

TW Iowa 2010-11 Schedule & Class Descriptions

Meets Thursdays
Corwith Library, Corwith, IA

Time	Multi-Level classes
9- 10:30	Iowa History grades 5-12
10:30 – Noon	English grades 6-9
Noon – 12:30	LUNCH
12:30 – 2:00	Shop / Art / Sewing / Test Taking skills
2:00 – 3:30	Art – grades 3-6
2:00 – 3:30	Drama – 5-12

IOWA HISTORY– This is for 5th grade through high school. This will be a multi level class with different assignments for each level. We will learn about the rich heritage of Iowa and the older students will compare Iowa to the national scene and see how this state has impacted other nations and states. We will have field trips and many hands-on activities. 27 weeks. Taught by Mr. & Mrs. Burdick. Cost \$108 (3.00/class/student Moodle incorporated. Begins Sept. 9.

ENGLISH– This could be 6-9th graders. You should place your child according to ability and not age. Students should have a good grasp of the basic 8 parts of speech. We will continue teaching the building blocks of language ~ words, phrases and clauses. Students will do a MLA research paper, essays, and a historical Literature. All new students will be asked to take an assessment test, to make sure the teacher is aware of any learning gaps. Full year – 34 weeks. Taught by Mrs. Burdick. Cost \$7.00/class = \$240.00 year. Moodle incorporated. Begins Sept. 9.

SHOP: Begins Nov. 11

• **SMALL ENGINE REPAIR** – 2nd nine weeks:

We will examine the working and repair of a small engine as well as auto maintenance. Some classes will be held at Corwith Red Power. Hands-on class.

• **ELECTRICAL AND PLUMBING REPAIR** --3rd nine weeks:

Shop classes taught by Mr. Burdick and JR Burdick

COST \$5.00/class/student = \$45.00 /each 9 week segment, plus supplies.

TEST TAKING SKILLS – 4th nine weeks.

The class will teach how to approach a test and strategy and skills to do well on any test. Practice will include essay test, multiple choice and short answer tests. The ACT will be examined as well as other standardized tests. Taught by Mrs. Burdick.

COST \$7.00/class = \$63.00/student. Begins March 31.

ART – 3rd nine week segment (7th grade and up)

Beginning January 27, Jackie Terhark will be offering art classes for grades 3rd through high school on Thursday afternoons as part of the Teenworks Iowa schedule.

- She will begin by teaching drawing skills such as shading, proportion, contrast and perspective.
- She will teach the students how to work with color using watercolor paints. They will learn to mix any color seen in nature using the three primary colors and how to paint with watercolor paints.
- Each student will create a frame-able drawing and a watercolor painting by the conclusion of the class.
- Other projects may also be completed depending on the pace at which the students work; however, she will encourage each student to take the time to put careful attention into their artwork and to stretch beyond their current ability. She wants to encourage students to learn the art of observation and to apply their observations to their art.
- Throughout the course, she will introduce the students to various artists and styles of art.

TIME – Thursday, 12:30 – 2:00 – this allows travel time to Jackie's house.

COST: \$8.00/student with a minimum of 5 students and a maximum of 8 students.

Payments for classes can be made weekly, monthly or upfront.

ART for 3rd through 6th grade. Six week class

TIME: Thursday, 2:30 – 3:30

COST: \$8 per class with a minimum of 4 students, and no more than 6 students in the class. Note: If there are not enough Teenworks students to fill the classes, I can offer the class to other home school students to help fulfill the minimum number.

SUPPLIES: The cost for supplies will be \$15 per student. Please pay first class day.

Payable to Jackie Terhark. Supplies include:

- 80lb. 60 sheet sketchbook, 2 drawing pencils, kneadable eraser, watercolor paint set with brush, and watercolor paper.

Jackie is looking forward to the opportunity to work with your students. I love to see young artists create beautiful works of art that they can enjoy for years to come.

SEWING/QUILTING CLASS-

Cindi Wachholz will be offering quilting class for grades 3- 12, starting Sept. 9. During the 1 1/2 hour class, we will work on the projects as well as receive instruction and Biblical wisdom on women being busy at HOME.

She will offer a few choices of projects (wall hanging, table runner) she has lots of magazines and patterns.

She will chose 2-3 projects and the students/moms can select their fabric on their own (with the option of going through her stash).

Sample items taught:

- Patterns, quilting tools, fabric, colors
- Measure twice, cut once :)
- Piecing (machine or by hand)
- Quilting

- Binding

Cindi also would like to teach a course for knitting for the second nine-weeks if the quilting goes well. Starts Nov. 11

- Sample lesson ideas: Knitting- tools, fibers, patterns
Cast on, Knit and Purl
Introduce different stitches (ones that are common in projects)
Binding off

COST:

\$25/ 9 weeks (\$2.75 per class.) Payable to Cindi Wachholz. Can pay monthly, weekly, or upfront.

DRAMA –

Begins Nov. 4 and performances are March 23, 24, 25. 18 weeks. The drama is “Celebrate America” a musical about the greatness and the decline of America and what can be done to redeem America. It highlights several historical characters as well as modern day leaders. Each student will have a part in the production. The goal is to learn to work as a team and to deliver a play that gives a godly message. Students will be asked to attend extra practices the week of and before the production, which will be posted in advance. Each parent MUST volunteer a minimum of 20 hours and each family is responsible for their own costume. The director will assist with this.

COST: \$50.00/ 1st student, \$40.00/2nd student, \$20.00 3rd and 4th. students, 5th or more free. To help recoup expenses for the drama a fee will be charged for tickets. Director Mrs. Wanda Burdick, Music Director Kristy Burdick.