

memo

To: Katie Reckard, Assistant Superintendent of LSC
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Date: October 2, 2025
Re: 2026 Summer School Proposal

In an attempt to be fiscal responsible and still meet the needs of our students, below is a proposal for Summer School 2026 at Jefferson High School.

Current offerings proposed as all online (taught by JHS instructor) for SS 2026:

US Govt- All online offerings, taught by JHS instructor. No projected savings, as the in-person students would simply move to online. Approx. 200 students for 2026

Econ- All online offerings, taught by JHS instructor. No projected savings, as the in-person students would simply move to online. Approx. 170 students for 2026

US History- All online offerings of one section of US Hist 1 and one section of US Hist II, taught by JHS instructor. No projected cost savings. Approx. 60 students.

Health- All online offerings, taught by JHS instructor. Approx. 210 students for 2026 (State is no longer funding summer school for health starting in 2026. If no SS, those students would have to take during the school year with potential need to hire more staff.) Cost savings would be one teacher for two sections.

Biology- One section of Bio 1 and one section of Bio 2 by JHS instructor. Approx. 55 students. Cost savings would be one teacher for one section.

Current online offerings for SS 2026:

Edmentum - Propose continuing to offer Edmentum courses for those courses we do not offer online or in-person, through JHS summer school.

Current offerings proposed as in-person for SS 2026:

Alg I-1 and 1-2- All in-person classes. These are all students who have failed Alg during

the school year and are trying to regain credit. It is hard to project how many for this coming summer, due to all 9th graders now required to take Algebra.

Alg II-1 and II-2- All in-person classes. These are all students who have failed Alg II during the school year and are trying to regain credit. Approx. 15 students

Geometry- All in-person classes. These are all students who have failed Alg II during the school year and are trying to regain credit. Approx. 30 students.

English 9-1 and 9-2- All in-person classes. These are all students who have failed Alg during the school year and are trying to regain credit. No cost savings projected. Approx. 55 students

English 10-1 and 10-2- All in-person classes. These are all students who have failed English 10 during the school year and are trying to regain credit. No cost savings projected. Approx. 55 students

Propose to no longer offer the following summer school courses:

PE- Cost savings would be five teachers for two sections each.

Honors Art- Cost savings would be one teacher for one section.

Principles of Business- Cost savings would be one teacher for two sections.

New summer school offerings proposal:

Personal Finance Online- This would give incoming freshmen another (2) summer school course opportunity since we will not offer PE. It is a one semester course and required for graduation. Not license specific course.