



DWIGHT SCHOOL SEOUL SUMMER ACADEMY

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Dwight School Seoul Summer Academy

G9 - G10 Program 2020

WRITING THE WRITE WAY! Academic Research & Writing Skills

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

This intensive two-week academic research writing course will fully prepare you for high school and college-level research writing and is specifically helpful for preparing students to write the perfect MYP Personal Project report and the DP Extended Essay, which students need to complete during Grades 10, 11 and 12.

After completing this course, you will be able to:

- read and analyze several articles to form your own opinion on a topic
- make connections between several articles
- form thesis statements from your readings
- use sources effectively when writing an essay
- write detailed outlines for research papers
- find source material for research papers
- use appropriate academic tone and language
- document sources by creating a Works Cited list in MLA format

ENGLISH PREP - LOOKING AT THE LINGUISTICS OF LITERATURE

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

Literature studies foster in students a love for reading and enjoyment of language. Students will be provided with an opportunity to reflect on the relationship between literature and their global world. By exposing them to a wide variety of literary texts from different cultural, linguistic and social backgrounds as well as consolidating skills in language proficiency, they acquire the skills to analyse, discuss and critique authorial choices and literary features within and across the engaging texts or extracts studied.

This programme particularly focuses on developing the meta-language required to critically analyse and discuss literature, exploring the techniques required to select key quotes and explain the writers' purpose or the dramatic effect, developing skills in



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analysis and evaluation of literary choices and strategies that help them develop greater confidence in communicating and collaborating in both creative and confident ways. The skills learned will provide all students interested in Literature or Language and Literature a solid variety of techniques that they can quickly adapt and apply to their future studies in this subject area.

- Literary Language eg: metaphor, imagery, symbolism
- Embedding Quotes and intext citations
- Reading for meaning both explicit and the implied
- Speaking and presenting - having fun with socratic dialogues or debates

MATHEMATICS PREP - THE POSSIBILITIES ARE INFINITE²

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

This course introduces a variety of mathematical topics and problem-solving skills that would be of interest to students who plan to study DP Higher-Level mathematics.

Introduction to topics will include:

- Algebraic Reasoning & Functions
- Vectors and Trigonometry
- Calculus
- Statistics & Probability

Students will learn formulas, strategies, and skills that will assist them in meeting the demands of these units. Additionally students will receive instruction on how and when to appropriately use the TI-84 Graphing Calculator.

PAST, PRESENT, PODCAST - Getting ready for TOK!

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

Using a Philosophical, Historical, and Academic perspective of learning, students will become an expert in a subject area and by the end of this program, students will have learned the necessary research, analysis, and writing skills to develop a successful Podcast series. They will research not only the context of the subject, but the historical background and many other aspects. By the end of the course, you will share your perspective of this subject through a Podcast series; using the technical skills learned to create a Podcast, and your understanding of how to use writing techniques and



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mediums to express your views to an audience. Along the way, we'll go through source analysis, note-taking, and how best to communicate information. This course will prepare you for success in TOK!

FINANCIAL LITERACY - TRAINING TO BE A TYCOON

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

This course will introduce students to understand the importance of the financial world, including planning and managing money wisely. Financial Literacy places great emphasis on problem solving, reasoning, representing, connecting and communicating financial data. Additionally this course will introduce students to the skills of entrepreneurship. Students will learn how to develop a business plan for an entrepreneurial venture.

S.A.T. PREP

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

The course prepares students intending to take the SAT exam with a comprehensive blueprint to the Reading, Writing, and Language, and Mathematics content on the exam, along with an in-depth and extensive guide to the new optional essay. Those enrolled will receive diagnostic tests proctored under exam-taking conditions, and will also be provided the time to thoroughly review their content afterward. By the end of the course, students will have ample opportunities not only to master effective test-taking strategies but also to thoroughly practice using the materials covered during class.

ORCHESTRA

PROGRAM OUTLINE: This program is designed for musicians in grades 9 - 10 that would like to play their instrument alongside other musicians. Students with 1-2 years of experience playing an instrument will rehearse in a traditional orchestra setting, working on their ensemble skills to express and play music together. Students will work on note reading, dynamics, phrasing, balance and blend through a variety of orchestral works and technique builders. This would be a great beginning to preparing for Dwight School Seoul "Souls in Harmony" concert in February 2021.



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MAKE YOUR OWN MUSIC - MUSIC COMPOSITION

PROGRAM OUTLINE: This course is designed for musicians in grades 8-10 that would like to build their music skills by learning and practicing advanced music theory and analysis concepts, which would include in-depth study of the musical elements. Students will listen to and analyze musical works from a wide variety of composers, from Classical to K-Pop, to analyze ways in which musical ideas can be composed and expressed. Students should have experience on a musical instrument and basic music theory concepts, such as note and rhythm reading.

YOUTH POWERFUL LEADERSHIP

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

Powerful Youth (<https://powerfulyouth.com/>) provides award-winning international leadership training designed for students ages 12-18. Awarded iStudy Global's "Best in Experienced Based Learning" 3 years in a row, we offer a highly engaging and multi-disciplinary project-based learning to students to help them be more successful in their personal and academic lives. Our key goals are to build individual student's confidence, leadership soft skills such as: creativity, communication, critical thinking, teamwork as well as their global perspective. Our vision is to create a community of powerful youth who know how to turn their passions into their own purpose to create meaningful positive change in themselves and for their community.

During the 2-week Summer Academy at Dwight Seoul, we will introduce and help students apply key leadership concepts to further their academic, personal, and future professional success. Many of these concepts and skills are taught in almost all Master's in Business Administration (MBA) but also other masters degrees as well as universities all over such as: Harvard, Cambridge, Seoul National University, but are extremely helpful for high school students as well if taught well. Topics over the 2-week program will include:

- *How to effectively set smart goals and achieve them.*
- *Understand the importance of your own Emotional Intelligence (EQ) popularized by Harvard's Daniel Goleman.*
- *How to establish a more successful Growth vs less successful Fixed Mindset (Dr. Carol Dweck).*



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- *How do you develop your “8 to be Great Leadership Qualities” from Richard St. John’s 10-year research study.*
- *How to make my decisions with imperfect information.*

THE ART OF ANIME: Creating your own WEBTOON

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

Try something new! Students will be introduced to the artistic process of creating an original WEBTOON. You will research and experiment with various drawing styles to gain technical skills for your drawings. We will then develop conceptual thematic ideas for story creation and practice the process of storyboarding. Students will use digital drawing media to produce their personal WEBTOON and by the end of the program, students will publish their original content online.

SPORT: TENNIS

PROGRAM OUTLINE: Suitable for beginners and intermediate players.

Students will participate in lessons for 3 hours in the morning from 8.30-11.30am. (Afternoons may be too hot.) There will be instruction, drills, games, activities as much as possible on court, (in event of inclement weather, the students will do alternative tennis related activities). Students will be videoed during the course and be able to see their progress. They will be presented with a certificate of completion at the end.

No prior experience necessary. Tennis or sport shoes, shorts, t-shirt, hat, sunscreen and small towel.

Outcomes:

- The students will learn the basics of the game.
- How to hit different shots- forehand, backhand, volley, serve.
- The rules and etiquette of the game
- How to play a game and a set and how to score.



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SPORT - SOCCER TRAINING

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

Students will train to develop and enhance their soccer skills with a former professional soccer player. They will build their strength and endurance in the fitness center, build their skills through drills and practice, understand the strategy of the game and compete in friendly competitions. A great way to stay physically active this summer, while improving in a game they love!

OUTDOOR SKILLS FOR ADVENTURE & CAMPING

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

This program teaches students outdoor adventure skills, and camping skills. Students would hike, learn to build a fire, play camp games and camp overnight. Students will become prepared for the outdoors. There would be a weekly trip to go camping 3 days (2 nights) for a total of two trips. Please note because of the nature of this program it will count as a full day program (i.e. cost will be associated as if the student has enrolled in a morning and afternoon program for that two-week session). Additional costs may be incurred for purchase of equipment (i.e. tent, sleeping bag, other items).

SWIM LESSONS / SWIM TRAINING

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

Intermediate Swim Lessons - Students with previous swimming experience will expand their knowledge and skills through further development of the four competitive swim strokes. (45 minutes in water, maximum 10 students). **Grade 4 - 10 - Afternoon**

Competitive Swim Training - For students, with extensive swimming experience and training, will complete this training focused on fine-tuning stroke work, flip turns, and race strategy. This is perfect for students considering competitive swimming. (1 hour in water, maximum 12 students). **Grade 4 - 10 - Morning** All lessons will be held at DMC Ville pool. **INSTRUCTOR: Jamie Wheatley (certified lifeguard)**



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PROGRAM TIMETABLE:

Morning Session

TIME	G9 - G10 PROGRAM
8:30 - 10:00	Programming
10:00 - 10:30	BREAK
10:30 - 12:00	Programming
12:00	DISMISSAL

Afternoon Session

TIME	G9 - G10 PROGRAM
12:30 - 2:00	Programming
2:00 - 2:15	BREAK
2:15 - 3:45	Programming
3:45	DISMISSAL

*For students that choose both the morning and afternoon session, lunch will be included in the Academy Tuition. Lunch will be from 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm.

FEE SCHEDULE:

Dwight School Seoul students are eligible for registration in the Dwight Summer Academy. Each Grade level Program requires a minimum of 7 students to operate. Additional sections of the program will open based on the number of registrations. To guarantee your child's placement in a Dwight's Summer Academy session we encourage all families to complete registration as soon as possible. We will register students on a first-come-first-served basis.

- Registration deadline and full payment is due by **May 22, 2020**
- Payment is paid in Korean Won
- A late fee of KRW 50,000 will be assessed per registration after May 22nd, 2020
- Lunch (for students who register for morning & afternoon session) and snack fee is included in the Summer Academy tuition
- Bus fee is separate and optional



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SESSION DATES	JUNE 15 - JUNE 26	JUNE 29 - JULY 10	BOTH SESSIONS
G9 – G10 Morning Program	800,000 KRW	800,000 KRW	1,500,000 KRW
G9 - G10 Afternoon Program	800,000 KRW	800,000 KRW	1,500,000 KRW
Morning & Afternoon Program	1,500,000 KRW	1,500,000 KRW	2,800,000 KRW

BUS FEE (optional):

SESSION DATES	JUNE 15 - JUNE 26	JUNE 29 - JULY 10	BOTH SESSIONS
G9 – G10 Program	200,000 KRW	200,000 KRW	400,000 KRW

* Please note, students who have paid annual Dwight bus fee can ride the bus at no additional charge.

Refunds and Cancellations:

- A full refund will be issued before May 22, 2020
- 80% of tuition will be refundable after May 22, 2020 – June 1, 2020
- No refunds will be issued after June 1, 2020