

**COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 128
LIBERTYVILLE-VERNON HILLS HIGH SCHOOLS**

**2010 SUMMER SCHOOL BULLETIN AND
CURRICULUM GUIDE**

LOCATION: Classes will be held at **Vernon Hills High School** for the 2010 summer term.

TERM: Academics: **Tuesday, June 8 through Thursday, July 29**
(No school July 5)
Driver Education: **Monday, June 7 through Thursday, July 22**
(No school July 5)
CLASSES WILL MEET MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY. THE BUILDING
WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS.

CLASS HOURS: **7:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.**

First semester and Session 1 classes will meet from Tuesday, June 8 through Thursday, July 1 and earn 1/2 credit. Second semester and Session 2 will meet from Tuesday, July 6 through Thursday, July 29 and earn 1/2 credit.

TUITION: Academics: \$165.00 per semester course/\$330.00 per year course (District 128)
\$240.00 per semester course/\$480.00 per year course (Out of District)
Driver Education: \$195.00 (District 128)/ \$270.00 (Out of District)

**TEXTBOOK FEES/
REGISTRATION:** Textbook/Registration fee: \$25

REGISTRATION: District 128 students will **request** to enroll in a summer school course with their guidance counselor. Students will then be mailed a bill for the course along with a Summer School Registration Form. **Students will be officially registered in the course only after the following have been received at the summer school office:** 1) a completed registration form and 2) a check made out to Community High School District 128 for the amount on the bill. VISA and MasterCard are also accepted. **Non-District students** may sign up for academic classes in Room 1103 at LHS or Room 1540 at VHHS. Courses will be filled on a first-come basis. **No student is allowed to register without paying fees in full.**

Registration for Driver Education will be held Saturday, April 24 between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. at Libertyville High School in Room 151.

ATTENDANCE: Each day teachers will cover over a week of material that would be taught during the regular school year. Therefore daily attendance is required. Any student who misses more than 2 days per semester course (1 day for Driver's Education), will NOT receive credit for that semester course. **PLEASE DO NOT ASK FOR SPECIAL CONSIDERATION.**

REFUND POLICY: **Refunds will not be issued after April 24.** The District 128 Summer School Program is financially self-supportive and therefore decisions regarding enrollment and course sections must be made in fairness to all students and teachers. **NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE WHEN STUDENTS ARE DROPPED FROM A CLASS FOR POOR ATTENDANCE, FOR DISCIPLINARY REASONS, OR DISCONTINUED ATTENDANCE OF THEIR OWN.**

TRANSFER of CREDITS: Students from schools outside of District 128 should check with their own school prior to enrolling in summer school. Please be sure you have completed the Student Information Form so that we can transfer credits to your home school.

REPORT CARDS: Report cards for each semester will be issued after the end of the second semester.

2010 SUMMER SCHOOL RULES AND REGULATIONS

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EXAM DAYS:

ALL STUDENTS MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE ON THE LAST DAY OF EACH SEMESTER TO TAKE THE FINAL EXAM. (STUDENTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO TAKE THE EXAM EARLY.) STUDENTS SHOULD BE AWARE THAT THE "CUTTING" OF A CLASS ON EXAM DAYS MAY RESULT IN THE FAILING OF THAT CLASS FOR THE SEMESTER.

TARDINESS TO CLASS:

All students are to be in their classrooms when the period begins at 7:45 a.m. A student who is tardy to class 5 times will be dropped from class. After 15 minutes late to class a student is considered absent.

STUDY:

Summer school courses cover a great deal of material in a short time; consequently, students must study both during the school day and outside of school time. Books are to be taken home each day. No corridor lockers are to be used.

GRADES:

Students who are taking courses for credit will receive the same type of grades as given during the regular school year.

LEAVING THE BUILDING:

Students are not to leave the school building unless they are leaving the school grounds for the day. Students must notify the summer school office before leaving the building.

DRIVING:

Any student who drives to school must observe all driving regulations and all safety regulations. Permission to drive a car to school may be revoked at any time in the interest of safety and attendance.

PARKING BICYCLES:

All bicycles must be left in the bike racks in front of the building. Be sure to lock your bike. No skateboards are to be on school grounds. Roller blades may not be worn in the school building.

GUIDANCE:

During the summer, guidance will be available for any student who needs assistance with classes.

SMOKING:

Any student who smokes, possesses, or uses tobacco in the building or any place on the school grounds **will be issued a citation by the Vernon Hills Police Department, and may be dismissed from Summer School.**

SPECIAL SERVICES: Students requiring accommodations due to an IEP or 504 Plan should contact their case manager prior to enrolling in summer school.

CITIZENSHIP AND DRESS:

Students are in summer school voluntarily. They are expected to maintain a wholesome attitude toward learning. Students who do not maintain good school citizenship may be dismissed from school without refund and without credit. Students in summer school will be expected to conduct themselves and to dress in the same manner as acceptable during the regular school year.

2010 TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

The courses listed below will be offered June 8 through July 29, IF A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLL. The time schedule will be as follows if at all possible, however, the Administration reserves the right to change the time schedule in order to ACCOMMODATE THE GREATEST NUMBER OF STUDENTS. Additional courses will be offered if a sufficient number of students register.

PLEASE NOTE: CLASSES WILL MEET MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY. THE BUILDING WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS.

BUSINESS EDUCATION

KEYBOARDING

(June 8 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 10:20 am

Course #: SS14

Prerequisite: None

All (semester) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: incoming 9, 10-11-12

Other:

Efficient use of the computer is a necessity in today's high-tech, competitive world. **Keyboarding** is a skill course that combines touch-typing and basic word processing. Beginners learn and develop their touch typing skill while those students with some previous experience increase their skills to a higher level. Students will use a combination of tutorial software and Microsoft Word on computers in a Windows environment. Word Processing skills are used to create letters, tables, and other documents important for school, career or personal use. LHS/VHHS and college report formatting procedures are also covered. Internet activities are an integral part of the course.

DRIVER EDUCATION

STUDENTS MUST HAVE PASSED 8 ACADEMIC SEMESTER CLASSES FROM JUNE, 2009 TO JUNE, 2010 IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO TAKE DRIVER EDUCATION IN SUMMER SCHOOL.

IN ORDER TO SECURE AN ILLINOIS DRIVING PERMIT, A STUDENT MUST BE ENROLLED AND PRESENT IN DRIVER EDUCATION. ANY STUDENT THAT TAKES A PERMIT APPLICATION FOR SUMMER SCHOOL MUST USE THAT APPLICATION TO GET A PERMIT OR RETURN THE APPLICATION TO THE DRIVER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT. IF THE STUDENT DROPS FROM DRIVER EDUCATION, THE PERMIT WILL BE CANCELLED THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

IN ORDER TO ENROLL IN THE PROGRAM, STUDENTS MUST BE AT THE SOPHOMORE, JUNIOR OR SENIOR LEVEL AND HAVE BEEN BORN BEFORE 6-1-95. THE STUDENT MUST OBTAIN THEIR DRIVER'S PERMIT BY 6-3-10.

DISTRICT 128 STUDENTS WHO DO NOT ATTEND LIBERTYVILLE OR VERNON HILLS HIGH SCHOOLS AND ARE INTERESTED IN TAKING DRIVER EDUCATION MUST PRE-REGISTER. PRE-REGISTRATION TAKES PLACE BETWEEN FEBRUARY 9 AND MARCH 13. STUDENTS WHO ATTEND DISTRICT 128 SCHOOLS MUST REGISTER WITH THEIR COUNSELOR BY MARCH 13.

ATTENDANCE: DAILY ATTENDANCE IS REQUIRED. STATE REGULATIONS REQUIRE 30 HOURS OF CLASSROOM AND 6 HOURS OF BEHIND -THE -WHEEL IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A DRIVERS LICENSE. TO MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS OVER THE SUMMER, STUDENTS MAY ONLY MISS ONE CLASSROOM AND ONE BEHIND- THE- WHEEL SESSION. PLEASE DO NOT ASK FOR SPECIAL CONSIDERATION

DRIVER EDUCATION (Classroom and Behind-the-Wheel)

Course #: SS21 (Classroom), Prerequisite: See above

SS22 (Behind-the-Wheel)

Semester / no credit

Fees: In District/\$195.00; Out of District/\$270.00

Grades: 10-11-12 (see above)

Other:

ENGLISH 4 SEMESTER 1

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS35

Prerequisite: Placement

Session 1 (semester 1) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: repeating 12

Other:

ENGLISH 4 SEMESTER 2

(July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS36

Prerequisite: Placement

Session 2 (semester 2) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: repeating 12

Other:

Successful completion of one semester of **English 4** makes up the deficiency from failing one semester of a senior English class. It offers an integrated, inquiry-based approach to reading, writing, speaking, and research, with critical thinking underpinning all of these strands. Students enjoy analytical and persuasive writing experiences in a variety of modes. They also practice literary interpretation through a variety of critical lenses.

FILM STUDIES

(July 6 – July 29) – 7:45am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS38

Prerequisite: None

Session 2 (semester) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: incoming 9, 10-11-12

Other: Credit earned is elective and does not apply to the English requirement for graduation.

Film Studies focuses upon the analysis and appreciation of films. Students learn motion picture production, storytelling techniques, filmmakers' responsibilities, the history of film, and the importance of film in our society. Students study classic films and important filmmakers.

FRESHMAN ENGLISH SEMESTER 1

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS39

Prerequisite: Placement

Session 1 (semester 1) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: repeating 9, 10-11-12

Other:

FRESHMAN ENGLISH SEMESTER 2

(July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS40

Prerequisite: Placement

Session 2 (semester 2) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: repeating 9, 10-11-12

Other:

Successful completion of one semester of **Freshman English** makes up the deficiency from failing one semester of freshman English. It offers an integrated, inquiry-based approach to reading, writing, speaking, and research, with critical thinking underpinning all of these strands. Students enjoy analytical and persuasive writing experiences in a variety of modes. They also practice literary interpretation through a variety of critical lenses.

INTRODUCTION TO HIGH SCHOOL ENGLISH

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS44

Prerequisite: None

Session 1 (semester) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: incoming 9

Other: Credit earned is elective and does not apply to the English requirement for graduation.

Introduction to High School English provides incoming freshmen with direct instruction and practice in three areas of literacy: (1) grammar, usage, and mechanics, (2) reading strategies, and (3) basic compositional techniques. This course provides a "head start" in literacy skills that benefits incoming students in all subject areas.

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

CONSUMER MANAGEMENT

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45am – 12:45 pm; (July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS12

Prerequisite: None

Sessions 1 and 2 (semester) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$185.00; Out of District/\$260.00 (includes supplies)

Grades: 12

Consumer Management students learn principles of the economy, banking, budgeting, credit, insurance, car buying, investing, and money management. Computer and Internet activities are used to support learning throughout the course. Food preparation and healthy living principles are also incorporated. Students will be able to manage personal resources valuable for success in financial decision making. Each student will have the experience of investing in the stock market and following the stocks for a period of time through a simulated project. Using the Internet as a source of information is stressed and explored through various projects. Passing this course meets the Consumer Education requirement for graduation.

INCOMING FRESHMEN SUMMER ACADEMY

The **D128 Incoming Freshman Academy** is a program designed to prepare students for academic success in high school by providing them with supplemental instruction designed to strengthen their skills in Reading, English, and Mathematics. Students who are identified for participation in the academy are expected to attend the six-week summer program. District 128 uses EXPLORE scores to identify incoming freshmen who would have difficulty meeting the standards of the high school curriculum because they perform below grade level. *Based on the test information and a conversation with the middle school staff, we will enroll students in the D128 Incoming Freshman Academy Program.*

ENGLISH

Course #: SS46

Prerequisite: BY PLACEMENT ONLY

See description / 0.5 credit

Fees:

Grades: Incoming Freshmen

Other:

The Reading / English component of the Incoming Freshman Academy helps students to develop improved skills and confidence in five targeted areas: (1) reading comprehension across content areas, (2) reading for enjoyment, (3) vocabulary development, (4) grammar, usage, and mechanics, and (5) basic methods of composition. This course will provide students with solid preparation in each of the five targeted areas, leading to greater student success in English and in all high school courses that require reading, writing, and critical thinking skills.

MATHEMATICS

Course #: SS48

Prerequisite: BY PLACEMENT ONLY

See description / 0.5 credit

Fees:

Grades: Incoming Freshmen

Other:

The mathematics component of the Incoming Freshman Academy helps students develop their skills in five targeted areas: (1) whole numbers, (2) integers, (3) fractions/ decimals/ percentages, (4) expressions, and (5) equations. This course will help students develop basic mathematical skills and enhance their ability to solve practical application problems.

INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES

FRENCH EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Course #: SS50

Prerequisite: Placement and pre-registration

See description / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00

Grades: 10-11

Other: This program is offered every other year. It will be offered in June, 2011.

French students who have been placed and pre-registered in September will participate in the **French Exchange Program**. Student responsibilities include hosting a French student for two weeks, living with the French student and his/her family for two weeks, traveling and experiencing Paris and its cultural attractions, and submitting written work as required by the teacher to fulfill the requirements of this course. Summer School registration costs are included as part of the cost of the program. The District 128 Code of Conduct as outlined in the Student Handbook

is in effect for the duration of this program both on campus and abroad. The grade for the French Exchange will be included in the student's GPA unless the student submits the AGO form prior to the June departure.

LANGUAGE CULTURE STUDY ABROAD

Course #: SS52 **Prerequisite:** Placement
See description / 0.5 credit **Fees:** In District/\$100.00
Grades: 10-11 **Other:**

Language/Culture Study Abroad is an opportunity for a student who participates in a recognized study abroad program to be awarded credit. The study of a foreign language and increased proficiency in that language must be demonstrated upon return in the form of transcripts, a written evaluation by the program instructor, and/or an interview with the International Languages Supervisor. **0.5 credit** will be awarded following participation in a program that afforded the student three weeks or more of experience and language study abroad once department expectations have been met. A maximum of one Language/Culture Study Abroad credit may be received throughout a student's four years in high school. Grades received will not be included in the student's GPA. Interested students should contact the Supervisor of International Languages for program approval prior to enrollment.

SPANISH BRIDGE PROGRAM

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS54 **Prerequisite:** Spanish during 7th or 8th grade or Spanish I
Session 1 (semester) / 0.5 credit **Fees:** In District/\$190.00; Out of District/\$265.00 (includes workbook)
Grades: incoming 9, 10-11-12 **Other:** A grade of "C" or better and teacher recommendation are required for placement into high school Spanish 2.

The summer school **Spanish Bridge Program** is for incoming freshmen students or any student needing a review of Spanish I skills. This course will review the skills necessary to be successful in high school Spanish 2. Emphasis will be placed on language for communication. Students will develop their understanding of grammatical concepts as well. *Registration for this course ends June 5.*

MATHEMATICS

ALGEBRA I SEMESTER 1

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS61 **Prerequisite:** Must have taken first semester of Algebra I or either semester of Algebra AB.
Session 1 (semester 1) / 0.5 credit **Fees:** In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00
Grades: incoming 9, 10-11-12 **Other:** A TI-83/84+ graphing calculator is required.

ALGEBRA I SEMESTER 2

(July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS62 **Prerequisite:** Successful completion of Algebra 1 (semester 1) and semester 2 attempted in Algebra I or successful completion of Algebra AB (full year) and attempted Algebra CD (full year or either semester).
Session 2 (semester 2) / 0.5 credit **Fees:** In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00
Grades: incoming 9, 10-11-12 **Other:** A TI-83/84+ graphing calculator is required.

Algebra 1 is a remedial course for students needing a credit in Math. Topics covered in this course include properties of real numbers, linear equations and inequalities and their graphs, operations with polynomials and radicals, properties of exponents, factoring, general problem solving, critical thinking, and elementary probability and statistics concepts.

COMPUTER SCIENCE HONORS

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS64 **Prerequisite:** Geometry and completion of one year in high school
Session 1 (semester) / 0.5 credit **Fees:** In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00
Grades: 10-11-12 **Other:**

Computer Science Honors (Visual Basic) is intended for students interested in computer programming. The student will use Visual Basic to develop programs by writing structured code and designing the graphical user interface. Topics include programming methodology, iteration, selection, function design, arrays, and graphics. The student will receive a firm foundation of computer programming needed to take the Advanced Placement Computer Science course.

GEOMETRY SEMESTER 1

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS65

Prerequisite: Algebra 1 and teacher recommendation or Algebra I and the student must have attempted first semester of Geometry.

Session 1 (semester 1) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: 10-11-12

Other: A TI-83/84+ graphing calculator is required.

GEOMETRY SEMESTER 2

(July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS66

Prerequisite: Successful completion of Geometry (semester 1) and teacher recommendation or successful completion of Geometry (semester 1) and the student must have attempted second semester of Geometry.

Session 2 (semester 2) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: 10-11-12

Other: A TI-83/84+ graphing calculator is required.

In summer school **Geometry**, students will learn to recognize and understand the various geometric shapes and solids and know their properties. They will develop deductive reasoning ability and use it on proofs of geometric ideas. First semester topics include measurement, points, lines, planes, angles, triangles, parallel lines and proof. Second semester topics include polygons, similarity, right triangles, circles, area, surface area and volume.

TRIGONOMETRY

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm; (July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS70

Prerequisite: Algebra II

Sessions 1 and 2 (semester) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: 10-11-12

Other: A TI-83/84+ graphing calculator is required.

Trigonometry covers applied trigonometry, including right triangle trigonometry, law of sines and cosines, graphing of trigonometric functions, and sinusoidal modeling. The course also covers identities, complex numbers, solutions of equations, inverses, complex numbers, introduction to polar topics, and topics required for the study of Calculus. Many universities require a background in this area. This course requires the use of a graphing calculator.

SCIENCE

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS81

Prerequisite: None

Session 1 (semester) / 0.5 elective credit

Fees: In District/\$220.00; Out of District/\$295.00 (includes supplies)

Grades: incoming 9, 10-11

Other: Credit earned is elective and does not apply to the Science requirements for graduation.

The essential component of **Environmental Science** is the field experience that will generate data to be used as students apply the scientific methods. Students will take field trips to various environmental sites to collect, analyze, and interpret data. Students will use this data to propose conclusions and solutions to a variety of real life problems. Each site will offer many earth and life science discoveries. Alternate days will be spent in the classroom on work that is directly related to the field experience and aligned with state standards. Topics will include invasive species, wetland preservation, water and soil studies, erosion, glaciations, alternative energy analysis, genetics, and global environmental concerns.

SOCIAL STUDIES

GOVERNMENT

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm; (July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS82

Prerequisite: None

Sessions 1 and 2 (semester) / 0.5 credit

Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: 12

Government includes the fundamentals of the United States Constitution, state and local government, the evolutionary development of the political process, and the rights and responsibilities of United States citizenship. Research work is required.

RESEARCH AND WRITING SKILLS FOR SOCIAL STUDIES

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 10:20 am

Course #: SS84

Prerequisite: None

3 weeks /no credit - Fees: In District/\$90.00; Out of District/\$120.00 enrichment

Grades: incoming 9, 10-11-12 Other:

The purpose of **Research and Writing Skills for Social Studies** is to better prepare students for research work and exam writing in social studies classes in District 128. Students will be introduced to the methods of proper library and Internet resource research and the use of primary resources in historical writing. They will learn documentation styles used in academic writing, peer editing techniques, and revision/rewriting skills. Book review and annotated bibliography preparation, essay and exam writing structure, and “Advanced Placement” style essay question writing will also be reviewed. Students will be given the opportunity to use these skills and techniques by completing a research assignment.

UNITED STATES HISTORY SEMESTER 1

(June 8 – July 1) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS85

Prerequisite: None

Session 1 (semester 1) / 0.5 credit Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: 11-12 Other:

UNITED STATES HISTORY SEMESTER 2

(July 6 – July 29) – 7:45 am – 12:45 pm

Course #: SS86

Prerequisite: None

Session 2 (semester 2) / 0.5 credit Fees: In District/\$165.00; Out of District/\$240.00

Grades: 11-12 Other:

United States History is a broad survey of the major social, economic, political, and cultural events, concepts, and themes that have been the forces in the development of the United States. First semester covers materials beginning with the Revolutionary Era and ending with Industrialization. Second semester covers materials beginning with the Progressive Era and extending to the present. Research work and writing are required each semester.