



2023-2024 Course Catalog

Class	Description	Grade	Teacher	Time	Deposit/Tuition
ART CLASSES					
Art Lab	<p><i>Art Lab class will have all new lessons and projects for the 2023-2024 school year.</i></p> <p>Come unlock your creativity as we explore a variety of artistic tools and review the elements of art. We will learn about the great artists and their fantastic art styles all while creating our own art! We will also learn a variety of painting techniques while creating canvas paintings. Together, we will walk through the creative process to build your artistic confidence to draw, paint, design and sculpt your very own creations.</p>	5-7 grade	Jana Hake	9:00- 10:20	<p>Deposit: \$60</p> <p>Student must provide their own or purchase an apron – all other class supplies are covered with deposit</p> <p>Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures</p>
Studio Art High School Art	<p>Studio Art is for those who love to draw, paint, and sculpt! In the Studio, we will explore advanced approaches to expand your creativity and artistic skills. You will gain drawing, painting, and sculpting confidence and inspiration as we look at the history of great art. We'll work from still life, photos, and your imagination. Using a variety of materials including graphite, pen & ink, charcoal, oil pastel, colored pencil, acrylic paint, canvas and a variety of sculpting materials we will work through exciting and engaging art projects.</p>	8-12 grade	Jana Hake	10:30- 11:50	<p>Deposit: \$60,</p> <p>Student must provide their own or purchase an apron – all other class supplies are covered with deposit</p> <p>Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures</p>

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LITERATURE AND WRITING CLASSES					
<p>Honors Middle School IEW and Literature Dialogs</p> <p>*previous IEW experience preferred, but private tutorials may be scheduled for students who do not have prior IEW experience</p>	<p>In this class, students will read award winning contemporary literature and discuss its attributes both as class discussions, projects, and written responses. Dialogs will include mastery of literary elements, appreciation of how literature mirrors current events, and written expression of the impact literature has to our personal lives. Building on previous IEW skills, students will master the writing process using dress-ups, sentence starters, decorations, and advanced descriptors in order to create a quality 5 paragraph essay.</p> <p>This class will require 3-4 hours of outside class each week and is appropriate for 5-6-7 grades.</p> <p>*This is an honors course and requires approval prior to registration (please see honors course requirements outlined in procedures and if your student meets the class requirements, contact jana@mudcreekstudio.com for class approval)</p>	5-7 grade	Theresa Hale	1:30-2:50	<p>Class Deposit: \$50</p> <p>Deposit will cover in class supplies and curriculum</p> <p>* Additional Required reading list will be sent in early August to be purchased and a 2-inch binder with 5 dividers will be needed.</p> <p>Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures</p>
<p>Honors High School English 2</p> <p>*Prerequisite Panoramic English with grade of 85 or higher</p>	<p>In this class, students will explore and integrate <u>all</u> strands of language arts through reading, written essays, vocabulary development, and oral presentations. Students will evaluate classic and contemporary young adult literature, use advanced pre-college writing styles to express persuasive ideas, expository, and basic research skill formats, and experience principles of speech and presentations. This class is appropriate for 8-9-10 graders. This class will require about 4 hours outside of class each week.</p> <p>Prerequisite: Panoramic English with grade of 85 or higher</p> <p>*This is an honors course and requires approval prior to registration (please see honors course requirements outlined in procedures and if your student meets the class requirements, contact jana@mudcreekstudio.com for class approval)</p>	8-10 grade	Theresa Hale	9:00-10:20	<p>Class Deposit: \$50</p> <p>Deposit will cover in class supplies and curriculum</p> <p>*Additional Required reading list will be sent in early August for you to purchase, as well as a notebook with 5 dividers will be needed.</p> <p>Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures</p>

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SCIENCE CLASSES					
Honors Apologia General Science for Middle School	<p>A true middle school general science course covering a wide range of the branches of science with a large component of Earth Science (astronomy, meteorology, oceanography, earth study, geology, paleontology, and environmental science) while making the connections between each from a biblical worldview to see the evidence of God’s creation. The students will learn what science is, how to utilize the proper scientific method, and how to record and report data.</p> <p>Journal: We will utilize the accompanied journal that will take them through the process of learning note taking skills, creating a variety of graphs and how to report using the scientific method.</p> <p>Tests: Using a combination of open and closed book tests, students will improve their skill of test-taking, thus preparing them for upper grades.</p> <p>Class format: Reading and Journal work will be required outside of class about 4-5 hours a week. Class time will be used for highlighting and discussion of key ideas, and group experiments that walk through the scientific method.</p> <p>*This is an honors course and requires approval prior to registration (please see honors course requirements outlined in procedures and if your student meets the class requirements, contact jana@mudcreekstudio.com for class approval)</p>	6-8 grade	TBD	12:00-1:20	<p>Deposit: \$60</p> <p>Deposit includes all lab and class supplies</p> <p>Required Materials: Apologia General Science, 3rd Edition, Student Textbook and Apologia General Science, 3rd Edition, Student Notebook</p> <p>(optional: Audio text)</p> <p>Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures</p>
Honors Apologia Biology	<p>Exploring Creation with Biology is a college-prep biology course that provides a detailed introduction to the methods and concepts of general biology. Heavily emphasizing the vocabulary of biology, it provides the student with a strong background in the scientific method, the five-kingdom classification scheme, microscopy, biochemistry, cellular biology, molecular and Mendelian genetics, evolution, dissection, and ecosystems. It also provides a</p>	8 th grade and up	TBD	1:30-2:50	<p>Deposit: \$75 (includes all lab supplies and dissection specimens)</p> <p>Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures</p>
*Prerequisite Middle School General Science and Physical Science or approved equivalent with grade of 85 or higher					

	<p>complete survey of the five kingdoms in Creation.</p> <p>Journal: We will utilize the accompanied journal that will take them through the process of valuable note taking and study skills.</p> <p>Tests: students will improve their skill of test-taking, thus preparing them for college level science courses.</p> <p>Class format: Reading and Journal work will be required outside of class about 5-6 hours a week. Class time will be used for highlighting and discussion of key ideas, and group experiments and dissections.</p> <p>*This is an honors course and requires approval prior to registration (please see honors course requirements outlined in procedures and if your student meets the class requirements, contact jana@mudcreekstudio.com for class approval)</p>				<p>*Required Materials: Apologia Biology textbook and student journal. Tuition: please see tuition schedule outlined in Mud Creek procedures</p>
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BIBLICAL STUDIES / HISTORY CLASSES					
Characters of the Bible	<p>Every person in the Bible is a supporting actor in God's story - each revealing who God is and what His will is for human beings both then and now. In these characters, we see a glimpse of ourselves, coming to understand our failings, our potential, and God's purpose for our life.</p> <p>Homework assignments include Days 1, 2, & 3 of reading brief Scripture passages and summary content before answering questions. Approximately 30 minutes per day.</p>	Grades 5-7	Ed Hale	10:30 -11:50	<p>Deposit \$50</p> <p>Students will need an easy-to-read copy of the Bible.</p> <p>Deposit includes class worksheets.</p>

<p>Exploring Biblical Truths for Teens</p>	<p>Young people need a firm foundation to stand in the midst of challenging influences and competing “truths” in life. They need to know what they believe and why they believe it. Otherwise, they can be easily swayed by others who challenge their faith or lead them into an imitation Christianity.</p> <p>Homework assignments include Days 1, 2, & 3 of reading brief Scripture passages and summary content before answering questions. Approximately 30 minutes per day.</p>	<p>Grades 8-12</p>	<p>Ed Hale</p>	<p>12:00 -1:20</p>	<p>Deposit \$50</p> <p>Students will need an easy-to-read copy of the Bible.</p> <p>Deposit includes class worksheets.</p>
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