

Geneva Community School District # 304

HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER SCHOOL 2013 (PROPOSED)

March 4th, 2013

Purpose

The Geneva High School Summer School Program provides opportunities to support and enrich learning for District 304 students.

Credit-Based Course Offerings

As in past years, we would like to offer multiple credit-bearing courses to high school students. The first 12-day session will be offered from June 3-June 18 and will meet Mondays thru Fridays. A second 12-day session will be offered July 8-July 25 Mondays thru Thursdays. Geneva High School plans to offer the following credit courses:

- Consumer Education (½ credit)
- English Workshop (½ credit)
- History Workshop (½ credit)
- U.S. Government (½ credit)
- U.S. Government Workshop (½ credit) – this course will be combined with a U.S. Gov't section

Driver Education (operates on a different schedule between June 3 – July 3)

Information regarding these courses is contained in the GHS Program of Study. As in the past, additional summer school opportunities are available at Waubensee Community College and College of DuPage.

Tuition

The staff and facility costs of summer school can be sustained based on the tuition charged to students choosing to participate. The high school summer school tuition can remain the same as last year: \$150.00 per ½ credit course and \$350 for Driver Education. A minimum of 11 students are generally required for each class to run.

Teacher Pay Rate

The current established rate of pay for summer school is \$25.00 per hour.

Estimated Budget

We expect between 175-225 students to enroll in the academic courses at Geneva High School this summer. Last summer, 183 students enrolled in the academic courses offered and 26 enrolled in Driver Education.

We plan to compensate five teachers during each session. One teacher for each course, plus one special education teacher to provide services for those students that require them.

Projected Revenue w/175 students @ \$150.00/class = \$26,250.00
Projected Compensation w/5 teachers @ \$3,300.00/class = \$16,500.00
(5.5 hours daily X 12 days X \$25.00 per hour X 5 staff members X 2 sessions)

*Driver Education is not included in projected totals above.

Non-Credit Enrichment Opportunities

In addition to the traditional credit-based summer school programs, there are other needs that we would like to meet during the summer months. We are proposing to offer the following non-credit enrichment opportunities:

Algebra Bridge

Audience: Students entering grades 9-12 who will be taking Algebra I or Algebra IA in the fall

Offered: Sessions 1 and 2 from 8:00-11:00 AM

Description: This course is designed for those students who may need a refresher or additional practice in order for them to be most successful in their Algebra I or Algebra IA course. The focus of the program will be reinforcement of concepts including integers/fractions, operations, solving one and two step equations, proportions, percents, as well as some geometry concepts. This program will have little to no work outside of the official meeting times.

Tuition: \$100 per session (students may sign up for one or both sessions)

Typing/Computer Keyboarding

Audience: Students entering grades 6-12 who wish to improve their typing/keyboarding skills

Offered: Session 1 from 9:00-11:00 AM

Description: With the use of computers in homes, schools, and workplaces, it is very important that students have the ability to type effectively. Participants in this program will work to develop efficient and effective typing/keyboarding skills as they work on their typing speed and accuracy using the touch typing technique. Participants will also spend time getting more familiar with typing in word processing software (Microsoft Word).

Tuition: \$75

ACT Boot Camp from Kaplan

Audience: Open to all students

Offered: Session 1 (6/3 thru 6/14), 8:00-11:00 AM (until 12:30 PM on the 4 practice test days)

Description: This program offers participants an effective way to help prepare for the ACT college entrance exam that all students will take. This program consists of 10 class sections, 4 of which are full ACT practice tests that will be administered under actual test day conditions. Sessions will include direct instruction, guided group work, independent practice, and a variety of engaging activities.

Tuition: \$375 per session (special group discount pricing)