

## 2020 Course Descriptions

### 1st Grade Reading

#### Grade 1 in fall, 30 min sections (5 sections offered)

Students will review and build basic reading and comprehension skills using leveled reading materials. The focus of this course will primarily be systematic phonics instruction using engaging materials. Students will review basic reading comprehension strategies to help them identify the main idea, and retell details from the story. This course is for students struggling with reading in Kindergarten. Students will be grouped with like-ability learners. Thanks to a grant from the Michigan Department of Education the district will be able to offer reading classes for students going into 1st through 3rd grade at no cost! When registering, you need only select the time slot you prefer. Student-teacher ratio is kept very low to maximize individualized attention.

Days:

Time:

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	135E	9:00 - 9:30	Free
T, W, TH	136E	9:35 - 10:05	Free
T, W, TH	137E	10:10 - 10:40	Free
T, W, TH	138E	10:45 - 11:15	Free
T, W, TH	139E	11:20 - 11:50	Free

## 2nd Grade Reading

### Grade 2 in fall, 30 min sections

Students will review and build basic reading and comprehension skills using leveled reading materials. The focus of this course will primarily be systematic phonics instruction using engaging materials. Students will review basic reading comprehension strategies to help them identify the main idea, and retell details from the story. This course is for students struggling with reading in 1st Grade. Students will be grouped with like-ability learners. Thanks to a grant from the Michigan Department of Education the district will be able to offer reading classes for students going into 1st through 3rd grade at no cost! When registering, you need only select the time slot you prefer. Student-teacher ratio is kept very low to maximize individualized attention.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	140E	9:00 - 9:30	Free
T, W, TH	141E	9:35 - 10:05	Free
T, W, TH	142E	10:10 - 10:40	Free
T, W, TH	143E	10:45 - 11:15	Free
T, W, TH	144E	11:20 - 11:50	Free

## 3rd Grade Reading

### Grade 3 in fall, 30 min sections (5 sections offered)

Students will review and build basic reading and comprehension skills using leveled reading materials. The focus of this course will primarily be systematic phonics instruction using engaging materials. Students will review basic reading comprehension strategies to help them identify the main idea, and retell details from the story. This course is for students struggling with reading in 2nd Grade. Students will be grouped with like-ability learners. Thanks to a grant from the Michigan Department of Education the district will be able to offer reading classes for students going into 1st through 3rd grade at no cost! When registering, you need only select the time slot you prefer. Student-teacher ratio is kept very low to maximize individualized attention.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	145E	9:00 - 9:30	Free
T, W, TH	146E	9:35 - 10:05	Free
T, W, TH	147E	10:10 - 10:40	Free
T, W, TH	148E	10:45 - 11:15	Free
T, W, TH	149E	11:20 - 11:50	Free

#### **4th Grade Reading \$110**

##### **Grades 4 in fall, 45 min sections (2 sections offered)**

Students will review and build basic reading and comprehension skills using leveled reading materials. During this course students will review phonetical concepts, how to break words into syllables, as well as common prefixes and suffixes. Students will also discuss strategies that good readers use and have the opportunity to practice these skills using both information and narrative reading material. This course is for students who struggled with reading in grade 3. Students will be grouped with like-ability learners. When registering, you need only select the time slot you prefer. Student-teacher ratio is kept very low to maximize individualized attention.

<b>Days</b>	<b>Course #</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Cost</b>
T, W, TH	150E	9:00 - 9:45	\$110
T, W, TH	151E	9:50 - 10:35	\$110

## 5th Grade Reading \$110

### Grades 5 in fall, 45 min sections (2 sections offered)

Students will review and build basic reading and comprehension skills using leveled reading materials. During this course students will review phonetical concepts, how to break words into syllables, as well as common prefixes and suffixes. Students will also discuss strategies that good readers use and have the opportunity to practice these skills using both information and narrative reading material. This course is for students who struggled with reading in grade 4. Students will be grouped with like-ability learners. When registering, you need only select the time slot you prefer. Student-teacher ratio is kept very low to maximize individualized attention.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	152E	10:35 - 11:20	\$110
T, W, TH	153E	11:25 - 12:10	\$110

## Basic Building Blocks for Math \$110

### Grades 2 and 3 in fall, 30 min Real-Time Instruction, 30 min Math Help (2 sections)

Students will refine and build their basic math skills using the Everyday Math Curriculum. Students will practice and reinforce Everyday Math skills and algorithms learned throughout the regular school year. This course will include fun educational hands-on and computer-based activities to help reinforce basic math skills along with creating real-life connections to math. Students will receive 30 min of instruction in Math concepts and then work independently on Math practice assigned by the teacher. The teacher will be available on Google Meet 30 minutes following the instruction to answer any questions that students might have about the assigned practice work. The Math Practice Help will be provided through a "drop-in" format, where students who need help can log into the Google Meet, have their questions answered, and then go back to independent work.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	105E	<b>Real-Time Instruction</b> 9:00 - 9:30 <b>Math Practice Help</b> 9:30 - 10:00	\$110
T, W, TH	105.5E	<b>Real-Time Instruction</b> 10:30 - 11:00 <b>Math Practice Help</b> 11:00 - 11:30	\$110

## Basic Building Blocks for Math \$110

### Grades 4 and 5 in fall, 45 min Real-Time Instruction, 30 min Imagine Math Help (2 sections)

Students will refine and build their basic math skills using the Everyday Math Curriculum. Students will practice and reinforce Everyday Math skills and algorithms learned throughout the regular school year. This course will include fun educational hands-on and computer-based activities to help reinforce basic math skills along with creating real life connections to math. Students will receive 45 min of instruction in Math concepts and then work independently on Math practice assigned by the teacher. The teacher will be available on Google Meet 30 minutes following the instruction to answer any questions that students might have about the assigned practice work. The Math Practice Help will be provided through a "drop-in" format, where students who need help can log into the Google Meet, have their questions answered, and then go back to independent work.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	106E	<b>Real-Time Instruction</b> 9:00-9:45 <b>Math Practice Help</b> 9:45- 10:15	\$110
T, W, TH	106.5E	<b>Real-Time Instruction</b> 10:30-11:15 <b>Math Practice Help</b> 11:15- 11:45	\$110

## Stepping up to 6th and 7th grade English and Language Arts \$110

### Grade 6-7 in fall, 45 min Real-Time Instruction, 30 min Writing Help As Needed (1 section)

This course is intended for students just finishing 5th and 6th-grade. This course is designed to help students who need additional instruction to be successful in Middle School ELA. This class is designed to review and reinforce the most important concepts covered in fifth and sixth grade language arts class. It emphasizes basic skills to help prepare students for English in the fall. Students will receive 45 min of instruction in ELA concepts and then practice writing independently. The teacher will be available on Google Meet 30 minutes following the instruction to answer any questions that students might have during the writing process. The writing help will be provided through a "drop-in" format, where students who need help can log into the Google Meet, have their questions answered, and then go back to independent work.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	220S	<b>Real-Time Instruction</b> 9:00-9:45  <b>Independent Writing -            Teacher Available For Real-            Time Help</b> 9:45- 10:15	\$110

### Step Up to 8th and 9th Grade English Skills \$110

#### Grade 8 or 9 in fall, 45 min Real-Time Instruction, 30 min Writing Help As Needed (1 section)

This course is intended for students just finishing 7th and 8th-grade. Students engage in a variety of literacy activities designed to prepare them to meet the challenges of the next year's writing and reading tasks. Students explore the fundamentals of effective communication in all its forms and experience texts and tasks that mirror grade-level literacy expectations. Students will receive 45 min instruction in ELA concepts and then practice writing independently. The teacher will be available on Google Meet 30 minutes following the instruction to answer any questions that students might have during the writing process. The writing help will be provided through a "drop-in" format, where students who need help can log into the Google Meet, have their questions answered, and then go back to independent work.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	221S	<b>Real-Time Instruction</b> 10:30-11:15  <b>Independent Writing - Teacher Available For Real- Time Help</b> 11:15-11:45	\$110

### Step Up to 6th and 7th Grade Math \$110

#### Grade 6 and 7 in fall, 45 Min Real-Time Instruction, 30 Min Imagine Math Help As Needed (1 section)

This course intended for students just finishing 5th grade, or those who struggled with 6<sup>th</sup> grade math concepts. Students engage in a variety of activities designed to prepare them to meet the challenges of 6th and 7th grade math literacy. Students explore the fundamentals of math literacy, computation and logic through activities and tasks that mirror 6th and 7th grade math expectations. The course emphasizes adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing whole numbers, decimals and fractions without a calculator, using percents, solving word problems, and solving one step equations. This class builds on 6th grade content to provide a scaffold to 6th and 7th grade learning. Students will receive 45 min of instruction in Math concepts and then work independently on Math practice assigned by the teacher. The teacher will be available on Google Meet 30 minutes following the instruction to answer any questions that students might have about the assigned practice work. The Math Practice Help will be provided through a "drop-in" format, where students who need help can log into the Google Meet, have their questions answered, and then go back to independent work.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	223S	<b>Small Group Math Instruction</b> 10:30-11:15  <b>Imagine Math Teacher Help</b> 11:15-11:45	\$110

**224S Step Up to 8th and 9th Grade Math \$110**

**Grade 8 and 9 in fall, 45 Min Real-Time Instruction, 30 Min Imagine Math Help As Needed (1 section)**

This course intended for students just finishing 7th grade, or those who struggled with 8<sup>th</sup> grade math concepts. Students will engage in a variety of activities designed to reinforce the math concepts taught in 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Students will explore the fundamentals of math literacy, computation and logic through activities and tasks that connect with the common core curriculum. Students will receive 45 min of instruction in Math concepts and then work independently on Math practice assigned by the teacher. The teacher will be available on Google Meet 30 minutes following the instruction to answer any questions that students might have about the assigned practice work. The Math Practice Help will be provided through a "drop-in" format, where students who need help can log into the Google Meet, have their questions answered, and then go back to independent work.

Days	Course #	Time	Cost
T, W, TH	224S	<b>Small Group Math Instruction</b> 9:00-9:45 <b>Imagine Math Teacher Help</b> 9:45-10:15	\$110