

Name of Student _____ Current Grade _____

Ryle High School Challenge Form

(This form must be completed in order to get into a course against teacher recommendation AND/OR to get out of a course a teacher recommended you for)

Policy: Course Challenge Process

Ryle High School’s philosophy is to help students make informed decisions and create a challenging yet balanced course load. Each year, core content teachers choose the next level course that they feel is best for each of their students. Student may have a desire to challenge themselves **more or less** than the recommended course. We want to offer students every chance to have a schedule that is challenging but not overwhelming. In order for a student to take a class that is not approved by the teacher OR remove a course recommended by the teacher, the student and parent must acknowledge the following by signing below:

Course Challenge Guidelines:

1. By challenging this course, I understand that I am choosing to go against the recommendation of the content teacher.
2. I understand that this course may be a challenge **and I will not be able to request a schedule change at any time.**
3. I understand that if I am not successful in the challenge class, that I will not be able to challenge the same course again.
4. I understand that if a course is not challenging enough that **I will not be able to request a schedule change.**

Course Recommended _____

Course Number _____

Course Desired _____

Course Number _____

Reason for course challenge (be specific):

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By signing this form, I understand that I/my child will be placed in the course he/she desires. I understand that this decision is going against teacher recommendations. I understand that he/she will not be permitted to make a schedule change at any time if challenging into or out of a class.

Student Signature *Date*

Parent Signature *Date*