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## **AISD Guidance and Counseling**

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Dear Parents and/or Guardians,

The exciting time has come for your student to visit their middle school campus and plan their courses for the 2022-2023 school year!

On Wednesday, March 23, 5<sup>th</sup> grade students will travel to the middle school campus that corresponds to their address for a campus tour, presentations from fine arts and athletics and information specific to their future campus.

By March 30, students and/or their families will input their choice of courses available to them using their Self-Serve access in Frontline. Attached to this letter you will find a course section worksheet. This worksheet will require a parent or guardian signature. You have the option of working with your student to input the courses into the online platform, or you may opt to have a counselor help your student to input their courses at school. No matter how you decide, the attached course selection worksheet must be completed and returned with your signature to your student's elementary school.

The course selections worksheets are due back to their elementary counselor by March 30. Please take time to review courses and don't hesitate to call if you have any questions.

All courses previously referred to as Pre-AP have been renamed "Honors." Course content and academic expectations have not changed. Students will still experience the increased level of rigor in order to prepare them for AP exams and college courses. Honors courses will continue to carry additional course weight in order to recognize the increased effort and difficulty of course expectations. Refer to the College and Career Planning Guide for additional information.

Your student's counselor contact information is below in case you have any questions or would like to schedule an appointment.