

## Message from the Principal

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Dear Parent/Guardian and  
Prospective Student:

Middle Township High School is proud to offer academy programs in multiple fields, designed to allow students to excel in a specific content area of their interest. Our mission is to prepare students for college and a career through a focused course of study, work and eventual practicum experience, as well as association with national organizations. Ultimately, students who complete their academy's course of study will graduate from Middle Township High School with a certificate of advanced standing in their area of study. In the 2017-2018 school year, Middle Township High School will offer academy programs in the following areas:

Academy of Business  
Academy of Computer Science (STEM)  
Academy of Medicine and Health  
Academy of Performing Arts

Middle Township High School is dedicated to providing our students with, not only a comprehensive high school education, but focused courses of study that set them apart from other students applying to college and entering the work force. Our administration, faculty, and staff are excited to offer this opportunity to our current and incoming students.

Sincerely,  
Frank Riggitano, Principal

## Steps to Apply

- Application with Parent Signature
  - Two Letters of Recommendation
    - Character Reference
    - Academic Reference
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## Important Information

- Check the school website for updates: [www.middletpw.k12.nj.us/highschool](http://www.middletpw.k12.nj.us/highschool) .
- Application deadline: 4/15/17
- Auditions will be scheduled following receipt of application.



# Middle Township High School Academies of Study

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Academy of Business

Academy of Computer Science (STEM)

Academy of Medicine and Health

Academy of Performing Arts

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## Academy of Business

The Academy of Business introduces students to careers in the business field and prepares them for college courses. Within this academy, students will have the opportunity to work with professionals in the field, as well as earn college credits for specific courses. This academy gives students an advantage when seeking immediate employment in the business field, as well as in their coursework progression at the university level. Our course offerings include marketing, accounting, business law, business management and economics. In addition, students will complete requisite internship hours in the business field to broaden their understanding of their chosen area of study.

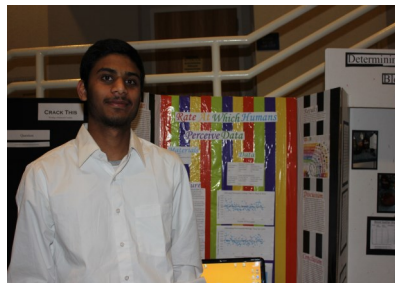
## Academy of Computer Science (STEM)

The Academy of Computer Science serves to expose students to careers in the computer science and engineering fields and prepare them for college courses. Students will have the opportunity to work with professionals in the field as well as earn college credits for specific courses. This academy will give students an advantage when seeking immediate employment in the technology field as well as their coursework progression at the university level. Our course offerings includes computer systems, computer programming, AP Computer Science and robotics. In addition, students will complete requisite internship hours in the computer science or engineering fields, or complete a culminating project by the end of their senior year to broaden their understanding of their chosen area of study.



## Academy of Medicine and Health

The Academy of Medicine and Health offers students exposure to careers in the medical field and prepares them for college courses. Students will have the opportunity to work with professionals in the medical and healthcare fields, as well as earn college credits for specific courses. The Academy of Medicine and Health gives students an advantage when seeking immediate employment in the healthcare field, as well as in their coursework progression at the university level. Course offerings include forensics, anatomy and physiology, medical terminology, Health Occupation Students of America (HOSA) and nutrition.



## Academy of Performing Arts

The Academy of Performing Arts at Middle Township High School offers programs of study in five disciplines: dance, instrumental music, media/communications, theatre, and vocal music. Following a successful audition/interview into their selected program, students will complete a course of study that will prepare them for a college audition in their field. In addition, students will complete requisite hours of practicum in affiliated arts fields in order to understand the business of the arts.

**Dance Major:** The Dance Major is a four-year program focused on Dance Technique, Dance History, and Kinesiology with a concentration on performance and choreography. Ballet and Modern dance techniques will serve as the foundation of the dance major.

**Instrumental Major:** Instrumental Music Majors will focus not only on mastering their instrument of choice, but understanding the music theory, history, and performance practice that is associated with a career and study of that musical instrument.

**Media/Communication Studies Major:** Students in Media/Communication Studies will gain a solid education, highlighting media studies, as well as human, social, and educational communication. Students will study the history, evolution, and changing state of mass media, television production, and American Media Studies, including ethics, legality, and the economic and social effects of media.

**Theatre Major:** Students in the Theatre Studies Major will learn through the practice and commitment of a high level theatre program. Our curriculum combines academic courses in dramatic literature and theatre arts, emphasizing both the practical and theoretical aspects of theatre performance, dramatic literature, theatre history, dramaturgy, and stagecraft.

**Voice Major:** Vocal Music Majors will focus on developing their voices, as well as acquiring a repertoire list representing multiple foreign languages, genres, and styles. In addition, students will study music history, music theory, sight singing, and aural skills/dictation. Students will be offered opportunities to perform throughout the school year in various venues.

