

YEARBOOK APPLICATION for Elective

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Student Name:	Grade:
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DIRECTIONS:

Please complete **both sides of the application** and return to the office **by MONDAY, May 6**. You may use additional paper if needed to answer the questions.

List your current schedule, teachers, and grades you are receiving. **You will need a teacher signature to verify grades.**

Period	Class/Teacher	Teacher Signature and any teacher comments	Current Grade

Yearbook OBJECTIVES: (1) to teach students the skills required to create the book and (2) to produce a book which reflects photo-journalistic standards. To accomplish these objectives, yearbook students will devote their time to:

- Learning their rights and responsibilities as student photo-journalists
- Developing and utilizing design skills and principles
- Learning and practicing photography techniques
- Developing student leadership, professionalism, and decision-making skills
- Finding ways to include every student and staff member in the yearbook
- Producing a responsible historical document the staff, school, and community can enjoy

With the YEARBOOK OBJECTIVES in mind: How would you be a positive addition to the yearbook staff? Why do you want to be on the yearbook staff?

Yearbook Staff EXPECTATIONS:

1. **Timeliness:** students are expected to meet all deadlines, and be on time for all photoshoots.
2. **Risk-taking:** yearbook staff must be willing to take risks and try new things. This may involve interviewing and photographing someone they do not know or learning new technology.
3. **Responsibility:** agreeing to work on a student publication mean fulfilling given yearbook commitments, and acting as a representative of the entire school.
4. **Attention to Detail:** Yearbook is a perfectionist's business!
5. **Professionalism:** Students are representatives of Mendenhall Middle school.

Will you be able to meet the YEARBOOK STAFF expectations? Explain: