

INSPIRE HOMESCHOOL ACADEMY 2021-2022

THURSDAY - DOUGLASVILLE LOCATION

COURSE DESCRIPTION and SUPPLY LIST



Listed by Subject Area (then either by class time or grade levels)

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****Subject to slight alteration and modification.*

MUSIC and ACTING CLASSES

		Cost	Description	Supplies
PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS	Private Music Lessons 3rd - 12th Grade THUR ½ hour time slots from 9:00 am until 3:00	\$75 per month \$10 supply fee	<i>Private Half-Hour Music Lessons are available in Piano/Keyboard, Saxophone, Clarinet, Flute, Violin, Trombone, Trumpet & Drums/Percussion and many more!</i>	Supplies: Instrument, Book, Wire Music Stand, practice record log Book will be determined by student's level on instrument. Students are required to provide their own instrument.
MERRY MUSIC MAKERS	Merry Music Makers K-3rd Grade 3:00 pm THUR	\$50 per month \$15 supply fee	<i>Make a joyful noise unto the LORD! Come and try a variety of beginning musical instruments and music styles in a class made for exploring music making and beginning to learn to read music. We will be playing the sound blocks, handbells, triangle, rhythm sticks, shakers, tambourines, and more while we learn the basics of music, rhythm, songs and sounds! Sometimes we will sing and dance too!</i> <i>We will use a collection of curriculums to enhance our experience including Little Mozarts and Kindermusic.</i>	Supplies: pencils, crayons Teacher will provide the various classroom instruments to use and try.
ACTING CLASSES	Kids Acting Basics K-6th Grade 2:00 pm THUR Teens & Tweens Acting Basics 6th – 12th Grade 3:00 om THUR	\$50 per month \$25 supply fee	<i>This class introduces the student to acting, movement, music, improvisation, character analysis, performance, scene work, monologues, theatre vocabulary, and more. Students will learn what to do on stage while engaging their imaginations through different acting techniques. This is the perfect place for beginning actors or those more experienced who want a fun, less pressure learning environment. Every student will have a role in the end of the year variety show.</i>	Supplies: pencils, binder

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FITNESS and FUN!	Fitness and Fun with Bold Cardio Dance 4th-12th Grade 9:00 am THUR Parents may join too!	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	<p><i>Welcome to a different kind of dance fitness class! No experience necessary – no fancy gym to join!</i></p> <p><i>Our mission is to break down beauty standards and spread body positivity through dance fitness.</i></p> <p><i>A typical Bold Cardio Dance class is 1-hour of dancing and plyometrics to your favorite, upbeat music from all genres. We strive to give you a safe space to dance, laugh, and grow. Modifications are always offered and we have two simple rules: 1. Be safe 2. Have Fun</i></p> <p><i>We do NOT aim to change you or shame you. Our class is for people of all sizes, ages, races, and backgrounds to have one hour to themselves. To express your creativity, sweat, and show your body some love.</i></p>	Supplies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Wear something comfortable to workout in (shorts/sweats/leggings/tee) •Yoga mat and personal resistance bands if you want to use them <p>More details specifics to buy will be given once the class begins.</p>
	Martial Arts/Self Defense Universal Martial Art 11:00 am THUR 6th-12th grade 1:00 pm THUR 1st-6th Grade <i>Students with time conflicts may choose either class time but must have the school and Ms. Cassie's permission to be in a different class.</i>	\$50 per month \$20 Uniform fee	<p><i>Universal Martial Art (UMA) is a non-contact, non-fighting, non-competitive art that stresses mental, physical, emotional and social development. With competition removed, students can continually develop – not against each other, but with each other. With a progressive system from White Belt to the highest level of Black Belt,</i></p> <p><i>Universal Martial Art (UMA) is a unique martial art developed to promote optimum health, fitness and self-defense. UMA is meant for all individuals who want to learn real-life, practical self-defense skills and achieve a greater level of health and well-being.</i></p> <p><i>Universal Martial Art always offers you something new and challenging to learn, experience and enjoy. This is a perfect class for those students who need a gym credit and is acceptable as a gym credit for accreditation purposes. Parents are invited to sign up and join us for Choi Kwang Do as well if they would like to regain/retain muscle strength and agility.</i></p> <p><i>Principles of UMA - Humility – Integrity – Gentleness – Perseverance - Self-Control - - Unbreakable Spirit</i></p> <p><i>Parents can sign up for this class too and join your student on the path to health and earning your blackbelt!</i></p>	Needed daily for class: Water Bottle, Uniform, Belt Uniforms: All students are required to wear their white martial arts uniform to class. If you already have a uniform, you will not be required to buy one. The uniform costs \$30 and is paid at registration. Additional Costs: ***There are <u>additional testing fees</u> if your student wishes to test to advance rank. Testing is held approximately every other month. Testing fees will be payable directly to "Universal Martial Art".

FINE ART CLASSES

	Class Info	Cost	Description	Parent is responsible for purchasing:
ELEMENTARY ART YOUNG ART MASTER	<p>Young Art Masters K-3rd Grade</p> <p>2:00 pm THUR</p> <p><u>Students must bring their basic essentials with them each week</u></p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$30 supply fee + Supply list:</p>	<p><i>Let's all jump on in and discover the many different type of art! In this class designed specifically for elementary school, students will be introduced to skills and media that we utilize in all of the different art electives including: drawing, painting, clay work, 3-D and more! Students will learn how to make mini art masterpieces using the many different artistic materials and subjects/ objects most popular among young artists.</i></p> <p><i>Come explore the vast and exciting world of art!</i></p>	<p>Supplies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketchbook - 8.5" x 11" or 9" x 12" • Pencil and eraser • 24 pack of colored pencils (Crayola) <p>Consider donations of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Newspaper • Colored tissue paper • Straws • Masking tape & scotch tape
ART – MIXED MEDIA	<p>Mixing it up with the Great Art Masters</p> <p>4th -12th Grade</p> <p>10:00 am THUR</p> <p><u>Students must bring their basic essentials with them each week</u></p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$30 supply fee + Supply list:</p>	<p><i>Let's all jump on in and discover the many different type of art! In this class designed for middle and high school grades, students will be introduced to skills and media that we utilize in all of the different art electives including: drawing, painting, clay work, 3-D and more! All that is needed is a love for all things art. In addition, students will learn about the greatest and most influential artists of all time while learning how to make mini art masterpieces of their own.</i></p> <p>Most supplies are provided for, but each student is required to bring the listed supplies to each class for the medium being studied. Homework will be assigned at various times throughout the year.</p>	<p>Supplies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketchbook (Drawing or Mixed media) 8.5" x 11" or 9" x 12" • Pencil and eraser • 24 pack of colored pencils (Crayola) • Prang 16 count semi-moist watercolor palette • Paintbrushes
ART – PAINTING	<p>Painting Principles</p> <p>5th - 12th grade</p> <p>11:00 am THUR</p> <p><u>Students must bring their basic essentials with them each week, see supply list</u></p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee + Supply list:</p> <p>Covers bulk paints, mediums and varnishes, some canvas boards and back-up supplies.</p>	<p><i>Classical Painting is a class designed for students who are interested in learning how to paint like a pro! Working in watercolor and acrylics, students will be introduced to and learn the proper techniques when painting. Students will learn how to draw and paint various subject matters, such as animals and common landscapes/scenery that are popular to most students. With advance planning, student requests may be accommodated. Brief drawing instruction may be required during the planning stage of a student's painting process, but drawing is not a focus of this class.</i></p> <p><i>Most importantly, students get the benefits of classical instruction (often only taught in private lessons) while having fun creating some awesome paintings. We will study watercolor during fall semester and acrylic painting during spring semester. There will be homework throughout the year (practicing the skills learned in class) and personal projects.</i></p>	<p>Supply List:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Watercolor Sketchbook</u> 8.5" x 11" or 9" x 12" preferred • Prang 16 count semi-moist watercolor palette • Paintbrushes (synthetic works great) • Masterson Sta-wet palette 7x8.5 inches • 24 count beginners acrylic paint set • 1 - 11x14 inches or 16x20 inches canvas • 5 - 8x10 canvas boards <p><i>*Canvases, boards and acrylic paints are not needed until the spring</i></p>

FINE ART CLASSES continued...

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ART – INTRODUCTION TO DRAWING	<p>Intro to Drawing</p> <p>4th -12th Grade</p> <p>1:00 pm THUR</p> <p><u>Students must bring their basic essentials with them each week, see supply list.</u></p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$15 supply fee + Supply list</p> <p>Covers specialty papers, fixatives and bulk supplies used throughout the years.</p>	<p><i>Finally, a drawing class designed for those who are interested in taking their current drawing skills to a whole new level. Some may just be curious to just learn how to draw, having not really focused on art before. All lessons are adaptable by grade, and designed to advance each individual student, regardless of skill level. Lessons build on top of each previous lessons, and students will be expected to continue working on the beginning lessons.</i></p> <p><i>Students will learn about the various methods for drawing accurately, the benefits of measuring, how to shade for realism, and to tie objects to the overall composition. Drawing focuses on what is considered dry mediums, such as pencil, charcoal, colored pencil, pen & ink, and occasionally pastel. Most supplies are provided for, but each student is required to bring the listed supplies to each class for the medium being studied.</i></p>	<p>Supply List:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketchbook 8.5" x 11" or 9" x 12" • Erasers white vinyl and kneaded gray eraser • Drawing Pencils 6H (or 4H), F or HB, 3B or 4B <i>Drawing sets are acceptable</i> Avoid Artist Loft (Michael's house brand) & Amazon Basics (inferior quality) • Colored Pencils, 24 pack (can be more) Crayola or Prismacolor • Charcoal Pencils Hard, Medium, Soft General's charcoal pencils are recommended • Micron Ink Pens in various sizes (variety pack is great), must be waterproof ink • Small pencil case or pouch (optional)
ART - 3-D FUNDAMENTALS	<p>3-Dimensional Art Fundamentals</p> <p>4th- 12th Grade</p> <p>3:00 pm</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25, covers most supplies & tools. Additional supply list required.</p>	<p>3D Fundamentals is a popular class designed to allows kids to safely create three-dimensional works of art! In these classes, students will learn about the various elements and fundamental concepts of 3D art in a fun atmosphere. From the brainstorming ideas and planning sketches to making the final work, students will get to learn about the entire thought-process needed to create their own masterpieces.</p> <p><i>Fundamental of 3D art includes focusing on the form, content, and technique of each different type of work. Students will be working in paper, foam, wire and soft mediums, such as soap and air-dry, without the need to use blades or sharp tools. Lessons are adaptable for different grade levels, assuring all students increase in skill level. A sketchbook is required.</i></p>	<p>Supplies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketchbook (<i>Not a sketch pad or drawing pad</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 8.5" x 11" or 9" x 12" - Spiral bound (hardbound is acceptable) • white vinyl eraser • 10 Pack of IVORY soap (only IVORY brand please, other brands are different sizes & softness) found in most grocery stores \$4.97 for 10-pack at Walmart

SCIENCE CLASSES - Listed by grade level

	Class Info	Cost	Description	Parent is responsible for purchasing:
APOLOGIA LAND ANIMALS K-3 rd GRADE SCIENCE	<p>Apologia Exploring Creation with Zoology - 3 Land Animals</p> <p>K-3rd Grade</p> <p>11:00 am THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee</p>	<p><i>Exploring Creation with Zoology 3: Land Animals of the Sixth Day makes every day an adventure as you take your child on safari through jungles, deserts, forests, and farms—without ever leaving your backyard! During this course, your child will examine and enjoy the incredible variety of enchanting creatures God made to inhabit the earth.</i> (Apologia)</p> <p>NOTE: JUNIOR EDITION NOTEBOOK IS USED FOR THIS CLASS!</p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Text: <i>Exploring Creation with Zoology 3 Land Animals - Student Text</i> ISBN-13: 978-1932012859 Notebooking Journal: <i>Exploring Creation with Zoology 3 Land Animals Notebooking Journal</i> JUNIOR EDITION ISBN 13: 978-1935495628 <p>Publisher: Apologia Educational Ministries,</p>
APOLOGIA LAND ANIMALS 4 th -6 th GRADE SCIENCE	<p>Apologia Exploring Creation with Zoology - 3 Land Animals</p> <p>4th-6th Grade</p> <p>10:00 am THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee</p>	<p><i>Exploring Creation with Zoology 3: Land Animals of the Sixth Day makes every day an adventure as you take your child on safari through jungles, deserts, forests, and farms—without ever leaving your backyard! During this course, your child will examine and enjoy the incredible variety of enchanting creatures God made to inhabit the earth.</i> (Apologia)</p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Text: <i>Exploring Creation with Zoology 3 Land Animals - Student Text</i> ISBN-13: 978-1932012859 Notebooking Journal: <i>Exploring Creation with Zoology 3 Land Animals Notebooking Journal</i> ***DO NOT GET JUNIOR EDITION ISBN 13: 978-1935495130 <p>Publisher: Apologia Educational Ministries,</p>
APOLOGIA GENERAL SCIENCE	<p>Apologia General Science</p> <p>7th / 8th Grade</p> <p>1:00 pm THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee</p>	<p><i>“ Specifically designed to be the first course taken during junior high, it gives middle school students a basic understanding of the world that surrounds them each day of their lives so that they can appreciate the real-world relevance of scientific inquiry and the beauty of creation. Students will learn what science is and, in a detailed and engaging way, how to utilize proper scientific method. Throughout the course, students are able to see evidence of God’s creation as they learn scientific principles. Additionally, they will be excited to learn about many great scientists in history who were driven to study our world out of a desire to better know God as its Creator. The course is sandwiched by this historical information within the first module and a presentation of testimonies by modern-day scientists in the last module to help encourage students to study science to better know God and give him glory!”</i> (Apologia)</p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils</p> <p>NEW EDITIONS!!! Note 3rd Edition</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Text: <i>Exploring Creation with General Science – 3rd Edition - Student Text</i> ISBN-13: 978-1946506276 Notebooking Journal: <i>Exploring Creation with General Science – 3rd Edition</i> Notebooking Journal ISBN 13: 978-1846506306 <p>Publisher: Apologia Educational Ministries,</p> <p>(Note: The Apologia teacher companion book with answers and tests is <u>not required nor recommended</u> for this class.</p>

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APOLOGIA PHYSICAL SCIENCE	<p>Apologia Physical Science</p> <p>8th/9th Recommended Can take 9th -12th</p> <p>9:00 am THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 Supply fee</p>	<p><i>"In this study of Physical Science, you'll be introduced to the stunning world you live in, as well as the universe around it. From the composition of air to icebergs to astrophysics, you will receive thorough lessons in each element of the physical world. This course is designed to be the last science course the student takes before high school biology. This can be taken as an 8th grade course or can be completed at any high-school level. We will cover such topics as the atmosphere, the hydrosphere, weather, the structure of the earth, environmentalism, the physics of motion, Newton's Laws, gravity, and astrophysics. It is an excellent course for preparing the student to take a college-prep high school science curriculum."</i> (Apologia)</p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils</p> <p>Text: <i>Exploring Creation with Physical Science 2nd Edition</i> - Student Text</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ISBN-13: 978-1-932012-77-44 <p>Publisher: Apologia Educational Ministries, Incorporated</p> <p>Note: <i>The Apologia teacher companion book with answers and tests is <u>not required nor recommended</u> for this class.</i></p>
APOLOGIA BIOLOGY	<p>Apologia Biology</p> <p>9th/10th</p> <p>2:00 pm THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 Supply fee</p>	<p><i>"This course is designed to be the student's first high school science course and is a college-prep biology course that provides a detailed introduction to the methods and concepts of general biology. Heavily emphasizing the vocabulary of biology, it provides the student with a strong background in the scientific method, the five-kingdom classification scheme, microscopy, biochemistry, cellular biology, molecular and Mendelian genetics, evolution, dissection, and ecosystems. It also provides a complete survey of the five kingdoms in Creation. Students who take and understand this course will be very well-prepared for a tough university biology course."</i> (Apologia)</p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils</p> <p>Text: <i>Apologia Exploring Creation with Biology 2nd Edition</i></p> <p>ISBN-13: 978-1-932012-54-5</p> <p>Publisher: Apologia Educational Ministries, (Note: The Apologia teacher companion book with answers and tests is <u>not required nor recommended</u> for this class.)</p>
APOLOGIA CHEMISTRY ^	<p>Apologia Chemistry</p> <p>10th/11th Grade</p> <p>11:00 am THUR</p> <p>Prerequisite: Biology Algebra</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee</p>	<p><i>"We recommend that students taking this course be proficient at an algebra math level. Topics include significant figures, units, classification, the mole concept, stoichiometry, thermochemistry, thermodynamics, kinetics, acids and bases, redox reactions, solutions, atomic structure, Lewis structures, molecular geometry, gas laws, and equilibrium.</i></p> <p><i>This revised edition offers more in-depth discussions and explanations of concepts, as well as biographical sketches of Christian scientists who've made a difference in the field while giving the glory to God. Experiments include measuring specific heat, discovering the electrical conductivity of compounds dissolved in water, measuring the width of a molecule, exploring freezing-point depression, using the ideal gas equation, recognizing the effects of catalysts, and much more."</i> (Apologia)</p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils Scientific/Graphing Calculator</p> <p>Student Text: <i>Exploring Creation with Chemistry 3rd Edition</i></p> <p>ISBN-13 - 978-1-940110-25-7</p> <p>(Note: The Apologia teacher companion book with answers and tests is <u>not required</u> for this class.)</p>

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	Class Info	Cost	Description	Parent is responsible for purchasing:
APOLOGIA PHYSICS^	<p>Apologia Physics</p> <p>11th/12th</p> <p>10:00 am THUR</p> <p>Prerequisite: Chemistry Algebra 1 Geometry & Currently Enrolled in Alg 2</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee</p>	<p><i>"This college-prep physics course is designed for the student who has completed algebra 1 and geometry and has had an introduction to the definitions of sine, cosine, and tangent. It provides a detailed introduction to the methods and concepts of general physics, heavily emphasizing vector analysis; this text is ideal preparation for a university-level physics course. It provides the student with a strong background in one-dimensional and two-dimensional motion, Newton's laws and their application, gravity, work and energy, momentum, periodic motion, waves, optics, electrostatics, electrodynamics, electrical circuits, and magnetism."</i> (Apologia)</p> <p><i>A traditional high school track typically consists of biology the freshman year, chemistry during the sophomore year, physics in the junior year, and an upper-level science course such as marine biology during the senior year."</i> (Apologia)</p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils, graphing/scientific calculator, ruler, protractor, compass (can purchase a geometric school set that includes these)</p> <p>Text: <i>Exploring Creation with Physics 2nd Edition - Student Text</i> ISBN-13: 978-1-932012-42-2</p>

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English Language Arts - Listed by grade level

	Class Info	Cost	Description	Parent is responsible for purchasing:
ELA – Bible Heroes (IEW Writing)	Bible Heroes IEW Writing K-3 rd Grade 1:00 pm THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	Bible Heroes: Writing Lessons in Structure and Style provides children with Bible-based writing lessons that follow the methods of the Institute for Excellence in Writing's Teaching Writing: Structure and Style course. These weekly writing lessons focus on godly men and women of the Bible, and show students how they can apply godly virtues to their lives. Each lesson includes a Bible verse, while games and activities provide a way to engage students.	Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils Text: <i>No Formal Text Needed!</i>
INTRO TO LIT/9 th GRADE LIT AND COMP	Intro to Literature/ 9th Grade Literature and Composition Advanced 7/8 th graders can take (Recommended to take during 9 th – <u>Before</u> other Literature classes) 9:00 am THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	Intro to Literature is a college-preparatory literature survey course. Focus works, including novels, short stories, poems, and drama, have been selected for literary quality, and for their place in the historical development of literature. Context readings provide background information about the author, the historical period, and the literary and artistic context of the focus work. Students will gain an understanding of the development of various literature and will practice the skills of close literary analysis through essays, approach papers, and other evaluative writing. By the end of the course, students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possess a broad knowledge of the history and development of British literature. • Have specific understanding of selected representative texts by major authors of the periods studied. • Have a general understanding of the historical and cultural contexts of the works. • Be able to analyze literary texts and present thoughtfully developed ideas in writing. • Demonstrate competence in essay organization, style, and mechanics. • Demonstrate competence in the MLA style of source documentation. 	Text: <i>No Formal Text Needed!</i> CHOSEN Literature Studied and additional books needed will be: (subject to change) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Around the World in 80 Days • Short Stories • Secret Life of Walter Mitty • A Worn Path • Jane Eyre • Poetry (provided in advance by instructor) • Treasure Island Laptops/tablets will need to be brought to class at various times. Students will need access to a WORD format program and PowerPoint program
WORLD LITERATURE	World Literature and Composition 9 th -12 th Grade (Recommended to take during 9 th or 10 th grade) 10:00 am THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	World Literature is a college-preparatory literature survey course. Focus works, including novels, short stories, poems, and drama, have been selected for literary quality, and for their place in the historical development of literature. Context readings provide background information about the author, the historical period, and the literary and artistic context of the focus work. Students will gain an understanding of the development of World literature and will practice the skills of close literary analysis through essays, approach papers, and other evaluative writing. By the end of the course, students will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possess a broad knowledge of the history and development of British literature. • Have specific understanding of selected representative texts by major authors of the periods studied. • Have a general understanding of the historical and cultural contexts of the works. • Be able to analyze literary texts and present thoughtfully developed ideas in writing. • Demonstrate competence in essay organization, style, and mechanics. • Demonstrate competence in the MLA style of source documentation 	Text: <i>No Formal Text Needed!</i> CHOSEN Literature Studied and additional books needed will be: (subject to change) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oliver Twist by Charles Dickens • The Three Musketeers by Alexandre Dumas • Uncle Vanya by Anton Chekhov • Les Miserables Translation by Charles E. Wilbour. Abridged with an introduction by James K. Robinson • The Good Earth by Pearl S. Buck • A Tale of Two Cities by Charles Dickens • Myths and Folktales given by instructor Laptops/tablets will need to be brought to class at various times. Students will need access to a WORD format program and PowerPoint program

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AMERICAN LIT AND COMPOSITION	American Literature and Composition 9 th -12 th Grade (Recommended to be taken in 10/11 grade) 1:00 pm THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	<p><i>American Literature is a college-preparatory literature survey course. Focus works, including novels, short stories, poems, and drama, have been selected for literary quality, and for their place in the historical development of literature. Context readings provide background information about the author, the historical period, and the literary and artistic context of the focus work. Students will gain an understanding of the development of American literature and will practice the skills of close literary analysis through essays, approach papers, and other evaluative writing. By the end of the course, students will:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possess a broad knowledge of the history and development of British literature. • Have specific understanding of selected representative texts by major authors of the periods studied. • Have a general understanding of the historical and cultural contexts of the works. • Be able to analyze literary texts and present thoughtfully developed ideas in writing. • Demonstrate competence in essay organization, style, and mechanics. <p><i>Demonstrate competence in the MLA style of source documentation</i></p>	<p>Text: No Formal Text Needed!</p> <p>CHOSEN Literature Studied and additional books needed will be: (subject to change)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Crucible by Arthur Miller • The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald • To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee • Adventures of Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain • A Raisin in the Sun by Lorraine Hansberry • Various poems and short stories will be utilized as well and provided by the teacher. <p>Laptops/tablets will need to be brought to class at various times. Students will need access to a WORD format program and PowerPoint program</p>
BRITISH LITERATURE and COMPOSITION	British/English Literature and Composition 9 th -12 th Grade (12 th grade suggested) 9:00 am THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	<p><i>British Literature is a college-preparatory literature survey course. Focus works, including novels, short stories, poems, and drama, have been selected for literary quality, and for their place in the historical development of literature. Context readings provide background information about the author, the historical period, and the literary and artistic context of the focus work. Students will gain an understanding of the development of British literature and will practice the skills of close literary analysis through essays, approach papers, and other evaluative writing. By the end of the course, students will:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possess a broad knowledge of the history and development of British literature. • Have specific understanding of selected representative texts by major authors of the periods studied. • Have a general understanding of the historical and cultural contexts of the works. • Be able to analyze literary texts and present thoughtfully developed ideas in writing. • Demonstrate competence in essay organization, style, and mechanics. • Demonstrate competence in the MLA style of source documentation 	<p>Text: No Formal Text Needed!</p> <p>CHOSEN Literature Studied and additional books needed will be: (subject to change)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde by Robert Louis Stevenson • The Hobbit by J.R.R Tolkien • A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens • Old Possums Book of Practical Cats by T.S. Elliot • The Invisible Man by H.G. Wells • Sense and Sensibility by Jane Austen • Macbeth by William Shakespeare • Canterbury Tales - Chaucer • British Poetry (provided in advance by instructor) <p>Laptops/tablets will need to be brought to class at various times. Students will need access to a WORD format program and PowerPoint program</p>

HOH (Hands-On History) and HISTORY- Listed by grade level

	Class Info	Cost	Description	Parent is responsible for purchasing:
HANDS ON HISTORY CASTLES & KINGDOMS*	Hands-On-History* Castles & Kingdoms 4 th -8 th grade 2:00 pm THUR	\$50 per month \$15 supply fee	<i>Let's take a trip through history and discover cultures at another era of time where kings ruled and castles were the commonplace! This class is full of hands-on projects and activities that drive the lessons home in a fun way! We will take a journey through time with 25 "stops" where you will witness exciting events and meet interesting people of The Middle Ages. Topics include: Barbarian invasions, everyday Medieval life, the structure of the classes, towns & guilds, science & invention, education, the arts, church history, the castle, the Crusades, knights, Vikings, battles & wars, and more!</i>	Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils No text needed! Additional materials may be required to be brought in by your teacher – TBA
WORLD GEOGRAPHY	World Geography 9 th - 12 th grade <i>Traditionally taken in 9th grade but can be taken as early as 8th.</i> 9:00am THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	<i>"Students will "travel" from continent to continent around the world studying the geography, cultures, land forms, climates, resources, economy, religions, and government of each country. This new edition is filled with photographs, charts, maps, and first-person accounts that make this "virtual world tour" an exciting and stimulating exploration of world geography and culture." (BJU Press)</i>	Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils 1. Text: Bob Jones Cultural Geography Student Text Grade 9, 4 th Edition BJU Press ISBN-13: 9781606824993 2. Workbook: Geography Grade 9 Student Activity Manual (4 th Edition) BJU Press ISBN-13: 9781606826171
AMERICAN HISTORY	American History 10 th /11 th Grade 10:00 am THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	<i>"A chronological study of the major events in the history of the United States, from the culture of the Native Americans to the early days of the Trump presidency. The course helps students see the past through the corrective lens of a biblical worldview. It leads students to evaluate people, events, and movements from biblical teaching, giving special attention to the rise and growth of secularism. The course also leads students to propose solutions to social problems based on biblical teaching." (BJU Press)</i>	Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, pens Text: United States History Student Text (5th ed.) BJU Press ISBN-13: 978-1-62856-207-1 Publisher: BJU Press
GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Government/Econ 11 th – 12 th Grade 9:00 am THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	<i>1st Semester American Government presents the US government from a biblical perspective and will encourage students to appreciate our heritage. Students will study the foundations of our country, the Constitution, the three branches of government, and political parties and politics. 2nd Semester Economics course introduces students to the key principles of economics, from household purchases to the stock market. Students gain a foundational understanding of economics as a science as well as the economics of countries, businesses, the financial markets, and the government.</i> NOTE: Government/Economics is a 1 credit class (2 - .5 credit course). Half the year will be spent on Government, half the year will be spent on Economics. This will fulfil the requirements needed for college.	Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils, colored pencils 2 BOOKS NEEDED NOTE!!! TWO DIFFERENT EDITIONS!!!! 1. Text: American Government Student Edition (4th ed.) BJU Press ISBN - 978-1-62856-424-2 2. Text: Economics Student Text (3rd ed.) BJU Press ISBN - 978-1-60682-877-9

LANGUAGES and EXTRA CURRICULAR

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AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE 1	American Sign Language 1 HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT 8th- 12th Grade 3:pm THUR	\$50 per month \$10 supply fee	<p><i>This learner-centered course is designed for students with little or no previous knowledge of ASL. The course is the first in a series of courses designed to develop the skills and knowledge needed to communicate in American Sign Language. This course introduces the basics of American Sign Language (ASL) and is designed for students who have little or no previous knowledge of ASL. Emphasis is placed on the development of basic expressive and receptive skills. ASL questions, commands, and other simple sentence structures are introduced to develop rudimentary conversational skills in ASL. Class topics will include basic grammar, vocabulary, fingerspelling, numbers, and cultural information related to the Deaf Community. Since we only meet one day a week, students are expected to be self-motivated, learn significantly on their own, practice at home, and come together during class time for conversation.</i></p> <p>Please note: This is a HIGH SCHOOL level class, designed and intended for high school credit.</p>	<p>Supplies: Notebook, pencil, internet access</p> <p>Text: Signing Naturally Units 1-6 Student Set ISBN 13: 978-1581212105</p> <p>The set includes a workbook plus 2 DVDs</p> <p>Purchase set here:</p> <p>https://www.dawnsign.com/products/details/signing-naturally-units-1-6-student-set</p> <p>You will need DVD's and the access code in the back of the book for additional materials. Used materials are highly discouraged since this is a workbook and the access code will be no good.</p>
JUNK BOX WARS*	Junk Box Wars* 4th - 8th Grade 11:00 am THU	\$50 per month \$25 supply fee	<p>"To invent, you need a good imagination and a pile of junk." Thomas Edison</p> <p><i>The Junk Box Wars projects are modeled after the Junkyard Wars TV show that aired on the Learning Channel network. Each week, students will receive a STEM based challenge and will need to use their use their imaginations, scientific knowledge, and a really cool box of "junk" to create a variety of devices that perform an assortment of tasks either individually or as a group. Students will then compete against each other, either individually or as teams to see if their project can handle the challenge of the "Junk Box Wars".</i></p>	<p>Supplies: Binder with loose leaf paper, pencils</p> <p><i>Most supplies will be bought with the supply fee but the teacher may ask you to bring in certain items from home for some activities</i></p>

EXTRA-CURRICULAR Continued - Listed by time slot and grade levels

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JAVA PROGRAMMING	<p>Java Programming</p> <p>6th - 12th Grade</p> <p>1:00 pm THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$10 supply fee</p>	<p><i>Java is among the most popular programming languages out there, mainly because of how versatile and compatible it is. This course introduces students to the basic features of the Java programming language. Students will demonstrate mastery of basic Java concepts by learning, practicing, and integrating programming skills and writing successfully coded Java programs. Hands-on practice figures prominently throughout this course so students can experience firsthand the power of computer programming.</i></p>	<p>Supplies: 3 ring binder, laptop computer</p> <p>A windows computer is required for this class. Minimum computer requirements to be sent before class starts.</p>
AMERICAN GIRL DOLL – HOP THRU HISTORY	<p>American Girl Doll – Hope thru History</p> <p>K - 8th Grade</p> <p>1:00 pm THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$30 supply fee</p> <p><i>Supply fee will cover <u>some</u> expendable supplies teacher will bring in for class.</i></p>	<p><i>Hop thru History with you American Girl or other 18 in dolls! Dolls NOT NEEDED to enjoy this class! While owning the dolls is not necessary to join this class, any dolls you have from home are welcome to come to school and enjoy the fun too!</i></p> <p><i>We will go on an adventure learning about different time periods while reading books from the AG series and making crafts and doing activities that pertain to the different time periods we learn about!</i></p> <p><i>Will it be a tea party? How about no bake cookies from the Great Depression? Making a doll sized Victory Garden like from the days of long ago? Or perhaps our very own Victorian calling cards? Maybe learning how to make a needlepoint sampler?</i></p> <p><i>The adventures we take and the crafts we make will only be limited by our imaginations.</i></p>	<p>Supplies: <i>Most supplies will be bought with the supply fee but the teacher may ask you to bring in certain items from home for some activities</i></p>
LEGO LUNATICS LAB	<p>LEGO Lunatics Lab</p> <p>K - 8th Grade</p> <p>2:00 pm THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$15 supply fee</p>	<p><i>Whether they're in the classroom or at home, children have big imaginations, innate curiosity, and a desire to explore and take risks. Inspire's LEGO Lunatics Lab is designed to help kids develop STEAM skills and develop teamwork, while making friendships.</i></p> <p><i>What will be do in the LEGO lab? We will build things of course! We will have team builds and STEM challenges. We will have free build time, and sometimes we will bring in sets we have from home to share our creations or build with a friend. The goal is be together with the greatest LEGO pals and friends one could ever hope for.</i></p>	<p>Supplies: 3 ring binder, pencils</p> <p><i>We will supply some LEGO and students will be allowed and encouraged to bring in kits they have from home to work on together or show off to their friends!</i></p>

EXTRA-CURRICULAR Continued...

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FIBER ARTS	<p>Fiber Arts</p> <p>4th -12th Grade</p> <p>2:00 pm THUR</p> <p><u>Students must bring their basic essentials with them each week, see supply list.</u></p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee + Supply list</p> <p><i>Covers starter supplies and bulk supplies (such as dye) Each student is required to bring the listed supplies to each class for the medium being studied.</i></p>	<p><i>Fiber arts, includes different styles and mediums such as weaving, crocheting, knitting, tapestry, needlepoint, tie-dyeing, felting, surface design, silk painting, fiber sculpture, rug hooking, hat-making and so much more.</i></p> <p><i>This class will have units that focus on each specific technique.</i></p> <p><i>This class is perfect for beginners as well as experienced artists!</i></p>	<p>Supply List:</p> <p>Please wait to purchase supplies until you get a list from your teacher!</p> <p>Supplies will include items such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yarn • White Tee Shirts • Crochet Hooks • Felt • Rug hooking supplies <p>Bulk supplies that the whole class can use will be purchased with the supply fee, but students will still be required to get some personal use supplies for themselves.</p>
SEWING & FASHION DESIGN	<p>Sewing & Fashion Design</p> <p>4th - 12th Grade</p> <p>3:00 pm THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$25 supply fee</p> <p><i>Supply fee will cover <u>some</u> expendable supplies teacher will bring in for class.</i></p>	<p><i>Have you ever wanted to learn how to sew? Did you ever want to create a one of a kind garment, bag or other craft, but don't know how to get started? Can you just imagine the things you could create if you just had some one on one guidance?</i></p> <p><i>Here is your chance to learn all the basic skills and more. You will be making and creating all sorts of items before the year's end. You will be surprised at what you will learn and be able to do.</i></p> <p><i>Students who have taken sewing before can continue as this class builds upon each individual student's sewing skills.</i></p>	<p>Supplies: SEWING MACHINE and SUPPLIES,</p> <p>Each Student is responsible for having additional supplies listed: fabric scissors, pinking shears, long straight pins, hand sewing needles, piece of chalk or tailor's chalk, seam ripper, sewing gauge, black permanent marker (Sharpie), measuring tape, pin cushion or pin magnet, scotch tape, 2-3 safety pins, needle threader, a chop stick, sewing box or plastic container for tools, pens/pencils, <u>*additional</u> specific project supplies will be announced before we begin each project.</p>
ROBOTICS	<p>Robotics</p> <p>6th -12th Grade</p> <p>3:00 pm THUR</p>	<p>\$50 per month</p> <p>\$50 supply fee</p>	<p><i>This is a beginning course in robotics. The objective of this course is to introduce the student to basic programming as well as problem solving strategies. This course will involve students in the development, building and programming of a robot. Students will work hands-on in teams to design, build, program and document their progress. Topics may include motor control, gear ratios, torque, friction, sensors, timing, program loops, logic gates, decision-making, timing sequences, propulsion systems and binary number systems. Student will have the opportunity to compete in future Robotics Competitions.</i></p>	<p>Supplies: laptop computer</p> <p>A windows computer is required for this class. Minimum computer requirements to be sent before class starts.</p> <p>Optional Cost – Students can purchase their own robot kit for themselves to keep rather than borrow ours for an additional cost – the supply fee can be applied towards that.</p>

ADDITIONAL CLASSES

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MATHS	Math 5th grade 6th grade Pre-Algebra Algebra Algebra 2 Geometry Trigonometry College Algebra	Varies	<p>TUTORING - Our teachers tutor on the side privately for math. Please contact us for more information and to put you in touch with a teacher who will suit your needs.</p> <p>ONLINE CLASSES - Through a partnership with Colosky Math Academy we are able to offer a variety of ONLINE math classes – from 5th grade math through College Algebra.</p> <p>These classes are available online and have a different start date (August 9) and break schedule than Inspire classes.</p>	TBA
LUNCH	Lunch THUR	Free	<p>Lunch is from Noon until 1pm. We do not have a refrigerator or microwave available. Students are requested to bring a bagged lunch and drink with them.</p> <p>In order to continue to be able to make free lunchtime possible, each family is required to volunteer 2 times during the year as lunch/playground monitor.</p>	Sending bagged lunch and drink.
STUDY HALL	Study Hall THUR	Free for in between classes	<p>Study Hall is meant to be used for a place for your student to safely stay and wait when they have a break between classes or to wait for siblings. It is not to be used as early drop off/late pick up/babysitting services.</p> <p>Students must bring something to do such as schoolwork or a book to read. Students may NOT use electronic devices such as phones, tablets, or computers during study hall time.</p>	Making sure student has adequate work to keep them busy during Study Hall hour/s.

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