

# Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Families



# Schedule Options for all Students

- **Periods A-5:**

7:55 a.m. – 2:15 p.m. (M/F) 2:20 (Tu, Wed, Th)

Requests for an A-5 schedule will be accommodated ONLY if course and space is available

- **Periods 1-6:**

9:00 a.m.-3:10 p.m.

- **Periods A-6:**

7:55 a.m. – 3:10 p.m.

Requests for an A-6 schedule is not available for those students who choose Careers Elective Wheel AND is based on course and space availability

\*\*\*There is no study hall or bus available AND student must be picked up at dismissal time\*\*\*

# 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Course of Study

All 6<sup>th</sup> grade students will take:

- **English 6CP**
- **Social Science 6**
- **Math 6CP or Accelerated Math** (students who earn A's and B's or the equivalent all three trimesters of Math in 5<sup>th</sup> grade and score an 83% or above on the 5<sup>th</sup> graded end-of-course exam will be automatically placed in Math 6 Accelerated)
- **Science 6**
- **Advisory** (Wednesdays and Thursdays only)
- **PE 6**
- **Elective**

6<sup>th</sup> grade students will have two main academic teachers- one teacher for English and Social Science and one teacher for Math and Science.

Besides Math, there are no other honors level classes offered for 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

# Possible Schedules for 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students

## Periods A-5

7:55 am-2:15 pm

A Per.- Elective

Per. 1- English

Per. 2- Social Science

Nutrition

Per. 3- Math

Per. 4- Science

Lunch

Per. 5- PE

## Periods 1-6

9:00 am-3:10 pm

Per. 1- English

Per. 2- Social Science

Nutrition

Per. 3- Math

Per. 4- Science

Lunch

Per. 5- PE

Per. 6- Elective

## Periods A-6

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Per. 4- Science

Lunch

Per. 5- PE

Per. 6- Elective

## Common Planning Time (CPT) Days & Advisory Days

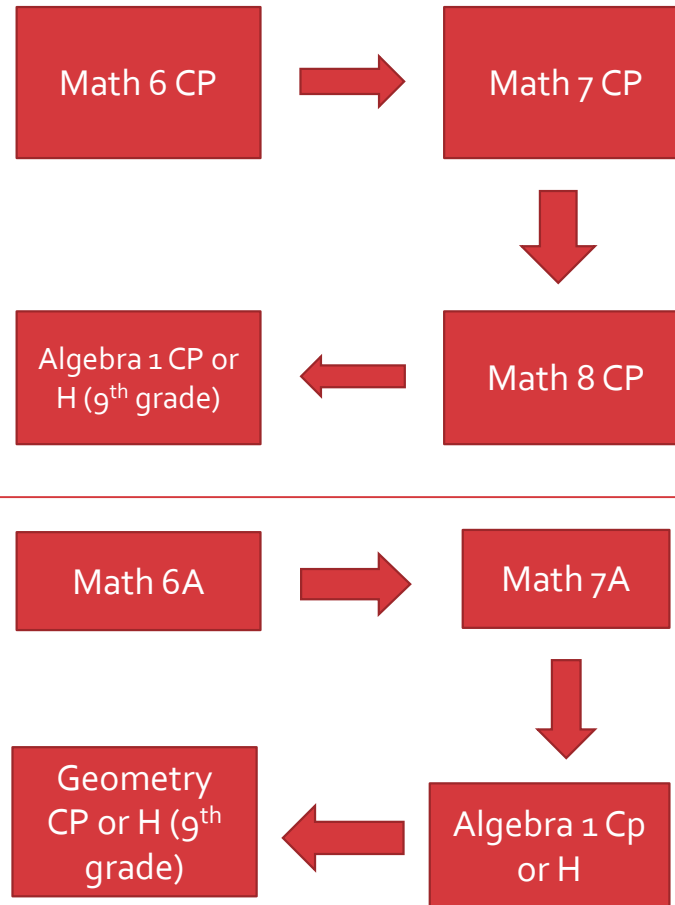
- Tuesdays are Common Planning Time days. School starts at 9:30 a.m. for all students and there is no A period class on Tuesdays. Students leave school at their typical scheduled times, either after 5<sup>th</sup> or after 6<sup>th</sup> period.
- Wednesdays and Thursdays are Advisory days. All students have Advisory period from 9:00 a.m.- 9:25 a.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Students with A period will attend A period before Advisory and students starting period 1 will start their day at 9:00 a.m. with Advisory before going to period 1.
- The full bell schedule can be found <http://www.conejousd.org/redwood/General-Info/Bell-Schedule>

# Honors Pathways for 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students

- All 6<sup>th</sup> grade classes are offered at the College Prep (CP) level.
- Accelerated Math for 6<sup>th</sup> grade is also available to those students who qualify.
- Students who earn A's or B's all three trimesters in Math 6A or earn A's all three trimesters in Math 6 AND score a 70% or higher on the requisite exam, will be automatically placed in Math 7A
- Students who earn A's all three trimesters in English 6 CP and/or Social Science 6 CP AND get a requisite score on the District Benchmark exam will be placed in English 7 Honors and/or Social Science 7 Honors.
- Honors Science becomes available in 8<sup>th</sup> grade.
- Students interested in the honors level who do not automatically qualify will need to petition. See petition form on our website at <https://www.conejousd.org/redwood>.

# Math Pathways & Options for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>

## Pathways



## Options

- Summer Boost Camp and Get Ahead Program
- Students who earn A's all three trimesters in Math 6 CP will typically be offered the boost camp opportunity
- Students will then complete an assessment and, if they score high enough, they will be able to move to Math 7 Accelerated
- These opportunities are typically available between 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade

# Elective Classes

## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Career Elective Wheel
- Chorus
- Band
  - Beginning
  - Intermediate
  - Advanced
- Strings
- Leadership/ASB

## 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Art
- Woodshop
- Leadership/ASB
- EPIC
- Chorus
- Band
  - Beginning
  - Intermediate
  - Advanced
- Strings
- Special Friends/TA (8<sup>th</sup> grade only)
- TA (8<sup>th</sup> grade only)
- Spanish 1 CP (8<sup>th</sup> grade only)



# Activities & Athletics

## Activities

- 6<sup>th</sup> grade socials
- COTY competitions
- Renaissance
- WEB activities
- Fall Carnival
- Lunchtime activities

## Athletics

- Redwood Boys & Girls Teams:
  - Basketball
  - Soccer
  - Volleyball
- Games are played against other middle schools at the Teen Center
- Practices are held at Redwood
- Intramural lunchtime sports

# Redwood Resources

- The **Boys and Girls Club** is a great resource on our campus for families needing extended care before, after and/or during school.
  - Students can spend time there during lunch
  - They have homework help and enrichment programs
  - They offer scholarships on as needed basis
  - Please visit their website at <https://www.bgcconejo.org/join-the-club/find-a-club/john-l-notter-family-boys-girls-club/> if you would like additional information
- **Chromebooks** are available for students to use during class. This allows students to work on assignments and check their grades and completed work on the Q Student Connect portal. Teachers will also teach students how to utilize Google Drive to complete and submit assignments.
- **Q connect-** The following is a link to information about Q Connect <http://www.conejousd.org/Q-Student-Information-System-Login>
- **Redwood Website** <http://www.conejousd.org/redwood/>