



Home Run Ministries Courses and Descriptions for 2023-24

Academic Classes for Students in Grades 6-12 (Revised 6/8/23)

Both Mondays and Wednesdays

First Period (8:15 AM – 9:45 AM)

Intermediate English 1&2 (Jackson)(Gr. 7-9)—

Description:

Intermediate essay writing, literature interpretation, grammar, vocabulary, and study skills. Intermediate English is a two-year cycle covering both general and world literature.

Expectations:

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Curriculum/Materials:

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Prerequisites:

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Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each.

High School English 1&2 (Carman)(Gr. 9-12) –

Description:

High school-level essay writing, literature analysis, grammar, and vocabulary. English 1&2 is a two-year cycle covering both American Literature up to 1877 and American Literature since 1877.



Expectations:

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Prerequisites:

Three years Middle School English/Language Arts or the equivalent. Read on a 9th grade level. New students will be required to participate in placement testing. New students must register for and attend the HRM Writing Boot Camp (New Students only).

CLEP:

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Beginning Math (Walker)(Gr. 6-7) –

Description:

Topics taught include a review of whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percents, simple geometry, units of measure, probability, and graphs.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to complete practice problems for 1-3 sections covered each class period. Homework should average 1 hour per day, Monday - Friday for average students. Take-home tests will be given at the end of each unit.



Curriculum/Materials:

Arithmetic 6, 4th ed. A Beka

Prerequisites:

5th grade math or the equivalent. Math Interview (new students only). Interview may be waived for those having taken Math C with the Elementary Academy.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Algebra 1 (Miller)(Gr. 8-10) –

Description:

Students will solve first- and second-degree equations, which include fractions, decimals, radicals, and absolute value expressions. They will also solve word problems, graph two-variable equations, and graph inequalities.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will be assigned practice problems for 1-2 sections covered every class period. Homework, which is due the next class meeting, should average 1-2 hours for average students. Take home tests will be given at the end of each chapter plus comprehensive final exams for each semester.

Curriculum/Materials:

Abeka Algebra 1, Traditional Math Series, Revised

Prerequisites:

Pre-Algebra or the equivalent, Math Interview (new students only).

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Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Algebra 2 (Florian)(Gr. 9-12) –

Description:

Techniques for solving and graphing any equation or relation--covering logarithmic and exponential.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Homework every class period (time varies based on ability and class



time used), Tests 2-4 times per grading period with most being take home tests; Wednesday's assignment will be more lengthy and the take home tests will also be given on Wednesday.

Curriculum/Materials:

Intermediate Algebra: An Applied Approach, 7th edition, Aufmann

Prerequisites:

Algebra 1, Math Interview (new students only).

CLEP:

Students mastering this course may want to obtain more information about taking the College Mathematics and/or College Algebra CLEP test for college credit. Look under the "documents" tab or go to clep.collegeboard.org for more information. Free-clep-prep.com also has good information about each test and suggested preparation.

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Introduction to Statistics (Spain)(Gr. 10-12) –

Description:

This course introduces students to the fundamental concepts and methods of statistics. Students will learn how to collect, analyze, and interpret data using a variety of statistical techniques. The course emphasizes hands-on learning, with students working with real-world datasets and using statistical software to explore and analyze data. Techniques for solving and graphing any equation or relation--covering logarithmic and exponential..

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Homework every class period (time varies based on ability and class time used). Homework will either be on paper or online via Khan Academy. Students will receive a login for Khan Academy. Tests 2-4 times per grading period with most being take home tests. Take home tests will be given on Wednesday.

Curriculum/Materials: *The Life of Fred: Statistics*, by Stanley F. Schmidt. ISBN: 9781937032548. Students must have access to a computer at home.

Prerequisites:

Algebra 2. Students should have a basic understanding of algebraic concepts such as solving linear equations and graphing linear functions. Some familiarity with basic probability concepts is also helpful. Math Interview (new students only).



After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

MS History: The Renaissance to the Reformation (Czarnik)(Gr. 6-8) –

Description:

Study of world history from a Christian perspective from the Renaissance, to the Reformation, to the Birth of Nations.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Weekly reading assignments and homework should require no more than 2 hours per week. Projects, quizzes, and tests will be assigned periodically.

Curriculum/Materials:

History of the World in Christian Perspective, 5th edition, by Jerry Combee, *A Beka Geography 1 Text*, by HLS Faculty. *Geography 1, Workbook* by HLS Faculty

Prerequisites:

6th grade reading level.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Geography (Lawrence)(Gr. 9-12)—

Description:

Study of various cultural regions for a Biblical understanding of the earth, its people, and its resources.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Daily reading assignments and homework averaging 1 hour per class period. A country project each grading period that consists of a presentation and a food from the chosen country. Maps and quizzes concluding each continent.

Curriculum/Materials:

Around the World in 180 Days by Sherry Payne, *Welcome to the Wonderful World of Geography* by Brenda Runkle.

Prerequisites:



High school reading level.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Study Hall (TBA)(Gr. 6-12)FALL Only –

A monitored class period for students to do productive work or to read quietly.

\$100 per semester.

If you plan for your student to attend both semesters, be certain to select both the Fall and Spring classes.

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Second Period (9:50 AM-11:20 AM)

Fundamentals of English (Byrd)(Gr. 6-7) –

Description:

Introductory composition, literature, grammar, and vocabulary.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students can expect four hours on average of reading and composition outside of the classroom per week

Curriculum/Materials:

Grammar Basics, 3rd edition by Kathy Carman. *IEW Resource Notebook*. Literature provided by HRM: *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* by C. S. Lewis, *The Sign of the Beaver* by Elizabeth George Speare, *Follow My Leader* by James B. Garfield, *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry, **Summer Reading:** *Crispin: The Cross of Lead* by Avi (A few copies are available for check out.)

Prerequisites:

Read on a 6th grade level. English Placement and HRM Writing Boot Camp (New Students only). Students who previously participated in the Elementary Academy may have the placement and the HRM Writing Boot Camp waived on the recommendation of the teacher.



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Intermediate Math (Walker)(Gr. 7-8) –

Description:

Topics taught include fractions, decimals, percents, geometry, units of measure, probability, graphs, and equation solving (beginning pre-algebra).

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to complete practice problems for 1-3 sections covered each class period. Homework should average 1 hour per day, Monday - Friday for average students. Take-home tests will be given at the end of each unit.

Curriculum/Materials:

Intermediate Mathematics (7), 1st ed. A Beka

Prerequisites:



6th grade math. Math Placement (new students only).

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Pre-Algebra (Miller)(Gr. 6-8) –

Description:

A review of all arithmetic concepts, introductory algebra and related topics, and geometry concepts.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to complete practice problems for 1-3 sections covered each class period. Homework should average 1 hour daily, Monday - Friday for average students. Expect 5 tests (typically a take-home test given on Wednesdays), 1-2 in-class projects, and a comprehensive final exam each semester.

Curriculum/Materials:

Pre-Algebra, 4th ed, A Beka

Prerequisites:

7th grade math or the equivalent. Math Interview (new students only).

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Geometry (Spain)(Gr. 9-12) –

Description:

Basic concepts of plane geometry-parallel and intersecting lines, triangles, quadrilaterals, and circles, which will be integrated with algebra concepts consistent with the type of geometry problems that appear on the Scholastic Aptitude Test for college admission.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to memorize pertinent definitions, postulates, and theorems. Homework assigned every class period should take 1-2 hours. There will be weekly quizzes, and tests every 1-2 chapters.

Curriculum/Materials:

Math U See Geometry, Demme Learning, 2009.



Prerequisites:

Algebra 1. Math Interview (new students only).

CLEP:

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Intermediate Science (Sargent)(Gr. 6-8) –

Description:

Examination of the intricacies of earth & space science through geology, astronomy, and meteorology on a middle school level.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to read and answer the Summary questions for each unit. Labs are scheduled and take-home tests will be administered. Students will also have an end of the topic project for each of the three sections in the book to be created and be presented in class.

Curriculum/Materials:

God's Design: Heaven and Earth, by Debbie and Richard Lawrence, Answers in Genesis.

Prerequisites:

7th grade reading and math skills, general knowledge of elementary science and experience with using the scientific method, 11 years of age suggested.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each.

Biology (Garrou)(Gr. 9-12) –

Description:

Study of cellular biology, genetics, creationism, taxonomy, microbiology, botany, zoology, and human anatomy.

Expectations:



In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students are expected to be engaged and take an active role during all class and lab activities. An appropriate maturity level and ability to work independently and in groups is required. Assessment will include tests, labs, quizzes, and article summaries.

Curriculum/Materials:

Biology for Christian Schools Student Text, 4th edition, BJUPress.

Prerequisites:

Suggested minimum age of 13. Middle school science.

CLEP:

Students mastering this course, Physical Science **and** Chemistry may want to obtain more information about taking the Natural Sciences CLEP tests for college credit. Look under the “documents” tab or go to clep.collegeboard.org for more information. [Free-clep-prep.com](http://free-clep-prep.com) also has good information about each test and suggested preparation.

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Physics (Kossa)(Gr. 11-12) –

Description:

The study of Newton’s laws of motion, kine-matics, dynamics, forces, work, energy, conservation laws, thermodynamics, electricity, electronics, electromagnetic energy, optics, quantum physics, and nuclear physics.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Take home tests will be sent periodically. Homework, due the next class period, should take no more than 1 hour for Monday homework and 1-2 hours for Wednesday homework. Labs are usually done on Wednesdays. Lab write-ups take about 2 hours on average.

Curriculum/Materials:

Physics, 3rd edition, Student Text, BJUPress and Lab Manual.

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Third Period (12:00 pm – 1:30 pm)

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Description:

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Expectations:

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Curriculum/Materials:

Abeka Algebra 1, Traditional Math Series, Revised

Prerequisites:

Pre-Algebra or the equivalent, Math Interview (new students only).

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Description:

Basic concepts of plane geometry-parallel and intersecting lines, triangles, quadrilaterals, and circles, which will be integrated with algebra concepts consistent with the type of geometry problems that appear on the Scholastic Aptitude Test for college admission.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to memorize pertinent definitions, postulates, and theorems. Homework assigned every class period should take 1-2 hours. There will be weekly quizzes, and tests every 1-2 chapters.

Curriculum/Materials:

Math U See Geometry, Demme Learning, 2009.

Prerequisites:

Algebra 1. Math Interview (new students only).

CLEP:

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U.S. History (Byrd)(Gr. 9-12)—

Description:

Survey of the history of the United States from the Colonial Era to Reconstruction (1st semester) while emphasizing the Modern Era (2nd semester) with exploration of events, concepts, and the people from a Biblical worldview.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will read 1/2 - 1 chapter a week, complete comprehensions questions, weekly mapwork, and take weekly quizzes or tests. In addition, students will complete two to four projects during the year. Homework should take about an hour a day for average students.

Curriculum/Materials:

United States History 5th edition. BJUPress.

Prerequisites:

High school reading level.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Economics (Lawrence)(Gr. 10-12) SPRING only—

Description:

The goal of this course is to help students understand how economics plays a part in their daily lives and how it affects the world around them from a Christian perspective. The course introduces the fundamental principles of economics, such as **supply and demand, scarcity, opportunity cost, and economic incentives**. Students learn about the basics of microeconomics and macroeconomics, the various economic systems in the world, the dangers to our free market system, and the effects of government intervention in the economy. There is an entrepreneurial project where students learn to put what they have learned into practice. The course also includes a personal finance unit where students gain insight into how to manage their money wisely by learning about topics like budgeting, credit, getting into debt, and financial planning.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. 1 hour of studying per class period. Quizzes at the end of each chapter. A one-month Economics small business project and presentation in the spring.

Curriculum/Materials:



Economics: Work and Prosperity, 3rd ed., ABeka. *Whatever Happened to Penny Candy*, *Discovering God's Way of Handling Money: A Financial Study for Teens*, by Dayton.

Prerequisites:

Reading on a high school level

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options: \$260 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$45 each.

Government (Lawrence)(Gr. 10-12) FALL only—

Description:

A fall semester class. Study of the foundations, structures, and functions of the political and governmental system of the United States from a Christian perspective.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Regular assignments requiring 1 -2 hours per class period.

Curriculum/Materials:

American Government, 3rd edition, A Beka.

Prerequisites:

Reading at an upper high school level. Be able to organize notes and thoughts from class lectures and express these ideas on tests and assignments.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options: \$260 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$45 each.

Health & Fitness (Cowan)(Gr. 6-8)—

Description:

Discover how different body systems function and work together to maintain health. Build strength, flexibility, and endurance through physical exercise. Learn about nutrition and how foods fuel the body. Assemble a first aid kit and create emergency plans. Grow and develop the tools needed for healthy interpersonal relationships and confidence in handling peer pressures. Build upon the skills needed to honor God by making a lifetime of healthy choices.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. This course will be divided into four quarters: Exercise, Nutrition,



Personal Health, Environmental Health and Safety. Each component will conclude with a comprehensive exam.

Weekly classes will be reinforced with scripture, fitness exercise reinforcing the topics, and hands-on activities. Homework will include a home exercise routine, as well as project research and preparation. For fitness activities, students must be dressed for and participate in the activities planned for the day. This includes seasonally appropriate, modest, loose-fitting clothing, and tennis shoes.

Curriculum/Materials:

Healthy Living, Master Books.

Prerequisites:

Able to participate in physical group activities. Able to read on a 6th grade level. Able to write a short report.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each. There is a \$15 book fee to rent the book from HRM.

Biology (Garrou)(Gr. 9-12) –

Description:

Study of cellular biology, genetics, creationism, taxonomy, microbiology, botany, zoology, and human anatomy.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students are expected to be engaged and take an active role during all class and lab activities. An appropriate maturity level and ability to work independently and in groups is required. Assessment will include tests, labs, quizzes, and article summaries.

Curriculum/Materials:

Biology for Christian Schools Student Text, 4th edition, BJUPress.

Prerequisites:

Suggested minimum age of 13. Middle school science.

CLEP:

Students mastering this course, Physical Science **and** Chemistry may want to obtain more information about taking the Natural Sciences CLEP tests for college credit. Look under the “documents” tab or go to clep.collegeboard.org for more information. [Free-clep-prep.com](http://free-clep-prep.com) also has good information about each test and suggested preparation.



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Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Anatomy & Physiology (Hamlin)(Gr. 10-12)—

Description:

Study of the systems of the body.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students are expected to be engaged and take an active role during all class and lab activities. An appropriate maturity level and ability to work independently and in groups is required. Assessment will include tests, labs, quizzes, and article summaries.

Curriculum/Materials:

Visualizing Anatomy and Physiology by Freudenrich and Tortora, *The Anatomy Coloring Book 4th Edition* by Wynn Kapit and Lawrence M. Elson.

Prerequisites:

Biology, 15 years of age required due to the sensitive nature of some topics.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Study Hall (TBA)(Gr. 6-12)FALL Only –

A monitored class period for students to do productive work or to read quietly.

\$100 per semester.

If you plan for your student to attend both semesters, be certain to select both the Fall and Spring classes.

Study Hall (TBA)(Gr. 6-12)SPRING Only –

A monitored class period for students to do productive work or to read quietly.

\$100 per semester.

If you plan for your student to attend both semesters, be certain to select both the Fall and Spring classes.

Fourth Period (1:35 pm – 3:05 pm)



Fundamentals of English (Byrd)(Gr. 6-7) –

Description:

Introductory composition, literature, grammar, and vocabulary.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students can expect four hours on average of reading and composition outside of the classroom per week

Curriculum/Materials:

Grammar Basics, 3rd edition by Kathy Carman. *IEW Resource Notebook*. Literature provided by HRM: *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* by C. S. Lewis, *The Sign of the Beaver* by Elizabeth George Speare, *Follow My Leader* by James B. Garfield, *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry, **Summer Reading:** *Crispin: The Cross of Lead* by Avi (A few copies are available for check out.)

Prerequisites:

Read on a 6th grade level. English Placement and HRM Writing Boot Camp (New Students only). Students who previously participated in the Elementary Academy may have the placement and the HRM Writing Boot Camp waived on the recommendation of the teacher.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

High School English 1&2 (Carman)(Gr. 9-12) –

Description:

High school-level essay writing, literature analysis, grammar, and vocabulary. English 1&2 is a two-year cycle covering both American Literature up to 1877 and American Literature since 1877.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students should expect to read between 2-5 chapters in the assigned literature selection per week; accompanying assignments will be given to assess comprehension of the material. Class discussion and note taking will be required as part of the student's classroom experience. Sentence Openers and Dress Ups are expected to be memorized and utilized in the writing process. Throughout the first and second semesters, 2-3 essays will be assigned. In addition, during the second semester a research paper will be assigned, and each step will be directed by the teacher according to set due dates.



Curriculum/Materials:

IEW Resource Notebook. Literature provided by HRM: Colonial American Literature selections, *Narrative of the Life of David Crockett* by David Crockett, *The Red Badge of Courage* by Stephen Crane, *Humorous Stories and Sketches* by Mark Twain, *Great American Short Stories*, *The Mentor Book of Major American Poets* edited by Oscar Williams. **Summer Reading:** *In His Steps* by Charles Sheldon (We have copies we can check out to you.)

Prerequisites:

Three years Middle School English/Language Arts or the equivalent. Read on a 9th grade level. New students will be required to participate in placement testing. New students must register for and attend the HRM Writing Boot Camp (New Students only).

CLEP:

Students mastering the two-year cycle of this course may want to obtain more information about taking the American Literature or College Composition CLEP test for college credit. Look under the “documents” tab or go to clep.collegeboard.org for more information. free-clep-prep.com also has good information about each test and suggested preparation.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each.

High School English 3&4 (Jackson)(Gr. 10-12) –

Description:

College-preparatory level composition, literary and rhetorical analysis, grammar and usage, and vocabulary. English 3&4 is a two-year cycle covering both British and European Literature.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students are expected to assume responsibility for their learning in all areas: reading, vocabulary, writing, and class discussions. Vocabulary study will be primarily literature-based. Students may read from 50-75 pages a week, concurrently completing handouts or other work connected to literature. To prepare for college-level reading and writing, students will also read nonfiction works and complete rhetorical analyses, informally and in essays. In the fall, students will write two full essays, one of which may be in class; in the spring, students will write a full essay and a researched argument.

Curriculum/Materials:

IEW Student Resource Notebook. Literature provided by HRM: *Beowulf* by Seamus Heaney, Selections from *The Canterbury Tales* by Geoffrey Chaucer, *Frankenstein* by Mary Shelley, *Jane Eyre* by Charlotte Bronte, *Sonnets*, *Hamlet* by William Shakespeare, **Summer Reading:** TBA

Prerequisites:



Two years HRM English 1&2 or equivalent, Placement Testing (new students only), HRM Writing Boot Camp (new students only).

CLEP:

Students mastering this course may want to obtain more information about taking the Analyzing and Interpreting Literature CLEP tests for college credit. Look under the “documents” tab or go to clep.collegeboard.org for more information. Free-clep-prep.com also has good information about each test and suggested preparation.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Pre-Algebra (Miller)(Gr. 6-8) –

Description:

A review of all arithmetic concepts, introductory algebra and related topics, and geometry concepts.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to complete practice problems for 1-3 sections covered each class period. Homework should average 1 hour daily, Monday - Friday for average students. Expect 5 tests (typically a take-home test given on Wednesdays), 1-2 in-class projects, and a comprehensive final exam each semester.

Curriculum/Materials:

Pre-Algebra, 4th ed, A Beka

Prerequisites:

7th grade math or the equivalent. Math Interview (new students only).

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

MS Texas History (Lawrence)(Gr. 6-8) –

Description:

This course will explore the history of Texas from early exploration through the Civil War with integration of geography and state government.

Expectations:



In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Weekly reading assignments and homework should require no more than 2 hours per week. Projects, quizzes, and tests will be assigned periodically.

Curriculum/Materials:

Texas and Texans, Student Edition by Adrian N. Anderson *Make Way for Sam Houston* (Unforgettable Americans) Fritz. *Walk the World's Rim* by Betty Baker (2005)

Prerequisites:

6th grade reading level.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

General Science (Hamlin)(Gr. 6-8) –

Description:

Examination of the scientific method, designing experiments, and studying simple machines, archaeology, geology, paleontology, biology, and human anatomy and physiology.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students will need to read and answer the Summary Module questions at the end of each chapter in a 2-week period. Labs are scheduled once a week and take-home tests will be administered at the end of each chapter. Students will also have few projects to create at home and presented in class.

Curriculum/Materials:

Exploring Creation with General Science, 3rd edition. Apologia.

Prerequisites:

5th grade math and reading on a 6th grade level. Suggested age of 10 years or older.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Physical Science (Garrou)(Gr. 7-9)—

Description:

Study of introductory physics of motion, Newton's laws, gravity, and the principles of chemistry.



Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Regular assignments each class period that should require approximately 1-2 hours per class period.

Curriculum/Materials:

Exploring Creation with Physical Science, 2nd edition, Apologia

Prerequisites:

Pre-Algebra, Suggested age of at least 12 years.

CLEP:

Students mastering this course, Biology **and** Chemistry may want to obtain more information about taking the Natural Sciences CLEP test for college credit. Look under the “documents” tab or go to clep.collegeboard.org for more information. free-clep-prep.com also has good information about each test and suggested preparation.

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Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Chemistry (TBA)(Gr. 10-12) –

Description:

Study of the foundation of atomic structure, bonding, chemical reactions, stoichiometry, nomenclature, kinetic theory, solutions, acids and bases, chemical equilibrium, organic and biochemistry, and nuclear chemistry.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Take home tests will be sent periodically. Homework, due the next class period, should take no more than 1 hour for Monday homework and 1-2 hours for Wednesday homework. Labs are usually done on Wednesdays. Lab write-ups take about 2 hours on average.

Curriculum/Materials:

Chemistry Student Text, 4th edition by Bob Jones Press.

Prerequisites:

Physical Science or the equivalent, Strong Algebra 1 base, able to use a scientific calculator, 14 years of age suggested.



CLEP:

Students mastering this course, Physical Science **and** Biology may want to obtain more information about taking the Natural Sciences CLEP test for college credit. Look under the “documents” tab or go to clep.collegeboard.org for more information. Free-clep-prep.com also has good information about each test and suggested preparation.

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Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Spanish 1 (Sargent)(Gr. 8-12) –

Description:

For students in grades 9-12 and advanced 8th graders. This course focuses on the study of language development, vocabulary, grammar, and culture including Spanish language in context while developing speaking, listening, reading and writing skills.

Expectations:

In addition to the two days of face-to-face classes, students are expected to work at least two more days under the supervision of the homeschool teacher. Students should expect approximately 3 hours of outside work per week.

Curriculum/Materials:

!Que' Che'vere! 1 16th edition Text. *!Que' Che'vere! 1*, Workbook.

Prerequisites:

Read at high school level. For high school students and some advanced students in 8th grade or with extensive Spanish experience.

After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class.
Tuition Options - \$520 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$90 each

Study Hall (TBA)(Gr. 6-12)FALL Only –

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Study Hall (TBA)(Gr. 6-12)SPRING Only –

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Tuesdays Only

First Period (9:00 AM – 10:30 AM)

Graphic Design 1 (Thomas)(Gr. 6-12) FALL only–

Description:

This fall semester course is a great introductory course for those interested in learning the fundamentals of graphic design. In the first half of the semester, students will learn the basics of design principles, color theory, typography, visual communication, branding and image manipulation. In the second half of the semester students will take these skills to create a mock business through design. They will choose a business, name it, design a logo, business cards, social media graphics, website, a video ad and more. Students will learn all of this using the Canva software for creating graphics for print, web, and multimedia projects.

Expectations:

Students will begin their design work in class and complete it as homework about 1.5 hours per week is required at home. They turn in their assignments weekly for grading and feedback.

Curriculum/Materials:

Students must bring a laptop to every class. Chromebooks cannot be used in class and are not supported by Canva with all the access your student will need for learning. While Canva does work on tablets and phones we ask your student to only bring a laptop to class for the best learning experience. Please make sure your student's laptop meets the following requirements.

- Browsers need to be updated to the latest versions on the device as listed below and make sure that JavaScript is enabled.
- Google Chrome, version 57 or higher
- Mozilla Firefox, version 52 or higher
- Safari, version 12 or higher
- Microsoft Edge, version 89 or higher
- Opera, version 44 or higher

If you need more assistance on how to do this please visit <https://www.canva.com/help/technical-requirements/>

No books need to be purchased. The Canva software is provided by Home Run Ministries.



After your registration has been confirmed, you will receive, via email, a copy of the book list for this class. Tuition Options - \$130 one-time payment or 7 monthly payments of \$23 each.

Graphic Design 2 (Thomas)(Gr. 6-12) SPRING only–

Description:

Graphic Design 2 is a course that focuses on taking graphic design skills to the next level. *Completion of the Graphic Design 1 Course is required.* Students will work hands on with the teacher weekly in class to create projects such as magazine covers, posters, pop art, watercolor art, and shape art and more in-depth design topics. Students will also learn how to manipulate and layer graphics using several different graphic design techniques. By the end of this course, the student will have a strong foundation in design principles and will have a strong design portfolio.

Expectations:

Students will begin their design work in class and complete it as homework about 1.5 hours per week is required at home. They turn in their assignments weekly for grading and feedback.

Curriculum/Materials:

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Prerequisites:

Graphic Design 1

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