



## **Fall 2026 CLASS DESCRIPTIONS**

### **ENRICHMENT MONDAY CLASSES**

**August 10<sup>th</sup> - December 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**(NO CLASSES 9/7, 9/21, 10/26, 11/23)**

**KINDERGARTEN - 9TH GRADE**

**PRICES PER SEMESTER**  
**(SUPPLY FEES INCLUDED)**

**\*ALL class fees, deposits & registration fees are non-refundable\***

## Registration

Fall 2026 semester registration does **NOT** include Timothy Ministry t-shirt. The t-shirt is **REQUIRED** for **ALL** homeschool students and will be ordered online. JFCA students **DO NOT** require the Timothy Ministry t-shirt.

**1.0 Fee \$10** per student (Registration Fee)

**2.0 Fee \$25** per family (NEW Homeschool families only, one time per year)

**2.1 Lunch Fee \$20:** JFCA students only (12:00pm-12:30pm)

\*Once paid, **All** deposits, class fees and registration fees are **NON-REFUNDABLE**.

\*All class & registration fees must be paid in **FULL by due date**.

\*Any fees not paid in full by due date will incur a late fee and/or student(s) will be withdrawn from the classes.

## 9:00 AM- 12:30 PM 3.0 Kindergarten Class

This 3.5-hour session integrates literature, science, and art through interactive, hands on activities and collaborative learning experiences. Our program is meticulously crafted to cultivate and enhance your child's passion for learning and foster their curiosity in a secure and supportive setting. Students will need to bring their own lunch, beverage, and snack each week. (Children must be 5 years old by January 1st to participate.)

Fee: \$350

Instructor: Ms. Beth Minter

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### 3.1 ASL 1 (1st-2nd grade)

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Instructor: Ms. Janet Rooks

### 3.3 Lego Challenge Club (1st-2nd grade)

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Fee: \$90

Instructor: Mr. Joseph Martinez

### **3.4 Introduction to Crochet (1st-2nd grade)**

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Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Nicole Crnic

### **3.5 Beginning Sewing (3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grade)**

In this class, students will embark on a journey into the art of hand sewing, where they will learn essential techniques and various stitching methods. Through a series of hands-on projects, students will have the opportunity to create a variety of items to take home. Once they have mastered the basics, we will transition into exploring the world of sewing with machines. From crafting pillows and pillowcases to designing bags and beyond, students will unleash their creativity and bring their ideas to life.

\*Please note that while some projects may be repeated from previous semester, we will introduce new holiday-themed projects to keep the excitement fresh and inspiring.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Lis Crank

### **3.6 Shakespeare for Kids (3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grade)**

Join us for an immersive journey into the world of Shakespeare, where students will discover the joy of storytelling, unleash their creativity through hands-on activities, and bring characters to life through crafts, drama and play. They will learn all about play writing, character development, costumes, and so much more.

\*Activities & play will be age appropriate.

\*\*Parent may need to purchase a book for home

Fee:\$90

Instructor: Ms. Diana Downs

### **3.7 Fun w/Art: (3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grade)**

Get ready for a colorful and creative journey! Through hands-on activities and guided instruction, young artists will:

- Develop foundational art skills such as drawing shapes, mixing colors, and experimenting with different textures and materials.
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Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Valerie Stewart

**3.8 Park & Puzzle It! (3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grade)**

Discover how you can become a conservationist! In this class you will learn all about how national park's ecosystems protect endangered species and their habitats. This class introduces Puzzling as a hands on approach to learning concepts such as: how kids can care for their surroundings using "Leave No Trace" principles, habitats, bees, food web, unique roles animals play in maintaining healthy ecosystems and about national parks function. Students will see the beauty of these "living laboratories" as they piece together puzzles representing various US national parks and monuments. Puzzling helps build focus, improve memory, strengthen fine motor skills, and develop spatial awareness—all while encouraging a calm, mindful approach to learning.

Bonus: Rising and current 4th graders will also learn how to apply for the "Every Kid Outdoors" program.  
Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Tara Blackstock

**3.9 Wild about Georgia (3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grade)**

Explore the amazing wildlife of Georgia in this fun, hands-on class! Students will learn about animals from the mountains to the coast, discover their habitats, and understand how they survive and interact in the wild. Through games, activities, crafts and simple science concepts, kids will build an appreciation for nature and learn how to help protect Georgia's unique ecosystems.

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Instructor: Ms. Reese Harp

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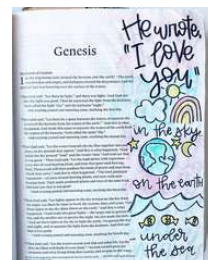
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**4.5 Journaling Joy! (3rd-5th grade)**

Get creative and capture your favorite memories, thoughts, and ideas! In this colorful, hands-on class, students will explore the art of journaling and using writing, drawing, stickers, photos, and more. They'll learn fun ways to express themselves, reflect on their experiences, bible verses and design pages that are uniquely theirs. Each student will create their own keepsake journal to take home and continue adding to. No special skills needed—just bring your imagination and a love for all things crafty!

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Instructor: Ms. Ana Pinto

**11:00 AM- 12:30 PM**

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### **5.3 Vamos Hablar! Beginning Spanish (1st-2nd grade)**

¡Bienvenidos! In this fun and interactive Spanish class, students will be introduced to the basics of the Spanish language through songs, games, stories, and hands-on activities. We'll explore greetings, build on everyday vocabulary, and simple phrases while learning about the cultures of Spanish-speaking countries. Each lesson is age appropriate, designed to spark curiosity and build confidence in speaking and understanding Spanish. No prior Spanish experience needed—just a curious mind and a willingness to try something new!

Fee: \$135

Instructor: Ms. Tracy Burke

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**5.6 World Art (3rd-5th grade)**

Our curriculum celebrates God's diversity & introduces the cultural heritage of various regions, such as Africa, Asia, Europe, the Americas, and Oceania. Each lesson will not only deepen their appreciation for art but also foster cross-cultural understanding and empathy. In addition to exploring different artistic traditions, students will have the opportunity to unleash their own creativity through hands-on projects inspired by the techniques and themes discussed in class. Whether painting, collage-making, or experimenting with mixed media, they will have the freedom to express themselves artistically while honing their skills and unleashing their imagination.

Fee: \$135

Instructor: Mr. Duane Wolford

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Instructor: Ms. S.L. Throckmorton

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**12:00 PM - 12:30 PM 2.1 Lunch-JFCA Students ONLY**

Students will bring a non-microwaveable, ready to eat lunch and their water bottle. Students will sit together with their group and teachers will supervise the room.

Fee: \$20

Instructors: Ms. Lis Crank & Ms. S.L. Throckmorton

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**12:30 PM- 1:30 PM**

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**6.2 Cultural Creations (K-2nd grade)**

Designed to inspire a love for reading and an appreciation for diverse cultures, this class takes students on a literary journey around the world. Each week, we'll dive into a captivating story from a different culture, followed by hands-on activities that bring the tale to life—think crafting, cooking, games, and more! Our dynamic, age-appropriate curriculum encourages students to explore key literary elements such as characters, themes, and main ideas, while also fostering cultural awareness and imagination. By connecting each story to meaningful, creative experiences, students will deepen their understanding of both literature and the world around them.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Efee Owh

**6.3 Engineer Explorers (1st-2nd grade)**

Students will dive into the captivating world of engineering. They will learn about the science, technology, and innovation that drive these mighty machines. Through a series of interactive activities, experiments, and challenges, students will explore concepts such as propulsion, friction, momentum, and more, all within the context of train engineering. Whether they're aspiring engineers or simply curious about how things work, all students will find opportunities to explore, discover, and learn.

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Instructor: Ms.Sylvia Strauss

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### **6.91 Ocean Explorers (3rd-5th grade)**

Dive into the wonders of God’s creation as we explore the incredible world beneath the waves! In this fun and hands-on class, students will learn about ocean animals, coral reefs, tides, and the deep sea—all while discovering how God’s creativity and power are displayed in every drop of the ocean. Through experiments, art projects, games, and Bible verses, students will see how the ocean reflects God’s beauty, design, and care for His world. Come along as we celebrate the sea and the Creator who made it!

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**1:30 PM- 2:25 PM**

### **7.0 Lego DUPLO Challenge Club (Kindergarten)**

Develop your student's imagination and creativity in our Lego Duplo Club! We believe that playful learning is key in a child's development. Students will have the opportunity to engage in imaginative scenarios, projects, free play and challenges. Whether they're pretending to be farmers tending to their crops, princesses trapped in towers, or adventurers riding trains to far-off lands, the possibilities for creative play are endless!

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### **7.6 Lego Challenge Club (1st-2nd grade)**

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\*Please note that all Lego materials will be provided for in-class use, so there's no need to bring Legos from home.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Mr. Joseph Martinez

### **7.7 Beginning Sewing (3rd-5th grade)**

In this class, students will embark on a journey into the art of hand sewing, where they will learn essential techniques and various stitching methods. Through a series of hands-on projects, students will have the opportunity to create a variety of items to take home. Once they have mastered the basics, we will transition into exploring the world of sewing with machines. From crafting pillows and pillowcases to designing bags and beyond, students will unleash their creativity and bring their ideas to life.

\*Please note that while some projects may be repeated from the previous semester, we will introduce new holiday-themed projects to keep the excitement fresh and inspiring.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Hannah Thompson

### **7.8 Cookin' & Calculating (3rd-5th grade)**

Roll up your sleeves and put on your apron for a math adventure! From baking delicious desserts to preparing savory dishes from around the world, students will expand their culinary repertoire while honing their math skills. Students will engage in a variety of math-related activities and challenges that reinforce key mathematical concepts in a fun and practical way. Whether they're measuring ingredients, adjusting recipes, or calculating cooking times, students will see firsthand how math applies to everyday tasks in the kitchen. Let's turn up the heat and make learning math deliciously fun!

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Sylvia Strauss

### **7.9 P.E. (3rd-5th grade)**

Welcome to PE Class, where fun meets fitness. Designed to inspire a love for movement and healthy living, our program offers a dynamic blend of physical activities, games, and challenges that engage young learners in active play and skill development. Students will improve their strength, endurance and flexibility with exercises and games. Athletic shoes and labeled water bottle are required every week.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. S.L. Throckmorton

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**CONTINUE 1:30 PM- 2:25 PM**

**7.91 Cultural Creations (3rd-5th grade)**

Designed to inspire a love for reading and an appreciation for diverse cultures, this class takes students on a literary journey around the world. Each week, we'll dive into a captivating story from a different culture, followed by hands-on activities that bring the tale to life—think crafting, cooking, games, and more! Our dynamic, age-appropriate curriculum encourages students to explore key literary elements such as characters, themes, and main ideas, while also fostering cultural awareness and imagination. By connecting each story to meaningful, creative experiences, students will deepen their understanding of both literature and the world around them.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Efee Owh

**7.92 Fun with Physics! (3rd-5th grade)**

In this engaging, beginner-friendly Physics class, students explore the wonders of motion, energy, and gravity through hands-on experiments and creative lessons. Each lesson helps young learners understand how God designed the world to move and work in perfect order. Through fun discoveries and guided exploration, students will build curiosity, problem-solving skills, and an appreciation for the amazing laws that keep His creation in motion.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Tracy Burke

**7.93 Hands on Gardening (3rd-5th grade)**

This class provides the perfect opportunity for students to learn about the fascinating world of gardening. Guided by our experienced teacher, they will learn about the importance of soil health, proper watering techniques, organic fertilization methods, and the benefits of companion planting. Throughout this semester, students will have the opportunity to design their own square foot garden beds, plant seeds, play educational games that teach all about lifecycle of plants & other fundamentals about gardening.

Fee \$90

Instructor: Ms. Teri Harmon

**7.94 Park & Puzzle It! (3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grade)**

Discover how you can become a conservationist! In this class you will learn all about how national park's ecosystems protect endangered species and their habitats. This class introduces Puzzling as a hands on approach to learning concepts such as: how kids can care for their surroundings using "Leave No Trace" principles, habitats, bees, food web, unique roles animals play in maintaining healthy ecosystems and about national parks function. Students will see the beauty of these "living laboratories" as they piece together puzzles representing various US national parks and monuments. Puzzling helps build focus, improve memory, strengthen fine motor skills, and develop spatial awareness—all while encouraging a calm, mindful approach to learning.

Bonus: Rising and current 4th graders will also learn how to apply for the "Every Kid Outdoors" program.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Tara Blackstock

**7.95 Jewellery Making (3rd-5th grade)**

In this fun and hands-on class, students will explore color, design, and creativity while learning the art of jewelry making. Through learning simple crafting techniques, kids will create their own items such as bracelets, necklaces, and charms to take home. Each project encourages imagination, fine motor skills, and self-expression—helping every young artist shine with their own unique God given style.

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Sonrisa Howey

**7.96 ASL 1 (3rd-5th grade)**

This beginner American Sign Language (ASL) class is perfect for those just starting their ASL journey! In this fun and interactive class, students will learn the ASL alphabet, how to introduce themselves, greet others, and express basic ideas. They'll also explore numbers, colors, shapes, and simple phrases—building a strong foundation for communication in ASL. Come join us as we open the door to a whole new language and culture!

Fee: \$90

Instructor: Ms. Ana Pinto

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## MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL

### 6th-9th GRADE

Welcome to our enrichment program designed to ignite a passion for learning and complement your child's education from grades 6th to 12th! While we are not an accredited institution, we take pride in offering a range of classes that enhance and supplement your child's academic journey. Our enrichment program is designed to provide students with opportunities for growth, exploration, and personal development beyond the traditional classroom setting.

While we may not offer accredited courses, our classes are taught by highly qualified instructors who are passionate about teaching and committed to providing students with a rich and engaging learning experience. Our instructors not only bring expertise in their respective fields but also share a deep faith and commitment to nurturing the spiritual growth of our students.

We believe that middle school and high school are exciting times for personal growth and academic exploration, and our enrichment program is designed to empower students to thrive academically, spiritually, and personally. High school students, completing both the Fall and Spring semesters of our classes will earn a "Certificate of Completion," recognizing their dedication and achievement. Join us as we embark on this journey of enrichment and discovery together!

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### MEET OUR MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

#### **Ms. Elizabeth Kuo (6th & 7th Grade Science Lab & Math Lab, Lunch time)**

Dr. Elizabeth Hartman Kuo received a bachelor of Science degree in Biology from Cedarville University followed by her Medical degree from the University of Cincinnati. To further her education, she then did a surgical residency and practiced General Surgery with a emphasis on breast cancer care. Ms. Kuo & her husband decided to be a homeschooling family and has not looked back. She has a strong relationship with Christ and loves to share that love with others. She loves all the different facets of science and how God's design is seen in each.

#### **Ms. Jennifer Chalk (8<sup>th</sup> & 9th Grade Science Lab & Math Lab, Lunch time)**

Jennifer is married and a proud mother of two. She holds dual bachelor's degrees in Arts & Sciences and Science Education from the University of Alabama. Throughout her career, she has served in a variety of healthcare and educational roles, including teaching 8th and 9th grade science at JFCA, where she is known for engaging students and nurturing their natural curiosity. Jennifer is passionate about helping students discover the wonder of science and encouraging critical thinking through hands-on learning. As a devoted follower of Christ, she also enjoys integrating her faith into her teaching, guiding students to appreciate the beauty, order, and intentional design found in God's creation.

She brings a thoughtful, enthusiastic approach to the classroom, inspiring students to explore, ask questions, and develop a deeper understanding of the world around them.

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## MEET OUR MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

### **Mrs. Taylor Fisher (Introduction to Apologetics 101)**

Mrs. Taylor Fisher is passionate about truth and loves science and apologetics, as apologetics was a big part of her faith story on multiple occasions and is something she thinks is important for every believer to know. She is highly creative and hates to be bored, which means she tries to keep classes as interesting and fun as possible. She has a Bachelor's of Science in Biological Engineering from the University of Georgia, and a Graduate Certificate of Clinical Research Practice from George Washington University. She previously worked as a scientific editor and writer for the University of Georgia's Medical Robotics Laboratory. Currently, she is a homeschool mom of 4 children, and has been a member of JFBC since 2013.

### **Britni O'Neal (Life Skills)**

Britni has been married for 16 years and is a devoted mother of two, with a daughter entering 8th grade and a son entering 4th grade. She has been actively involved in homeschooling her children from the very beginning, giving her extensive hands-on experience in individualized education and curriculum development. She holds training in Early Childhood Education and is also a licensed Master Cosmetologist, bringing both instructional knowledge and practical, real-world skills into her teaching. Britni is passionate about equipping students with essential life skills that they can apply in everyday situations, while also fostering character development and faith in Jesus. An active member of Johnson Ferry Baptist Church, Britni has served in a variety of ministry roles, including Women's Ministry, Children's Ministry, and Children's Worship. She currently serves in a leadership role within the JF's homeschool support group, where she encourages and supports other families in their educational journeys. Britni brings a unique blend of educational experience, practical skill-building, and a heart for mentorship.

### **Mrs. Angela Bumgarner (Computer Science: Coding & Introduction to typing-Google Docs)**

Married to her high school sweetheart for nearly 35 years, Mrs. Angela Bumgarner is the proud mom of four wonderful daughters, now ranging in age from 16 to 26. In 2012, while raising her girls and looking for a way to support her family financially without sacrificing time at home, she found the perfect fit—combining her B.S. in Computer Science with a growing passion for education. She began teaching computer classes along with Microsoft Office classes at her daughters' school and has been teaching ever since. Mrs. Bumgarner currently teaches at Johnson Ferry Christian Academy, where she is grateful for the opportunity to blend her love for teaching with her love for the Lord. She enjoys helping students build their computer literacy and learn to use technology as a meaningful tool in both their education and everyday lives. Outside the classroom, she enjoys playing the piano, hiking with her family, and savoring a good cup of coffee.

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## MEET OUR MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

### **Mrs. Ana Pinto (Percussion & Rhythm)**

Ana Sara Pinto holds a Bachelor of Arts in General Music with a concentration in percussion, as well as a Bachelor of Arts in Spanish from Berea College. She also earned both a Master of Divinity in Theology and a Master of Arts in Pastoral Care from Columbia Theological Seminary. In addition, she completed a Discipleship Training School with Youth With A Mission, deepening her commitment to faith-based service and ministry. Ana's creative interests began early—she learned to crochet around the age of twelve under the guidance of her aunt, who crafted and sold beautiful handmade pieces. She also studied American Sign Language and used it to connect with students from a sister school for the deaf. She currently serves through the nonprofit Simply What Matters, where she supports and equips small churches. She is also a member of JFBC. In her free time, Ana enjoys hiking and continuing her passion for crochet.

### **Mrs. Sylvia Strauss (Health & Fitness)**

Sylvia Strauss has been a teacher with Timothy Ministry for the past three years and brings a rich blend of professional experience and personal passion to her classes. She holds a BS in Mechanical Engineering from Georgia Tech and previously worked as an engineer in the gas industry, as well as a fitness franchise owner and instructor for moms and young children. As a homeschooling mother of six years, Sylvia loves creating engaging, hands-on learning experiences in her classes, including Engineer Explorers, Cooking and Calculating, and Middle School Fitness. She is passionate about helping students explore God's world—from understanding how things are built and how materials work to caring for the bodies He has given us—and encourages them to learn, move, and grow in ways that glorify Him.

### **Mr. Duane Wolford (Art: Drawing & Painting Studio)**

Mr. Duane Wolford has a strong love for Jesus and he demonstrates it through his service and in his art. He is creative and he teaches others to see the beauty in every day things. He puts in a tremendous amount of work that translates these beautiful things into drawings and paintings. Mr. Duane was trained in an academic/classical style. He believes that drawing is foundational to achieving exceptional art. Mr. Duane has earned a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from SCAD. After continuing his passion for art for several years he added a degree in graphic design from Miami Ad School/Portfolio Center. Throughout his art career, he has also achieved various awards for both design and fine arts, has been commissioned for paintings & he creates JFBC logos for VBS! He is such a blessing to our program and to our students!

### **Mrs. Laura Sandiford (Public Speaking)**

Mrs. Laura Sandiford is a mom of three girls 13,10, and 8 and has been homeschooling for six years. She currently holds a Risk Management and Insurance Degree from Georgia State University. Prior to homeschooling her daughters, she worked in the field of insurance for 10 years. Laura was also born and raised in Georgia. She has a passion and love for the outdoors, baking and cooking. She is famous for her cookies and may share them with the kids from time to time. She has seen how communication be daunting for all as we live in a digital world so she has a passion to help students find their voice.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL

6TH-9TH GRADE 9:00 AM - 11:25 AM

### 8.0 Science Lab, Math Lab & Lunchtime (6th-7th grade)

**\*All Science classes are based on a Christian perspective following the teachings of the Bible and the beliefs of JFBC.**

In our Science Lab, students will conduct exciting experiments, observe intriguing demonstrations, and participate in interactive activities that reinforce key scientific principles.

- Fall semester science course is a survey of the core ideas in Earth Science designed to give students an overview of common strands in earth science including, but not limited to, solar system, meteorology, geology, astronomy, and oceanography.
- Spring semester science course is a survey of the core ideas in Life Science designed to give students an overview of common strands in life science including, but not limited to, diversity of living organisms, structure and function of cells, ecosystems, human body systems.

In our Math Lab, students will have the opportunity to sharpen their mathematical skills and tackle fun math challenges. Math Lab provides a space for students to engage with mathematics at their own pace and level. The students are to bring their own Math curriculum. Our experienced instructor will be on hand to provide guidance and support as students work through various math activities and challenges.

Throughout both labs, students will have the opportunity to collaborate with their peers, ask questions, and explore topics of interest in depth. Each lab session is designed to be interactive, engaging, and tailored to the interests and abilities of the students.

- Lunchtime is included in this class from 11:00am-11:25am. Students will need to bring a non-microwavable lunch from home.

Fee: \$300

Instructor: Ms. Elizabeth Kuo

### 8.1 Science Lab, Math Lab & Lunchtime (8th-9th grade)

In our Science Lab, students will conduct exciting experiments, observe intriguing demonstrations, and participate in interactive activities that reinforce key scientific principles.

- Fall semester science course is a survey of the core ideas in the Physical sciences: Physics, the study of forces and energy, and Chemistry, the study of matter and its changes.
- Spring semester will focus on Biology in the core ideas of cell life and development, organism growth and evolution as well as how chemistry relates to cell/human biology.

In our Math Lab, students will have the opportunity to sharpen their mathematical skills and tackle fun math challenges.. Math Lab provides a space for students to engage with mathematics at their own pace and level. The students are to bring their own Math curriculum. Our experienced instructor will be on hand to provide guidance and support as students work through various math activities and challenges.

Throughout both labs, students will have the opportunity to collaborate with their peers, ask questions, and explore topics of interest in depth. Each lab session is designed to be interactive, engaging, and tailored to the interests and abilities of the students.

- Lunchtime is included in this class from 11:00am-11:25am. Students will need to bring a non-microwavable lunch from home.

Fee: \$300

Instructor: Ms. Jennifer Chalk

**11:30 AM - 12:30 PM**

### **8.2 Life Skills (6th-9th grade)**

In this life skills class, students will focus on helping young people build practical abilities they can use in everyday situations. Through interactive lessons, students actively participate in discussions, role-playing, group projects, and real-life scenarios rather than just listening to lectures. Topics may include communication, decision-making, goal setting, time management, emotional awareness, learning new easy recipes and basic problem-solving. The class encourages collaboration and self-reflection, helping students gain confidence, develop independence, and learn how to navigate social and personal challenges in a supportive environment.

Fee: \$150

Instructor: Ms. Britni O'Neal

### **8.3 Health & Fitness (6th-9th grade)**

The class uses faith integrated lessons to promote physical health, confidence, discipline, respect for self and others and teamwork.

The class is not focused on weight loss or athletic performance, but on:

- Developing healthy movement habits
- Building strength, coordination, and endurance
- Encouraging confidence and resilience
- Honoring God through stewardship of the body
- Minimal Equipment: Primarily bodyweight with resistance bands, cones, agility ladder, and outdoor space.

Students will:

- Improve strength, stamina, and coordination
- Gain body awareness and confidence
- Learn basic muscle group function
- Develop discipline, teamwork, and perseverance
- Experience positive connections between faith and daily habits

A simple baseline fitness check, midpoint progress review, and final celebration challenge allow students to see personal growth without pressure.

Middle school students are forming lifelong habits. This class supports physical health, mental well-being, character development, and spiritual reflection in a positive, inclusive environment.

\*No experience necessary\*

Instructor: Ms. Sylvia Strauss

Fee: \$150

### **8.4 Percussion and Rhythm (6th-9th grade)**

Get ready to explore the exciting world of rhythm! In this fun and interactive class, students will learn the foundations of music through basic rhythms, timing, and tempo while developing coordination and confidence. Students will have the opportunity to play a variety of percussion instruments, including cajón, shakers, Latin percussion congas, hand drums, frame drums, triangle, and more. Through engaging activities, rhythm games, and group playing, students will learn how to listen, follow patterns, and create music together. No prior musical experience is needed—just a willingness to participate, move, and have fun! This class is perfect for students who enjoy hands-on learning and want to experience the joy of making music in a supportive group environment.

Fee: \$160

Instructor: Ms. Ana Pinto

### **8.5 Introduction to Apologetics: Apologetics 101 (6th-9th grade)**

Apologetics 101 is our first foray into a serious defense of the faith. The fall semester focuses on scientific, evidential, and biblical apologetics. The class will empower students with the knowledge they need to defend their faith and stand firm on the truth both in times of trial and testing and when good times tempt them to be overly self-reliant. Students will also learn tactics for talking to others who are non-believers or may disagree with our positions in a winsome and empathetic way that still holds fast to truth.

\*We will address topics such as creation and the Flood versus evolution, historical support for the truth of biblical accounts of Old and New Testament events, and the reliability of Scripture as it has been handed down to us from ancient days and translated. As we address these topics in a fun and engaging way, students' curiosity will be sparked to go even deeper in learning about apologetics on their own. A spring semester Apologetics 102 class will handle philosophical, theological, and religious & cult apologetics.

\*The class will take a young earth creationist approach to the creation versus evolution debate, and while strong arguments will be made for that perspective, we will leave room for Christians to disagree. For older students, additional readings will be recommended to equip students more fully with knowledge on the topics discussed in class.

\*In order to receive certificate of completion, student must complete both Fall & Spring

Fee: \$150

Instructor: Mrs. Taylor Fisher

### **8.6 Art: Introduction to Drawing (6th-9th grade)**

Students will learn essential techniques for drawing both from their imaginations and from observation. They will explore different art tools and paper types, discovering the unique effects and possibilities of each medium. Throughout the course, students will develop foundational skills in drawing, including how to accurately depict what they see, how to use grids for proportion and composition, and how to create dynamic compositions that capture the viewer's imagination. From still life sketches to imaginative illustrations, students will learn to express themselves through the power of drawing. This class is about more than just learning techniques—it's also about nurturing creativity and self-expression. Students will have the freedom to explore their own artistic style and experiment with different approaches to drawing, fostering a sense of confidence and individuality in their artwork.

Fee: \$175

Instructor: Mr. Duane Wolford

### **8.7 Digital Skills: Intro to touch-typing & Google Docs (6th-9th grade)**

Level up your digital skills in this fun and practical class designed just for middle & high schoolers! You'll build strong typing skills to help you work faster and more confidently on the computer. Then, you'll dive into Google Docs—one of the most useful tools for school projects, writing assignments, and group work. Learn how to create great-looking documents, organize your work, and collaborate with classmates like a pro.

Examples of what You'll Learn:

\*How to type with proper technique, accuracy, and speed

\*Creating and formatting documents in Google Docs

\*Adding images, links, and tables to make your work stand out

\*Sharing and working on the same document with classmates

\*Organizing your files in Google Drive

\*No prior experience needed.

\*\*Students are required to bring individual laptop & use it responsibly.

Fee:\$150

Instructor: Mrs. Angela Bumgarner

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## MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

### 1:30 PM - 2:30PM

#### 8.8 Art: Painting Studio (6th-9th grade)

Join us as we dive into the world of color & creativity! In this class, students will learn the fundamental techniques of painting such as color mixing to brushwork and beyond. They will explore the unique properties of each medium and discover how to create captivating paintings on paper and canvas. Throughout this class, students will delve into the principles of color theory, learning how to mix and blend colors to achieve the desired effects. From mastering the subtle nuances of watercolor washes to creating bold, vibrant acrylic paintings, students will develop the skills and confidence to express themselves artistically. Students will also have the opportunity to explore mixed media techniques and experiment with "unlikely" supplies, pushing the boundaries of traditional painting and discovering new possibilities for artistic expression.

Fee: \$175

Instructor: Mr. Duane Wolford

#### 8.9 Intro to Public Speaking (6th-9th grade)

This is a hands on class starting with fun games, working in teams and building toward more polished performances. They will learn how to organize their ideas clearly, use their voice and body language, tell compelling stories, and make persuasive arguments. There will be times the kids will have to prepare and work on a speech at home and be prepared to present it in class. We may also incorporate the book "Kind words are Cool" as well as helping each student learn more about their personalities and spiritual gifts. Mistakes are part of the process and class is built on encouragement and respect.

Fee: \$150

Instructor: Mrs. Laura Sandiford

#### 8.91 Computer Science: Exploring Coding (6th-9th grade)

Explore coding in an immersive and dynamic coding course tailored specifically for middle/high school students eager to dive into the world of computer programming. Code.org's CS Discoveries is an introductory, classroom-based course appropriate for 6th-10th grade students. The course aims to equip students to create authentic artifacts and engage with computer science as an outlet for creativity, communication, problem-solving, and fun. CS Discoveries (CSD) takes a wide lens on computer science by covering topics such as programming, physical computing, web development, design, and data. Through a hands-on approach and interactive projects, students will learn essential coding concepts, problem-solving skills, and computational thinking principles. Using a variety of programming languages and platforms, including JavaScript and HTML, students will embark on a journey to create their own websites, games, and more.

\*No prior coding experience is required.

\*\*Students are required to bring individual lap top and must use it responsibly\*

Fee: \$150

Instructor: Mrs. Angela Bumgarner