



Fairfield College Preparatory School

A Jesuit, Catholic School of Excellence

2019 SUMMER PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS PRESENTLY IN GRADES 9, 10, 11 AND 12

June 24, 2019 to July 19, 2019 (No Classes July 4, 2019)

During the summer of 2019, Fairfield Prep will offer classes to the members of the Class of 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022. There are two types of classes that will be offered:

- Enrichment Course – *Writing the College Essay*
- Remedial Courses

ENRICHMENT COURSE – *WRITING THE COLLEGE ESSAY*

- This course is designed for students who are members of the Class of 2020. The goal of this course is to give students an opportunity to work through an effective writing process and construct a college essay that they will be able to use for their college applications. The cost of this course is \$200.00.
- This course will be offered in three sessions:
 - Session 1: Monday, June 24th – Friday, June 28th from 8:30AM – 10:30AM
 - Session 2: Monday, July 8th – Friday, July 12th from 8:30AM – 10:30AM
 - Session 3: Monday, July 15th – Friday, July 19th from 8:30AM – 10:30AM

Enrollment in these sessions is limited and will be allocated on a first come-first serve basis. You must [Register](#) and make payment for the College Essay Writing course no later than Friday, June 7.

REMEDIAL COURSES

- The Fairfield Prep Student Handbook states:
Failures and Summer School
 - A student must attend summer school to remediate all failures before advancing to the next academic year.
 - A student may attend summer school to improve any grade below C. Courses taken to remediate failures or improve grades below C will be noted on the student's transcript and the grade and credit will be averaged into his GPA.
 - Students may take summer school classes for enrichment. Classes taken for enrichment are reported on the transcript but are not calculated into the GPA.
- All courses carry one high school credit and are designed to remediate failures and below average performance (any grade lower than a C). To obtain credit for a course, attendance is mandatory. Classes meet Monday through Friday.
- The chart below indicates which summer course should be taken to remediate a grade from a Fairfield Prep course:

| FAIRFIELD PREP COURSE | SUMMER COURSE |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| English (any course and level) | Writing Skills |
| Spanish (any level) | Foundations of Spanish |
| Math (any course and level) | Foundations of Mathematics |
| Social Studies (any course and level) | East Meets West |

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

- Writing Skills: This course will reinforce critical writing skills that students need to apply in all of their high school classes. Students will focus primarily on the development of a five paragraph essay, column writing and speech writing. Throughout the course, students will focus on reading and writing an effective book review on one of their summer reading books for their English class in the upcoming academic year. In addition, students will review skills to succeed on the SAT reading sections.
- East Meets West: This course will expose students to important events, themes and people from Western Civilization and Asian Studies. Students will encounter the material through presentations, small group discussion, and media. In addition, students will focus on reading and writing an effective book review on one of their summer reading books for their Social Studies class in the upcoming academic year.
- Foundations of Mathematics: This workshop is designed to remediate weaknesses and strengthen computational and analytic skills in mathematics.
- Foundations of Spanish: This workshop is designed to remediate weaknesses and strengthen skills for students in Spanish.

COURSE FEES

- Tuition for enrollment in one course is \$325.
- Tuition for enrollment in two courses is \$600.
- Tuition for enrollment in three courses is \$825.

COURSE SCHEDULES

| 8:30AM – 10:30AM | 10:30AM – 12:30PM | 12:30PM – 2:30PM |
|----------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Foundations of Mathematics | East Meets West | Writing Skills |
| Foundations of Spanish | | |

Registration for these courses opens May 29, 2019. [Registration](#) and payment must be submitted by June 20, 2019.

SUMMER SCHOOL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- As these courses are credit bearing courses, attendance is mandatory and no absences are permitted.
- Progress reports will be issued to students midway through the course.
- During summer school, students must adhere to the summer student dress code. Students should wear a collared shirt that should remain tucked in at all times, a belt, dress pants or dress shorts, and shoes or sneakers with socks. Hats and sandals are not permitted. Students are expected to attend school dressed appropriately for an academic setting. Students who do not follow the dress code rules will be sent home.
- All other rules in the [2018 – 2019 Fairfield Prep Student / Parent handbook](#) are enforced during summer school.
- There is no shuttle bus transportation to the train station.
- The Student Life Center will be open for students to eat lunch in during summer school. Food service is not available – students must bring their own lunch.