



Draper Park Middle School Information regarding Mathematics 6 - Honors

Honors classes are offered in Mathematics for 6th, 7th and 8th graders. Students are most successful in honors classes when they have higher prerequisite skills.

Students interested in honors placement will need their parent to complete the online honors request form. This link can be located on the Draper Park Middle School home page. Please complete the Honors Request form by April 21st. Placement of qualified students into an honors class after that date cannot be guaranteed.

The two data points that will be used to determine placement into 6th grade math honors are the DIBELS math composite and the Student Assessment for Growth and Excellence (SAGE).

- DIBELS math composite
 - Above benchmark – benchmark is 200 and above on the spring score.
 - At benchmark – benchmark is between 199 - 114 on the spring score.
 - Below benchmark – benchmark is 113 and below on the spring score.
- SAGE math (Honors entrance exam will be used if SAGE is not available)
 - For 6th grade honors a highly proficient rating (level 4) on SAGE

Students achieving above benchmark on DIBELS and a highly proficient rating on SAGE will be placed in honors math. Students that are below these benchmark standards but would still like to be placed in 6th grade math honors may go on the honors waiting list which can be found on the DPMS home page. A letter will be mailed home to those placed in honors on or around June 15th.

Transfer students requesting honors will need the 2 data points listed above. If SAGE scores are not available, counselors/administrators will administer End of the Year Assessments. There will be one day scheduled in June and one day scheduled in July to administer these assessments.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the counseling center at 801.826.6920.