## 2021-2022 Course

**Literature & Activity Based History:** 

K-3rd Grade

This class will include a variety of engaging books and activities to bring history to life.

The Great Books, **History As Literature:** 

4th Grade and Up Literature Groups - All Year

Using the Great Books breaks down the artificial division between history and literature. Instead of memorizing facts about the past, the student is encouraged to interact with the ideas of the past. Using the Great Books as the center of a history/literature course also encourages the student to think about how we know what we know about the past and to have a greater understanding of our

own civilization, country, and place in time.

Latin: 4th Grade and Up - All Year

> Level 1: Prima Latina Level 2: Latina Christiana Level 3: First Form Latin

**Nature Studies:** All Grades. Fall Semester, 1st 9 weeks

> Nature Walks: Outdoor Science Labs that will have students exploring, observing, collecting, analyzing, recording and reflecting.

K-3rd Grade. Fall Semester, 2nd 9 weeks WriteShop Primary:

> This program incorporates storybooks and art activities into writing lessons. The goal of the lessons is to help children learn to write while enjoying the process—not to overwhelm them.

WriteShop: 4th Grade and Up. Fall Semester, 2nd 9 weeks

> Students will work through a broad range of writing assignments covering both creative and expository. This course introduces genres such as mystery, adventure, historical fiction, poetry, and nonfiction. We will encourage students to polish and enter one of their compositions into the Young Author's Writing

Competition in March.

All Grades. Fall Semester **Art/Art History** 

> This class will cover art history, art appreciation, art theory, and allow students to work with various art media. This course will cover ancient art from cave art up through Roman art at a developmentally appropriate level.

S.T.E.M: All Grades. Spring Semester

> This class will offer cross-curricular challenges for students who are studying Ancient Civilizations using Science, Technology, Engineering and Math concepts. Student should expect to develop and use problem solving skills to address and overcome a different challenge each week.

Drama All Grades. Spring Semester

> This class will provide exercises that build theater and life skills in a fun and supportive environment. Students will perform a play based on Ancient Civilizations at the end of the year.

**Field Trips: Educational Class Trips - One Friday per month** 

> Petroglyphs, Wyoming Dinosaur Museum, Exploring Geological sites around Cody, Buffalo Bill Museum of the West, Museum of the Rockies, etc.