

## Advocacy Choices—6<sup>th</sup> Grade

To be in any club or class with an asterisk (\*) below, students need to fill out an application. Application links can be found below. **Students not selected for a Club or Team are placed into study hall.** Study hall includes a chance to get homework done during the school day. Students will be expected to bring work daily.

- **Anime Club\***: Anime Club will focus on watching and discussing new or old anime! Plan to have fun playing games, having competitions, and just enjoying the genre. <https://tinyurl.com/AllisonAnimeClub24-25>
- **Astronomy, Not Astrology**: Students will study the laws of the stars. Objects of interest include planets, moons, stars, galaxies, and comets. Astronomy studies everything that originates outside Earth's atmosphere. Come, take a look up!!
- **Basic Math Skills**: To be proficient in math, students must know how to add, subtract, multiply and divide basic numbers. Learn math facts, including percentages, fractions and decimals. This class is a great opportunity to get caught up on basic math skills.
- **Battle of the Books\***: If you are passionate about reading, this class is for you. We read quality, award-winning literature, becoming experts on the books and their characters and plots. Top readers represent Allison in the spring district-wide competition. Applicants should be highly-motivated readers who can commit to reading 6 books or more through the course of the semester. **This class is offered in the spring only.** <https://forms.gle/FobXCXppicDQuLC8>
- **Chess Team\***: Improve your critical thinking skills, learn to problem solve, and compete in Chess tournaments. You must know how to play chess to be in the class. <https://tinyurl.com/2024AllisonChessTeam>
- **Creative Writing**: Do you like writing short stories and poems? Are you interested in building and enhancing your creative writing skills? In Creative Writing for Middle School, you will learn the different types of creative writing, and you will practice writing creatively in several ways, eventually creating a portfolio of fictional, narrative writing in a multitude of styles. In this class you will receive 1-on-1 coaching and feedback from your teacher to help you build and strengthen your writing abilities in a fun and creative way.
- **Page to Screen**: Do you enjoy reading for fun? Do you love going to the movies? From Page to Screen gives students the opportunity to read books & compare them to their film adaptations. From Harry Potter, to the Hunger Games, to The Fault in our Stars we will explore them all! We will read books together in class for our book study, then watch the movie to compare the two! Students will be expected to read the novel & complete all required written work.
- **Student Council\***: Student Council is a group of students working together with an adult advisor to provide a means for student expression and assist in school affairs and activities, give opportunities for student experience in leadership and encourage student, faculty, and community relations. Student Council members are highly motivated, model students that work together to implement ideas involving the well-being of the school. <https://tinyurl.com/2024AllisonStuco>
- **VEX Robotics Team\***: Students will design, build, program, and test robots to complete a specific mission. Students will use their robots to compete against other teams during tournaments held on Fridays and Saturdays. This is a year-long class. Interested students **MUST** complete the application form. <https://bit.ly/allisonrobotics24>

- **Wichita Academic League\***: The National Academic League is a competitive team that allows students to showcase their skills and knowledge by competing against other students. We compete against other middle schools in the Wichita School District. If you like to learn, want to show off your brain power, and like game show-type competitions, this is the team for you! Mr. Gonzales will be coaching this year and we're looking forward to another winning season! <https://tinyurl.com/2024AllisonWAL>