

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Current School \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

MIT-e and/or PDH: If you are interested in either the SMS MIT-e or the Puente De Hozho Spanish/Navajo Program please go to [www.fusd1.org/mite](http://www.fusd1.org/mite) or [www.fusd1.org/sms/programs](http://www.fusd1.org/sms/programs) to complete online application. (PDH has a downloadable application that needs to be completed and turned in).

\*Coursework for these two programs will be determined upon acceptance to the program.

**REQUIRED CLASSES**

English (Full year) \*Check one

☐ Language Literature– EN06A/EN06B

☐ Honors Language Literature – ENH06A/ ENH06B

\*Teacher signature required on back

Science (Full year) \*Check one

☐ Science 6 – SC1A/SC1B

☐ Honors Science 6 – SC2A/SC2B

\*Teacher signature required on back

Social Studies (Full year) \*Check one

☐ Individuals in Societies – SS06A/SS06B

☐ Honors Individuals in Societies - SSH06A/ SSH06B

\*Teacher signature required on back

Math (Full year) \*Check one

☐ Math 6 – MA4A/MA4B

☐ Accelerated Math 6/7 -MA10HA/MA10HB

\*Teacher signature required on back

Language (Semester) \*Check one

☐ Spanish Phase I – ML10

☐ German Phase I – ML55

☐ Navajo Phase I -ML2

PE (REQUIRED) – ☒ PE1

Electives: Choose from the following categories that add up to 2 (*the numbers next to the course represent semesters*):

<b><i>Fine Art: Full year courses (2 semesters)</i></b>	<b><i>Fine Art (1 semester)</i></b>	<b><i>Design</i></b>
<input type="radio"/> Beginning Band (2) – MU1 <input type="radio"/> Beginning Orchestra (2) – MU20 <input type="radio"/> Beginning Choir (2) – MU35	<input type="radio"/> Art (1) – AR1 <input type="radio"/> Mixed Media Art (1) -EL0001	<input type="radio"/> Computer Tech (1) – EL1 <input type="radio"/> Woods 6 (1) <input type="radio"/> Mixed Media Art (1)-EL0001

### **SMS Honors Course Requirements**

Students who take honors coursework at SMS will be expected to:

- Have an above average score on the Arizona Academic Standards in the particular content area for the previous school year
- Students will test at or above grade level on one or more standardized test
- Participate in discussions that require you to support your position with evidence from the text
- Have higher level thinking skills and be self-motivated to exceed expectations
- Complete all assignments using correct mechanics, usage, and grammar
- Complete all readings/projects and assessments inside and outside of class
- Conduct themselves appropriately as speakers and active listeners
- Maintain an excellent attendance record
- Develop and maintain strong organizational skills

To remain in the Honors Program, **6<sup>th</sup> grade students must maintain a 3 or higher**. If a student falls below a 3, he/she will have a 4-week period to bring up the grade. If the grade is not brought up to the required 3, the parents will be notified and the student will be removed from the honors course.

**Parent agreement/signature and teacher recommendation is required.**

#### **Honors Language Literature 6**

\*Teacher signature recommendation\_\_\_\_\_

#### **Honors Science 6**

\*Teacher signature recommendation\_\_\_\_\_

#### **Honors Individuals in Societies 6**

\*Teacher signature recommendation\_\_\_\_\_

#### **Accelerated Math 6/7**

\*Teacher signature recommendation\_\_\_\_\_

*This course moves at a very rapid pace including multiple lessons covered each day.*

By signing below, you agree to the requirements for your student to be placed in an Honors course at Sinagua Middle School.

Parent Signature\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

Please check the box below and sign if your student has a current Individualized Education Plan (IEP)

- ☐ By checking this box, you will help us place your son and/or daughter into the specific core classes, in which they would receive varying levels of support based on their current IEP.

### **Additional Program Information:**

#### **MIT-e Application for 5th grade or transfer/new student**

If in district, two teacher recommendations are needed to accompany the Google Classroom application. The teacher applications are completed through Google Forms via this link

<https://forms.gle/ZjTmnzXTjhhFrDdB7>

Copy and paste this link in an e-mail to your *current teacher and a current content (math/science) teacher*. Both must be completed by February 3, 2020 so please ask your teachers at least *one* week beforehand.

If out of district/transferring, please complete the paper copy of the application on this page (see above) and ask for teacher recommendations using the Google Forms link above.

#### **PDH Academy:**

*Puente de Hózhó Language Academy is an innovative language program that promotes bilingualism through the study of either Spanish/English or Navajo/English for students in 6-8 grade at Sinagua Middle School. Please look at the options below to see which program is best for your child.*

#### **For first time students:**

**Admission into Puente de Hózhó Language Academy is based on the following:**

- ❖ Academic excellence and attendance
- ❖ Teacher Recommendation Form signed and submitted
- ❖ Information page
- ❖ Student Essay
- ❖ Completed Application

**Continuing students in the Advanced Language Placement will need the following:**

- ❖ Academic excellence and attendance – Overall standards-based understanding of 2.5
- ❖ Intent to return form turned in

**Applications are due Monday, February 3.** Applicants will be notified of acceptance by mail on Thursday February 27, 2020. Please be sure that the address listed is current.

**\*\*\*Students can apply and be accepted to both programs (applications are separate).**