



Hinsdale Township

Summer School 2020

Incoming Freshmen Course Offerings

CREDIT-BEARING DEPARTMENTAL COURSES

ENGLISH

Speech/Communication (semester course)

MUSIC

Beginning Guitar & Composition (semester course)

DRIVER'S EDUCATION

Driver's Education (full-year course)

SCIENCE

Biology (full-year course) *Incoming freshman eligibility is based upon test scores and recommendation of 8th grade instructor.*

WORLD LANGUAGES

Etymology (semester course)

CREDIT-BEARING ACADEMIC ENHANCEMENT COURSES

Incoming Freshmen Seminar (\$300)
 Filling Algebra Gaps for Incoming Geometry Students-(\$300)

ENRICHMENT CAMPS

Engineering Technology Camp
 Hornet Math Team Camp
 See Camp Information on Website

Registration begins March 2 and closes May 6, 2020!
NEW SUMMER SCHOOL LOCATION
Burr Ridge Middle School
15 W 451 91st Street, Burr Ridge, IL 60527
Please refer to the district website for the following:

- a full program booklet
- the complete online registration form
- payment procedures and options

Credit-Bearing Courses

Students take credit courses to satisfy graduation requirements. The fee for all courses is **\$300 per semester** for in-district students unless otherwise noted.

Semester-long courses run Monday -Friday
 Semester 1: Friday, June 5 – Thursday, June 25 (15 days)
 Semester 2: Friday, June 26 – Friday, July 17 (15 day) **No school on July 3.**

Credit-Bearing Academic Enhancement Classes

Course descriptions follow in detail below. Invitation letters come out in the spring, but interested families can hold a spot now.

Incoming Freshmen Seminar: Reading and Algebra Strategies

8:00 am -1:00 pm
 Session 1: Monday, June 8 – Thursday, June 25
 Session 2: Monday, June 29 – Thursday, July 16

Filling Algebra Gaps for Incoming Geometry Students:

This course provides students an opportunity to boost skills in challenging Algebra 1 units that they will need for success in future courses, including Geometry and beyond, creating a foundation for success in high school math.

Enrichment Camps

Enrichment Camp fees vary from **\$50.00-\$300.00** depending on length of experience. Dates are established as summer nears. Please see District Website for more information on dates, times, and fees.

NOTES:

*Additional offerings are likely. If there is **low enrollment** a course may be cancelled and refunds issued.

Financial Assistance

Payment plans are available. Please contact the Summer School Principals with questions.

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ACADEMIC ENHANCEMENT COURSES

Incoming Freshmen Seminar

.5 credit; Cost: \$300.00

Dates:

Session1: June 8 - June 25 (Time: 8:00 am - 1:00 pm)

Session 2: June 29 - July 17 (Time: 8:00 am – 1:00 pm)

No class July 3rd.

Location: Burr Ridge Middle School

Student drop-off is not recommended. Please register for bus pick-up

Course Description:

This is a blended learning environment for Algebra Strategies and Reading Strategies for incoming freshmen (see the two descriptions that immediately follow). Two and a half hours each day is dedicated to Math and Reading. You must register for the entire seminar to sign up for the course. There are no half sessions. Students will also earn a credit towards high school graduation.

In addition, students will work on study and note-taking skills, take tours of Hinsdale Central and Hinsdale South, and gain a better understanding of high school expectations. Possible guest speakers include, but are not limited to, the Principals, Activities and Athletic Directors, a guidance counselor, a social worker, teachers of other curricular areas, and student leaders. We are excited to provide this enhanced program designed to ease our students' transition into the high school setting while affording them with insight into how to be successful in District 86!

Reading Strategies

High School Reading Strategies is designed to help boost reading comprehension and study skills. Not only will students learn about strategies in note-taking, test-taking, and effective reading, they will also earn a semester's credit towards high school graduation.

Algebra Strategies

High School Algebra Strategies is designed to help boost Algebra basic concepts and math study skills. Not only will students learn about strategies in note-taking, test-taking, and effective math

Filling Algebra Gaps for Incoming Geometry Students

.5 credit; Cost: \$300.00

Due to the sequential nature of math, student mastery of Algebra 1 is foundational for success in Geometry and future math classes. This new summer offering is recommended for students who have previously passed Algebra 1 and have not yet taken Geometry. The course provides students an opportunity to boost skills in challenging Algebra 1 units that they will need for success in future courses, including Geometry and beyond. In this class, students will experience a Geometry context to reinforce pivotal Algebra content. A graphing calculator is required for this course.

Open to students who took and passed Algebra 1 in 8th or 9th grade who have not yet taken Geometry. This course is not for advancement in course sequencing and is not to be taken in lieu of the recommended math class for the fall.

DRIVER EDUCATION

0.25 credit; cost \$350.00

Hinsdale South: #7000 Class: #7001 Car: #7002

Hinsdale Central: #7050 Class: #7051 Car: #7052

Session 1: June 1-June 19 (Classroom/Driving)

Session 2: June 22- July 24 (Driving as needed)

In order to fulfill the revised Illinois requirements, there will be only one extended semester of Driver Education at both Central and South. Students **must** register for sessions.

*If a student is unable to make the following dates, then summer school Driver Education **should not be considered**. In addition, because the summer school program is over a shorter period of time than during the regular school year, parents need to be prepared to spend the required hours beyond the school day to practice driving with their student drivers.*

Student expectations are as follows:

- Two meetings before summer school in the evening from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. on May 12; and 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. on May 19
- **Mandatory** classroom instruction from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. from June 1 until June 19, Monday-Friday
- Driving instruction will go from June 1 until July 24--if needed
- **NOTE:** this extends into the second semester of summer school and **will prevent** students from taking another summer school class during this time period
- Instructor will schedule times for behind-the-wheel instruction between 7:00 to 9:00 a.m. and/or 11:00 to 3:00 on weekdays (Instructor will give scheduling preference for these driving times in order of birth date and will be determined on May 12).

To be eligible, students **must be 15 years of age on or before June 1.**

Registration for Driver Education begins March 2 and ends May 11.

In addition to the course fee, the Secretary of State charges students \$20.00, which instructors will collect on May 12.

Students are required to attend two mandatory classes before the summer session begins according to the following schedule:

Hinsdale South (Little Theater) May 12, 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. and May 19, 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Hinsdale Central (room 155) May 12, 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. and May 19, 6:00-7:30 p.m.

**** REMEMBER TO BRING CHROME BOOKS ****

The first night, May 12 all students will take their vision test, and written test.

All students will need a \$20.00 check written out to the Secretary of State on this first evening session.

Instructors will distribute permits on May 19. To prepare for the written test, students must go to the website www.cyberdriveillinois.com to study the Rules of the Road book. **You can obtain your study guides from any Driver Ed teacher at your school. To purchase your textbook and workbook, visit the following websites:**

<https://bnck-12.com/hinsdalesouth>

<https://bnck-12.com/hinsdalecentral>