J-Term Class Descriptions

Students will sign up for one (1) Morning Session class and one (1) Afternoon Session class. Most classes have a maximum capacity of 15 students. Sign-ups will be on a first come basis beginning with the seniors.

MORNING SESSION (9:00–11:30)

Coffee 101

This J-Term intensive will take you on a journey though the world of coffee, from farm to cup to café. You'll learn how coffee is grown, harvested, processed, roasted, brewed, and enjoyed. Along the way, we'll explore different brewing methods, coffee flavors, and the culture surrounding one of the world's most popular beverages. Be forewarned: there will be caffeinated experiences. Yes, we will visit a couple of coffee shops. Yes, you will smell and drink coffee. And yes, by the end of the two weeks, you may become just a little bit of a coffee snob.

Instructor: Mr. & Mrs. Kuhn

Script-Flipping Madness: Theater Intensive

We’re flipping the script on traditional theater with an ultimate high-speed theater challenge - script pages will fly fast & energy never stops! We will prepare and bring 4 entirely different plays to life in 2 weeks! No time to second-guess yourself with character flipping, costume changes and rapid-fire rehearsals. Ditch the lectures- play hard and experience the adrenaline rush of live theater. Bring your loudest laugh, quickest reflexes and wildest energy for this is going to be glorious madness!

Instructor: Mrs. Reynolds

Jane Austen

Do you love whimsy? Do you love tea parties? Do you love the wonderful world of Jane Austen? Then this class is for YOU! Step into the world of Jane Austen—where there are elegant manners, witty conversations, unforgettable characters, beautiful stories, and, of course… tea! Come and experience Jane Austen's stories in a fun, memorable, and delightfully whimsical way!

Instructor: Ms. Echerd

Women of Influence (girls only)

Everywhere you look, someone's trying to be an *influencer.* Follows. Likes. Views. As if your worth comes from an algorithm. But here's the truth: **God created you to be influential not because of numbers, but because you bear His image and your life matters!** From Eve to Sarah, Esther to Mary, even the Samaritan woman at the well, women throughout Scripture shaped lives and history. (And yes, even Jezebel had influence… just not the kind we're aiming for). Their stories remind us that influence is powerful, and it can be used for good or for destruction! This class is your chance to step back from the noise, take a real look at who's influencing you, how you influence others, and how to live as the kind of influencer God designed you to be.

Instructor: Mrs. Sueuga

Sewing Is Where It's At!

If you have ever thought about how to create your own designs, learn how to repair a piece of clothing, or generally learn the basics of sewing, come on and learn with us. We will look at different fabrics, create a piece you will have to keep, and learn about sewing machines. This is the second time the class has been offered, so there will be 2 levels—one for returning sew-ers, and one for beginners. Come join the fun of sewing! [Sewing machines will be provided, but some tools are required for you to bring. A list will be provided later.]

Instructor: Ms. King-Lanier

A Christian Defense Against the Dark Arts

Join us as we dive into the Bible to pierce the veil between our world and the unseen. What are demons? Were/are there giants? What about magic? Is the world we inhabit as simple as it seems? Or is it far stranger? In this course, we will be discussing the reality of the spiritual realm (good and evil).

Instructor: Mr. Forrester

Old Hollywood

We will watch a variety of Old Classic Films through the decades, including the first film recorded in 1888. During our time together, we will analyze the features and filmmaking of the various films

Instructor: Mrs. Gonka

Driver's Ed

Students who pre-registered for Driver's Ed will meet during the morning session on campus. **NOTE**: *Class will be from 8:30–11:30am.*

Instructor: Southeastern Driver Training Center

Health Seminar

Explore the four different types of health and the importance for your lifestyle. We will discuss and evaluate social, mental, emotional, and physical health.

Instructor: Coach Maya

AFTERNOON SESSION (12:30–3:00)

Boater Safety and Boat Maintenance

Learn the essentials of safe boating and proper boat maintenance in this informative, hands-on class designed for boaters of all experience levels. Participants will explore boating safety practices, navigation rules, required safety equipment, emergency preparedness, and responsible boating habits. The class will also cover basic boat maintenance, including routine inspections, engine care, battery maintenance, fuel system checks, and proper cleaning and storage techniques. This class will help you build the skills and confidence needed to keep yourself, your passengers, and your vessel safe while enjoying time on the water.

Instructor: Coach Rennie Clark

Knights, Kings, and Outlaws: Medieval Stories & Legends

Step into the world of knights, kings, quests, and legendary outlaws as we explore exciting medieval stories like King Arthur and Robin Hood while discovering what these tales teach us about courage, honor, leadership, justice, and faith through a biblical worldview. Our adventure will conclude with a trip to Medieval Times in Myrtle Beach, where we'll experience the world of knights and tournaments firsthand!

Instructor: Ms. Forbis

Forensics

Step into the world of forensic science and learn how investigators use science to solve crimes! In this hands-on course, students will explore the techniques and scientific principles used by forensic scientists, crime scene investigators, and detectives to collect, analyze, and interpret evidence. Throughout the course, students will investigate simulated crime scenes, examine physical evidence, and conduct laboratory-based experiments to uncover clues and identify suspects. Students will learn how fingerprints, DNA, blood evidence, fibers, hair, handwriting, chromatography, and other forms of evidence can help investigators reconstruct what happened at a crime scene.

Instructor: Mrs. Conner

Exploring the Cape Fear

We will go on exploratory walks of historic sites, landscapes and impactful places that shape our home. This J-term class will involve daily fieldtrips to scenic, historic, and captivating places here in the Cape Fear. This will involve being outside the majority of the time and going on long walks daily. These walks will be a time for students to get outside, enjoy nature, learn about our region, and have a break from the stresses of daily life. Getting in touch with the land, history, and place we call home is the primary goal of this course.

Instructor: Coach Brian

Roots to Routes

Everyone’s family is from somewhere. In this hands-on J-term course, you will become a historical detective to look up your ancestry, map your family tree, and turn your roots into real-world rewards. You will master modern digital research tools to piece together your background and then use that lineage to unlock incredible, hidden opportunities for your future. Together, we will investigate how your specific heritage can qualify you for niche college scholarships, dual citizenship and second passports in places like Europe or Latin America, and even all-expenses-paid cultural return trips. Ultimately, you will walk away knowing exactly where you come from and see what the world offers you simply for being who you are!

Instructor: Mr. Morganti

Biblical Eschatology: Are We Living In the Last of the "Last Days"?

If you've ever looked around and wondered what in the world was going and why things seem to be growing ever worse as time progresses, then this class may be the place for you. Join us as we dig into what the Bible has to say about "The Last Days" and learn the scriptural answer to the question of why the world seems to be growing "gloriously dim".

Instructor: Ms. Fennell

¡Buen Provecho! A Latin American Culture and Cuisine Experience

Experience the culture and cuisine of Latin America by shopping at a Latin American supermarket, cooking authentic dishes, eating at a local family-run restaurant, learning traditional dances , ¡y más! No Spanish and no kitchen experience required - just bring "ganas"- you'll learn what that means - and an empty stomach!

Instructor: Mrs. Cunningham

Sweet Skills: Intro to Cake and Cookie Decorating

Love to bake or just enjoy making things look good? In this course you will learn the basic skills to turn cakes and cookies into beautiful (and tasty) treats using a variety of decorating techniques. Whether you’re a beginner or already enjoy baking, you’ll build your skills while creating fun desserts. Plus, have a chance to tour CFCC’s Culinary Arts Department.

Instructor: Mrs. Andrews

Historians' Craft: Public History

This course is designed to engage students in local history while learning how to craft history themselves. Public history is a field of history focused on public engagement, this includes museums, historical sites, info-graphic displays and much more. Public historians have an incredibly vital role in public memory. Students will be introduced to the processes and methods used by public historians in order to communicate history to the general public.

Instructor: Mr. Turbeville

Health Seminar

Explore the four different types of health and the importance for your lifestyle. We will discuss and evaluate social, mental, emotional, and physical health.

Instructor: Coach Trey