Heritage Middle School

TRACK 1

Eighth Grade Registration
2008-2009

Student's Name _____ **Track** _1_____

Eighth Grade students are required to take Language Arts, Math, Science, Social Studies, and Healthful Living (Health/PE). The current Math teacher will initial the recommended math course placement (either Algebraic Thinking III or Algebra I). One period of the day is designated for an elective course. Please see our website **(www.heritagems.wcpss.net)** to assist you in choosing electives or refer to the course description sheet provided to your student.
Some general information:

- **Advanced Band** is a **yearlong elective** that requires a prerequisite course from Grade Seven.
- **All other** Eighth Grade elective classes are semester classes.
- **BCT II** requires successful completion of BCT I which must be indicated by teacher signature.
- **Life Skills 8** is the same curriculum as Life Skills 7. Students may not take Life Skills twice.
- ****Curriculum Assistance (CA)** is a class offered to IEP students as their elective period. The Special Education teacher will initial the CA class to meet IEP compliance for this requirement on their IEP.
- ****ALP (Accelerated Learning Program)** is a course designed for students needing intervention for promotion guidelines. ***Students will be notified after EOG tests and at the end of first semester if they must take this class instead of an elective.***

****Please indicate the elective choice with your student, sign this form, review the information on the reverse side for accuracy and return it to your student's current School Counselor.**

YEARLONG ELECTIVE

_____ **Advanced Band** ***Approved by current Band teacher signature:** _____

SEMESTER ELECTIVES: FOR EACH SEMESTER BLOCK
CHOOSE THREE IN PREFERENCE ORDER (1 ,2 AND 3)

First Semester Choices			***Second Semester Choices***	
BCT I	_____		BCT II** *(requires teacher approval)*	_____
Chorus 8	_____	**AND**	Life Skills 8** (requires teacher approval)	_____
Exploring Technology	_____		Art	_____
Newspaper/Yearbook	_____		Dance II	_____

*****OTHER***

****_____ Curriculum Assistance (CA)** **Teacher Signature:** _____

**** _____ ALP Required** **Counselor Signature:** _____

Parent Signature: _____ **Date:** _____ **Daytime Phone:** _____