. Parents who do not submit elective course requests will have elective classes assigned to their students. We really want to avoid doing this, so please submit your request by the deadline.

We very much look forward to working with your child and you again in the coming school year. If you have any questions or if we can be of assistance in some way, please contact our front office at 949-936-6800. We're here to help. Go Knights!

Sincerely,

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Principal

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