



**LAKE ZURICH HIGH SCHOOL
SUMMER SCHOOL
2009**

**(course offerings for current high
school students)**

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PROGRAM INFORMATION

District 95 will be offering multiple sessions of semester credit to grades 9-12. All summer school classes will take place at Lake Zurich High School. The Lake Zurich High School Summer School Program is self-supporting. Therefore, we reserve the right to cancel any class that does not meet minimum enrollment guidelines.

The dates for courses to advance in credit are:

Session I: Monday, June 15 – Thursday, July 2, 2009

Session II: Monday, July 6 – Thursday, July 23, 2009

Summer school classes will be held **Monday-Thursday from 7:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.** The only exception is Driver's Education Classroom (**7:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**).

The dates for courses to make up credit are:

Session III: Monday, June 22 – Thursday, July 9, 2009

Session IV: Monday, July 13 – Thursday, July 30, 2009

Summer school classes will be held **Monday-Thursday from 7:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.**

ELIGIBILITY

The program is open to all district high school students and incoming freshman. Out-of-district students should check with their respective schools to see if credits are transferable. Eligibility for the Driver's Education Class and Behind-The-Wheel instruction is set by Illinois State law, which is defined in the Driver's Education section of this brochure.

TUITION

Payment for courses to advance in credits (not to make up credit) is due by May 1, 2009. The registration deadline for courses that a student is taking to *make up credit* is Tuesday, June 16, 2009.

The tuition fees for summer school are as follows:

- \$180 per semester course for in-district students
- \$255 per semester course for out-of-district students
- \$75 per enrichment course
- \$50 for Driver's Education Classroom
- \$300 for Behind the Wheel

Please make all checks payable to Lake Zurich High School. Some courses may require a lab fee or a different fee and time schedule. Due to the summer school program being self-supporting, scholarships and payment plans are not available.

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation is not provided for the high school summer school.

EVALUATION

Students who are taking courses for credit will receive the same type of grades as given during the regular school year. Grades received for semester courses will be counted toward graduation. Final exams will be given in all classes at the end of each session.

ATTENDANCE

Students should not elect to participate in the summer school program if family vacations, summer camps or other activities have been scheduled. One day in summer school equals five days in the regular school year. Because curriculum is condensed and coursework is concentrated, summer school requires prompt student attendance.

1. A student will be dropped from summer school if he or she accumulates two days of absence, excused or unexcused, in any class.
2. A tardy of one half hour or less is recorded as one-half day absence; more than one half hour equals a full day.
3. Attendance on the last day of summer school is mandatory. A student who is absent on the last day of summer school may not take the final examination, will not receive credit, and will forfeit all fees for the semester.
4. Students dropped from summer school do not receive refunds.
5. To report an absence or ask a question, please call the summer school office at 847-540-4102.

REFUNDS AND COURSE CANCELLATIONS

There will be no refunds once classes begin, unless a course is canceled. Prior to that date, a request for a refund should be submitted to the Summer School Office, Lake Zurich High School, 300 Church Street, Lake Zurich, Illinois 60047. The Lake Zurich High School Summer School Program is self-supporting. Therefore, we reserve the right to cancel any class that does not meet minimum enrollment guidelines.

Courses may be canceled if there is insufficient enrollment.

REGISTRATION

If you are taking a course to advance in credit, you will register for summer school during the upcoming year's course selection process. You must complete the summer school registration form when you register for the upcoming year's courses. However, payment is not due until May 1, 2009.

For students taking courses to make up credit, please complete the registration form found in the back of this brochure. The completed form and tuition payment should be mailed to:

**Summer School Office
Lake Zurich High School
300 Church Street
Lake Zurich, Illinois 60047**

No phone registrations will be accepted. Additional registration forms are available in the high school main office or on-line. All classes are on a first-come, first-serve basis, which is determined by the date the registration form and payment are received by the Summer School Office. **The registration deadline for courses that a student is taking to make up credit is June 16, 2009.**

COURSES TO ADVANCE IN CREDIT

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APPLIED ARTS

**Consumer Education - College Prep – Graduation Requirement
Semester Course – Session I or Session II**

**Students must have completed their sophomore year in high school to enroll.*

The objective of this course is to give the student a sound understanding of the marketplace and how to function in it as a wise and thoughtful consumer. Students will learn the free enterprise system, advertising, management of the buying process in the marketplace, dealing with sales people, money management, consumer rights, insurance, credit, banks and managing your own checking account. This semester course is a graduation requirement.

ENGLISH

Creative Writing – College Prep - Semester Course – Session I or Session II

**Students must have completed their freshman year to enroll.*

Creative Writing is a semester course for the imaginative and creative writer. Required student writings will take the form of poems, short stories, non-fiction, and plays. Classroom discussions will focus on the evaluation of published writings of professional authors, an examination of the use of literacy devices in writing, and workshops that examine and critique the writing of classroom participants.

Journalism 1 – College Prep - Semester Course – Session I

Journalism 1 is a course in written and oral communication designed to build strong writing, editing, and speaking skills for students of all age and ability levels. Students survey all aspects of print journalism, from legal and ethical issues to myriad writing forms to photography and design. Students also discuss current events and media's role in society.

Journalism 2 – College Prep - Semester Course – Session I

Journalism 2 builds on the skills learned from Journalism 1 and is a course in written and oral communication designed to build strong writing, editing, and speaking skills for students of all age and ability levels. Students survey all aspects of print journalism, from legal and ethical issues to myriad writing forms to photography and design. Students also discuss current events and media's role in society. Journalism 2 students may function as an auxiliary part of the school newspaper staff. Students are eligible to be considered for editorial positions on the school newspaper staff after successful completion of Journalism I & II.

FINE ARTS

Art Foundations – College Prep – 1st Semester – Session I

There may be additional costs for supplies. The student is responsible for the supplies.

Art Foundations provides studio experience in diverse media, styles, and techniques. Art history is integrated within the course of study to provide an artistic understanding of the media studied. Art Foundations emphasizes the study of both 2-D and 3-D work.

Digital Photography I – College Prep – Semester Course – Session I or Session II

Prerequisite – Art Foundations

There may be additional costs for supplies. The student is responsible for the supplies.

Digital photography will explore concepts, techniques, and possibilities within digital photography. Students will explore the digital process, the camera, aesthetic principles, composition, and the history of photography. The course will also cover the use of Photoshop software for image corrections, inkjet printing, and achieving special effects in the computer. Students will be required to acquire digital image files in one of two ways: using a digital camera with a USB connection or taking photographs using a traditional film camera and developing film at a commercial lab.

MATHEMATICS

Transition to Geometry Honors – Session I only (*this is a non-credit course*)

This course is designed for the above-average math student that is recommended for Geometry Honors and would like enrichment to prepare for the course. The course will focus on an extensive review of Algebra I. Topics studied will include linear and quadratic functions, polynomial functions, and operations with rational expressions. This course prepares the student for Geometry.

Prerequisite: Algebra I and placement in Geometry Honors.

Transition to Algebra II Honors – Session I only (*this is a non-credit course*)

This course is designed for the above-average student that has completed Geometry, is recommended for Algebra II Honors, and would like enrichment to prepare for the course. The course integrates the basic principles of Geometry and Algebra. This course is designed to prepare the student for Algebra II.

Prerequisite: Geometry and placement in Algebra II Honors.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Behind the Wheel – Dates for driving are scheduled with the instructor.

Behind the Wheel has a fee of \$300.00.

This phase of driver's education is only available to those students who have completed a Driver's Education class and are students in the Lake Zurich School District. A State of Illinois learner's permit is required. Students must be at least 15 ½ years of age to enroll in the course. All students will spend a minimum of six-clock hours behind the wheel and three clock hours in observation (in compliance with state regulation). Students will be instructed in vehicle safety and in their ability to identify, predict, decide and properly react to various driving situations. **The dates and times for Behind the Wheel will vary and shall be scheduled with an individual Behind the Wheel instructor after the registration fee has been paid in the summer school office.** Students will be given priority for Behind the Wheel based on their birthdays and year in school.

Driver's Education Class – College Prep – Semester Course - Session I or Session II

This class will meet from 7:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

The Driver's Education Class fee is \$50.00.

This class is only available to those students who will be sophomores or older. Students must be 15 by the first day of summer school class. Driver Education consists of thirty classroom hours of safe driving theory. Students will receive a State of Illinois learner's permit after successful completion of the class. After the classroom phase students will be eligible for Behind the Wheel during the upcoming Fall semester. Priority for Behind the Wheel will be determined by birthdays.

Illinois School Code, 105 ILCS 5/27-23, states:

- 1. All students are required to attend 30 clock hours of Driver's Education classroom. If a student, for any reason, fails to meet this attendance requirement they will be dropped from the class.***
- 2. All students must have received a passing grade in eight courses during the two semesters prior to enrolling in driver education.***

Health – College Prep – Graduation Requirement – Semester Course – Session I or Session II

**Students must have completed their freshman year in high school to enroll.*

This course will give students practical knowledge that will help keep them physically fit and mentally healthy throughout their lives. The course content is designed to meet the needs of today's students as they strive to live higher quality lives.

SCIENCE

Astronomy – College Prep – Semester Course – Session I only

Some night observations will be held, weather permitting.

Astronomy is an introductory course that covers the constellations, planets, stellar evolution, galaxies, our sun, the moon, life in the universe, UFO's, and cosmology. This course is recommended for those students who desire to learn some fundamental concepts of physics in a course that does not require the advanced math skill of the physics course.

**Students must have completed their freshman year in high school to enroll.*

Biology I – Honors – 1st Semester – Session I; 2nd Semester – Session II

Biology I is the study of living things and the life processes that are common to both plants and animals. The course covers topics from one-celled organisms through the most complex organisms focusing on their structures and related functions. Their classification, economic importance, and adaptations are studied. Laboratory units are taught from living materials or preserved specimens. Supplementary aids such as models, charts, and books are used to increase understanding of the subject material. This course integrates the basic principles of Biology I.

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SOCIAL STUDIES

Government – College Prep – Graduation Requirement – Semester Course – Session I or Session II

**Students must have completed their junior year in high school to enroll.*

U.S. Government is a one semester required course that examines the principles of our representative democracy by studying and being tested on the Declaration of Independence, the U.S. Constitution, the history and geography of Illinois, the Illinois Constitution, the flag of the U.S. and patriotism. This course also attempts to effectively prepare students for civic participation, voting intelligently and paying one's fair share of taxes.

COURSES TO MAKE UP CREDIT

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ENGLISH

English I – Academic or College Prep – 1st Semester -- Session III; 2nd Semester -- Session IV

English I is an introduction to and foundation for the study of literature, grammar, composition, vocabulary, and communication to be covered at the high school level. It surveys literary forms and interpretations. The format for essay writing is introduced to prepare students for all levels of English.

English II – Academic or College Prep – 1st Semester -- Session III; 2nd Semester -- Session IV

English II is a survey of literary forms and interpretations with special emphasis on world literature. Included in the course are varied forms of composition (including a research paper), a sequential advancement of English grammar, and a study of vocabulary. Prerequisite: English I

English III – Academic or College Prep – 1st Semester -- Session III; 2nd Semester -- Session IV

English III is a survey of American Literature. This course explores all genres of American literature including short stories, essays, poetry and novels. Included in the course are vocabulary, grammar, refinement of writing techniques and the writing of a formal research paper. Prerequisite: English I and II

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I – Academic – 1st Semester – Session III; 2nd Semester - Session IV

This course is designed for the average math student to master algebraic concepts. Topics studied in this course include signed numbers, quadratic equations and operations with algebraic fractions. This course prepares the student for Geometry.

Geometry – Academic – 1st Semester – Session III; 2nd Semester - Session IV

This course is designed for the average student. The course integrates the basic principles of Geometry and Algebra. This course includes all major topics from the Geometry curriculum. This course is designed to prepare the student for Algebra II.

Prerequisite: Algebra I or placement in Geometry Academic.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Physical Education – College Prep – Semester Course – 6 Week Course

This course meets for 2.5 hours per day for six weeks.

The focus of the course will be Team Sports, Individual Sports, and Fitness activities. This course is intended for students who are in need of making up a semester of Physical Education.

ENRICHMENT, NON-CREDIT COURSES

The following non-credit courses will meet for one week. These one-week courses cost \$75.

Study Skills (June 15 – 18)

This one-week course will provide any student with the opportunity to review, refine and build the skills necessary to succeed in high school. Instruction will occur in the areas of time management, listening, note taking, test taking, reading for comprehension, communication skills, goal setting and building self-esteem.

**LAKE ZURICH HIGH SCHOOL
SUMMER SCHOOL REGISTRATION
FOR COURSES TO MAKE UP CREDIT**

PLEASE PRINT: Use one registration form for each student.

Student Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Name of school attending in Fall _____ Grade in Fall: 9 10 11 12

Session III

Course Title: _____ **Fee:** _____

Session IV

Course Title: _____ **Fee:** _____

Total: _____

Parent Signature

Date

Make checks payable to: *Lake Zurich High School*

Send to: *Lake Zurich High School, Summer School, 300 N. Church Street, Lake Zurich, IL 60047*

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For office use only:

Cash _____ Check Number/Amount _____ Date Received _____

Other _____