SUMMER ACADEMY

Eddie LyDay, Principal

Classes for Summer 2025

Class Time: 7:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon, Monday - Friday

Class Dates: Session 1 - June 9-27 (No classes June 19 & 20)

Session 2 - July 7-25

Location: SM West High School

8800 W 85th St, Overland Park, KS 66222

Summer Academy Office (at SM West) Information: (6:30 AM - 12:30 PM during program weeks only)

- Academy Office 913-993-9420
- Academy Attendance 913-993-9402
- Academy Nurse 913-993-9404

eSchool & Summer Programs Main Office (at CAA):

- 913-993-9740
- Fax 913-993-9435

Webpage: https://www.smsd.org/academics/summer-programs/summer-academy

SUMMER ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE - If you need assistance or would like to speak with an Academy administrator, the office is available Monday, June 9th through Friday, July 25th, from 6:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. The Academy office is closed on June 19, 20, and July 1-5. Please do not call the SM West main office.

ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

Enrollment is through your school counselor ONLY. **Core courses are for credit recovery only.** Students may enroll in one course per session. <u>Students must enroll in the corresponding session in which the course credit is required.</u> Some courses may be taught online through Edgenuity.

WHEN TO ENROLL

- February 18 SMSD Students only
- June 3 Session 1 enrollment closes*
- June 28 Session 2 enrollment closes*

*SMSD incoming freshmen enrolling in Health Education or Intro to Studio Art must enroll by May 24 for either session. No enrollments accepted after these dates.

These classes will fill quickly; enroll and pay early. If space is available, enrollment will be accepted until June 28.

WHERE TO ENROLL

- <u>SMSD Students</u> must be actively enrolled in a Shawnee Mission high school and should enroll in Summer Academy courses at their high school counseling office. Guardians must pay for the course with online fee payment in eFunds or with the high school bookkeeper at time of enrollment. Full payment is required at time of enrollment.*
- Current non-district students who have enrolled in a Shawnee Mission high school for next year (must be complete in Skyward), may enroll only for PE courses (current 8th graders, only for Physical Education Concepts), and may enroll at the high school counseling office.* A health history form and proof of immunizations is required for these students. Registration is not complete and students may not attend class until these forms are updated in Skyward or received in the Summer Programs office before class begins.

*Payment not received within 48 hours of enrollment will remove the student from the course. Partial payments or payment plans are not accepted.

TUITION

Visa, MasterCard, American Express, or Discover are accepted. eFunds transactions will be charged a \$3 convenience fee. Please make checks payable to Shawnee Mission School District.

- SMSD Students \$180.00 per session*
 - Art Course \$205.00 per session-includes supply fee*

*Includes textbook rental and parking. Transportation is not provided.

MINIMUM CLASS SIZE/CANCELLATION OF CLASSES

A minimum number of students is required for each course to be offered. Early enrollment and payment is strongly advised to assure placement. Staffing is based on enrollment needs and students will be notified if a class must be canceled due to insufficient enrollment.

WITHDRAWAL & REFUND POLICY

Summer Academy is financially self-supported through student tuition. Fees are not refunded if credit is lost due to excessive absences, failure to appear for class, or poor quality work. If a student is withdrawn from a course for any reason (other than the class is canceled), they will be charged a 20% cancellation fee. There are no refunds after the deadline date. A written or email request from the guardian is required for a withdrawal or refund to vickykopp@smsd.org.

- Last day to switch sessions if space is available: May 14.
- Last day to request a first session refund: May 14.
- Last day to request a second session refund: June 10.
- No refund if you enroll after the refund dates. NO EXCEPTIONS.

ATTENDANCE

Students enrolled in credit courses must maintain regular attendance. The accelerated schedule of Summer Academy requires frequent assessment. A loss of credit will result if a student exceeds the **maximum absence limit of two days**. Students should not enroll in a summer school session if they know that they will miss more than two days of class for camps, vacations, etc. Cheer, dance, sports, or any types of camps are not allowed as a substitute for physical activity, attendance, or credit for any course.

If a student fails to show up for class and the guardian has not called, the office will call home. A registered school nurse is on duty to provide needed services, including the administering of all medications. Please inform her of any special needs your child may have. A health history form and proof of immunizations is required for all new SMSD students who are enrolled in a SMSD high school for fall. Registration is not complete and students may not attend class until these forms are updated in Skyward or received in the Summer Programs office before class begins.

FINAL EXAMS

In keeping with the Shawnee Mission Board of Education Policy, all students are required to take a final examination. The final exam will be given on the last day of each session from 8:00-9:30 a.m. Students must be in attendance on that day. NO EXCEPTIONS.

FIRST DAY OF CLASS

Students who are enrolled must report to the front entrance area at SM West by 6:50 a.m. to locate their classroom. Rosters and room numbers will be posted and administrators will be on duty to help guide students to the correct location. Students should bring their SMSD laptop if required, paper and pencil on the first day. PE students should dress appropriately and be ready for physical activity.

GRADES

Guardians may view assignments and grades in Skyward Family Access if they have an account. District student grades will be transcripted at the end of the summer.

LIBRARY SERVICES

The library will be available to students enrolled in Summer Academy courses during normal class time hours. All materials checked out from the library must be returned by the end of each session or charges will be assessed.

PARKING

Parking is included in tuition. All students who drive and park on campus should park in the West parking lot accessed by Johnson Drive parking and enter through the front door (1) of the building. Students are to drive in a safe and prudent manner when entering and exiting the campus. Failure to do so may result in parking privileges being revoked.

TECHNOLOGY

SMSD students who enroll in Academy courses requiring technology before the end of the school year will retain their SMSD MacBook for Summer Academy use. Proof of enrollment and payment will need to be provided to the student's home school at the time of device check-in. If a student enrolls after device check-in, they will need to contact their school's administration before June 12 with proof of enrollment and payment to check out their device. SMSD incoming freshmen enrolling in Health Education or Intro to Studio Art must enroll by May 24 for either session. After these dates, enrollments cannot be accepted nor devices provided. Incoming freshmen and seniors will turn in devices at the end of their summer course. The Responsible Use Policy and Damage Device Structure are still in effect for Summer Academy as during the normal school year.

COURSES OFFERED

CREDIT BY EXAMINATION IS NOT ALLOWED. Auditing is allowed if indicated at time of enrollment and payment.

Current non-district students who have enrolled in a SMSD high school for next year may only enroll for PE courses.

ART - Requires SMSD MacBook

Introduction to Studio Art Grades 9-12 by Fall 2025 #7536 This drawing/design-based course functions as an introduction to the elements of art and the principles of design within the confines of a studio environment.** Prerequisite for all art courses. Additional supply fee of \$35.00 included in tuition. **Course earns 1/2 unit credit.

HEALTH and PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Physical Education Concepts ★ Grades 9-12 by Fall 2025 #8032

This course provides an opportunity for students to participate in a variety of physical concepts and learn the value of quality lifetime physical fitness. Units may include: individual, dual, and team sports, fitness-based activities, rhythmic activities, and aquatics.**

Health Education 1 Grades 9-12 by Fall 2025 #9220 Offered JUNE SESSION ONLY

Requires SMSD MacBook. This course curriculum includes content in the areas of mental health, human growth and development, addictions, fitness for life, disease prevention, nutrition, personal relationships, and abstinence-based human sexuality.**

Team Games★ Grades 10-12 by Fall 2025 #8230

Students participate in various competitive team games and activities including football, softball, ultimate frisbee, volleyball, basketball, soccer, aquatics, team handball, speedball, and lead-up games.**

★Cheer, dance, sports, or any types of camps are not allowed as a substitute for physical activity, attendance or credit for PE courses.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS - Requires SMSD MacBook Courses for credit recovery only

ELA 1 #1082

Students read closely and think critically about a variety of literary genres, including fiction and informational texts. Students will write for a variety of purposes, applying effective language skills and participate in small group and whole group discussions.*

ELA 2 Prerequisite: ELA 1 #1140

Students read closely and think critically through diverse reading experiences, including fiction and informational texts. Students will write analytically for a variety of purposes, applying effective language skills and participating in small group and whole group critical discussions.*

ELA 3 Prerequisite: ELA 2 #1150

Students read closely and think critically about diverse themes in American history, using a variety of fiction and informational texts. Students will write analytically through a range of formal and informal writing, actively participate in oral discussions, apply appropriate language skills in writing and speaking, and develop research skills using teacher-directed and student-generated topics.*

ELA 4 Prerequisite: ELA 3 #1160

Students read closely and think critically about diverse and relevant themes, using a variety of fiction and informational texts. Students will write analytically through a range of appropriate language skills in writing and speaking and refined research skills using teacher-directed and student-generated topics.*

*Students may enroll in session one or two for 1/2 unit credit, or both sessions for one unit credit. Course material corresponds to semester one or two of the regular school year. Enroll in the appropriate session depending on credit required.

^{**}Course earns 1/2 unit credit.

MATHEMATICS - Requires SMSD MacBook Courses for credit recovery only

Algebra 1 #2050

Students develop knowledge in mathematics through work with linear expressions and equations. Essential topics include interpreting quantities and rates, functions, rational exponents, quadratic relationships, and using regression techniques to describe relationships between data sets. Application and reasoning are emphasized.*

Algebra 2 Prerequisite: Geometry or Integrated Alg/Geo 2 #2060 Students apply and extend their understanding of functions. Essential topics include quadratics, polynomials, logarithms, trigonometry, and statistics. Course prepares students for College Algebra/Trig.*

Consumer Math & Finance *Prerequisite: Geometry* #2195 Students will acquire the skills to make informed decisions about money management, earning income, savings and investments, and spending and credit.*

Geometry Prerequisite: Algebra 1 #2110

Students develop knowledge in mathematics through work around congruence and similarity. Essential topics include proofs of geometric theorems, constructions, introduction to trigonometry, working with circles, and conditional probability. Application and modeling are emphasized.*

Integrated Algebra/Geometry 1 #2054

Students develop knowledge in mathematics through work with linear expressions, equations, and functions. Students apply and extend their knowledge of these algebraic concepts within the geometric concepts of congruence, similarity, parallel and perpendicular lines. Application, modeling, and reasoning are emphasized.*

Integrated Algebra/Geometry 2 #2056

Prerequisite: Int.Alg./Geo 1

Students continue to develop knowledge in mathematics through the study of nonlinear algebraic concepts including quadratic relationships, rational exponents, and regression techniques. Students will apply and extend knowledge of algebra with integrated study of geometric concepts including an introduction to trigonometry, proofs and theorems, and circles. Conditional probability and data sets are explored. Application, modeling and reasoning are emphasized.*

Intermediate Algebra Prerequisite: Geometry #2070 This course introduces fundamental Algebra 2 concepts. Essential topics include complex numbers, arithmetic

operations with polynomials, solving rational and radical equations, and using statistics to make inferences.*

*Students may enroll in session one or two for 1/2 unit credit, or both sessions for one unit credit. Course material corresponds to semester one or two of the regular school year. Enroll in the appropriate session depending on credit required.

SCIENCE - Requires SMSD MacBook Courses for credit recovery only

Biology 1 #4130

This course is designed to develop an understanding of plant and animal systems, environmental relationships, bioenergetics, genetics, and biotechnology. Emphasis is on scientific problem solving and higher level thinking skills. Laboratory biological science credit.*

Chemistry 1 #4170

Prerequisite: Biology 1 + Geometry or Integrated Algebra/Geometry 2
Students study the interactions and changes between matter and energy. Laboratory investigations involve the students in scientific problem solving and the inquiry processes of science. Laboratory physical science credit.*

Physical Science #4128

This course is a study of fundamental physics and chemistry principles. It provides a foundation for future science courses. Students will be observing, measuring, classifying, interpreting data, using metric measurement, graphing, controlling variables, problem solving, and forming conclusions. Laboratory physical science credit.*

*Students may enroll in session one or two for 1/2 unit credit, or both sessions for one unit credit. Course material corresponds to semester one or two of the regular school year. Enroll in the appropriate session depending on credit required.

SOCIAL STUDIES - Requires SMSD MacBook

American Government Offered JUNE SESSION ONLY #3190 Course is based upon students' previous learning to assist them in being informed and engaged citizens. Emphasis is placed on the rights, responsibilities, and privileges of citizenship. Students will examine the development and the fundamental principles incorporated in the United States Constitution; the organization of government at the federal, state, and local level; political parties and elections; comparative government; and foreign policy.

**Course earns 1/2 unit credit. Course for credit recovery only

Requires SMSD MacBook

Blue Eagle Academy Prerequisite: None

#6610

1/2 unit 9,10,11,12- Offered JUNE SESSION ONLY

This course is an introductory examination of the public safety career fields and their foundational skills and knowledge standards. Students will learn and practice the fundamental skills and concepts important to the public safety professions. The course is designed to provide the information and experiences necessary for students to determine their future in the program. Successful completion of the Basic Academy is required for those who wish to enroll in Fire Science I, Law Enforcement I, or Emergency Medical Services 1. This course counts toward SMSD social studies elective credit, but the course is not permitted for use as Kansas Board of Regents Qualified Admission.**

**Course earns 1/2 unit credit.

United States History

#3160

The high school course of study begins with a review of the major ideas, issues, and events of the late 19th century including imperialism, industrialization, and immigration. Students will then concentrate on the critical events, people, groups and ideas, and issues of the period from 1900 to the present.*

*Course earns 1/2 unit credit **Course for credit recovery** only

World Regional Studies

#3396

This course is designed to explore the political, economic, physical and cultural geography of Europe, Asia, Africa, Latin America, South America, and Australia; and provide an introductory overview of the historical development and events that shaped each region. Students will investigate the cultural contributions of each region and the rapidly changing landscape of these regions.*

*Course earns 1/2 unit credit Course for credit recovery only

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