



Mabry Middle School

Placement Criteria for Advanced Content Courses 2024-2025 School Year

Course	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
AC English Language Arts	Successful completion of 5 th Grade AC ELA OR 2 of 3 Criteria: ≥90%ile LA Total on IOWA (5 th Grade) ≥90%ile Reading Total on IOWA (5 th Grade) Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1011	The successful completion of 6 th Grade AC ELA OR Both Criteria: ≥94% Average in 6 th Grade ELA Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1071	The successful completion of 7 th Grade AC ELA OR 3 of 4 Criteria: ≥94% Average in 7 th Grade ELA Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1121 ≥90%ile LA Total on IOWA (7 th Grade) ≥90%ile Reading Total on IOWA (7 th Grade)
AC Social Studies	2 of 3 Criteria: ≥90%ile SS Total on IOWA (5 th Grade) ≥90%ile Reading Total on IOWA (5 th Grade) Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1011	The successful completion of 6 th Grade AC SS OR Both Criteria: ≥94% Average in 6 th Grade SS Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1071	The successful completion of 7 th Grade AC SS OR 3 of 4 Criteria: ≥94% Average in 7 th Grade SS Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1121 ≥90%ile SS Total on IOWA (7 th Grade) ≥90%ile Reading Total on IOWA (7 th Grade)
AC Science	2 of 3 Criteria: ≥85%ile SCI Total on IOWA (5 th Grade) ≥85%ile Math Total on IOWA (5 th Grade) Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1011	The successful completion of 6 th Grade AC SCI OR Both Criteria: ≥94% Average in 6 th Grade Science Winter RI Score “Advanced” ≥1071	The successful completion of 7 th Grade AC SCI OR 2 of 3 Criteria: ≥94% Average in 7 th Grade Science ≥90%ile SCI Total on IOWA (7 th Grade) ≥90%ile Math Total on IOWA (7 th Grade)
Physical Science			*High school credit course Enrolled in Honors or Enhanced Algebra OR 93 ≥ AC Math test avg OR 94 ≥ Math 7 test avg
Spanish/ French			*High school credit course Successful completion of 7 th Grade AC ELA OR 2 of 3 Criteria: ≥60%ile on ELA Total IOWA (7 th Grade) ≥60%ile on Reading Total IOWA (7 th Grade) Winter RI Score ≥1075 ***Must have ≥80% average in ELA and passing all classes***
Advanced Math	Successful completion of Advanced Math 5 OR 80 – 85%ile Math Total on IOWA (5 th Grade) AND Winter MI “Advanced” Score ≥772	Successful completion of Advanced Math 6 OR ≥90% Test Average in 6 th Grade Math OR Math 6/7 unit test average of ≤74%	Successful completion of Advanced Math 7 OR ≥93% Test Average in 7 th Grade Math OR Math 7/8 unit test average of ≤70%
Math 6/7	≥86%ile Math Total IOWA (5 th Grade) AND Winter MI Score “Advanced” ≥772		
Math 7/8		The successful completion of Math 6/7 with unit test average of ≥75%	
Enhanced Algebra			*High school credit course ≥93% Test Average in 7 th Grade AC Math
Honors Algebra			*High school credit course The successful completion of Math 7/8

- All gifted-identified students will receive service in at least one AC course. Additional AC classes will be scheduled if students meet the qualifiers above.
- These criteria cannot be waived for placement into a course; however, a parent may choose to opt out of a course where a student is placed.