

2022 SPRING CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

*****REVISED 1-03-2022*****

1st PERIOD

PREK-K

DRAW WRITE NOW, BOOK 1 ON THE FARM, KIDS AND CRITTERS, AND STORYBOOK CHARACTER

Teacher: Sandy Brooks

Grade: PreK/K

Max: 15

Cost: \$15

Description: Each week we will learn about different animals you find on a farm, children playing and different critters, as well as storybook characters through theme based drawing and handwriting lessons.

PLAYDOUGH AND ART

Teacher: Ruth Luster

Grade: PreK/K

Max: 15

Cost: \$12

Description: We will use playdough to make shapes, letters, and numbers, and to make fun playdough creations. We will sing songs, play games, and paint! Lots of sensory play.

1st-3rd

LEGO CHALLENGE

Teacher: Tori Cromeans

Grade: 1st-3rd

Min: 4

Max: 15

Cost: \$5

Description: Each week we will attempt a new challenge (bridge, maze, boat, etc.) using Legos. With thousands of Lego bricks to choose from, each child can use their own creative freedom to build their challenges.

SIGHT WORDS AND SENTENCE BUILDING

Teacher: Faith Patterson

Grade: 1st-3rd

Min: 4

Max: 15

Cost: \$15

Description: Bingo! We will be playing Sight Word Bingo and other fun games while working on our sight word recognition and sentence building skills. Each child will have their own workbook to take home at the end of the semester so they can continue to practice. Snacks may be provided, if time allows, so please let me know if your child has any food allergies or restrictions.

4th-6th

ARCHERY

Teacher: Shannon Battles (assistants will be Andie Battles and Brandon Haumesser)

Grade: 4th-6th

Max: None

Cost: \$10 + Students will be responsible for purchasing their own bow and arrows.

Description: The E.A.G.L.E. Archery class is based on the combination of AIMS (Archery in Mississippi Schools) and NASP (National Archery in the Schools Program). Our program is designed to introduce 4th-12th grade students to the sport of International-Style archery. Each student will learn the fundamentals to shooting, the parts to the bow and arrows, safety, and much more. It will be a time for students to learn focus, self-control, discipline, and patience. Also provided will be hands on experience to practice for competitions throughout the semester. Requirements are closed toed shoes and bow with 10 arrows. Archer selection for competition will be based on class participation and performance.

SKIN TO BONES

Teacher: Allison Beene

Grade: 4th-6th

Max: 15

Cost: \$20

Description: In this anatomy class we will cover some of the main body systems. There will be facts & parts to learn, gross science projects, activities, & crafts for each system to reinforce learning. We will cover the digestive, circulatory, muscular, nervous, skeletal, & respiratory systems.

TEN FOR HIM

Teacher: Christy Burcham

Grade: 4th-6th

Max: 15

Cost: \$15

Description: We will explore God's Ten Commandments along with the Greatest command (love God) and it's second (love others) through various activities. Crafts, Bible stories, games, and songs will be used to help illustrate God's plan for love to be demonstrated between us and Him and each other. Come join us in discovering ten for Him!!!

7th-12th

BASIC MARTIAL ARTS AND SELF DEFENSE

Teacher: Tom Harrington

Grade: 7th-12th

Max: 20

Cost: \$10

Description: Teacher will work on the basic skills in martial arts for proper technique in basic self-defense. Self-defense techniques will be taught in an age-appropriate manner with experience taken into consideration. Some verbal instruction will also be given on the use of verbal and non-verbal de-escalation techniques before the use of physical force when possible.

POETRY (AND MORE) AND TEATIME

Grades: 7th-12th

Teachers: Kinch and Vince Posey with Stacey Posey

Min: 3

Max: None

Cost: \$15

Description: One of our very favorite "subjects" of all our homeschooling years has been taking time to sit and have a poetry teatime. If you are a fan of Charlotte Mason, you may already do this too! In our class, my older boys and I want to have a time where we share how absolutely fun sitting, sipping, and reading poetry can be. Many laughs will be guaranteed! Put away any sort of idea that we will try to analyze or even write poetry. Here is our plan: Each week, students will take turns bringing in treats to eat with our beverages (hot tea, hot chocolate, coffee) that we make at the start of class. Then we will settle in our chairs, sit back, and listen to any volunteers that want to bring and read family-friendly poetry or excerpts from books. This will be surprisingly very not boring! We will even have a couple of classes where the students can bring a guest to see what all the fun is about. As the title says, we will not just read poetry, but our favorite stories such as old fairy tales. Also, in order to help learn more about poetry, the students will be given about an hour's worth of homework to be completed online and emailed back in. A list will be given the first day of classes on the days your child will need to bring treats (cookies, muffins, scones, cake, etc.) and items for drinks.

9th-12th

DAVE RAMSEY'S FOUNDATION IN PERSONAL FINANCE: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION (2nd Semester)

Teacher: Heather Underwood

Grade: 9th-12th

Max: RETURNING STUDENTS ONLY

Cost: Paid in full last semester

Description: Welcome to a class that is going to give you a head start on your future! Learning how to manage your money is one of the most important skills you can have. Why? Because your financial decisions will have long-term consequences, either good or bad. We'll give you the tools and knowledge that will help you win with money right from the start. When it comes to your financial future, we want you to aim high and dream big. There's a lot to learn, so let's get started!

INTERMEDIATE DISSECTION

Teacher: Kristen Lothenore

Grade: 9th-12th

Max: 16

Cost: \$45.00

Description: In this course, we will be dissecting 10 specimens, including but not limited to: cow eye, sheep heart, frog, sheep kidney, crayfish, etc. Each student will be paired with a lab partner and will be given all necessary tools to properly dissect each specimen.

2nd PERIOD

PREK/K

WIGGLE BREAK

Teacher: Stacey Posey

Grade: PreK/K

Max: 12

Cost: \$20

Description: Here's a 100% unstructured class for the little ones to just get to freely play with their Eagle friends. The cost will go to purchase toys for the room (because there are none in our preschool rooms). The kids can play with the toys this semester and then the toys will remain in the classroom for many kids to enjoy in future years. Please send your child with a snack or lunch and a drink (they all seem to have the munchies especially when they see other kids eating).

PLAYTIME ADVENTURES

Teacher: Beverly Tedford

Grade: PreK/K

Max: 15

Cost: \$10

Description: This class will include free play, story time, and educational activities. Come join the fun!

1st-3rd

SPACE JAM EXPLORERS!

Teacher: Allison Beene

Grade: 1st-3rd

Max: 15

Cost: \$20

Description: In this outer space class we will explore all there is to know about space! Facts about the planets, our moon, constellations, & more. There will be plenty of fun science projects, crafts, activities, & games for hands-on learning!

CLAYMATION BIBLE TIME

Teacher: Christy Burcham

Grade: 1st-3rd

Max: 15

Cost: \$12

Description: Come join in on making Bible stories come to life! We will be using modeling clay to make items from various Bible stories, and we will try to animate some of the stories and share them with our parents on their phones! Come join in on the fun and learning!

SHOW & TELL

Teacher: Karla Massengill

Grade: 1st-3rd

Min: 4

Max: 12

Cost: FREE

Description: This is free because there will be no snacks. Introduction to public speaking for kids. The first week we will just introduce ourselves (no item necessary). Do NOT discuss family yet. From there, we will have a different theme each week such as, "My Pet," "Favorite Pastime," "My Family," etc. I will send a printout and possibly a group email of the semesters schedule.

Different items can be brought in like pictures or toys. I want to use this class to encourage kids to be comfortable talking to a group by using some of their favorite subjects.

4th-6th

CAMPING IS MY HAPPY PLACE

Teachers: Kenny & Amy Claunch

Grade: 4th-6th

Max: 15

Cost: \$15

Description: Mr. Kenny has spent most of his fatherhood years (about 20 years) in the outdoors with his boys. Camping has been and still is a big part of their lives, including backpacking in the Rocky Mountains. They have even won Mrs. Amy over and brought her into the "camping is my happy place" camp. This class will be a combo of learning facts and hands-on learning. We will cover topics like camping basics, the different kinds of camping, sleeping in a bag including the differences in sleeping bags, how to use a compass, map skills, first aid, etc. Safety will be a top priority and a recurring theme throughout this class. We will learn about the buddy system, hiking safety, fire safety, dealing with bear and snake encounters, how to identify poison oak, ticks and tick bites, staying warm in winter camping, and more. We will divide into teams to see which team can put together a tent the fastest. We will have a demonstration on as well as allow students to start a fire. We will be learning how to cook on our campfires. We will use our compasses and/or maps to go on a trail mix scavenger hunt to find individual ingredients for some yummy trail mix and then make our own trail mix with those ingredients. While learning about first aid, we will put together our own first aid kits. We will even be able to put all that we learn over our 10 weeks into action with a real-life overnight camping trip in the spring with students and at least one parent or adult family member. There is so much to learn about the wonderful world of camping! Whether you are a boy or a girl, whether camping is or is not your happy place, whether you are a seasoned camper or not, there will be something for you to learn and lots of fun to be had in this class!

CHOIR

Teacher: Anna Helton

Grade: 4th-6th

Min: 6

Cost: \$10

Description: We will learn the basics of singing together in a choir. A mix of age *appropriate* secular music and kids' Christian songs. We hope to have a performance at the end of semester.

7th-8th

JOURNEY DOWN THE NILE

Teacher: Amanda Lambert

Grade: 7th-8th

Max: 20

Cost: \$10

Description: Come "Journey Down the Nile" for an exciting adventure as we explore the Biblical history of the Nile and past/present Egyptian life along the Nile. We will experiment with Egyptian food cuisine, have fun with hieroglyphics, learn about mummification and get creative with Egyptian costumes as a few highlights in our journey.

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INTRODUCTION TO SPANISH

Teacher: Shannon Pannell

Grade: 9th-12th

Min: 5

Max: 25

Cost: \$5

Description: Bienvenidos estudiantes! This Introduction to Spanish class will focus on a different theme every week. From food and travel to books and movies, we'll learn vocabulary and basic phrases through games and interactive activities. This class has all the themes from our mini semester, plus many more! Come pave the way for a lifelong study of this beautiful language.

YEARBOOK STAFF

Teacher name: Hannah Kemp

Grade: 9th-12th

Max: 10

Cost: Free

Description: Lets create our yearbook! All high school students welcome. Come ready to document those memories! If you own a camera and/or laptop, bring them along. No experience is required, just a positive attitude and a willingness to work as a team!

3rd PERIOD

PreK/K

CRAFTY KIDS

Teacher: Faith Patterson and Rachel King

Grade: PreK/K

Max: 15

Cost: \$20

Description: We will be doing more fun crafts this semester and helping little hands work on fine motor skills! Smocks will be provided to help protect clothing, but crafting can be messy fun, so please consider sending your child in play clothes!

TOY TALK

Teacher: Amberly Glover

Grade: PreK/K

Min: 5

Max: 15

Cost: Free

Description: Your child will have loads of fun showing off and talking about one of their favorite toys each week during "Toy Talk". This class is a fun way for your little one to work on their listening and conversational skills, as well as, learning the importance of waiting their turn. Each child will need to bring a snack and drink.

1st-3rd

AESOP'S FABLE ADVENTURE

Teacher: Amanda Lambert

Grade: 1st-3rd

Max: 15

Cost: \$15.00-price includes an apron

Description: Come join us for a fun time of read alouds and crafts. Each week we will go on an exciting new journey as we learn about fables and the stories that lead us on fun adventures with crafts that will include drawing, painting, food art, and other creations with crafts. We will learn stories about lions, mice, ants, a golden egg, and grasshoppers to name a few.

DRAW WRITE NOW

Teacher: Anna Hardin

Grade: 1st-3rd

Max: 15

Cost: \$15

Description: In this class, we will use the Draw Write Now series to help build each student's creativity and drawing skills. We will have fun reading a book or playing a game to go along with our drawing each week!

4th-6th

READY? SET! BUILD!

Teacher: Stacey Posey

Grades: 4th-6th

Cost: \$45

Minimum: 5

Max: 15

Description: Love Legos? We think they are awesome! Do you think you've got what it takes to build anything? Well, we've got some challenges that need some expert Lego Masters to tackle. In this class, each Master Builder will receive a box of 1400+ Legos to use this semester to use their know-how and previous training to plan and finish each building challenge given. Most weeks the kids will work solo, but sometimes they will work in a team. Challenges will have specific outcomes that the kids can get creative designing. And some challenges will be based on speed. We will even have contests with prizes! Legos will belong to the students to bring home at the end of the semester.

PE

Teacher: Megan Ashe

Grade: 4th-6th

Max: 12

Cost: \$10

Description: We will be working on physical education and challenging the students to create an awareness for physical activity and health. We will also incorporate some "old school" games to reward them for their achievements and to help teach teamwork. Students should come dressed in clothes suitable for exercise and athletic shoes. They will also need their own water bottles.

INVENTION CONVENTION

Teacher: Heather Serio

Grade: 4th- 6th

Max: 15

Cost: \$10

Description: Anyone can be an inventor! We will be learning about the people behind some of our favorite inventions and developing our own inventions. Students will learn about the process of inventing by thinking of a problem, finding a solution, developing a product, and marketing that product. Everyone will have the option to work individually or in a small group to develop an invention that will be displayed at EAGLE's very own Invention Convention at the Spring open house!

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Min: 4

Max: 15

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Description: This class will introduce you to various art movements, cultural influences, artistic genres, artists, and their artwork. Art concepts we will be learning are line, shape, value, texture, and color.

9th-12th

INTRO TO THE MEDICAL FIELD 2

Teacher: Cathi Heath

Grade: 9th-12th

Max: RETURNING STUDENTS ONLY

Cost: None

Description: This is the continuation from last semester. We will continue learning about careers in the medical field and systems of the body with related diseases and treatments. You must have been in Intro to Medical Field 1 to take this class. Please bring your binders from last semester

ACT PREP

Teacher: Amy Claunch

Grade: 9th-12th

Min: 4

Max: 20

Cost: \$32

Description: We will be using The Official ACT Prep Guide to prepare for the imposing test that is required for all students to enter college and, depending on the score, can help students qualify for scholarships to help pay for college. Using this comprehensive prep book, we will discuss effective test-taking strategies and tips for boosting your score. We will also be taking practice tests and learning valuable advice from the experts on preparing both mentally and physically so you can manage anxiety and be fully confident on test day.

4th PERIOD

PreK/K

EXPLORING THE HUNDRED ACRE WOODS

Teacher: Jennifer Newsom

Grade: PreK/K

Min: 5

Max: 15

Cost: \$10

Description: Play-based, hands-on learning with Winnie the Pooh! Each week we will read a story from A.A. Milne, do some crafts and science activities based on the story, work on the alphabet/colors, have some snacks and spend some time outside in nature--two of Pooh's favorite activities! (Please let me know if your child has a food allergy or special condition.)

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6TH-12TH

WE LOVE BASKETBALL!

Teacher: Cathi Heath

Grade: 6th-12th GIRLS

Min: 4

Max: None

Cost: *I'm not assigning a fee at this time. I will see if there is an interest in practice shirts and let everyone know.

Description: This class will be open to any girl in grade 6th-12th who "loves basketball". We will learn the basics of basketball through drills, exercise, and competition! No skill is too big or too small. Any level accepted!

7TH-12TH

CHESS

Teacher: Caleb Sheets

Grade: 7th-12th

Min: 6

Max: 18

Cost: \$10

Description: Get to know the very basics of chess and some tactics that you will use nearly every game. This class is aimed at beginners to teach them core concepts. The main focus will be on playing the game of chess, making mistakes, and learning from those mistakes!

CHOIR

Teacher: Rachel Bivins

Grade: 7th-12th

Min: 10

Max: 20+

Cost: \$25 (cost covers sheet music and performance tracks)

Description: Learn to express your vocal talents through song in this choir class. Vocal technique, rhythm, dynamics, harmony, and expression will be emphasized through uplifting current worship music. The choir will have one or two performances at the end of the semester, including a Spring Choral Concert, at dates to be determined. An extra practice or two may be required to prepare for the concert.

9th-12th

WILL OUR GENERATION SPEAK? Part 2 -Basic Training Course in Evangelism

Teacher: Melody Whitfield

Grade: 9th-12th

Min: 2

Max: 12 (Fall Students + New Students)

Cost: \$20 (Includes Basic Training DVD, Course Study Guide, Basic Training Reference Card, Certificate of Achievement, and tracts)

Description: We began the year learning foundational truths about sharing the Gospel with loved ones and strangers from 23-year-old Grace Mally, author and former homeschool student. Mally addressed the fears students face, excuses we make, practical ideas of how to begin conversations, how to ask the right questions, and defend the gospel. We applied our knowledge during 3 community outreach opportunities. Building on the Fall Semester, we will dive into the Living Waters' Basic Training Course: a 10- week series specially formatted to train believers in a group setting to simply and confidently share the gospel with family, friends, and strangers. These lessons will teach you to overcome your fears by using a proven, powerfully effective way to make the gospel make sense. You won't be at a loss for words. You don't need to be an expert in apologetics. Instead, you'll learn the forgotten biblical principle of bypassing the intellect (the place of argument) and speaking directly to the conscience (the place of the knowledge of right and wrong) — the way Jesus did. Students will have an opportunity to practice and apply what we learn in 3 community outreaches scheduled around Easter. (Matthew 28:18-20; Acts 1:8) Note:

*AiG uses many Living Waters' resources in evangelism.

11TH-12TH

ADVANCED COMMUNICATION SERIES (2 semester class)

Teacher: Bevin Wilder

Grade: 11th-12th

Max: RETURNING STUDENTS ONLY

Cost: Paid in full last semester

Description: We will be learning about the following this semester:

- *Review note taking using the Tree and Branch method from various sources
- *Organize and write a college level paper
- *Consider how to write for individual professors
- *Document research using MLA citation methods
- *Plan and implement proofreading a paper

