

American Heritage Academy
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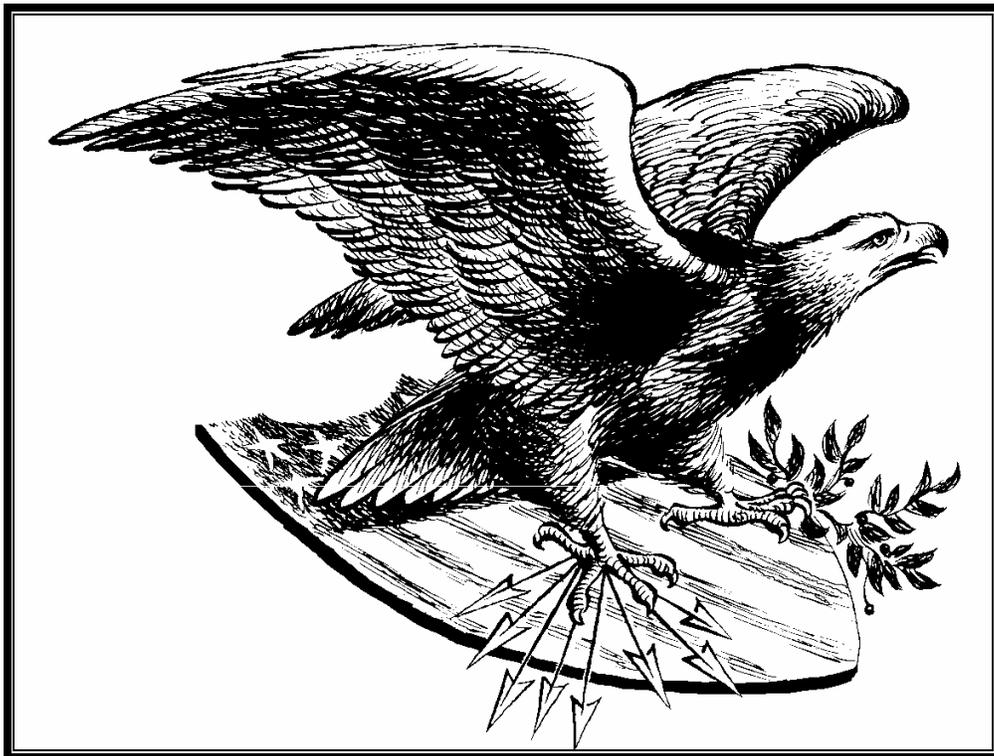
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Registration Guidelines

Academic Levels

This year our classes are small and our teachers are ready to accommodate mixed ages. We've been able to do things geared to a small enrollment that we have been unable to do before, such as private lessons for piano, voice, violin, economics and civics. The spaces we have available are very limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. The fee is only an additional \$100 for the semester making private voice, piano, and violin lessons about \$25 a month. These are the guidelines for academic levels of classes.

Junior/Intermediate Level Classes	Grades 2-6	Ages 7-12
Senior Level Classes	Grades 6-12	Ages 12-18

It is not necessary that you register students in the same level of classes for every subject. Students must be registered for some class during all the hours they are at the school.

Some changes in the class schedule may be necessary after registration is completed. We will make every effort to accommodate the preferences of every student. If you have concerns about the schedule or alternative choices please note them on the registration form so we will know how class deletions or other changes might affect you.

Registration Fees – All Students, paid once per year

Students taking less than 5 hours	\$0
All other students	\$200

For families with 3 or more enrolled students a discount of up to \$125 applies to the third and subsequent students. Registration fees are non-refundable unless the classes requested are cancelled. Students registered by the early deadline (June 9, 2006) receive a \$100 discount on the registration fee.

Tuition Payment

Tuition charges are based on the number of class hours a student enrolls for. The rates are as follows:

Super-saver (11 or more hours)	\$1495 per semester
Full-time Students (8 – 10 hours)	\$1295 per semester
Part-time Students (5-7 hours)	\$1050 per semester
Associate Students (1 – 4 hours)	\$250 per hour

Additional Fees

Some classes may require a lab fee, the purchase of book(s), etc. Refer to the course information herein for details of each class.

Payment Options:

Tuition and fees are due in full before a student begins classes.

Teachers, their spouses, parents of full time students and AHA graduates are welcome to attend and participate in any classes without charge, but are expected to meet dress and behavior standards, and to participate in class. Parents of part-time students will be charged half the normal class tuition rate.

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Student & Parent Agreement

New parents and students will have the opportunity to attend an orientation session where all the policies and procedures of the Academy are explained and questions may be answered. Parents are responsible for compliance with dress code, financial policies, grading policies, service hour requirements, and etc.

Immunization Records

State law requires the Academy to obtain immunization information on each student enrolling in the Academy. Either a current immunization record or an immunization waiver form will meet the requirement. These forms are available with registration materials.

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Course Title: “Civics: The Proper Role of Government and Current Politics”
Registration Number: **SS310**

Instructor: Mr. Fluckiger
Schedule: by appointment, individual study course
Credits: 1 Core Credit—Social Studies
Minimum enrollment: N/A

Course Outline:

This course will begin with a study of The Law by Frederick Bastiat, continue with a study of The Proper Role of Government by E.T. Benson, and conclude with an application of the principles learned there from to current political issues as presented by the opposing political parties during the current mid-term election campaign. Grading for the course will be based upon quizzes on assigned readings, two essay assignments and one research and oral presentation project. **If students have previously studied these books, the instructor will furnish selected readings on the role of government in America today.**

Required Materials: The Proper Role of Government, provided by American Heritage Academy, and The Law, which may be ordered for \$3.00 through the Academy or is available online for free. Also, students should bring a set of scriptures, their pocket U.S. Constitution and Declaration of Independence, and if possible a world atlas. We recommend the Hammond New World Atlas available from Barnes and Nobel.

The Law can be read for free or printed at <http://www.constitution.org/law/bastiat.htm>

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Course Title: Senior Ancient History 4000 B.C. to 1000 B.C.
Registration Number: **SS301**

Instructor: Mr. Fluckiger
Schedule: Tuesday and Thursday 1st hour
Credits: 2 Core Credits – Social Studies
Minimum Enrollment: 10

Course Outline:

This course will more thoroughly examine the major events and personalities of the first five American Heritage key history dates. Particular attention will be given to significant issues as a preparation for required graduation essays. A class schedule for each date will be distributed at the beginning of each semester. The dates to be covered this semester are:

4000 B.C.	The Creation (Adam)
2344 B.C.	The Flood (Noah)
2000 B.C.	God Establishes His Covenant (Abraham)
1500 B.C.	Migration of Israel (Moses)
1000 B.C.	Golden Age of Israel (King David)

Grading will be based upon daily quizzes on the previous class period lecture and discussion (50%) and a final exam (50%) that is a selection of daily quiz questions from the semester.

Required Materials: Students should have a 3-ring binder to keep daily notes and quizzes and all handouts. Additionally, bring a set of scriptures, and a world atlas. Recommended atlas is the Hammond New World Atlas.

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Course Title: Intermediate World History 4000 BC to 1000 BC
Registration Number: **SS101**

Instructor: Mr. Ganoë

Schedule: Tuesday 1st Hour

Credits: Does not apply toward graduation

Course Outline:

This course will provide students with a simplified overview of the major events and personalities of the first five American Heritage key history dates. Students will be encouraged in note taking and recall of history facts. Geography of the areas and events will also be covered. A class schedule for each date will be distributed at the beginning of each semester. The dates to be covered fall semester are:

4000 B.C.	The Creation (Adam)
2344 B.C.	The Flood (Noah)
2000 B.C.	God Establishes His Covenant (Abraham)
1500 B.C.	Migration of Israel (Moses)
1000 B.C.	Golden Age of Israel (King David)

No grades will be given to student in this class but parents will be given feedback on student comprehension, retention and participation.

Required Materials: Hammond World Atlas

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Course Title: Private Writing Lessons

Registration Number: **LA307**

Instructor: Alan Fluckiger

Credits: 1 Core Credit – Language Arts

Schedule: Students will be asked to make individual arrangements for a regular appointment with Mr. Fluckiger. Priority will be given to current year graduates in scheduling.

Course Outline:

The emphasis and objective of this class is to prepare students to write quality graduation essays. Each student's writing ability will be assessed and targeted skills assignments will be given each week to develop weak areas. Graduation essays will be the main effort of the class.

Each student will meet individually once each week with the instructor for a private writing lesson and assessment. Assignments may be submitted by email or in person per arrangement with Bro. Fluckiger.

Two semesters of this class are required for students who are graduating this year unless they have already completed their 20 graduation essays, in which case one semester is required with advisor approval.

Course Title: Sr. Literature and Speech

Registration Number: **LA300**

Instructor: Mr. Kory Lloyd

Credits: 2 Core Credits – Language Arts

Schedule: Wednesday 2nd hour, Thursday 4th hour, Friday 1st hour

Additional Book Fee: \$35.00

Course Outline:

The first month of this course will be Speech. We will discuss the basics of communication including self, group and public. Speeches will be given in class to further develop the qualities of a good public speaker.

The remaining term will be a survey of English Literature including the following periods: The Anglo-Saxon, The Middle Ages, The Sixteenth Century, The Seventeenth Century, The Restoration and the Eighteenth Century.

Specific works and authors will be studied from each period. The following are a few examples: Beowulf, Sir Gawain and the Green Knight, Utopia, Shakespeare, KJV of the English Bible, The Pilgrim's Progress and Gulliver's Travels.

Grading will be based upon the following:

Two class speeches

Participation in class discussions

Completion of reading assignments

Random reading completion quizzes

Various writing compositions

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Course Title: Junior Language Arts

Registration Number: **LA46**

Instructor: Mrs. Linda Barney

Hours: 2 Hours, Tuesday 2nd hour, Wednesday 2nd hour, Thursday 3rd hour, Friday 1st hour

Additional fee for books: \$35.00

Course Outline:

This course will include reading, literature, phonics, grammar, writing, spelling and occasional trips to the library.

Course Title: Saxon Math

Registration Number: **M1012**

Instructor: Mr. Kory Lloyd

Credits: 2 Core Credits - Math

Schedule: Tuesday 4th hour, Wednesday 1st hour, Thursday 3rd hour, Friday 2nd hour

Students will work toward completion of their Saxon Math textbook. Guideline rate for successful completion will require five lessons per week with review tests completed in class. Students may progress at their own rate. The instructor will provide problem solving help, review tests and will check on lesson completion and comprehension levels.

Course Title: Junior Math

Registration Number: **M46**

Instructor: Mrs. Linda Barney

Hours: Tuesday 4th hour, Wednesday 1st hour, Thursday 3rd hour, Friday 2nd hour

Course Content: Students will receive daily math facts drills, games, manipulatives and take home assignments.

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Course Title: Biology

Registration Number: **Sc301**

Instructor: Dr. Josh Olsen

Credits: 1 Core Credits – Science

Schedule: Tuesday 3rd hour

Lab fee: \$10.00

Course Outline:

This course will focus on a study of the human body.

Course Title: Introduction to General Science

Registration Number: **Sc201**

Instructor: Mr. Brian Tibbets

Credits: does not apply toward graduation

Lab Fee: \$10

Course Outline:

Will include a simple overview of all the fields of science: living things, matter, chemicals, air, flight, water, liquids, sound, wave, light, color, energy, forces, electricity, magnetism, earth, and space. Emphasis will be on experiments and fun.

Course Title: Beginning Irish Dance

Registration Number: **EC12**

Instructor: Mrs. Stephanie Jeffs

Credits: 2 elective Fine Arts and Communications

Schedule: Wednesday and Friday 3rd hour

Lab Fee: \$50 includes soft shoes.

Course Outline:

For boys and girls, no partners needed. (Adults welcome to register, separate fee schedule below) All ages welcome. An energetic dance form in which the artistry is in the footwork. Students will learn Irish Dance technique and fundamental dance steps through four basic soft shoe dances: the reel, light jig, single jig, and slip jig. The instructor is an expert Irish dancer who has won numerous awards in competition.

Supplies: black stretch or aerobic pants, white sleeved top, black socks.

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Course Title: Ensemble
Registration Number: **EC14**

Instructor: Mrs. Leslie Crafton
Credits: 2 Elective Credit – Fine Arts and Communication
Fees: \$60 per student

Minimum Enrollment: 8

Course Outline:

Vocal training and small chorus singing experience. Students will be required to memorize 6-8 pieces of music for performances in the community during the Christmas season. On time attendance at each class period is critical. Music will be provided but must be returned at the end of the semester. Class fee includes music, performance outfit cleaning, fitting and maintenance, and accompanist.

Course Title: Art

Registration Number: **EC16**

Instructor: Mrs. Linda Barney
Credits: does not apply to graduation
Hours: Thursday 4th hour
Lab Fee: \$5

Course Outline:

Course Title: Choir

Registration Number: **EC20**

Instructor: Mrs. Leslie Crafton
Credits: Does not apply to graduation
Hours: Thursday 1st hour
Lab Fee: \$30

Course Outline: Students will be given a practice CD to help them learn the songs and their parts. Students will learn songs, some with basic movements and learn theory through fun games and hands on activities.

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Course Title: EC 36 Leadership Forum

Registration Number: **EC36**

Instructor: Various

Credits:

Hours: Wednesday 4th hour

Lab Fee: \$10

Schedule: Wednesday 4th hour

Course Outline: Each month will rotate instructors as follows:

Week #1 – Kelly Orton will teach about leadership, motivation and character.

Week #2 – Chris Kemp will teach lessons about Scandinavia and start projects to prepare for the Skandi Dag festival.

Week #3 – A guest speaker

Week #4 – An educational field trip planned and executed by student leaders with guidance from advisor Vicki Vandever.

Course Title: Bagpipe Band

Registration Number: **EC43**

Instructor: Mrs. Stephanie Jeffs

Credits:

Hours: Wednesday 4th hour

Lab Fee: \$65

Course Outline: Course fee includes the purchase of a practice chanter, which is the portion of the bagpipe that produces the melody and can be blown directly with the mouth, freeing the student of the necessity of learning to control the bag at the same time as learning the chanter. Students will be required to practice at home.

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Course Title: Private Voice Lessons

Registration Number: **EC44 Voice**

Instructor: Leslie Crafton

Hours: by appointment Thursday 3rd and 4th hours

Lab Fee: \$100

Please Note: Lesson slots are limited and will work for students in Math 1012 on Thursday but not for students in LA300 and M1012.

Students will be responsible for the purchase of their own books per instructor direction.

Course Title: Private Piano Lessons

Registration Number: **EC44 Piano**

Instructor: LuAnn Young

Hours: by appointment Thursday 3rd and 4th hours

Lab Fee: \$100

Please Note: Lesson slots are limited and will work for students in Math 1012 on Thursday but not for students in LA300 and M1012.

Students will be responsible for the purchase of their own books per instructor direction.

Course Title: Private Violin Lessons

Registration Number: **EC44 Violin**

Instructor: Stephanie Jeffs

Hours: by appointment Wednesday 5th hour, Friday 4th hour

Lab Fee: \$100

Students will be responsible for the purchase of their own books per instructor direction.