

**Brandywine Heights Area School District  
200 West Weis Street, Tipton, PA**

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade Computers**

**Overview:**

Students in 8<sup>th</sup> grade will learn how to use a digital video camera and complete various film projects. They will then explore basic video editing techniques. Students will also explore basic graphic manipulation techniques using school software. This is a tentative syllabus; the topics covered during the year may change at any time.

**Textbook(s) and other resources used:**

Students will complete all work on a computer in the school's computer lab. There is no textbook for this course.

**Outline of Content:**

Computer class is a semester course which meets three times out of the six-day cycle. When students have class, this is what will be covered:

**First & Third Quarter:**

- Students will receive instruction in the proper use of the school's video camera and digital camera.
- Students will receive basic instruction in video editing and use software to complete projects.

**Second & Fourth Quarter:**

- Students will continue completing video projects using a video camera and editing software.
- Students will complete various graphic projects.

**Grading Policy/Procedure/Framework:**

The grade is based on the school district's grading policy.