

BELTON SCHOOL DISTRICT #124
High School Enrollment Form
FREE SUMMER SCHOOL 2009
TO BE HELD @ BELTON HIGH SCHOOL

Student's Name: _____ Male () Female ()
Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____
Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____
Parent Email address _____
Father's Name: _____
Employer: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____
Mother's Name: _____
Employer: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____
Emergency: If it is necessary to contact a parent during summer school hours for illness or discipline and he/she cannot be located, please list other persons who may be contacted.
Name _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____
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Each student will be able to complete one (1) credit in summer school. Students may choose classes to earn credit toward graduation. Students must be at least in the 9th grade (2008-2009 school year) to enroll.

Class times will be . . .

Session 1 -- 8 A.M. to 2 P.M. (Mon – Thurs June 2 – June 18)

Session 2 -- 8 A.M. to 2 P.M. (Mon – Thurs June 22 – July 9)

Students, who did not receive credit due to attendance during the school year, may receive credit for those classes provided they sign up for attendance school. Detentions may be served during summer school.

Due to the consolidated nature of each .5 unit of credit (each session is 12 days), attendance is mandatory. ANY TIME THAT IS MISSED WILL HAVE TO BE MADE UP IN ORDER TO RECEIVE CREDIT FOR THE CLASS!

Bus transportation is NOT available.

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Student Name: _____ Grade ('08-'09): _____

**Session 1 – June 2 through June 18 (11 days):
Mon. – Thurs. 8 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

**If you want Driver's Education or need to retake the 1st semester of a class,
you must sign up for it in Session 1.**

**Please select one (1) class for Session 1.
(This is equivalent to a 1st semester class.)**

Class Number	Course Name	Credits
		.5

**Session 2 – June 22 through July 9 (12 days):
Mon. – Thurs. 8 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

**If you need to retake the 2nd semester of a class,
you must sign up for it in Session 2.)**

**Please select one (1) class for Session 2.
(This is equivalent to a 2nd semester class.)**

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Class Offerings

7001 ATTENDANCE HALL Both sessions
7003 DETENTION HALL Both sessions

7100 ENGLISH I 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)
7101 ENGLISH I 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: None. Required of all ninth graders.

CONTENT: This is an English course covering grammar, mechanics, writing, literature comprehension, literature interpretation, vocabulary, and library skills.

7105 ENGLISH II 1st semester (.5 credit)
7106 ENGLISH II 2nd semester (.5 credit)

PREREQUISITES: Successful completion of English I.

CONTENT: This is an English course designed to provide the student with practice in the basic skills of writing to communicate effectively and to introduce the student to world literature. Standard English usage and grammar will be studied as they relate to writing. Vocabulary development will be stressed. Students will read and interpret short stories poetry, essays, novels, and drama by authors from various countries and eras.

7115 ENGLISH III 1st semester (.5 credit)
7116 ENGLISH III 2nd semester (.5 credit)

PREREQUISITES: Successful completion of English II.

CONTENT: This is an English class designed to refine writing skills and introduce students to the study of American literature. The student will complete various types of writing projects. Standard English usage and grammar will be studied as they relate to the process of writing. Advanced vocabulary will be studied. The works of major American writers, both fiction and non-fiction, will be covered.

*****COLLEGE CLASS!**

7187/7188 COLLEGE ENGLISH 214 (UMKC) (.5 credit) (COLLEGE TUITION FEE)

PREREQUISITIES: Open to juniors, seniors, and 2009 graduates. A minimum 3.0 GPA. Your must be ranked in the top 1/3 of your class. Approval of English department is required.

CONTENT: This is a sophomore level UMKC English course. Students who take the course must pay tuition to UMKC. Emphasis in this course is on critical reading of short stories and the novel selected from all periods of English, American, and European literatures. The course will introduce the systematic study of fiction as a literary genre and will equip students for more advanced work in literature. Writing assignments are designed to aid in the understanding of the structure and content of the material covered. **This does NOT replace the freshman required writing course, but can be taken in addition to UMKC English 110.**

7151 HUMAN COMMUNICATIONS – 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)
7152 HUMAN COMMUNICATIONS – 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: None. Meets oral communication requirement.

CONTENT: Though we spend 75% of our communication time speaking and/or listening, we do not receive formal education in these skills often. This class is designed to help fill the void by practice and evaluation in voice and diction, public speaking, small group discussion, and other oral communication activities.

7201 GOVERNMENT – 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7202 GOVERNMENT – 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: None.

CONTENT: This course will familiarize students with the basic skills and concepts needed to successfully complete the social studies courses required during their sophomore, junior and senior years. In addition, students will pass comprehensive assessments covering the United States Constitution and the Missouri Constitution in accordance with state law.

7200 GEOGRAPHY - 2nd session only (.5 CREDIT)

(See above GOVERNMENT description)

7203 WORLD HISTORY 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7204 WORLD HISTORY 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: Required for all Sophomores. A/P Honors World History meets this requirement.

CONTENT: This course will deal with some of the most important events and developments in the story of our past. World History will trace the past from different parts of the world in the areas of government and society, science and technology, art and literature, and religion and philosophy.

7207 AMERICAN HISTORY 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7208 AMERICAN HISTORY 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: Required for all Juniors. Unless enrolled in American History 101 & 102.

CONTENT: First term (1865-1930). This course will explore American History from the Reconstruction to the beginning of the Great Depression. Major units will include the Reconstruction, Industrialization, The Gilded Age, Progressivism, WWI, and the Roaring Twenties. Second term (1930-present time). This course will cover the major social, political and economic issues from 1930 to the election of 1992. Major units will include the Great Depression, WWII, The Cold War, the Civil Rights Movement, the 1950's. The Korean Conflict, the 60's, Watergate, and the presidencies of Carter, Reagan and Bush.

*****COLLEGE CLASS!**

7221 POLITICAL SCIENCE 210 (3 CREDIT HOURS – UMKC)

PREREQUISITES: Open to 2009 graduates, juniors, and sophomores with a 3.0 GPA.

CONTENT: American government and politics, with special reference to the U.S. Constitution. This course meets the state requirement for study of the U.S. and Missouri Constitutions. This course is a required college course at Missouri colleges. Meets for both sessions.

7300 PHYSICAL SCIENCE 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7301 PHYSICAL SCIENCE 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: None. This class is required for graduation.

CONTENT: Science I is a one credit, two semester course, that investigates all major areas of science: biology, physics, chemistry, earth, and environmental science. Instruction will be inquiry based, and students will be actively engaged in researching practical answers to contemporary issues. At the completion of this course, students will be prepared for success in Science II.

7309 BIOLOGY 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

- 7310 BIOLOGY** **2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)**
 PREREQUISITES: Physical Science
 CONTENT: Science II is a science program which coordinates all major areas of science: Biology; chemistry; earth and space science; and physics. As a context-based program, Science II builds upon interests students bring with them from everyday experiences. Being activity driven, students approach the learning of scientific concepts with motivation and enthusiasm.
- 7311 CHEMISTRY** **1st semester (.5 CREDIT)**
7312 CHEMISTRY **2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)**
 PREREQUISITES: Biology
 CONTENT: The various states and structures of matter, the scientific method, chemical reactions, organic chemistry, biochemistry, etc. are studied. Critical and logical thinking are emphasized using many practical and interesting examples. This course is will help in careers such as chemistry, engineering, physical and biological science and health fields such as nursing, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, veterinary medicine and medical assistants. A scientific calculator is required.
- 7403 ALGEBRA I** **1st semester (.5 CREDIT)**
7404 ALGEBRA I **2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)**
 PREREQUISITES: None.
 CONTENT: This course is an in-depth study of the foundations of Algebra. Topics include solving and graphing linear and quadratic equations and inequalities, functions, algebraic manipulation, problem solving, and introduction to geometry. The Algebra I curriculum focuses on providing students with a balance between foundational knowledge and real world application. Students will provide and explain solutions, conduct surveys, experiments, and provide conjectures to problems using mathematical concepts.
- 7405 GEOMETRY** **1st semester (.5 CREDIT)**
7406 GEOMETRY **2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)**
 PREREQUISITES: Algebra I.
 CONTENT: This course focuses on the basics of Geometry, segments and angles, parallel and perpendicular lines, triangle relationships, congruent triangles, quadrilaterals, similarity, polygons and area, surface area and volume, right triangles and trigonometry, and circles.
- 7407 ALGEBRA II FUNDAMENTALS** **1st semester (.5 CREDIT)**
7408 ALGEBRA II FUNDAMENTALS **2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)**
 PREREQUISITES: A grade of D+ or lower in either in Geometry and Algebra I. Required for all juniors not taking Algebra II.
 CONTENT: This course includes equations and inequalities, linear equations and functions, systems of linear equations and inequalities, matrices and determinants, quadratic functions, polynomials and polynomial functions, powers, roots and radicals, exponential and logarithmic functions, rational equations and functions, quadratic relations and conic sections, sequences and series, probability and statistics and trigonometry.
- 7409 ALGEBRA II** **1st semester (.5 CREDIT)**
7410 ALGEBRA II **2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)**
 PREREQUISITES: A grade of C-or better in Geometry and Algebra I.
 CONTENT: This course includes equations and inequalities, linear equations and functions, systems of linear equations and inequalities, matrices and determinants, quadratic functions, polynomials and polynomial functions, powers, roots and radicals, exponential and logarithmic functions, rational equations and functions, quadratic relations and conic sections, sequences and series, probability and statistics and trigonometry.
- 7605 BEGINNING CULINARY ARTS** **1st semester (.5 CREDIT)**
7606 BEGINNING CULINARY ARTS **2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)**
 PREREQUISITES: None

CONTENT: This class is designed to teach the basic concepts necessary for food preparation. Special emphasis will be given to essential cooking skills important for more advanced classes. Areas of study include kitchen equipment, quick breads, cheese, fruits and vegetables and cookies.

7621 CHILD DEVELOPMENT 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7622 CHILD DEVELOPMENT 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: None.

CONTENT: Dual Credit. This course is designed to improve the quality of life for Missouri's children by educating students in the care, guidance and roles of children and the family throughout the life cycle. Special attention is paid to the first five years of life. Lessons include family planning, prenatal care, birth, husband/wife relationship and the changing role of the family on the individual and in today's society.

7701 ART FOUNDATIONS DRAWING/PAINTING 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7702 ART FOUNDATIONS DRAWING/PAINTING 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: None.

CONTENT: Emphasis is on basic drawing and painting fundamentals. The focus is on the elements of line, shape, form, texture, value and color. All work is done in class, experimenting with different media. Art terminology, processing through unique visual art, creativity, and aesthetics.

7703 ART FOUNDATIONS DESIGN/SCULPTURE 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7704 ART FOUNDATIONS DESIGN/SCULPTURE 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: None.

CONTENT: Emphasis is on basic design and sculpture. The focus is on the principle of balance, emphasis, content, rhythm and movement. Design will use a variety of media with realistic and abstract concepts. Sculpture will use design techniques to process assemblage, additive and subtractive construction. (No ceramics) Art terminology will cover unique, visual and creativity. All work is done in class. This class fulfills .5 of your Fine Arts

7717 INTRODUCTION TO CERAMICS 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7718 INTRODUCTION TO CERAMICS 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: Art Foundations with "C" average or better.

CONTENT: This course takes a look at the history of ceramics, methods of clay building, ceramic processes and vocabulary. Students are required to hand build projects, learn decorative glazing techniques and the firing process. All work is done in class.

7851 DRIVER'S EDUCATION (.5 CREDIT) Classwork offered 1st SESSION ONLY; Driving will continue through 2nd session at arranged times.

PREREQUISITES: Must be age 15 on or before June 2, 2008. Please be prepared to show proof of age when enrolling.

CONTENT: This course prepares students to take their written and performance exams for their driver's license. Students are required to attend the first 11 days (Session 1) to complete 60 hours of classroom work. Driving time will be done during the 2nd session of summer school. Students will drive and observe in groups for a total of 30 hours which will be arranged during the first week of classroom work.

7825 A+ SEMINAR : MUST ATTEND 1ST SESSION TRAINING! (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITE: A+ Office signature required, must be a junior or senior, must be enrolled in the A+ Program, must meet A+ criteria: 95% accumulated attendance, maintain GPA of 2.5, maintain citizenship standards

CONTENT: This course, A+ Seminar will help fulfill the state requirements for 50 hours of tutoring/mentoring by students pursuing A+ status. The class will meet for two days of training. The third class day tutors/mentors will receive orientation and classroom assignment in their field school by the building principal. Students will be placed with the same supervising teacher the rest of the semester. Students must provide their own transportation to the field schools. A parent/guardian must sign a transportation waiver.

7801 HEALTH/FITNESS 1st semester (.5 CREDIT)

7802 HEALTH/FITNESS 2nd semester (.5 CREDIT)

PREREQUISITES: Required for freshmen

CONTENT: The focus of this class is taking personal responsibility for your health and making the choices to lead a healthy life-style. Topics include mental health, fitness, nutrition, drug abuse, sexually transmitted diseases and first aid. Classroom instruction will include class discussions, group projects, self-evaluation, role-playing, reaction papers and written exams. Physical fitness testing and various exercise programs will be conducted in the gym.

7921/7922 COMPUTER DRIVEN CURRICULUM (CDC)

PREREQUISITES: Approval of the coordinator. Must be credit deficit either by lack of required classes or total number for graduation. Junior or Senior.

CONTENT: This program is for juniors and seniors who have fallen behind in earning credits toward graduation. In order to be successful in this program, good attendance and a good work ethic are essential. There will be opportunity for the student to earn credit in the core areas through the Compass Computer Curriculum Program. To be accepted into this program must have prior approval from Mr. Denney.

7770 BELTON ACADEMY

***More classes in the high school course description booklet may be available in summer school as long as 20 students sign up for a class.**

Please return this form to Mrs. Lennie McCarty, Class Principal, at the BHS front office or to Chuck Varland, Counselor, at the Freshman Center.