## Math Grouping Policy in Grades 6 through 8

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During the third trimester of the 5th, 6th and 7th grades, decisions about student placement into Math groups for the following school year is made by the teachers. Standardized test scores, report card grades, and teacher recommendations are used to determine the Math placement for the next school year. Additional criteria in these decisions can include previous Math grades and standardized test scores, classroom performance and effort. The placement of a student into a specific group is not final and can be revisited to insure the best placement for the achievement of each individual.