



**Artios Academies of Castle Rock
2018-2019 Course Descriptions**

| <u>Department</u> | <u>Course</u> | <u>Title</u> | <u>Credits</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Tuition</u> | <u>Grade Levels</u> |
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| Academy | Acad2.0 | Academy of Arts & History | n/a | The Artios Academy of Arts and History offers five core courses (History, Literature/Composition, Art, Music, and Theater) within its weekly class day for students in K-8th grades. All five courses are integrated with each other by historical time period. We teach these subjects in their entirety, which allows students not only to have knowledge of facts but also to have knowledge of the principles and purpose of the subject. All five subjects are taught in a hands-on, creative, and integrative way, all while being taught from a Biblical worldview. Multi-student discount applied after enrollment of more than one student. | \$1,285 | K-8th |



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| Artios Plus | ArtClubEL | Art Club - Elementary | n/a | Students will explore a wide variety of art techniques and mediums while studying with our excellent art instructors in Jr. Art Club. | \$340 | K-5th |
| Artios Plus | ArtClubMS HS | Art Club - MS/HS | 0.25 | Students explore and deepen their skills in Sr. Art Club. Study various art mediums, along with the basic skills and learn from our talented and gifted teachers. Several opportunities and venues for showing their work are available throughout the year. | \$360 | 6th-12th |
| Artios Plus | Biology | Biology | 0.5 | <p>Biology is one of the most exciting topics of study. In this class students will get to see the detail and magnitude of God's creation. From the microscopic to the macroscopic, all of creation sings His name. Some specific topics covered in this class include: the study of life (including DNA), each kingdom in biological classification, the cell, cellular reproduction, Mendelian Genetics, and ecology. Dissection will also be an important part of this class. Students will keep a lab notebook.</p> <p>Requirements: <i>Apologia HS Biology Textbook</i></p> | \$425 | 9th-12th |



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| Artios Plus | DanceBeg | Dance – Beginner | n/a | <p>This class will have a base in ballet and worship dance and may include jazz, modern, and Broadway! There will be an emphasis on performing, character, and facial expressions. Students will perform for an event in the spring. This class is designed for upper elementary through middle school students.</p> | \$325 | 3rd-8th |
| Artios Plus | DramaEL | Drama Club - Elementary | n/a | <p>This class provides students the opportunity to experience the production of a play in an age-appropriate context. Students will hone their verbal and movement skills, audition for roles, work with scripts, and become familiar with other aspects of stage production. While reading is a plus, non-readers are welcome in this class; however, memorization will be required.</p> <p>Requirements: Parent participation in one of our Drama Club Parent Committees is required. Production Fee: \$125/per show. This covers costumes, t-shirt, and other miscellaneous costs that families would normally incur with a child in a production.</p> | \$385 | K-5th |



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| Artios Plus | DramaMS HS | Drama Club - MS/HS | 0.25 | <p>Students learn and develop confidence and effective communication skills and discover their inner actor through being a part of our excellent MS/HS Drama Club! Students are reminded and given opportunity to give their best to the glory of God and not themselves. Multiple opportunities for performing in both competition and stage arenas.</p> <p>Requirements: Parent participation in one of our Drama Club Parent Committees is required.</p> <p>Production Fee: \$125/per show. This covers costumes, t-shirt, and other miscellaneous costs that families would normally incur with a child in a production.</p> | \$385 | 6th-12th |
| Artios Plus | EnsemMS HS | Ensemble - MS/HS | 0.25 | <p>Make beautiful music together in the Artios MS/HS Ensemble. Students learn and practice the basics of music theory while learning and performing a wide variety of musical styles from hymns and spirituals to Broadway tunes and choral standards. A wide variety of repertoire will be performed with emphasis on time period music. The BJU Fine Arts Festival in the fall also provides an opportunity for the high school students to compete at the national</p> | \$360 | 6th-12th |



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| | | | | <p>level. This ensemble will consist of those able to sight-read, as well as students eager to learn. The ensemble will compete at the director's discretion.</p> <p>Ensemble membership is required of Artios Conservatory Music Majors.</p> <p>Requirements: Ensemble members who perform will need a black shirt or blouse, black pants or skirt, and black shoes for performances. Students who are required to compete at an arts festival and/or competition may be required to purchase a choir gown/tuxedo/suit.</p> | | |
| Conservatory | DPI | Drawing/ Painting I | 0.25 | <p>Drawing and Painting covers the classic fine arts categories of drawing, painting and color theory, while including an advanced exploration of the elements and principles of design. Topics will include composition, perspective and drawing/painting techniques in a variety of media and styles. Small class size and individualized instruction make this class a unique setting for student development.</p> <p>Textbooks/supplies: See class syllabus for more details.</p> | \$385 | 9th-12th |



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| Conservatory | Eng-HS | English – HS | .5 | <p>Students learn literary analysis through studying common elements (context, structure, and style) and literary elements (conflict, plot, setting, characters, and theme) as they read and discuss the selected literature for the time period (or influenced by that period). Vocabulary: Development of an extensive vocabulary is important. The required literary works at times contain resplendent word usage for our study and future use. We will revel in the wonderful language that is presented in our literary choices. In addition to reading and discussing, students may be asked to participate in class projects and presentations.</p> <p>Requirements: Textbook: Artios Home Companion Series and selected books (see Course Syllabus).</p> | \$385 | 9th-12th |
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| Conservatory | FundMusic | Fundamentals of Music | 0.25 | This course will cover the basics of musicianship, notation, ear training, written harmony and keyboard harmony. There will be written homework, ear training and keyboard practice. Students study music theory and composition and will be expected to compose and perform (or direct/organize a performance of) their original scores. Students will compose vocal and instrumental pieces. | \$385 | 9th-12th |
| Conservatory | MTD | Musical Theater Dance | 0.25 | This class will cover the basics of ballet as well as jazz and modern dance. Emphasis will be given on terminology and dance steps. Requirements: Jazz shoes, leotard and tights. | \$385 | 9th-12th |



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| Conservatory | PlatArt | Platform Arts | 0.25 | <p>This class will deal with the following areas on a more advanced level:</p> <p>Voice: (7 weeks) This class will cover voice fundamentals using the International Phonetic Alphabet and Dialect so that students develop vocal resonance, projection, and articulation and the natural connection of voice to action playing.</p> <p>Stage Movement: (7 weeks) This class also explores basic stage movement and elements of the physical regimen in order to develop physical coordination, flexibility, strength and awareness of the body in presentation space.</p> <p>Oral Interpretation: (14 weeks) Students will become familiar with the different types of literary works that can serve as solo performances and will learn how to approach the oral performance of each genre: dramatic narrative, poetry, solo acting and more.</p> <p>Requirements: Participation in an arts festival competition. Textbook: <i>Oral Interpretation</i> BJU Textbook.</p> | \$385 | 9th-12th |
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| Conservatory | SenPort | Senior Portfolio and Practicum | 0.25 | <p>This class will be an independent study with an instructor who will look at the comprehensive work of the student and help them decide on a senior project. Homework: 1-2 hours a week.</p> <p>Requirements: All seniors who are fully enrolled in the Conservatory Program will be expected to complete a senior project/portfolio.</p> | \$195 | 9th-12th |
| Conservatory | WV | Worldview | 0.5 | <p>Students will learn God's Word as the foundation to understanding the world around them. Reading, class discussion, scripture memorization and engaging lectures will help the students to better grasp the core doctrines of the Christian faith and better understand their own beliefs. Students will be expected to read assigned material and to engage in the class conversation by asking questions and responding to other students and the instructor. This course seeks to help high school students better grasp and deepen their faith in Biblical truth in an era of pragmatism, false tolerance and a denial of absolutes. (cont.)</p> | \$385 | 9th-12th |



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| | | | | <p>History of the time period being studied in the Academy rotation will be included in our research and discussions.</p> <p>Curriculum: Artios <i>Home Companion Series</i> and Summit Ministries <i>Understanding the Faith Series</i></p> | | |
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