

CHAMPS 2024-2025 CLASSES

EXCEPT FOR MATH, COMPUTER SCIENCE, AND SCIENCE

Theology

THEO: The New Testament, High School

This class is part of a 4-year curriculum surveying foundational subjects for the Christian faith. In this class, students will read through the entire New Testament as well as explore the authorship, historical context, and major theological themes of each book of the New Testament.

INSTRUCTOR: Brian Prewitt, brian.prewitt@yahoo.com

MIN / MAX: 3/8

CLASS FEE: \$10

MATERIAL FEE: No fee due instructor. Students will need to get copies of the books being read and discussed.

Art Classes

ART: Art Studio, Ages 13 and up

This is a class designed for intermediate and beginning students who want to grow in their drawing skills as well as explore different artistic mediums such as pastels, acrylic paint, print making, charcoal, pen and ink and some 3-D materials such as clay and paper mache etc. We will learn from master artists and explore more contemporary art themes. Students have an opportunity to work at their own pace on the varying projects that are offered to enjoy the creative process and product! Each year we will have a new and exciting focus, so both new and returning students are encouraged to join us to find their creative niche!

Supplies to buy: Sketchbook (for homework), drawing artist pencils (2B-6B), set of colored pencils (prismacolor), kneaded eraser, gum eraser, 1 black line fine line sharpie marker, 1 box of soft or med. vines charcoals, box of soft pastels (not oils). *(All supplies can be purchases at Hobby Lobby or Michaels)*

Teacher will supply all paper, paints, canvas, and 3-D materials.

INSTRUCTOR: Nancy Gilles, nbgilles@aol.com

MAX: 20 students

MONTHLY CLASS FEE: \$35/month per student

MATERIAL FEE: A material fee of \$30 per child will be collected in August for the first two children in a family. If there are three or more children in the family, material is capped at \$70. In January an additional \$20 will be collected per family for winter/spring materials.

ART: Drawing and Design, Ages 9-12

This class is a wonderful opportunity for new and returning students to explore the basic principles of good drawing as well as have exposure to different art mediums such as acrylic and watercolor paint, pastel, charcoal print making and other 3-D materials such as clay or paper mache. Each year we have a new focus and work with materials in new and exciting ways. Join us for a great year of artistic discovery!!

Supplies to buy: Sketchbook (for homework), drawing artist pencils (2B-6B), set of colored pencils (prismacolor), kneaded eraser, gum eraser, 1 black line fine line sharpie marker, 1 box of soft or med. vines charcoals, box of soft pastels (not oils). *(All supplies can be purchased at Hobby Lobby or Michaels)*

Teacher will supply all paper, paints, canvas, and 3-D materials.

INSTRUCTOR: Nancy Gilles, nbgilles@aol.com

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ART: Young Artists, Ages 6-8

This is an exciting early art experience for beginning creative minds! We will explore many different mediums: acrylic paint, pastels, charcoals, collage and some clay and other sculpture materials. Students will be exposed to famous artists and their amazing styles of creating. Each year will bring new and exciting projects and a different focus, so new and returning budding artists are encouraged to join us for a great year!

Supplies to buy: Sketchbook (for homework), set of markers, set of soft pastels, artist pencils (2B - 6B), a set of colored pencils (prismacolor), kneaded eraser. *(All supplies can be purchased at Michael's or Hobby Lobby)*

Teacher will supply all paper, paint, canvas, and other 3-D materials.

INSTRUCTOR: Nancy Gilles, nbgilles@aol.com

MAX: 20 students

FEES: \$30/month per student

MATERIAL FEE: A material fee of \$30 per child will be collected in August for the first two children in a family. If there are three or more children in the family, material is capped at \$70. In January an additional \$20 will be collected per family for winter/spring materials.

Business Classes

BUS: A Tuttle Twins Introduction to Markets and Economics, Ages 9-12

In this class, students will be introduced to the concepts of markets, entrepreneurship, civics, natural law, and government using the Tuttle Twins children's books. (You can learn more about the books [here](#).)

INSTRUCTOR: Sarah Johler, sarah.johler@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 8 / 12

MONTHLY FEE: \$20

A book list will be provided. Parents can order books on their own, or the instructors will place a bulk order. Email the instructor for more details: sarah.johler@gmail.com

Early Childhood/Elementary Classes (ages 3 through 7)

**(See Language Arts and Physical Education
for additional Preschool offerings)**

EC: Fun with Music, Ages 3-7

This class will provide a general music class experience that is fun, high-energy, and

educational. Students will sing songs of many styles, learn about rhythm and basic theory, listen to fun classical works, play games, and play instruments, which will help them to learn the fun and joy of music. (This group will not perform in the winter/spring concerts, but we may hold impromptu performances in the lunch room for families to enjoy!)

INSTRUCTOR: Candy Murray, candymmurray@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3 / 12

CLASS FEE: \$20/month per student

MAT'L FEE: \$10 Aug

EC: Preschool Workshop, Ages approximately 3-5

The program curriculum is structured using developmentally appropriate practices that emphasize cognitive, language, social and emotional growth, with respect to each child's unique learning ability. With a special focus on hands-on activities and play, the program provides a naturalistic early childhood environment that is rich in language and literacy experiences, integrating art and music, and recognizes children as active learners.

INSTRUCTOR: Jackie Herr, jackelynherr@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 4 / 15

CLASS FEE: \$40.00 per month

MAT'L FEE: \$25.00 August, \$25 January

Foreign Language and American Sign Language

ASL: American Sign Language , Infant - 6 year olds

Parents and young ones are welcome to learn ASL using games and stories. We will be learning the basics of useful everyday signs for communication. Children under 4yrs will require a parent in attendance; over 4yrs will require a rotation of parents to assist in class management.

INSTRUCTOR: Rachel Horan, rachhoran4@gmail.com, purehaven.com/rachhoran4, voice/text 708-955-2830, video phone 224-265-7003

MIN/MAX: 5/12

CLASS FEE: Monthly fee \$15

MATERIAL FEE: none

ASL: American Sign Language for beginners, ages 8-12

Fun ASL with games and activities, geared for students just getting started or students who have taken a basic class before. We will be building on vocabulary and expression and continue to learn about Deaf identity and Deaf culture. Non-graded language class, no prerequisite.

INSTRUCTOR: Rachel Horan, rachhoran4@gmail.com, purehaven.com/rachhoran4, voice/text 708-955-2830, video phone 224-265-7003

MIN/MAX: 5/12

CLASS FEE: Monthly fee \$20

MATERIAL FEE: \$20 August

ASL: American Sign Language, High School and motivated 8th graders

Learn conversational ASL, all about Deaf identity, Deaf culture, and explore the career field of Sign Language Interpreting. For motivated beginner students and continued learning challenges for students who have taken the class previously. Earn a high school foreign language credit.

Reading assignments, videos, and self-practice that will be assigned as homework, for language credit. Cumulative tests will be given each semester.

Please study the fingerspelled alphabet before starting class.

INSTRUCTOR: Rachel Horan, rachhoran4@gmail.com, purehaven.com/rachhoran4, voice/text 708-955-2830, video phone 224-265-7003

MIN/MAX: 5/12

CLASS FEE: Monthly fee \$20

MATERIAL FEE: \$20 August

GRK: Conversational Greek, Grades 5-8

In this class the students will learn basic Greek language and writing, Greek culture including cuisine, Orthodox Christian religion which is a big part of the culture along with music and Greek dance.

INSTRUCTOR: Sophia Neri, soneri7@aol.com

MIN/MAX: 4/10

Fee: \$15 per month,

SUPPLY FEE: \$30 supply fee for August and \$30 for January

LAT: Latina Christiana Class Proposal, Grades 4th and 5th

This course is designed to introduce older elementary students to the Latin language. Students will learn Latin grammar and vocabulary, as well as Latin sayings which teach Christian and Classical heritage. Students should be able to read and print in English and be familiar with basic parts of speech (nouns, verbs, adjectives, etc.) prior to taking this course.

INSTRUCTOR: Kate Chenault, kspchenault@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3/12

CLASS FEE: \$20/month

SUPPLY FEE: \$30 due in August

LAT: Latin I, High School (Advanced 8th grade at instructor's discretion)

This course is a more rigorous introduction to Latin for high school aged students who have no prior exposure to the language. Thorough mastery of forms, basic Syntax, and simple vocabulary are primary objectives that enable students to handle simple readings and translations. Students will have weekly quizzes and homework assignments, as well as five exams. Students will need to obtain a copy of Jenney's First Year Latin 1984 prior to the first day of class. For more Information, please contact instructor Kate Chenault at

INSTRUCTOR: Kate Chenault, kspchenault@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3/12

CLASS FEE: \$20

SUPPLY FEE: \$10 due in August

SPAN: Early Elementary Spanish, Ages 5-7

In this class, children will learn Spanish vocabulary and conversational skills through stories and songs following the Sonrisas Spanish curriculum. At each class, we will make a craft that corresponds to the week's theme. This will be a light-hearted, fun class that will feel like circle time—only it's in Spanish!

There is no prerequisite, and those coming from Spanish-speaking households will find it fun even if they already speak Spanish.

INSTRUCTOR: Nina Kindelin, nina.kindelin@gmail.com, Cell Phone: 630-291-6987

MIN/MAX: 5/10

FEE: \$20/month, additional siblings \$15 each/mo.

SUPPLY FEE: \$35 for craft materials

SPAN: Spanish 1, Grade 8 – High School (motivated 7th graders)

This is a beginning Spanish class with no prerequisite. Basic conversational skills and vocabulary will be taught, as well as how to read and write in Spanish. We will follow the Descubre 1 textbook. About two hours of written homework will be assigned per week, and there will be short, individual presentations to prepare two to three times throughout the year. Students will be expected to purchase a notebook for their personal use along with a Descubre activity workbook (which will be ordered by the teacher), and index cards are recommended for making flash cards. All students must also have a textbook, which can be borrowed from the instructor (details below).

Recommended for students ages 13 to 17 (8th to 11th grade) who have had no previous Spanish instruction, but self-motivated 12-year-olds (7th graders) are also welcome.

INSTRUCTOR: Nina Kindelin, nina.kindelin@gmail.com, Cell Phone: 630-291-6987

MIN/MAX: 4/15

FEE: \$25/month, additional siblings \$20 each/mo.

SUPPLY FEE: \$40 supply fee in August, plus \$10 deposit to borrow a textbook. If the textbook is returned undamaged, the deposit will be returned in full at the end of the school year.

SPAN: Spanish II, High School (see below for self-motivated 8th graders)

This is an intermediate Spanish class for students who have taken some kind of Spanish I course. We will use the Descubre 2 textbook and online portal. About two hours of homework will be assigned per week, and there will be short, individual presentations to prepare at least three times throughout the year. Students will be expected to purchase a notebook for their personal use along with a Descubre activity workbook (which will be ordered by the teacher), and index cards are recommended for making flash cards. All students must also have a textbook, which can be borrowed from the instructor (details below).

This class is recommended for students ages 14 to 18 (9th to 12th) who have completed a Spanish I course. Self-motivated 13-year-olds (8th graders) who have taken Spanish I are also welcome. Students should already know the present tense conjugations of verbs and basic grammar and vocabulary.

INSTRUCTOR: Nina Kindelin, nina.kindelin@gmail.com, Cell Phone: 630-291-6987

MIN/MAX: 4/15

FEE: \$25/month, additional siblings \$20 each/mo.

SUPPLY FEE: \$40 supply fee in August, plus \$10 deposit to borrow a textbook. If the textbook is returned undamaged, the deposit will be returned in full at the end of the school year.

SOCIAL STUDIES

(Government, Civics, Geography, and History)

SS: The Story of Governments in Western Civilization and their Impact on America, High School

Current trends in American education have emphasized the personalized meaning of the social sciences at the expense of establishing a common intellectual context for understanding the growth and dynamics of the American Democratic Republic. I propose to lead students through the story of Western governments leading up to the creation of the American Constitution and then note significant events for our Republic over the last 200 years.

Below is an outline of the major themes for the course. When appropriate, I will bring simulations into the classroom to enhance the learning experience. Some possibilities for gaming are in brackets.

- Hebrew Theocracy and the Old Testament

- Understanding the Development of Governments in the East: India and China
- The Greek Experience with Direct Democracy [Battle of Thermopylae]
- Alexander's Legacy on the West and the East [Battle of Arbela]
- The Roman Republic and its Transition to Empire [Battle of Zama]
- From Bethlehem to Constantine - the Impact of Christianity on Europe
- Strands of Modern Governments in the Middle Ages [Battle of Hastings]
- The Rise of Modern World - State, Science, Enlightenment
- The American Revolution [Lexington, Concord, and Bunker Hill]
- Emergence of Modern States in Europe
- Impact of the American Civil War
- America Emerges as a World Power [World War II in Europe and Pacific]
- The Challenges of the 20 Century [A Line in the Sand - Desert Storm]

Reading Sources for the Course Include:

Notes and Essays by Dr. Fratt on pertinent themes, posted online

Articles vetted by Dr Fratt that are free online

INSTRUCTOR: Dr. Steve Fratt, frattspielgames@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 8/20

CLASS FEE: \$35/month, cash (preferred) or check

SUPPLY FEE: none

SS: Learn About the USA! – Ages 7-9

Learn about the history and facts of our United States by studying its geography, state capitals, presidents, famous places, flowers, birds, symbols, and other facts, as well as interesting historical features of its foundation that helped to build our country, all through books, games, videos, songs, and projects.

INSTRUCTOR: Liz Cassidy, cassidies@comcast.net

MIN/MAX: 5/10

CLASS FEE: \$35 per month

MATERIAL FEE: \$15 August, \$15 January

Payment: Check, Cash, or Zelle cassidies@comcast.net

SS: Geography for Young Elementary, Grades K – 2nd

We will learn about basic tools to assist us with learning about geography, such as a compass,

passport, maps and globes. We will create passports to travel around the world and earn stamps. In each country we travel to, we will learn about their location on the globe, the language spoken in that country, foods they may eat, etc.

INSTRUCTOR: Jackie Herr

MIN/MAX: 4/10

CLASS FEE: \$15

SUPPLY FEE: \$20 in the Fall and \$20 in the Spring

SS: GeoTravelers: World Geography and Cultures, Grades 3-5

Let's go on an adventure around the world! We'll learn about each country's profile covering the flag, maps, main features and cities. We will continue with specific topics of interest including discovering animals, cultural dress and art enrichment. Students will also read about a child from each country, listen to a story, play games and more.

INSTRUCTOR: Elizabeth Bialobrzewski, eluniab@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3/10

CLASS FEE: \$25

SUPPLY FEE: \$25 August / \$25 Jan

GEO: Junior High Geography and Cultures, Ages 12-15

In this class, students will learn about geography concepts, geopolitics, people and animals around the world, countries, cultures, ethnic foods, and some world history to understand current events. We will learn about the world through fun videos, art projects, music, recipes, and much more.

INSTRUCTOR: Kinga, Maciejewski, kinga.km@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 4/10

MONTHLY FEE: \$25

SUPPLY FEE: \$20 August/ \$20 January

SS: History with the American Girls, Ages 8-12

American Girl was founded in 1986 by a teacher who believed that books could teach important life lessons and make history come alive for young readers. We will study certain girls, learning

about life as these American Girls would have known it. We will discover what is happening in the world they live in as well as the world around them. We will bring history to life through teaching, games, food, crafts and plays. Each student will be presenting an American Girl to the class.

INSTRUCTOR: Sophia Neri, soneri7@aol.com

MIN/MAX: 4 /12

CLASS FEE: \$10.00/month per student

MATERIAL FEE: \$25 (one time only)

Instrumental Lessons & Music Theory

MUS: Private Guitar or Piano Lessons with Michael Drew, Ages 6 and up

INSTRUCTOR: Michael Drew, strategery88@sbcglobal.net

MIN/MAX: 4 private students minimum

TIMES: Lessons are offered in 1/2 hour time slots. See schedule for specific times

CLASS FEE: \$25/week per student on a monthly basis

MAT'L FEES: Lesson books will be purchased as needed

STUDENT TO BRING: Guitar, music stand

Piano

MUS: Piano w/ Mrs. Murray, Ages 5 and up

Individual piano instruction. Students must have a keyboard instrument available for practice in the home (electronic keyboards are acceptable for beginners, but intermediate and advanced students should practice on a piano). Students will also learn theory, ear training, and music history while learning repertoire from all musical periods. Lesson books are used, but are not the only source of learning. All students are expected to participate in the Christmas and Spring CHAMPs concerts.

INSTRUCTOR: Candy Murray, candymmurray@gmail.com

CLASS FEE: \$25/WEEK, per student (class fee for private instrumental lesson is per lesson, not per month)

MATERIAL FEE: Based on needs of student

MUS: Piano/Voice w/ Mrs. Papritz, Ages 4 and up

Individual piano instruction. Students must have a keyboard instrument available for practice in the home (electronic keyboards are acceptable for beginners, but intermediate and advanced students should practice on a piano). Students will also learn theory, ear training, and music history while learning repertoire from all musical periods. Lesson books are used, but are not the only source of learning. All students are expected to participate in the Christmas and Spring CHAMPs concerts.

INSTRUCTOR: Lea Papritz, leapapritz@yahoo.com

CLASS FEE: \$25 per week, which includes all books and materials

MUS: Violin with Mrs. Laura Vandacar, Ages 5 and up

Private Violin lessons are offered as a course at Champs for all students interested.

These lessons are designed for all levels ranging from beginner to advanced. During the 25 minute lesson held each week, students will learn technique, develop music reading skills, and perform music designed for their level. Students needing an instrument will receive recommendations pertaining to either the purchase or rental of an appropriate instrument. Please check the schedule for available lesson times. Contact info: lvandacar7@gmail.com

CLASS FEE: \$25/week per student

MATERIAL FEE: Based on students' needs.

Language Arts Classes

LA: Five in a Row, Grades K-2

Let's explore all kinds of topics in this fun and interactive literature class. Children will learn history, geography, culture and even math directly from a single story. We will also look at how the story was written and the various elements in that story as part of language arts. We will read many books to help us explore the world around us!

INSTRUCTOR: Kinga Maciejewski, kinga.km@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 4 students/10 students

CLASS FEE: \$15/month per student

MATERIALS FEE: \$15 August / \$15 January

LA: Grammar Junkies, 1st – 4th grade

Grammar Junkies is a supplemental course that will introduce/reinforce skills such as basic parts of speech, end mark punctuation, capitalization rules, vocabulary, homophones, and so much more. Students will hunt for and correct grammatical errors through games and hands-on activities.

INSTRUCTOR: Tina Bakopoulos, fbakopoulos@yahoo.com

MIN/MAX: 5/20

FEE: \$25/MO

SUPPLY FEE: \$25 August, \$25 January. This covers the cost of supplies and books for the class.

LA: Creative Writing, Grades 4th – 8th

Creative Writing is a great way for students to develop their own voice by exploring a variety of writing styles such as poems, short stories, autobiography, journaling, comic strips, etc. Students will study writing samples from various authors and poets and will learn that all writing is about communication with a purpose.

INSTRUCTOR: Tina Bakopoulos, fbakopoulos@yahoo.com

MIN/MAX: 5/20

FEE: \$25/MO

SUPPLY FEE: \$25 August, \$25 January. This covers the cost of supplies and books for the class.

LA: Literature, Grades 3rd and 4th

Develop a love of reading through classical literature. Students will imagine and believe anything is possible with *A Bear Called Paddington* and *The Moffats*. Go through a journey of growth and responsibility in *The Courage of Sarah Noble* and *Charlotte's Web*. We will engage in these stories with time reading aloud together, vocabulary building, comprehension and discussion questions, C and hands-on activities to build a connection and learn valuable themes. Each week students will be assigned a portion of the book to be read and have written assignments to complete at home (parents can assist as necessary).

Selections this year include (book selections subject to change):

- Charlotte's Web
- Moffats
- Homer Price
- Little House in the Big Woods

INSTRUCTOR: Elizabeth Bialobrzewski, eluniab@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3/10

CLASS FEE: \$25

SUPPLY FEE: \$50 Sept / \$50 Jan to cover all books and supplies for this class.

LA: Memoria Press Literature, Grades 5th – 6th

In this literature class, students will read and analyze poetry and novels using the Memoria Press Curriculum. Students will be challenged to memorize a couple of poems of their choice during the school year. We will read and study several books chosen from the list below. Students will be required to read the assigned chapters and complete their study guide questions before coming to class. We will analyze the content of each novel, review vocabulary, comprehension questions, and compositions as a class.

Book List:

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| • <i>Poetry for the Grammar Stage</i> | • <i>The Lion, the Witch, and the</i> | • <i>The Cricket in Times Square</i> |
| • <i>Heidi</i> | • <i>Wardrobe</i> | • <i>The Twenty-One Balloons</i> |
| • <i>Lassie Come-Home</i> | • <i>Adam of the Road</i> | • <i>My Side of the Mountain</i> |

INSTRUCTOR: Kinga Maciejewski, kinga.km@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3 students/10 students

CLASS FEE: \$30/month per student

MATERIALS FEE: \$65 August / \$65 January. This covers the cost of books and supplies for the class.

LA: Junior High Literature and Writing , 7th – 9th grades

This Language Arts course is designed to strengthen and reinforce skills in speaking, listening, reading, and writing through an in-depth study of literature that will include fiction, non-fiction, poetry, and drama. This course will also offer students the opportunity to develop their writing

skills with each unit that will be covered. Students will be asked to come prepared weekly to class by completing readings and assignments as homework.

NOTE: Students who have taken JH Literature in 2023-2024 can take this course again as the material will not repeat but we will build on the skills of previous year and strengthen their comprehension and writing skills.

This class is worth 1 JR high English, Language Arts, or Literature credit.

Some titles that we will study this year will include:

- *Where the Red Ferns Grow*
- *Anne Frank*
- *The Outsiders*
- *The Tell-Tale Heart*
- *The Gift of the Magi*
- *The Pedestrian*
- *Freak the Mighty*
- *Tuck Everlasting*
- *Death of a Salesman*
- *12 Angry Men*

Note: Readings are subject to change.

INSTRUCTOR: Tina Bakopoulos, fbakopoulos@yahoo.com

MIN/MAX 5/20

FEES: \$35

SUPPLY FEE: \$65 August, \$65 January. This covers the cost of all books being read and the supplementals that accompany them.

LA: High School Literature and Writing, High School

This English course is designed to emphasize the development of skills in critical reading of various texts with understanding through listening, speaking, and annotating. Also, this year, students will write with richness and complexity to communicate effectively about literature through essays and Socratic seminar. Students will be asked to come prepared weekly to class by completing readings and assignments as homework.

NOTE: Students who have taken High School Literature in 2023-2024 can take this course again as the material will not repeat but we will build on the skills of previous year and strengthen their comprehension and writing skills.

This class is worth one (1) high school English, Language Arts, or Literature credit.

Some titles that we will study this year will include:

- *The Bridge to Terabithia*
- *The Great Gatsby*
- *The Cask of Amontillado*
- *Othello*
- *MacBeth*
- *The Necklace*
- *Night - Elie Wiesel*
- *The Legend of Sleepy Hollow*
- *The Lottery*
- *Of Mice and Men*
- *The Canterbury Tales*
- *Fences*

****Note:** Readings are subject to change.

INSTRUCTOR: Tina Bakopoulos, fbakopoulos@yahoo.com

MIN/MAX: 3/10

FEES: \$40

SUPPLY FEE: \$65 August, \$65 January. This covers the cost of all books and supplementals being used in this class.

LA: Preschool Story and Art, Ages 3-5

Each week we will read a new story and create a craft to go with the story.

INSTRUCTOR: Rachel Garrity, raemo3980@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 8/15

MONTHLY FEE: \$20

SUPPLY FEE: \$10 in August, \$10 in January

Life Skills

LS SEW: Beginning Sewing, Ages 8-14

In this class students will be learning a range of sewing techniques, beginning with simple hand sewing projects which will prepare them for working on the sewing machine. These beginner projects will include learning several stitch types, sewing on buttons, exploring and working with different fabrics, and cutting/pinning. Students will be learning how to hem dress pants/skirts and jeans, as well as finishing seams, then eventually creating and constructing garments of their own. They can expect to complete between 4-6 projects throughout the year, depending on how quickly we move along. Fabrics and thread will need to be purchased as we come up on each project, the price for this will depend on what type of fabric the student chooses to use (& color for thread), but on average will be in the \$25-\$30 range.

INSTRUCTOR: Jennifer Karaboyas, jennifer.karaboyas@gmail.com

FEE: \$30 / mo.

MIN/MAX: 3/8

SUPPLY FEE: \$20

LS SEW: Continued Sewing: Ages 10 and up

Description: In this class students will continue their knowledge of basic sewing skills, focusing on more in-depth projects. Students will work on dresses, skirts and sweat suits. They will learn how different garments/fabrics require a different hemming technique. Students will continue to learn on a Serger Machine. Based on how quickly the students work, we expect to get 2 - 3 projects finished within the year.

INSTRUCTOR: Jennifer Karaboyas, jennifer.karaboyas@gmail.com

FEE: \$30/mo.

MIN/MAX: 2/8

SUPPLY FEE: Instructor will contact the parents at the beginning of summer with information on which pattern to have and fabric types/amounts. Each project is approximately \$50, including pattern, fabric, and notions.

LS COOK: Introduction to Cooking/Kitchen*, Ages 8 and up

Get ready for an adventure of discovery of Italian cuisine as we travel the country from north to south with Chef Calandrini. During each geographical region, students will learn basic vocabulary to accompany culinary dishes and skills. Classes will incorporate kitchen skills such as sanitation, behavior/discipline with respect to kitchen safety, duties/usage, and proper preparation of cooking areas and dishes, as well as basic carving, simple sauces, vegetable/fruit preparation, and fun desserts. Each student will need an apron for class. Notebook optional.

* This class will be a beginning level class for students who are new to cooking and eager to learn their way around the kitchen.

INSTRUCTOR: Chef Gaetano Calandrini, gaetanoc426@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 8/12

MONTHLY FEE: \$30

SUPPLY FEE: August: \$40 January: \$40

LS COOK: Continuing Cooking/Kitchen*, Ages 10 and up

Get ready for an adventure of discovery of Italian cuisine as we travel the country from north to south

with Chef Calandrini. During each geographical region, students will learn basic vocabulary to accompany culinary dishes and skills. Classes will incorporate kitchen skills such as sanitation, behavior/discipline with respect to kitchen safety, duties/usage, and proper preparation of cooking areas and dishes, as well as butchering/carving, handmade pastas, sauces, meat/vegetable preparation, and desserts. Each student will need an apron for class. Notebook optional. Class time will be 1 hour and 15 minutes.

* This class will be a continuation of the previous school year, building upon skills and technique. New students welcome with home kitchen experience, knife comfortability required. (If clarification is needed for experience requirement, please contact me.)

INSTRUCTOR: Chef Gaetano Calandrini, gaetanoc426@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 8/14

MONTHLY FEE: \$40

SUPPLY FEE: August: \$60 January: \$60

LS: Holistic Health & Fitness, Ages 13-18

We are all unique creations of God! The way we respond to food, exercise and stress varies person-to-person just as much as our fingerprints. This class will identify YOUR individual needs as well as the individual needs of others. You will learn how to be healthy from the inside out and how to sustain a healthy way of living.

INSTRUCTOR: Nicole Moneer, nmoneer@comcast.net

MIN/MAX: 8/12

CLASS FEE: \$35/mo

SUPPLY FEE: \$25 in August for book

LS: Homesteading/Life Skills I, 8-12 years old

Homesteading - learning to be self-sufficient. In this awesome hands on class, we'll cover chickens, eggs, rabbits, fishing, fish farming, trapping-passive and active, maple trees (tapping for syrup, seeds, leaves, flour), bees and honey, fruit trees, edible plants, cheese, gardening, canning, herbs, foraging, toothpaste, candles, bread, butter, composting, fire building and so much more. Students will become natural resource detectives and learn self-sustaining practices in cool and creative ways.

Students may also be asked to bring additional food and possibly tools depending on the project.

INSTRUCTOR: Mrs. Umlauf-Schulz, cathyumlaufschulz@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 4/12

FEE: \$25 /MONTH

SUPPLY FEE: \$35 September, \$25 January

LS Homesteading/Life Skills II – Ages, 13-18

Homesteading - learning to be self-sufficient. In this awesome hands on class, we'll cover chickens, eggs, rabbits, fishing, fish farming, trapping-passive and active, maple trees (tapping for syrup, seeds, leaves, flour), bees and honey, fruit trees, edible plants, cheese, gardening, canning, herbs, foraging, toothpaste, candles, bread, butter, composting, fire building, shelter building and so much more. Students will also learn life skills such as checking oil and fluids on a car, tire pressure, jumping a battery, changing a tire and cutting hair. Students will become natural resource detectives and learn self-sustaining practices in cool and creative ways.

Students may also be asked to bring additional food and possibly tools depending on the project.

INSTRUCTOR: Mrs. Umlauf-Schulz, cathyumlaufschulz@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 4/12

FEE: \$25 /MONTH

SUPPLY FEE: \$35 September, \$25 January

Performing Arts (Theater, Improv, Choir)

PA: Children's Choir, Ages 7-10

Children's Choir introduces students to singing, music reading, and choral performing. Through listening, games, and special fun exercises, students learn how to sing a variety of musical styles, and also learn how to work together as a group. Students gain an appreciation of music, the confidence to perform in front of others, and the experience to actively participate in groups.

INSTRUCTOR: Celby Hadley, Celbyhadley@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 5 / 99

MONTHLY FEE: \$20

MATERIAL FEES: \$15 in August and \$15 in January

PA: Children's Choir, Ages 11+

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MIN/MAX: 5 / 99

MONTHLY FEE: \$20

MATERIAL FEES: \$15 in August and \$15 in January

PA: Children's Theatre Class IA, Ages *5-7

Taking what these youngin's already naturally do, with their own ingenious imaginations, the kids will be put "on stage." They will use an array of home-made, home-found costumes and props. They'll create scenery and sets making favorite stories come to life! Our class fairytales will allow for unique diversions as in having four little piggies instead of the usual three. Improvised CHAMPSLand and stories are a favorite! Where the kids get to make up their own characters and situations to a narrative we create together.

Presenting their self-written and/or self-illustrated book, after a visit of our class-stuffed-pet to your home, adds to conquering stage-fright and boosting self-esteem.

No memorization is expected for this class.

Throughout the year, do expect to be invited to our classroom for the occasional open-show.

Each Theatre class will perform once at a CHAMPS Extravaganza either in December or May. **THIS CLASS WILL PERFORM FOR SPRING 2025.**

(*Child must be 5 by first day of class.

INSTRUCTOR: Masha Furmanova, mafusha88@hotmail.com

MATERIAL FEE: \$20 one-time fee per child

CLASS FEE: \$10 per child per month ~ Cash or check

MIN/MAX: 6/10

PA: Children's Theatre Class IB, Ages *8-10

*If child is a mature 7½+ year old he/she is welcome to join with the approval of me.

This group of boys and girls will be put on stage using an array of "backyard" costumes, props and stage materials. Kids will create familiar stories incorporating their own imaginative twists. Improvised CHAMPSLand stories - where the kids get to make up their own characters and add their own ideas to any plot they act out - are always a favorite. Participation of these students will be more evident than the younger class with a hope for less narration on the part of a storyteller (me) and more dialogue participation from the thespians. Once the kids have gotten the hang of our theatre expectations, the kids will be encouraged to produce excerpts of popular fairy-tales working in small groups; allowing them to choose their own costuming, setting and dialogue.

Memorization of scripts won't be expected.

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INSTRUCTOR: Masha Furmanova, mafusha88@hotmail.com

MATERIAL FEE: \$20 one-time fee per child

CLASS FEE: \$10 per child per month ~ Cash or check

MIN/MAX: 5/10

PA: Children's Theatre Class II, Ages 11+

Acting skills and stage presence will be developed in this class through fun theatrical activities. As a result, the boys and girls will bring to life short scripted plays using an array of "backyard" costumes and props to create their own scenery and stage sets. If your child is a writer of any sort - one's own made-up play is encouraged to be written and could be read by the class and/or performed with my approval.

Some memorization will be expected.

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INSTRUCTOR: Masha Furmanova, mafusha88@hotmail.com

MATERIAL FEE: \$20 one-time fee per child

CLASS FEE: \$10 per child per month ~ Cash or check

MIN/MAX: 5/10

PA: Improv for Boys and Girls Ages 11+

FYI: Improv has been proven to breed good listening skills and self-confidence.

In this class the laughs come naturally as improvisational scenes, stories, and/or skits materialize. The environment encourages imagination and lots of creativity that “just happens.” Coming together in just minutes or even seconds. No scripts, no props, no "visible" settings - let alone any costumes. (Thus, no material fees!) Included in the fun are: learning many improv games, lessons in gibberish language, and brain-tingling warm-ups. All of which help dissolve unnecessary inhibitions. All in a very safe and fun environment. A full hour of creativity and imaginations at work!

THIS CLASS WILL PERFORM FOR CHRISTMAS 2024. "OPEN-MIC" TIME IN MAY CAN ALSO BE ARRANGED.

INSTRUCTOR: Masha Furmanova, mafusha88@hotmail.com

MIN/MAX: 6/12

SUPPLY FEE: \$10 per month ~Cash or check

PA: Improv for Girls Only Ages 11+

In this class the laughs come naturally as improvisational scenes, stories, and/or skits materialize. The environment encourages imagination and lots of creativity that “just happens.” Coming together in just minutes or even seconds. No scripts, no props, no "visible" settings - let alone any costumes. (Thus, no material fees!) Included in the fun are: learning many improv games, lessons in gibberish language, and brain-tingling warm-ups. All of which help dissolve unnecessary inhibitions. All in a very safe and fun environment. A full hour of creativity and imaginations at work!

THIS CLASS WILL PERFORM IN MAY 2024.

"OPEN-MIC" TIME IN DECEMBER CAN ALSO BE ARRANGED.

INSTRUCTOR: Masha Furmanova, mafusha88@hotmail.com

MIN/MAX: 6/12

SUPPLY FEE: \$10 per month ~Cash or check

PA: Teen Choir

Teen choir develops skills in vocal technique, music reading, and ensemble singing. Students sing a variety of musical styles to increase their musicianship and performance skills. Focusing on music theory from an ensemble perspective, students learn how to perform and collaborate with others. Teen Choir performs in two large concerts every year.

INSTRUCTOR: Celby Hadley, Celbyhadley@gmail.com

FEES: \$20/month

MATERIAL FEE: \$15 in August and January.

Physical Education

PE: Elementary PE, ages 5-7, Herr

Get ready to play team sports (soccer, kickball, dodgeball, capture the flag, and more), focusing on introducing kids to having fun, exercising, and playing together on a team. Class will be held outside unless it is raining or extremely cold.

INSTRUCTOR: Jackie Herr, jackelynherr@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3/12

FEE: \$15

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

PE: Elementary PE, ages 5-7, Judycki

This class will focus on practicing movement, incorporating individual and team play. We'll play some ball, Simon Says, balancing games, bean bag toss,...and throw in some alphabet/number play, as well!

INSTRUCTOR: Lisa Judycki, ljudycki98@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3/12

FEE: \$15

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

PE: Elementary PE, Ages 8-12 years old, Huntington

Team and individual sports, physical activities and games (soccer, flag football, dodgeball, kickball, golf, tennis, Capture the Flag and more) focusing on introducing kids to have fun, exercising, and playing together on a team. Class will be held outside unless it is raining or extremely cold.

INSTRUCTOR: Kristen Huntington, huntingtonkristen@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 3/12

CLASS FEE: \$10/month

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

PE: Elementary PE Ages 8-12 years old, Wasser

Team Sports (soccer, flag football, dodgeball, kickball, and more) focusing on introducing kids to have fun, exercising, and playing together on a team. Class will be held outside unless it is raining or extremely cold. This class will be divided amongst the two instructors. Any questions, please contact us.

INSTRUCTOR: Tait Wasser, Taitwasser@yahoo.com;

MIN/MAX: 3/16

CLASS FEE: \$15/month

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

PE: High School PE, Ages 13 and up, Wasser, 3:00 p.m.,

To introduce students to a variety of sports related activities so that they have the ability to develop a physically active lifestyle for a lifetime. We will play the following sports and more throughout the year, tennis, basketball, flag football, kickball, sabacki ball, jogging, and some more.

INSTRUCTOR: Tait Wasser, taitwasser@yahoo.com, Jeremy Huntington, jeremyhuntington@yahoo.com

MIN/MAX: 3/32

CLASS FEE: \$15/month

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

PE: High School PE, Ages 13 and up, Huntington 2:00 p.m.

Students will play a variety of sports and related activities, both as part of a team and as an individual, so that they begin to develop a physically active lifestyle that will last a lifetime. We will play the following sports and more throughout the year: tennis, basketball, flag football, kickball, soccer, ultimate Frisbee, floor hockey, whiffleball and more. We will also have some running, calisthenics, stretching, and interval training throughout the year.

Class will be held outside as much as possible. In the winter months, there may be Mondays when we go outside for a jog.

INSTRUCTOR: Jeremy Huntington, jeremyhuntington@yahoo.com

MIN/MAX: 3/17

MONTHLY FEE: \$10/month

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

PE: Preschool Movement, Music, and PE, Ages 3-5

Preschool Movement , Music and PE will get preschoolers moving. We put movement to songs. We will learn modified versions of various sports, such as kickball, working on coordination. We will use a parachute, scooters and different kinds of balls. Most importantly we will learn ways to enjoy being active and working together with other classmates.

INSTRUCTOR: Jackie Herr, jackelynherr@gmail.com

MIN/MAX: 4/12

CLASS FEE: \$15 per month

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

PE: Tae Kwon Do with James Netzel: Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced, High Belts

Tae Kwon Do is an ancient martial art that focuses on improving one's life. Kids who take Tae Kwon Do see boosts in focus, discipline, and confidence. In addition to getting a physical workout, they are pushed to become mentally stronger as well. Tae Kwon Do is a martial art that is geared toward self defense and not fighting. Students should come to class dressed in their uniform. (They will receive the uniform in the first class.)

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required for all Tae Kwon Do classes. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

Contact information: James Netzel wkimtkdmp@gmail.com

Beginner students (white and yellow belt)

\$40 uniform fee (one time initial fee)

\$25 monthly tuition

Students learn the basics of Tae Kwon Do along with improving their focus, discipline and self control with the opportunity to promote to the next rank at the end of each semester. Class meets from 8:30 – 9:20 am.

Intermediate students (orange, green, 1/2 purple)

\$30 monthly tuition

Students continue on their Tae Kwon Do journey, reinforcing beginner techniques and learning new ones. Intermediate students get additional 15 minutes of advanced instruction after beginner students. Class meets from 8:30-9:35 am.

High Belts (Red + ½ Black)

Class meets from 8:30-9:50 am.

\$40 monthly tuition

Amateur Minor Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability, as well as gym shoes, required for all Tae Kwon Do classes. NO MASKS ALLOWED.

Advanced students (purple, blue, brown)

\$30 monthly tuition

\$200 equipment fee (one time, initial fee)

Students continue on their Tae Kwon Do journey, learning more complex patterns and techniques. Students also start learning how to spar. Advanced students get additional 15 minutes after intermediate students. Class meets from 8:30-9:55 am.