

Hello JMIS Incoming 8th Grade Parents,

Elective course requests for the 2023-24 school year will be submitted [online](#) through the Aeries Parent Portal. This is the same portal that you used to confirm your child's registration at the beginning of this school year. The website address is <https://moragaesd.aeries.net/student/LoginParent.aspx?page=default.aspx> and a Quick link is also available on the JM website. Please note: Electives for incoming 6th grade students will take place in mid-February.

Instructions:

1. View [Electives Video](#).
2. Click [HERE](#) for course descriptions/requirements.
3. Watch this How-to enter electives [video](#) from Mr. Plant
4. Click [HERE](#) to record your selections prior to entering them into Aeries. This will serve as a confirmation and backup of your choices. You will get a confirmation email with your selections after submitting.
5. Log into the [Aeries Parent Portal](#). The username is your email. If you can't remember your password, click on the "forgot" password link.
6. Looking at the tab options, Select "Change Student" and click on your student.
7. Select the "Classes" tab
8. Select "Course Requests Entry".
9. Under Filter Courses on the right, Click on the "Search" button. All electives available to your student will appear.
10. Choose 2 Primary Electives - select elective and then click "Request Primary". (Please note that some of our 'semester electives' are now offered in pairs and must be selected as a 'package deal'.)
11. Then choose 3 alternates for each primary elective. Choose the alternates in the same way you chose the primary but click "request alternate."
12. Each time you select an alternate, please associate it with a primary choice. To do so, click "Manage" and then click "Associate". You may select the same "alternate" for more than one "primary." A number will appear next to the Manage button - this is how you know that the alternates have been tied to the primary. In the event your first choice isn't available, your alternate class will be substituted.
13. Congratulations! Log out.

All 8th grade students will receive two electives.

Please note that, in some cases, an elective will be removed in place of a support class, such as E.L. (for English Language Learners), Learning Center (for students with an IEP) or a curriculum support class.

**Elective Course Requests are due online by Monday February 6th at 4:00 PM.**

