

# Bridge

## Course Descriptions

### 2018-2019

Bridge is a home school support center that helps a homeschooling parent to educate their children. Our goal is to work along-side parents where additional help is desired in a loving and Christian environment. These courses are for students 4<sup>th</sup> grade through 8<sup>th</sup> grade where the Parent is the Teacher but would like support from a tutor in a particular subject. The Tutor sets the pace of the course and assignments. The Parent helps the student to work through the assignments at home each week. Students can expect to spend approximately one hour per day on homework during the week for each class. Grades are issued by the tutor; however, parents are ultimately responsible for their students grades and records per the Georgia Department of Education's Declaration of Intent to Homeschool.

**CLASSES** meet weekly on Thursdays, August 16, 2018 to May 9th, 2019, for Lecture and Lab. Students are to complete all work at home to be ready for class each week. EN and Tutors reserve the right to dismiss students for lack of attendance, non-completion of assignments, or conduct.

**ENROLLMENT** is open from April 1<sup>st</sup> to June 30<sup>th</sup>, \$40 fee per family, Late enrollment July 1<sup>st</sup> to July 15<sup>th</sup>, \$70 fee per family, Super Late enrollment July 16<sup>th</sup> to Aug. 1<sup>st</sup>, \$100 fee per family. **There will be absolutely no registrations after Aug. 1, 2018.** The course descriptions, tuition, and enrollment forms, are available online, but must be mailed with your non-refundable enrollment fee. Space is limited.

**ORIENTATION and FINANCIAL COMMITMENT IS MANDATORY - ORIENTATION and FINANCIAL COMMITMENT IS MANDATORY** - There are no exceptions, so please make arrangements to be at orientation. We want you to be fully informed as you sign your financial commitment. **All students and at least one parent is required to attend one of the Orientation meetings and sign the Statement of Cooperation.** This is the agreement to abide by the Information, Conduct (student handbook), and Church Policy, located on [www.enchea.com](http://www.enchea.com) under the Academics tab for Eluminatus. **Financial commitment forms are signed at Orientation.**

**Materials and Lab Fees:** are due July 15<sup>th</sup> paid directly to the tutor and are non-refundable

**Tuition:** The first tuition payment is due August 1<sup>st</sup>. If classes are dropped for low enrollment, your fees are refundable. If you drop classes after July 15<sup>th</sup>, you must still pay the Materials/Lab fees. Once classes begin, you are committed for one semester at a time. If you drop classes after August 1<sup>st</sup>, you still owe your first semester tuition in full. You must notify us by no later than November 10<sup>th</sup> if you wish to drop for 2<sup>nd</sup> semester or you still owe for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester tuition in full.

**Parent Service Requirement:** All parents are required to serve a few times a year on Parent Squad to support the program Directors. The goal of Parent Squad is to keep the students safe, to make sure they observe the behavior guidelines and the church policies. A Sign-Up Genius will be set up for you to choose the dates you want to serve. Parents are responsible for finding their own subs from among other registered families if unable to serve on their assigned day. **We take your student's safety seriously; failing to arrange for a sub or simply not showing up is considered a breach of the Statement of Cooperation and will result in a \$50 fine.**

**Grades are available to parents on an online gradebook. Tutors will send you Instructions for accessing the gradebook.**

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## Bridge Class Schedule 2018-2019

8:15-9:40	9:45-11:10	11:15-12:40	12:45-1:10	1:20-2:40	2:40-4:10
		MS Creative Art Parker	L	1:05=2:20 MS Intro to Physical Science Rowe	
	MS intro to Spanish Antrim	<b>Martial Arts DROPPED</b> Chappell	U	<b>MS Saxon ½ Algebra DROPPED</b> Tardie	
9:15-10:10 MS American History Peacock	10:15-11:10 MS World Geography Peacock	MS General Science Peacock (Closed)	N	1:20-2:15 MS Computer WS Peacock 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	
8:40-9:40 MS Intro to Sign Greco		<b>MS Public Speaking DROPPED</b> Kicklighter	C	<b>MS Drama DROPPED</b> Kicklighter	
MS Saxon Math 7/6 Tohal	MS Saxon Math 8/7 Tohal	MS Saxon Math 6/5 Tohal	H	MS Saxon Math 5/4 Tohal	
<b>MS Language Arts Fundamentals DROPPED</b> Bradfield	(Closed) MS Reading Foundations Bradfield	MS Reading Foundations Bradfield	—	1:20-2:15 Cursive WS Peacock 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	
8:45-9:40 Perfecting MS Lang. Arts Switzer	9:45-10:40 Beginning MS Lang Arts Switzer	<b>Getting Ready for MS Lang. DROPPED</b> Switzer	11:45-12:40 Practicing MS Lang. Arts Switzer	—	2:40-3:40 <b>Martial arts DROPPED</b> Chappell

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE THAT SOME CLASS TIMES OVERLAP. BE MINDFUL OF THIS WHEN CHOOSING CLASSES.**

### ENGLISH

#### PREPARATION FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL LANGUAGE ARTS **DROPPED**

**Instructor:** Mrs. Jennifer Switzer

**Course Description:** Time: 1-hour class      Minimum students 4      Open +/- 5<sup>th</sup> grade

For our youngest students, this course will focus on improving the skills needed for academic Language Arts readiness for middle school. The class will provide practice in grammar, reading comprehension and composition. Students should expect to spend about 30 minutes each day on their assignments.

**No Pre-Requisite:** This class is open to all students preparing for middle school academics.

**Materials Students Need to Obtain:** Abeka Language B, *Shiloh* by Phyllis Naylor, *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry and the play *The Miracle Worker* by William Gibson.

**Materials/Copy Fee:** \$20 payable to the instructor

**Tutor Fee:** \$405 and administrative fee \$45 (Bartering is available. Please check with tutor).

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of \$52 including finance charge.**

## MS LEVEL 1: BEGINNING MIDDLE SCHOOL LANGUAGE ARTS

**Instructor:** Mrs. Jennifer Switzer

**Course Description:** Time: 1-hour class

**Minimum students** 5

**Open** 6-8th grade

This course will introduce the grammar and composition skills needed for academic success. In addition to practicing grammar concepts, the class will cover: outlines, topic sentences, paragraphs, transitions, varied sentence beginnings, note taking skills, and more. Students will explore descriptive, narrative, and expository writing with the purpose of creating solid paragraphs. Students should expect to spend about an hour each day on their assignments.

**No Pre-Requisite:** 6th-8th graders that need practice with grammar and paragraph structure.

**Students need to obtain:** *Easy Grammar Plus* student workbook ISBN: 978-0-936981-147 (\$13.95 +s/h); *Institute for Excellence in Writing Student Writing Intensive Level B* <notebook & packet> \$19 binder ISBN: 978-1-62341-081-0 OR \$10 download PDF ISBN: 978-1-62341-082-7; the novels *Across Five Aprils* and *Where the Red Fern Grows*. Also needed are a 3-ring binder with paper, pencils and pens, and access to a reliable computer with internet access and printer.

**Materials/Copy fee:** \$20 payable to the instructor

**Tutor Fee:** \$405 and administrative fee \$45 (Bartering is available. Please check with tutor).

**Total Class fee if paid in full \$450 or 9 monthly payments of \$52 including finance charge**

## MS LEVEL 2: PRACTICING MIDDLE SCHOOL LANGUAGE ARTS

**Instructor:** Mrs. Jennifer Switzer

**Course Description:** Time: 1-hour class

**Minimum students** 5

**Open** 6-8th grade

This course will continue to develop the grammar and composition skills needed for academic success through review and further practice. Students will learn to write descriptive, narrative, persuasive, and expository essays while also beginning to analyze literature. A strong focus of the composition instruction will be centered on creating a strong thesis which can then be supported throughout the essay. Students should expect to spend about an hour each day on their assignments.

**Pre-Requisite:** Students should already be comfortable with grammar skills and paragraph composition. It is suggested to take MS Level 1, or its equivalency, prior to this class.

**Students need to obtain:** *BJU Explorations in Literature* (3rd edition, 2012) ISBN 978-1-60682-231-9 (about \$10 used), *Daily Grams Grade 7* student workbook ISBN 978-0936981307 (about \$22), and novels *Hatchet* and *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry*. Also needed are a 3-ring binder with paper, pencils and pens, and access to a reliable computer with internet access and printer.

**Materials/Copy fee:** \$20 payable to the instructor

**Tutor Fee:** \$405 and administrative fee \$45 (Bartering is available. Please check with tutor).

**Total Class fee if paid in full \$450 or 9 monthly payments of \$52 including finance charge**

## MS LEVEL 3: PERFECTING MIDDLE SCHOOL LANGUAGE ARTS

**Instructor:** Mrs. Jennifer Switzer

**Course Description:** Time: 1-hour class

**Minimum students** 5

**Open** 7-8th grade

This course will focus on improving the reading, writing, thinking, and speaking skills needed for academic success. We will explore a variety of short stories, novels, non-fiction, and poetry. As we explore literature and learn literary terms, students will be engaged in developing their writing abilities through literature responses, various types of essays, and a research paper. Their grasp of writing conventions and grammatical usage will be reinforced, and they will be expected to demonstrate this in their writing. Students should expect to spend an hour each day on assignments.

**No Pre-Requisite:** 7th and 8th graders are encouraged to take this course as preparation for the more rigorous high school curriculum.

**Students need to obtain:** (green cover with horse) *The Language of Literature* by McDougal Littell ISBN: 0-618-13663-0 (find this used at a variety of websites for about \$4.00 + s/h), the following novels: *I, Juan de Pareja* and *The Cay*.

Additionally, paper, pencils and pens, and access to a reliable computer with internet access and printer are needed.

**Materials/Copy fee:** \$25 payable to the instructor

**Tutor Fee:** \$405 and administrative fee \$45 (Bartering is available. Please check with tutor).

**Total Class fee if paid in full \$450 or 9 monthly payments of \$52 including finance charge**

## **READING FOUNDATIONS (The 9:45 class is closed, the 11:15 class is available.)**

**Instructor: Mrs. Michelle Bradfield**

**Course Description: 1-hour class**

**Minimum 3, Maximum 6**

**Open 4<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> grades**

This course is designed for the reader who is struggling with word attack skills, fluency, spelling and reading comprehension. The class will focus on building the foundation of phonetic skills using Spell to Write and Read. With this program, the class will learn phonograms, spelling rules, and have weekly spelling tests. The class will also learn the basic building blocks of our language by studying Greek and Latin roots. Additionally, students will practice organizing ideas to begin the writing process. Oral reading will be practiced in an encouraging fun environment.

**No Pre-requisite**

**Materials students need to obtain:** 1.5inch binder, divider tabs, dictionary, red pencils. Other materials to be supplied by instructor. Instructor will order the text and the fee for this is \$10.

**Materials/Copy fee:** \$30 (plus \$10 for the text) = \$40 payable to the instructor.

**Tutor fee:** \$405 plus administrative fee of \$45

**Total class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of \$52 including finance charge**

## **LANGUAGE ARTS FUNDAMENTALS DROPPED**

**Instructor: Mrs. Michelle Bradfield**

**Course description: 1-hour class**

**Minimum 4, Maximum 10**

**Open 4<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> grades**

This course is for reluctant readers and writers who need extra instruction, practice, time and encouragement to master language arts. We will work on solidifying grammar skills, introducing the world of literature, building vocabulary, and gaining confidence in written expression. The class will read poetry and short stories by such authors as Poe, Sandberg, Dickinson, Tolstoy, Twain and Kipling. They will also read The Magician's Nephew, The Sign of the Beaver, and From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler. Students will write original poetry, short stories, essays and a research paper.

**No Pre-Requisite**

**Materials students need to obtain:** 2 in. binder, divider tabs, the 3 novels listed above, Wordly Wise workbook and test booklet (level to be determined). Instructor will order the literature workbook and the fee for that is \$18.

**Materials/Copy fee:** \$20 plus the workbook fee of \$18 = \$38 payable to the instructor.

**Tutor fee:** \$405 plus administrative fee of \$45

**Total class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of \$52 including finance charge**

## **HISTORY**

### **AMERICAN HISTORY**

**Instructor: Mrs. Rhonda Peacock**

**Course Description 1 hour**

**Minimum 4 Maximum 10**

**Open 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade**

In this course, middle schoolers will experience American History from creation to modern day. Through a variety of media including textbooks, living books, biographies, videos, and hands-on activities, students will learn how the earliest inhabitants made it to this land, about the explorers, the colonies, the Revolutionary War, the building of the nation, the Civil War, Reconstruction, and the World Wars, all the way to modern times. Throughout it all, students will see the hand of God and observe history as HIS-story, understanding events as they relate to God's plan for mankind and, specifically, for America. It is my goal to help students appreciate the past and make His-story come alive!

Students need to obtain:

*America From the Beginning*, Student Text. Written by Joshua Franklin and Debbie Lawrence, Answers in Genesis.

ISBN 978-1600926549 Available new or used. **on eBay and Amazon Students will need a 2 inch, 3-ring binder and colored pencils.**

**Materials/Copy fee** of \$30.

**Tutor fee:** \$315 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$360 or 9 monthly payments of: \$42 including finance charge**

# WORLD GEOGRAPHY

**Instructor: Mrs. Rhonda Peacock**

**Course Description: 1 hour 10:15-11:10**

**Minimum 4 Maximum 10**

**Open 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade**

In this course, students will travel around the world learning about the physical and cultural aspects of different countries and regions. Through a variety of hands-on activities, games, crafts, foods, and videos, students will experience the religions, languages, customs, historic backgrounds, resources, and industries of Asia, Africa, Europe, Australia, North America, South America, and Antarctica. Students will complete reading and research activities at home to prepare for class each week.

**Students need to obtain: *My World Geography* by Pearson Education. Homeschool Bundle from RainbowResource.com. \$54.95 ISBN 9780133203271**

**Students will also need a 3-ring binder and colored pencils.**

**Materials/Copy fee of \$50.**

**Tutor fee: \$315 and administrative fee \$45**

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$360 or 9 monthly payments of: \$42 including finance charge**

# MATH

## SAXON MATH 5/4

**Instructor: Cathy Tohal**

**Course Description:**

**1.5 hours**

**Minimum 2 Maximum 15**

**4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade**

Saxon Math Homeschool 5/4 focuses on upper 4<sup>th</sup> grade and lower 5<sup>th</sup> grade algebraic reasoning and geometric concepts through a spiral approach. 5/4 textbook covers concepts such as whole number concepts and computation; arithmetic algorithms, geometry and measurement; elapsed time; fractions, decimals and percents; powers and roots; estimation; patterns and sequences; congruency and similarity; and statistic and probability. Students will specifically learn to add three-digit numbers, divide with two-digit answers, multiply three or more factors, simplify fraction answers use a decimal number line and more. Lessons contain a review, new lesson introduction, and practice. Hands on activities and visual charts will be used.

- Classwork and Participation: 25%
- Homework (completion and correctness): 25%
- Quizzes: 25%
- Tests: 25%

**Prerequisites** needed: 3<sup>rd</sup> grade level math

**Students need to obtain:** Saxon 5/4 – 3rd Edition ISBN 1-59141-317-6 and Saxon 5/4 Tests and Worksheets ISBN 1-59141-321-4. Please purchase the following materials: 3x5 Index Cards, inch/centimeter Ruler, 1-inch binder, 1 pack of page dividers, 1 pack of paper, colored pencils, basic calculator, scissors, math compass.

**Materials/Copy** \$25 pay to instructor

**Tutor fee:** \$405 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of: \$52 including finance charge**

## SAXON MATH 6/5

**Instructor: Mrs. Cathy Tohal**

**Course Description:** 1 hour Minimum 2, Maximum 15 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade

Saxon Math Homeschool 6/5 focuses on upper 5<sup>th</sup> grade and lower 6<sup>th</sup> grade math concepts through a spiral approach. Math 6/5 covers the order of operations; geometry and measurement; integers; divisibility concepts; ratios; statistics and probability; prime and composite numbers; patterns and sequences; and powers and roots. Students will specifically learn about making a multiplication table, adding/subtracting fractions with a common denominator, multiplying by multiples of 10 and 100, perimeter, simple probability, decimal parts of a meter, reciprocals, volume, square roots, graphing points on a coordinate plane and more. Lessons contain a review, new lesson introduction, and practice. Hands on activities and visual charts will be used.

- Homework (completion and correctness): 25%
- Classwork and Participation: 25%
- Quizzes: 25%
- Tests: 25%

**Prerequisites needed:** 4<sup>th</sup> grade level math

**Students need to obtain:** Saxon Math 6/5 3<sup>rd</sup> edition 1-59141-318-4, Student edition and Tests and Worksheets ISBN: 1-29141-322-2. Please purchase the following materials: 3x5 Index Cards, inch/centimeter Ruler, 1-inch binder, 1 pack of page dividers, 1 pack of paper, colored pencils, basic calculator, scissors, math compass, protractor.

**Materials/Copy** \$25 pay to instructor

Tutor fee: \$405 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of: \$52 including finance charge**

## SAXON MATH 7/6

**Instructor: Mrs. Cathy Tohal**

**Course Description:** 1 hour Minimum 2 Maximum 15 6<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> grade

Saxon Math 7/6 is taught through a spiral approach and will help middle-school students gain a solid foundation of algebraic reasoning and geometric skills as they prepare to move on to higher-level math and algebraic equations. Saxon 7/6 textbook introduces functions and coordinate graphing, integers, exponential expressions, and prime factorization. Students will specifically learn about the order of operations, number lines, decimal place value, how to find the percent of a number, how to round decimal numbers, attributes of geometric solids and more. Lessons contain a review, new lesson introduction and practice. Hands on activities and visual charts will be used.

- Homework: 25%
- Classwork and Participation: 25%
- Quizzes: 25%
- Tests: 25%

**Prerequisite:** 5<sup>th</sup> grade level math

**Students need to obtain:** Saxon 7/6 – 4<sup>th</sup> Edition 1-59141-319-2, Saxon 7/6 4<sup>th</sup> edition Tests and Worksheets ISBN: 1-59143-23-0. Please purchase the following materials: 3x5 index cards, inch/centimeter Ruler, 1-inch binder, 1 pack of page dividers, 1 pack of paper, colored pencils, basic calculator, scissors, math compass and protractor.

**Materials/Copy** \$25 paid to instructor

Tutor fee: \$405 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of: \$52 including finance charge**

## Saxon Math 8/7

**Instructor: Mrs. Cathy Tohal**

**Course Description:** 1.5 hour Minimum 2 Maximum 15 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Saxon 8/7 is taught through a spiral approach and will help middle-school students gain a solid foundation of algebraic reasoning and geometric skills as they prepare to move on to higher-level math and algebraic equations. This Saxon 8/7 textbook reviews arithmetic calculation, measurements, geometry and other skills, and introduces pre-algebra, ratios, probability and statistics. Students will specifically learn about adding/subtracting/multiplying fractions, equivalent fractions, the metric system, repeating decimals, scientific notation, Pi, graphing inequalities, multiplying algebraic terms, the Pythagorean Theorem, the slope-intercept form of linear equations and more. Lessons contain a review, new lesson introduction and practice. Hands on activities and visual charts will be used.

- Homework: 25%
- Classwork and Participation: 25%
- Quizzes: 25%
- Tests: 25%

**Prerequisite: 6<sup>th</sup> grade level math**

**Students need to obtain:** Saxon 8/7 3<sup>rd</sup> edition ISBN: 1591413206, Saxon 3/7 3<sup>rd</sup> edition Tests and Worksheets ISBN: 1591413249. Please purchase the following materials: 3x5 index cards inch/centimeter ruler, 1-inch binder, 1 pack of page dividers, 1 pack paper, colored pencils, basic calculator, scissors, math compass, protractor.

**Materials/Copy** \$25 paid to instructor

Tutor fee: \$405 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of: \$52 including finance charge**

## SAXON ½ (PRE-ALGEBRA) **DROPPED**

**Instructor: Mrs. Jan Tardie**

**Course Description:** 1.5 hours Minimum 5 Maximum 14 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade

The Saxon ½ text is the culmination of pre-algebra mathematics, a full pre-algebra course and an Introduction to geometry and discrete mathematics. Some topics covered include Prime and Composite numbers; fractions & decimals; order of operations, coordinates, exponents, square roots, ratios, algebraic phrases, probability, the Pythagorean Theorem and more. Utilizing an incremental approach to math, your students will learn in small doses at their own pace, increasing retention of knowledge and satisfaction. **\*if your student is strong in math, they may take this course after 7/6, however if they struggle, I would suggest they take 8/7 first.** Students should expect to spend an hour each day on their assignments. Additional information: Parents are required to grade each week's lessons before the next class.

**Prerequisite: Placement Test or passed Bridge 8/7 with a C**

**Students need to obtain:** Saxon ½ Third Edition Student Text ISBN: 1-56577-149-4, Solutions Manual ISBN: 1-56577-131-1, Test Forms ISBN: 1-59141-173-4, protractor ruler, notebook

**Materials/Copy** \$25 paid to instructor

Tutor fee: \$405 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$450 or 9 monthly payments of: \$52 including finance charge**

## SCIENCE

### GENERAL SCIENCE 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> (This class is closed.)

**Instructor: Rhonda Peacock**

**Course Description:** 1hr Class Minimum 4 Maximum 10 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade

In this course, students will learn general principals of science and Creation through exploring earthquakes and volcanoes, weathering and erosion, natural resources, and astronomy while learning about the earth and space. Life science topics include cells and classification systems as well as reproduction and genetics. While studying physical science, students will also discover the wonders of the human body as you stud the nervous and immune systems. This is a lab science class – we will have in class lab experiments almost every week!

**Students need to obtain:** *Bob Jones Science Grade 6* Student Text, 4<sup>th</sup> edition. ISBN: 13:978-1-60682-217-3 (2013), *Bob Jones Science Grade 6* Activity Manual, 4<sup>th</sup> edition ISBN: 13: 978-1-60682-217-3 (2013) Students will need a 2 inch, 3-ring binder and colored pencils.

**Materials/Lab Fee:** \$ 60 payable to the instructor

Tutor fee: \$315 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$360 or 9 monthly payments of: \$42 including finance charge**



## MS SCIENCE – INTRO TO Physical Science

**Instructor: Daryl Rowe**

**Course Description: 1hr 30min. class Minimum 10 Maximum 18 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade**

I am revising all my Middle school science courses with the new S.T.E.M. (A) standards. For those who are not familiar with this update, it includes revising the experiments and lessons to incorporate as much science, technology, engineering and math where applicable. Art is also now being added. I will continue to use the God's Design series endorsed by Ken Ham but will be using the new 4<sup>th</sup> Edition. This course is a must for getting ready for high school as we cover most of the fundamental concepts and vocabulary incorporated with Physical Science. These include an examination of the laws in nature, of simple machine, of magnetism, of sound, of light, of electricity and more. We do many experiments, some mini reports, lots of videos (usually in the form of YouTube review homework) and much, much more.

Materials:

God's Design for The Physical World: Heat and Energy \*Fourth Edition (NEW)

God's Design for The Physical World: Machines and Motion \*Fourth edition (New)

**Materials/Lab fee: \$65.00**

Tutor Fee: \$495 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$540 or 9 monthly payments of: \$62 including finance charge**

## ART

### CREATIVE ARTISTS: 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade - PRINCIPLES OF DRAWING, PAINTING AND CLAY

**Instructor: April Parker**

**Course Description: 1hr 25min. Minimum Students: 4 Max 15**

Creative Artists is a fun way to learn foundational art principles and concepts. I believe drawing is something everyone can learn just like everyone can learn to play an instrument. Learning to draw is the foundation of everything we will be doing. However, drawing can take many different forms. This class is called "Creative Artists" because I try to allow students "creative" ways to display their learning process. Classical to present day artists and/or their work are the inspiration for most projects. Students will complete at least one (sometimes 2) project a month. Within these projects students will learn foundational drawing techniques, painting skills, an introduction to watercolor and the basics for hand-building with clay. Students will develop a deeper understanding of the drawing process and create some great art.

**Materials Fee: \$45** paid to the instructor

**Tutor fee: \$405** plus Administrative fee

**Total Class fee if paid in full \$450 or 9 Monthly payments of: \$52**



## LANGUAGE

### SPANISH BASICS – INTRODUCING SPANISH!

**Instructor:** Mrs. Maria Antrim

**Course Description:** 1-hour class Minimum 4 Maximum 12 Open 5<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> grade

Welcome to Spanish Basics. This class is a complete early level Spanish Curriculum that will make learning a new language fun for everyone and will help your student to be better prepared when he/she is ready for High school Spanish. Mrs. Antrim currently teaches our popular Spanish 1, 2 and 3 Eluminatus, high school classes.

**Students need to obtain:** Students need to obtain the textbook Glencoe Middle School Spanish “Como The Va?” 2007 approx. \$15, and Workbook “Come te Va? 2007 \$9. These are available on Amazon.com or at Barnes and Noble.

Tutor fee: \$315

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$360 or 9 monthly payments of: \$42 including finance charge**

### INTRO to AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE (ASL) for young learners

**Instructor:** Mrs. Susan Greco

**Course Description:** 1-hour class Minimum 4 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> grade

Facial expressions joined with hand shapes and movements communicate all the messages in American Sign Language. Our students use games, q&a in sign, and slide presentations to learn the basics: manual alphabet, ASL vocabulary, and numbering systems as preparation for conversation with Deaf. Occasionally, our class enjoys the quiet of “no voice” used for our activities. This will be increasingly introduced as we progress. Hymns and scripture will be enjoyed in sign. We will also learn about how ASL came to be and some Deaf heroes.

**Student needs to obtain:** There is no textbook for this course. Please purchase earplugs, index cards, notebook (for homework, class notes, and journaling), internet access (especially for the online ASL dictionary: [signingsavvy.com](http://signingsavvy.com) or [lifeprint.com](http://lifeprint.com))

**Materials/Copy fee:** \$20 paid to the instructor

**Tutor fee:** \$378 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full: \$421 or \$9 monthly payments of \$49 including finance charge**

## WORKSHOPS FOR ELEMENTARY AGE

### CURSIVE PENMANSHIP 6-week WORKSHOP 4<sup>th</sup> grade to 8<sup>th</sup> grade

**Instructor:** Rhonda Peacock

**Course Description:** 1hr Class Minimum 4 Maximum 10 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade

This workshop will help your child develop their cursive penmanship. This workshop is for any student who wants to learn cursive or needs to improve their cursive penmanship. We will learn proper letter formation, spacing, and slant.

**Offered for 6 weeks from Sept. 13-Oct. 18 for middle school Bridge and Voyagers students**

**Materials fee \$5.00 paid to instructor**

**Total Class fee to be paid in full: \$30 total**

### BASIC COMPUTER SKILLS /MICROSOFT OFFICE 8 WEEK WORKSHOP

**Instructor:** Rhonda Peacock

**Course Description:** 1hr Class Minimum 4 Maximum 6 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade

This workshop will help introduce students to and familiarize students with Microsoft Office programs such as Word, PowerPoint, Excel, and Publisher. Students will develop useful skills needed to create presentations, format documents, create spreadsheets and graphs, and create brochures. *Students will need a laptop computer with Microsoft Office installed.*

**Offered for 8 weeks from Jan. 10-Mar. 7 for middle school Bridge and Voyagers students**

**Total Class fee to be paid in full: \$75 total**

## **MARTIAL ARTS DROPPED**

**Instructor: Mr. John Chappell – Certified Professional Martial Arts and CDT instructor.**

**Course Description: 1-hour class      Min Students 6 Max 12      Grades 5<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> grade**

Improved physical fitness, coordination, discipline, self-confidence and self-defense are just a few of the many benefits of taking a Martial Arts class. Classes are fun and exciting. Martial Arts Training helps students to focus and improve other areas of their life including academics. Taking this course will count towards logging of hours for P.E. credit for high school P.E. requirement.

\*\*If classes are canceled due to instructor work-needs, make-up classes offered in the evenings for free at a local gym.

**Materials fee payable to the instructor:** Uniform \$30 and \$5 for belt promotions several times during the year if desired. \$90 for sparring equipment second half of year.

Tutor fee: \$450 and administrative fee \$45

**Total Class fee if paid in full \$495 or      9 Monthly payments of: \$57**

## **DRAMA DROPPED**

**Instructor: Mrs. Katherine Kicklighter**

**Course Description: Time 1.5-hour class      Min Students 6 Max 18      Grades 4<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>**

This Drama class is dedicated to bringing the joy and power of Drama to Middle School students by providing high quality dramatic experiences at the beginner and intermediate levels. It offers students the opportunity to experience the excitement and rewards of theater arts through games, improvisations, skits, monologues, and acting techniques, while developing poise, social skills, confidence and the ability to work with others.

**Materials student needs to obtain:** Tutor will provide materials.

**Materials/Lab fees: \$25 paid to instructor.**

**Tutor fee: \$432 plus \$45 administrative fee**

**Total class fee if paid in full \$477 or      9 monthly payments of: \$55**

## **PUBLIC SPEAKING DROPPED**

**Instructor: Mrs. Katherine Kicklighter**

**Course Description: Time 1.5-hour class      Min Students 6 Max 15      Grades 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>**

This course provides instruction and experience, at a middle school level, in being able to speak publicly within a class setting through assignments such as sharing information about themselves one at a time in a circle, informal debates, interviews, and delivering a formal speech. Emphasis is on preparation, delivery, and special occasion public speaking. Upon completion, students should be able to prepare and deliver a well-organized speech and be confident in their ability to speak in public situations. Students should also demonstrate the speaking, listening and interpersonal skills necessary to be effective communicators in academic settings, in the workplace and in the community.

**Materials student needs to obtain:** Tutor will provide materials.

**Materials/Lab fees: \$25 paid to instructor.**

**Tutor Fee: \$450 plus \$45 administrative fee**

**Total class fee if paid in full \$495 or      9 monthly payments of \$57**

## **EXTRA – CURRICULAR - Eagles Nest Archery Team**

**Sign-up only available at Round-Up with Archery Instructors**

**Instructors: Rodger and Darla Garrison, NASP Certified BAI.**

Counts as a PE credit if counting for high school elective.

email questions to DARLA GARRISON [eaglesnestarchery@yahoo.com](mailto:eaglesnestarchery@yahoo.com)

## **PRIVATE TUTORING**

Please note that many of our tutors may be able to offer additional private tutoring, just ask them!

Please see the contact list at the beginning of the course catalog.