

STAPLES summer academy



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Academics: High School Credit Courses

Each 1-credit class offers the same material as a full-year class, condensed into a 6-week program. Students also get the benefit of smaller class sizes and gain additional skills and experience for help with a college or career choice in the future. Summer courses allow students to satisfy credit requirements in order to free up their schedule during the school year for other courses.

The application for registration is accepted via mail, email, or in person at Room 1040 in Staples High School (please call Joanne Samela to make an appointment at 203-341-1209 or jsamela@westportps.org).

Deadline to register: Friday, June 11, 2021

NO CLASS on Monday, July 5

1 Credit Classes:

June 28–August 6 | \$1,350

#100: Chemistry A | 8:00 am–12:15 pm

#101: Physics A | 8:00 am–12:15 pm

#102: Geometry A | 8:00 am–12:15 pm

½ credit: June 28–July 16 | \$700

#103: American Government | 8:00 am–12:15 pm

¼ credit | \$355

Physical Education [entering 10–12] Online

This distance learning course offers students an opportunity to gain a deeper understanding for their physical and social emotional wellness. Students will engage remotely in meaningful self improvement related to their physical fitness, self awareness and self management. Students will participate in digital class discussions (**via Zoom**), as well as engaging in activities independently during the three week course. The flexible and individual centered approach offered in this course will provide a positive and meaningful experience for learners. *Please be mindful that both summer 2020 sessions ran at full capacity so register early to avoid being waitlisted.*

#105a: June 28 - July 16 | 8:00-10:15am

Week 1: June 28 - July 2 | Mon–Fri

Week 2: July 6 - July 9 | Tues–Fri

Week 3: July 12 - 16 | Mon–Fri

#105b: July 19 - Aug 5 | 8:00-10:15am

Week 1: July 19 - July 23 | Mon–Fri

Week 2: July 26 - July 30 | Mon–Fri

Week 3: Aug 2 - Aug 5 | Mon–Thurs

Class Format:

Since the pandemic is a fluid situation the class format will be determined at a later date. The format options may include;

- 1) Online via Distance Learning or
Live via Classroom
- 2) Online / In-Person Hybrid
- 3) In-Person at Staples High School

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High School Academic Courses | Information

Parents & Students should be aware of the following:

- Staples students seeking to enroll in a for-credit summer course **must obtain prior written approval from: 1) the curriculum coordinator and 2) their school counselor.**
- Students outside of Westport Public Schools should obtain the equivalent of the above.
- The hours of class time required for credit will be equivalent to the hours of instruction during the school year.
- Given the pace of the classes, **perfect attendance and punctuality are expected.** If a student misses more than two days of class for any reason, credit will not be granted for the course.
- Courses follow the prescribed Staples High School curriculum and Staples High School assessments.
- Enrollment in follow-up courses at Staples during the school year is contingent upon; successful completion of the summer school course, teacher recommendation, AND seat availability in the desired course, which is not guaranteed.
- For Westport Continuing Education High School Academics summer courses taken during the high school years (starting with the summer between grades 8 and 9), credit will appear on the student's Staples transcript for the upcoming school year, and the grade will be factored into the student's grade point average.
- For Westport Continuing Education High School Academics courses taken during the summer between grades 7 and 8 or earlier, the course and grade will appear on the student's Staples transcript for the upcoming school year, but no high school credit will be awarded and the grade will not be factored into the student's grade point average.
- If a student misses more than 2 days of class for any reason, credit will not be granted for the course. Students who have lost credit will have the opportunity to appeal to have their credit reinstated. To appeal, please complete the Principal's Hearing Request Form from the Main Office. The deadline for appeals is August 13.
- **The deadline to drop a for-credit** Westport Continuing Education High School Academics summer course without record and to have the course removed from the student's Staples transcript is the end of the fifth day of the class. If the student withdraws from the course after this date, the student will receive a W (Withdrawn) on their Staples transcript and no credit will be given.
- **The deadline to request pass/fail grading** in a for-credit Westport Continuing Education High School Academics summer course is the end of the fifth day of the class.
- **No refunds will be given for withdrawals from for-credit courses.**

Determination as to whether any for-credit summer school course will run will be made by Westport Continuing Education based on enrollment. **There is no guarantee that any individual course will run.** Students and parents will be notified as soon as a decision is made. In the event that a course must be cancelled due to lack of enrollment, a full refund will be offered. It is therefore recommended that students, after consultation with their school counselor and parent/guardians, enroll in a timely manner.



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High School Academic Courses | Application Form

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Parent Information

Today's Date: _____

Full Name: _____ Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

____ I give the Staples High School Guidance Department permission to share IEP/504 information with the teacher.

Student Information

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____ Grade entering in Fall 2021: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Relationship to Child: _____

Please indicate Allergies: _____ Medical Conditions: _____

Medication: _____

Name of Child's Doctor: _____ Doctor's Phone #: _____

Class Information

Course No.	Title	Start Date	End Date	# of Sessions	Times	Fee
					Total	

PLEASE NOTE: There are no refunds or credits for withdrawal from high school credit courses



Parent/guardian must initial to acknowledge refund policy.

Signatures

Students must obtain signatures certifying approval to register for the High School Academic class (s) listed above.

Curriculum Coordinator / Department Head Information:

Name, printed

Signature

Date

Guidance Counselor Information:

Name, printed

Signature

Date

Payment

All application information must be completed before the payment and registration is processed.

___ **Check:** Make check payable to Westport Continuing Education.

Check # _____

1) Mail with Registration Form to:

2) Or students may drop off at Room 1040 at Staples.

Please call first to make an appointment: 203-341-1209

___ **Credit Card:** Please do not send credit card information via email. You will be contacted by phone to submit your card info.

Email Registration Form to:

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For office use **Summer 2021 / Name:** _____