

## Fellowship Christian School Summer Institute 2012

Fellowship Christian School offers summer school courses for eligible high school students.

### Courses

#### **Chemistry: Semester I and II**

Dates: June 4 – July 6 (off the 4<sup>th</sup>)

Time: 8:30 – 2:00

Enrollment Minimum: 10

Course Cost: \$960

Graduation: Meets 1.0 unit course requirement for graduation

Contact information: Meri Cain, [meri.cain@fcspaladins.org](mailto:meri.cain@fcspaladins.org)

#### **Personal Fitness – Physical Education**

Dates: June 4 - 15

Time: 8:30 – 3:00

Enrollment Minimum: 6

Course Cost: \$375

Additional Fees: \$75 for field trips

Graduation: Meets 0.5 unit course requirement for graduation

Contact information: Mike Kinsey, [mike.kinsey@fcspaladins.org](mailto:mike.kinsey@fcspaladins.org)

#### **Health Education**

Dates: June 4 - 15

Time: 8:30 – 3:00

Enrollment Minimum: 6

Course Cost: \$375

Graduation: Meets 0.5 unit course requirement for graduation

Contact information: Traci McGee, [traci.mcgee@fcspaladins.org](mailto:traci.mcgee@fcspaladins.org)

#### **Economics**

Dates: June 4 - 15

Time: 8:30 – 3:00

Enrollment: Open only to students enrolled in AP Government course

Enrollment Minimum: 6

Course Cost: \$500

Graduation: Meets 0.5 unit course requirement for graduation

Contact information: Clay Price, [clay.price@fcspaladins.org](mailto:clay.price@fcspaladins.org)

**Media Communications**

Dates: June 4 - 15

Time: 8:30 – 3:00

Enrollment Minimum: 6

Course Cost: \$500

Additional Fees: \$125 for field trips

Graduation: Meets 0.5 unit elective course credit

Contact information: Katie Smith, [katie.smith@fcspaladins.org](mailto:katie.smith@fcspaladins.org)

**Advancing Your Art: Expanding your Drawing and Painting Experience**

Dates: June 4 – 15

Time: 8:30 – 3:00

Enrollment Minimum: 6

Course Cost: \$500

Additional Fees: \$100 for field trips and materials

Graduation: Meets 0.5 unit elective course credit

Contact information: Ari Durham, [ari.durham@fcspaladins.org](mailto:ari.durham@fcspaladins.org)

***Study & Travel*****World War II Remembrance Tour - Europe**

Classroom dates: June 4 – 5 from 8:30 – 3:00

Travel dates: June 6 - 16

Trip Cost: \$2,995

Graduation: Meets 0.5 unit elective course credit

Contact information: Rebecca VanDeMark, [rebecca.vandemark@fcspaladins.org](mailto:rebecca.vandemark@fcspaladins.org)

**Hispanic Cultural Studies – Homestead, Florida**

Classroom dates: June 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25

Travel dates: June 26 - 29

Enrollment Minimum: 8

Trip Cost: \$860

Graduation: Meets 0.5 unit elective course credit

Contact information: Yelena Daniel, [yelena.daniel@fcspaladins.org](mailto:yelena.daniel@fcspaladins.org)

## Course Descriptions

### **Chemistry: Semester I and II**

This course aims to enhance the student's appreciation for and knowledge of chemistry by providing students with a comprehensive grasp of the basic structure of matter, interactions between substances, and the relationship of energy to matter. Rigorous problem-solving skills are mastered in tandem with content. Laboratory investigations are designed to illustrate scientific principles, to develop scientific techniques skills and collecting and analyzing raw data.

### **Personal Fitness – Physical Education**

The summer physical education course requires sixty (60) hours of attendance. This course is designed to interest the student in team and individual sports. Activities include flag football, softball, basketball, volleyball, tennis, soccer, fitness and classic games. Students will also have the opportunity to go bowling and to the golf driving range. Emphasis for all activities will be placed on fundamental techniques of the games, as well as rules and sports etiquette.

### **Health Education**

This course is designed to cover various aspects of a healthy lifestyle, including nutrition, first aid, basic personal health concepts, as well as identifying diverse internal and external factors that influence health practices and behaviors among young people today. Students will complete the required ADAP (Alcohol and Drug Awareness Program) needed to obtain a driver's license.

### **Economics**

This course will present the concepts of economics in a practical manner through real life applications and case studies. Each student will be exposed to both the theory and the practices of economics. The course purpose is for each individual to draw their own conclusions, become more aware of the role that economics plays in daily life and become stewards of financial resources.

### **Media Communications**

Ever wonder why advertisements are so effective? Everyone recognizes the McDonalds' arches and the *Google* search bar, yet these images are not taught in text books. Never before has so much media content been available to so many people on so many different platforms. Yet, despite how much information we have access to, more and more of it is controlled by fewer and fewer individuals. This course will enable you to be one of those few people with knowledge and expertise about the media communications world. We will delve into the world of advertisement, decode media messages, as well as apply real-world media concepts through field experiences to places like *CNN*, *Turner Broadcasting* and *Cartoon Network*. You will not only become an effective communicator and consumer, but you will also have the skills to market yourself to the next big media corporation out there!

### **Advancing Your Art: Expanding your Drawing and Painting Experience**

Join us this summer for an exciting artistic experience. We will create in traditional ideas of portraiture, landscapes and still life, yet convey them in traditional and non-traditional ways to give them a contemporary and experimental look. We will practice Sketching, Drawing and Painting "plein air" in an impressionistic style, visit museums and galleries and produce art together.

## *Travel Opportunities*

### **World War II Remembrance Tour**

Few experiences complement the lessons learned in a classroom like travel. It exposes students to new ideas, broadens their perspective, and opens their eyes to a different part of God's creation. We are giving our 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students an opportunity to go on an educational World War II Remembrance tour trip to Europe, specifically spending time in France, Germany, and Austria. Appleseed Expeditions, a Christian organization which specializes in helping students learn and serve, while inspiring them to change their worlds, is arranging the program.

### **Hispanic Cultural Studies: Culture and Conversational Spanish beyond the Classroom**

The conversational class is designed to help students immerse themselves in the Spanish culture using dialogue in the target language by means of common words and expressions related to a broad range of topics such as work, travel, money, shopping, vacations and more. Vocabulary is absorbed more easily when it is presented in theme-related clusters. Students will immerse themselves in realistic conversations, gain insight into the nuances of verbal exchanges between Spanish speakers and will determine meaning through context rather than direct translation. This class requires in-classroom time and traveling time to a Spanish site for conversational use and practice.

**FCS Summer Institute 2012  
Registration Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Course \_\_\_\_\_

Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration and Fee Deadline: March 28, 2012**

**Please turn the registration form into the high school office.**

**If you have any questions, please contact Susie Pridemore.**

**All fees are nonrefundable.**

**Rules of Summer School**

***Dress:*** The dress for summer school is casual. Shorts and sandals are acceptable, unless otherwise specified for individual courses, and must meet FCS standards.

***Attendance:*** Because summer school is very concentrated an absence of one day is the equivalent of missing over a week of the regular school year. Therefore, having more than one absence will result in the withholding of credit for a course. In case of an emergency, parents must contact the summer school instructor. If a student has more than five late arrivals, he/she is in jeopardy of not receiving credit for the course. All appointments must be scheduled after school hours.

***Make-up Work:*** Make-up work is the student's responsibility. The student should consult class syllabi, classmates, or the teacher for assignments. If the absence occurs on the day of a scheduled test, quiz or due date of a major assignment, the student must complete the work on the day of return. If the absence occurs the day before the test, the student must take the test as scheduled.

***Closed Campus:*** Once a student has arrived on campus, he/she may not leave campus until dismissed by the teacher.

***Field Trips:*** Students must turn in permission forms, signed by their parents, and have all fees paid before leaving on the field trip.