

Memorial Middle School offers the following clubs and activities after school

Jazz Band is an extracurricular ensemble that explores America's first true musical genre. Whether its swing, blues, or Latin-rock, students who are up to the challenge of learning additional music can be found in the auditorium rehearsing Thursday's after-school. Jazz Band also functions as Memorial's own Pep Band, performing at various school events and rallies. As this group studies and performs more advanced music, some prior experience with an instrument is required. Contact Mr. St. George if you are interested in participating.

The Diversity Club/Advocacy in Action provides a platform to develop youth voices by fostering an understanding of identity development and the value of community. Students will gain a greater understanding of the self and of others while learning to appreciate differences. The program concludes with a student-led event to raise awareness and inspire community connection.

Newspaper Club provides the students of Memorial Middle School an opportunity to express themselves through written articles, editorials, poetry, and art. The club is student-driven; students decide the content and determine their assignments. The club is open to all students in Grades 6-8. Students can choose to participate during Enrichment or after school.

Student Council exists to make a positive impact for students, the school, and the community of Hull. The objectives of the Memorial Middle School Student Council are:

- Provide leadership to make our school a better place
- Listen and represent student suggestions to the Council and the Principal
- Raise funds for school functions and charitable organizations
- Provide community support and service

The Yearbook is for grade 8 students interested in art and design. Using graphic design software, they assist in taking photos, collecting questionnaires, and organizing the layout of the annual 8th-grade yearbook.

The Green Team is part of a statewide program sponsored by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection. All members take a pledge to recycle, prevent pollution, and slow climate change. The organization has provided us with resources so that we may educate ourselves and spread this knowledge in our school, our homes, and the community. The Green Team is comprised of 6th, 7th, and 8th graders that meet weekly during enrichment, and occasionally after school. Our main focus has been on trying to boost school-wide participation in our recycling and lunch compost programs.

After School Gym is open to any student who enjoys athletics and would like the opportunity to informally participate in a variety of sports. Please see the advisor for dates and activities as they change frequently.

National Junior Honor Society is a national organization established to recognize outstanding middle school students. More than just an honor roll, NJHS serves to honor those students who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character. These characteristics have been associated with membership in the organization since its beginning in 1929. The objectives of our chapter are to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character in the students of our community.

In Robotics Club, students design, program, and control Lego EV3 Mindstorms robots. The Lego Mindstorms are fully programmable with many different types of motors and sensors, such as color sensors, gyro sensors, touch sensors, ultra-sonic sensors, and others, that allow students to create limitless designs. The students program their designs from free Lego applications downloadable to their iPad/Chromebook. Anyone with an interest in robotics is welcome to join and no experience is necessary. Within a couple of minutes, a novice can program a robot.

Homework Zone is a quiet place for students to complete homework after school. Students are required to bring work and should also bring reading materials should they finish their work

Theatre Arts: Hull Public Schools has a very successful Theatre Arts program. Please go to our website and click on “Hull Theatre Arts” under Quick Links for more information.

Late Bus

The late bus is available on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays at 3:40 p.m. for students who have remained in school for academic or disciplinary reasons or to participate in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities (i.e. sports, etc.). Students who have left school grounds **for any reason** will not be allowed to ride the late bus.