

Harlingen Homeschool Academy (HHA)

Teachers 2017 – 2018

Joann Hawkins – English I, Geography, English III, HH Academy Coordinator

Joann Hawkins has taught classes at HHA since 2010. They include English I, English II with Speech, and English III with Literature, World Geography, World History, and American History. She loves to inspire kids to enjoy learning and to teach them how to think deeply and communicate their ideas to others, using debate and discussion to apply academic topics to real life. She has a Bachelor Degree in Biblical Studies and Ministry. She has been homeschooling her 5 children for 21 years (2 are graduated and a third will graduate this May).



Deidren Cantu – American History

Deidren Cantu has been homeschooling her 4 daughters for 17 years (1 is graduated). She has a Bachelor's Degree in History and holds a Texas Teaching Certificate. She has taught both Science and History at HHA and loves challenging students to analyze what they have learned and to apply that information to real world situations.

Hamilton Musser – Chemistry



Hamilton Musser and his wife Allison have been homeschooling their 3 children for 14 years (one graduated). He has 10 years of experience as an executive chef in the Houston and Dallas areas. Additionally he has 7 years of experience as the R & D director/Chemist and production manager at Sarati International Inc. in Bayview Texas. Currently he is Pastor at Cornerstone Church in Bayview Texas and has served there for 6 years. This will be his second year teaching Science at HHA. Hamilton enjoys getting students to think outside of the box and showing them how to integrate their faith with science.

Michelle Wilson – Earth and Space Science

With an undergraduate degree in Education and a Master's in Earth Science, Michelle Wilson is excited to be back in the classroom, sharing a subject that she loves. She has been homeschooling her 4 children for 11 years. Two of them have graduated, with another graduating this May. She has taught both college lab classes and in public school, as well as Earth and Space Science at HHA. Michelle loves getting students excited about science through discussion, labs, and field trips.

Algebra I and Geometry

We are currently talking to several qualified individuals about these classes.