Reading the PRMS Middle School Schedule

The school year at PRMS is broken up into 4 semesters- Semester 1, Semester 2, Semester 3 and Semester 4. Each semester is approximately 2 and ½ months long. At the beginning of the year, students follow their semester 1 schedule.

On the first day of school, students will receive a printed copy of their schedule and their teachers will explain how to follow the schedule and how to locate and use their lockers.

What are A, B days?

This is a way of alternating days for some Unified Arts and PEP courses. Your child will have some of their courses, including core courses, and lunch on both A and B days meaning every day.

Other courses may be on A days only, or B days only, meaning every other day. For example- If Wednesday is A day, then Thursday is B day, Friday is A day, Monday is B day and so on.

How many periods in a school day?

There are 9 periods in a school day at the middle school. Period 1 starts at 7:45 a.m.

How do I know my child's homeroom?

The homeroom class is your child's period 1 class.

Why do I see some courses listed twice?

All 5th and 6th graders, as well as some 7th grade students have a double period of Language Arts. Double periods do not have to be consecutive periods.

Why is there a letter after the grade in the courses?

Each middle school student is on a team, indicated by a color. Students on the same team have the same teachers for their core courses.

There are 4 teams in 5th grade: N= Navy, O=Orange, P= Purple, S= Silver

There are 2 teams in 6th grade: G= Gold, R= Red There are 2 teams in 7th grade: B=Blue, G=Green

For example, a student in the course 'LANG ARTS 5P' is in 5th grade on the purple team.

After the first day of school, your child should be able to explain their schedule to you. If you still have questions regarding your child's schedule, please contact his or her school counselor.

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