



Tempe Preparatory Academy  
**SUMMER ACADEMY**  
**2018**

**June 4-22, 2018**  
**8:30 am - 12:30 pm Monday-Friday**

**Return Registration Form and Check**  
**(payable to TPA) to TPA Office**

**\$10 discount per class for payments by March 30**

Payment may also be made online at:  
<http://tempeprep.org/product/summer-school/>

## Math

### **Math Readiness 6**

A skill-based class designed for incoming 6<sup>th</sup> graders to strengthen understanding of mathematical concepts by using numerical analysis to master the operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division using whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percents. Basic algebraic operations may also be covered. Highly recommended to incoming 6<sup>th</sup> grade students and any student that has a C or below in 6<sup>th</sup> grade math.  
(June 4-22. 10:30-12:30 M-F) \$125

### **Math Fundamentals 7**

A skill-based class designed for current 6<sup>th</sup> graders (incoming 7<sup>th</sup> graders) to strengthen understanding of mathematical concepts by using numerical

analysis to master the operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division using whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percents. Basic algebraic operations may also be covered. Highly recommended for students that have a C or below in 6<sup>th</sup> grade math.  
(June 4-22. 10:30-12:30 M-F) \$125

### **Math Is Fun 7/8**

The goal of this course is to make math fun, especially for students that struggle to see themselves as successful and good at math. We will be working for an understanding of fundamental math principles and concepts, not memorization of algorithms. This course will include hands-on math and collaborative problem solving. This interactive mastery-based program facilitates a strong belief and knowledge in the student that they can solve and understand difficult math problems. Designed for students entering grades 7 and 8, the goal of this course is to provide a positive experience with learning math.  
(June 4-22. 10:30-12:30 M-F) \$125

### **Pre-Algebra Review 8**

A course designed to help current 7<sup>th</sup> graders (incoming 8<sup>th</sup> graders) work on operations with integers and other rational numbers and move toward symbolic language. Students will learn to solve algebraic equations and will work with unknowns to solve various other problems. This course is recommended for any 7<sup>th</sup> grade student that has a C or below in 7<sup>th</sup> grade math.  
(June 4-22. 8:30-10:30 M-F) \$125

### **Algebra I**

An algebra review course for students to improve skills in solving equations, graphing, factoring polynomials, and simplifying algebraic expressions. This course is required for any incoming high school student who has not had a formal algebra course. This course is highly recommended for current 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> graders (incoming 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders) who earned a C or below in 8<sup>th</sup> grade Algebra, and is a good preparation for 10<sup>th</sup> grade Algebra II. Class may be taken for Credit.  
(2 Hour Review: June 4-22. 10:30-12:30 M-F) \$125  
(4 Hour Credit Class: June 4-22. 8:30-12:30 M-F) \$250

## Reading and Writing

### **Greek Mythology - Athena to Zeus**

Are you interested in ancient Greek gods and heroes? Join us for a class to read, discuss, and write about the Mythology of ancient Greece. Designed for students entering grades 6-7, we will cover the gods and heroes of ancient Greece, creation stories, the Trojan War, and more.  
(3 weeks: June 4-22. 8:30-10:25 M-F) \$125

### **Comp Camp**

An intensive course designed to help students who require more work on writing essays, focusing on the five-paragraph essay format. Designed for students entering grades 9-12.  
(June 4-22. 1:00-3:00 pm M-F) \$125

### **College & Career Planning**

An intensive course designed to help students entering grades 7-10 to explore college and career options. Meeting in the Computer Lab, the course includes Who Am I, What Do I Want to Do, and How Do I Get There? The class is based on AzCIS, a computer-based program that is designed to provide educational, career, and occupational information to help students in making career and college choices. Each student will complete a Pre-ECAP (Education & Career Action Plan).  
(June 4-22. 8:30-10:30 M-F) \$125

### **Summer Reading**

Wouldn't it be nice to improve your reading speed so you can decrease your homework time? For students in grades 6-10, we will read age appropriate popular fiction every day in class. Strongly recommended for slow readers.  
(June 4-22, 1:00-3:00 pm M-F) \$85

### **Summer Shakespeare**

Summer Shakespeare is a 6-week program in collaboration with Southwest Shakespeare Company to present *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. Open to students ages 13-18. Contact Mr. Sanderson.  
(June 11-July 21. 1:00-5:00 pm M-F) \$325

## Foreign Languages

### Latin I/II

Designed for current 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders to learn or review essential grammar content required for success in Latin II. Highly recommended for 7<sup>th</sup> grade students who received a C or lower in Latin I, incoming 8<sup>th</sup> grade students, and those who wish to strengthen their knowledge of Latin over the summer. Students taking class for Credit will have additional class time TBD.

(June 4-22. 10:30-12:30 M-F) **\$125**

### Beginning Italian

A three-week basic Italian language and culture summer course for students currently in grades 6-10. With partial funding from ASU, this class is designed to be an active and engaging introduction to the language of some of the most famous artists (from Giotto to Michelangelo), writers, and thinkers. Taught by Dr. Minardi, an Italian and French Professor in ASU's School of International Languages and Cultures.

(June 5-23. 10:30-11:30 M-F) **\$80**; includes book

### Beginning Chinese

A three-week intensive enrichment course designed to introduce students to speaking, reading, writing, and singing in Mandarin Chinese. Students will learn to speak in Mandarin about the calendar, numbers, birthdays, colors, clothing, greetings, and family relationships. Students will also explore traditional Chinese arts, including calligraphy and paper folding and cutting, Chinese games like Chinese checkers, and making Chinese foods.

(June 4-22. 8:30-10:30 M-F) **\$150**  
(June 4-22. 10:30-12:30 M-F) **\$150**

## Test Prep

### PSAT/SAT Grammar, Reading & Writing

This class is open to current 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders that will be taking the PSAT/NMSQT in October. Led by a high-scoring TPA alum and college student in consultation with Mrs. Moffitt, students will review grammar and take a practice Reading or Writing section of the PSAT each day, review it, and discuss strategies.

(June 4-22. 10:30-11:30 am M-F). **\$85**

### PSAT/SAT Math Prep

Intended for current 10th graders (incoming 11<sup>th</sup> graders) taking the PSAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test in October, the class is also open to 9<sup>th</sup> graders with one year of Algebra and Geometry. Taught by Mr. Volgo with 30 years of test prep teaching, the seminar will focus on PSAT and SAT math shortcuts that rely primarily on logical reasoning.

(June 4-22. 11:30 am-1:30 pm M-F) **\$250**; includes books

## TPA SUMMER SCHOOL POLICIES

The registration form and payment must be received before June 5 to ensure your spot in a class. Refunds will not be given after June 6. There will be a \$30.00 processing fee for any class registration cancellation. Enrollment priority will be given to current TPA students and students who have been offered and accepted a spot at TPA. Otherwise enrollment will be on a first come first served basis. Classes require a minimum of 10 students. Classes for which not enough students register are subject to being dropped and the full tuition returned. A \$35 textbook deposit fee will also be required for each class that uses a textbook. This fee is refundable at the end of the course when the textbook is returned. Any damage to the book will result in loss of deposit. Any insufficient fund checks will be charged a \$35 Fee.

### Student Conduct and Dress Code

Students in Summer School are governed by the same rules and policies as the students enrolled in

TPA, including the Dress Code and Standards of Behavior, and prohibition of cell phones and electronic devices. These rules are specified in the Family Handbook, which is on the TPA website at [www.tempeprep.org](http://www.tempeprep.org) (under Student Life).

### Attendance and Exams for Credit Courses

- Only two (2) absences are allowed. A tardy arrival or early departure of 15 minutes will be counted as an absence. A student will be withdrawn from the student's class and receive NO credit for the course on a THIRD (3rd) absence.
  - Final exams WILL NOT be administered early nor after a session ends.
  - No INCOMPLETE OR PASS/FAIL grade will be given for a course. Students will receive a letter grade for any course taken for Credit.
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## SUMMER SCHOOL REGISTRATION FORM

(Please print. Use separate forms for each student.)

Student First & Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Grade completing in May \_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Guardian Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

Father/Guardian Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Course(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

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Total [ ] check enclosed or [ ] paid online: \_\_\_\_\_

For questions, contact Mrs. Ashton  
in the Office at 480-839-3402 ext. 0