

Fall 2023 Academy Day Classes and Teachers

Nursery

10:00AM & 11:00AM Nursery - Nancy Rivera and Carmen Gutierrez

We provide a safe, nurturing and loving environment for your little one as you participate in Coastal Academy's program.

Preschool

10:00AM & 11:00AM Preschool - Bani Toro, Bridget Bolger, and Makela Luis

A fun, stimulating and supportive first group experience for your preschool aged child. They will learn through free play, planned lessons, and structured activities including reading, music, and crafts. This class will be divided in half based on age. Essentially, the younger group will be 3-year-olds and young 4-year-olds, and the older group will be older 4-year-olds and 5-year-olds.

Kindergarten - 2nd Grade

10:00 AM K-2 Introduction to Spanish - Marisol Varela

Learn vowels, alphabet, family members, numbers 1-20, greetings - oral conversation, domestic animals, body parts, days of the week, and colors in this introduction to Spanish class. Games, songs, miming, and conversational instruction are all utilized to introduce and practice the Spanish language with the children and facilitating teacher.

10:00AM K-2 PE Classics with a Twist - Esmeralda Zepeda

Have your kids come enjoy some outdoor fun with the classics we all enjoyed growing up with... only with a twist. In this class, we will be spending time outdoors, enjoying the games we all grew up playing: Hula hoop, hopscotch, jump rope - only with a twist! Kids will not only get their bodies moving, but we will make sure to get those precious minds their proper workout as well.

10:00AM K-2 Theatre Arts Class - Kelsea Maynard

Come join us for a fun theatre arts class! We will use our imaginations to play improv games, act out fun scenes, and learn basic theatre terminology. The class will result in a short performance scene or song that students will work on all semester.

11:00AM K-2 Community Helpers - Chloe Linehan

Come have fun and learn about the community workers that help our communities thrive! From nurses to mail carriers we will learn about all the job entails through fun activities and crafts, songs, stories, and possibly a guest or two!

11:00AM K-2 Fun with Phonics - Cheryl Canty (Rachel Herrera's mom)

This class lays a strong foundation for short vowels and long vowels with consonant sounds forming simple words following Abeka curriculum. This class is designed for early readers or young readers struggling with basic skills. This class will help students discern the difference between cap and cape; mad and made; and bit and bite.

11:00AM K-2 Connecting Art through Literature - Courtney Garcia

Reading stories can unlock so many feelings, memories, and possibilities. Let's read some good books and get creative together. Every week we will read one or two picture books and have some open discussions that allow the students to build connections with the story and their peers. Afterwards, we will dive into a craft that ties into the story or character(s), giving them some hands-on experiences to bring the story to life.

11:00AM K-2 Snapshots from History: Kids Growing Up in America - Cecilia Stepp

Each week we will look at a different era in American history. Through stories, crafts, games and music, we will explore what it was like to be a kid in different times and places.

3rd - 5th Grade

10:00AM 3-5th Anatomy with Friends - Erin Ryan

Each week, students will explore diverse anatomy topics like body systems, human tissues, hormones, skeletal groups, and the senses. Engaging them through hands-on activities, visual aids, and interactive learning tools will enhance their understanding of complex anatomical concepts and foster a deeper appreciation for the human body's intricate design and remarkable functionality.

10:00AM 3-5th Physical Education - Crystal Arai

Let's learn to work together by playing games that challenge our bodies and our minds but also remember that everyone has something to contribute. We will go beyond exercise and learn healthy lifestyle habits and activities to help you be your best for your body, heart, and soul.

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11:00AM 3-5th Crafts for Christ - Misty Levi

Let's be creative using scripture and fun crafts to show God's love and the promises He has for us. Seeking ways we can use His words to build our personal relationship with Jesus and let his light shine through us.

6th - 8th Grade

10:00AM 6-8th Game Class - Karen Jones

Come play card game versions of board games! Card game versions of board games offer all the fun of board games in a fast-paced card game. Some card games versions of the games we will play are: Clue, Monopoly, Life, Guess Who, Family Feud, Wheel of Fortune, UNO USA, Numskills Jr., Old Maid, President's Rummy, SET, Uno, Apples to Apples Jr., 21, and SNAP.

10:00AM 6-8th Foundations of Freedom - Leah Goldman

Join us for a class on the founding of America! We will learn about our Judeo-Christian heritage as we watch eight episodes from The Foundations of Freedom series with David Barton, then we will discuss what we've learned through conversation and worksheets. Topics will include the Bible, the Constitution, how America is different, the foundations of law, civil justice, economics, science, and lots more! Let us look back in history so we may move forward in certainty!

11:00AM 6-8th Physical Education: Move Together - Tracy Nadeau

In this class, we will focus on movement using a variety of games and activities that will not only engage our bodies and our minds, but also help build connections with our classmates.

High School

10:00AM High School Life Skills - Bob Andrade

We live in an era called the Information Age. We have at our fingertips the answers to just about everything online, but even Google can not explain the how's and the why's of things that happen in everyday life. Entering the grown up world can be overwhelming to a teenager. This class will help each student acquire a Godly perspective of what's happening around them as well as equip them with a clear understanding of how to communicate with the people around them including adults. This course is unique and will build upon what each student already knows. This is a brand new course never before taught. Helping each student acquire a mindset of understanding is priceless.

11:00AM High School Physical Education -Shannon Strouse

Let's get active this semester while learning proper body mechanics to gain muscle, increase the heart rate, and build endurance and confidence when achieving these objectives. This physical education class will emphasize the importance of using calisthenics, proper breathing techniques, stretching, and mental discipline. The goal is to empower each participant to be able to use the tools they learn to be able to get up and be active no matter where you are in physical fitness or any setting. I am excited to teach the life-long skills I have acquired over the years of being a college athlete and adopting the mentality to be fit anywhere I am in life.