

## LOGOS SCHOOL SECOND SEMESTER ELECTIVES 2018-19

**Anatomy & Physiology** – Mrs. Jackie Courtney (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades, 15 students) – This elective provides a general overview of the structure and function of the human body and its eleven organ systems. In addition to normal lectures and class work, the course includes several dissections.

**Annual** – Mrs. Spencer (15 students) – Students will learn digital photography and the basics of page design. These skills will be used to produce the Logos Annual using the yearbook software online. The school has a limited number of computers for student use. It is preferable that they use their own personal laptop. There are a limited number of digital cameras owned by the school if a student does not have access to one. 1<sup>st</sup> semester annual is a prerequisite for enrollment.

**Beginning French** – Mrs. Kari Christophersen (12 students). This course will introduce the basics of the French language to secondary students with no previous background. Students will learn French vocabulary, grammar, pronunciation, culture, and of course, conversation.

**Music** – Mr. Snell – (*Required for JH students with last names that start with A-L in the fall and M-Z in the spring. Open to HS students as well.*) – We will be preparing a variety of musical pieces for several performance opportunities. We will also be building upon our knowledge of music theory and history as we seek to glorify God in all we sing.

**Boys Conditioning** – Mr. Holloway (8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade boys, 30 students) – This class focuses on improving the strength and quickness of our high school athletes. Class begins at 8:00 AM and uses a number of stations in the weight room and gym.

**Girls Conditioning** – Mrs. Driskill (8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade girls, 15 students) – This class uses high intensity interval training to improve strength, speed, and agility through repeated max intensity body weight strength moves and cardio, with brief lower intensity breaks. Class begins at 8:00 AM and will take place on the gym floor and outside (weather permitting).

**Computer Programming** – Mr. Mike Hewitt (10 students) – Students will learn to create computer programs through a variety of projects such as a Morse code generator, Pig Latin translator, maze generator, tic-tac-toe algorithm and others. Lectures will include computer terminology, history, the impact of computers on society, what computers can and cannot do, and binary representation of information. Some homework will be required. Required materials: Curiosity, imagination, laptop (Mac or Windows with WiFi).

**Foundations in Personal Finance** – Mr. Dickison (15 students, \$20 materials fee) – An anonymous donor has made available Dave Ramsey's Financial Literacy curriculum! This class will set students on a path to win with money, allowing them to change the way they look at money forever. They will be empowered, equipped and entertained while building confidence in their own financial decision-making.

**Oil Painting** – Mrs. Perley (16 students, \$35 materials fee) – Students will learn the grammar of painting, experiment with composition and style, and learn how to paint with oils. Incoming students need to have at least a moderate ability to draw.

**Internship** – Mrs. Merkle (seniors only) – Seniors should refer to the Senior Course Options information packet ([logosschool.com](http://logosschool.com)) for more information on this elective option. This elective does not meet during the normal elective times.

**Latin Tutor** – Mrs. Harlow – This elective is for new students who are beginning their Latin studies as well as more experienced students who need additional instruction and practice in order to be successful in their current Latin class.

**Keyboarding** – Mrs. Miller (14 students) – This is a beginning typing course. It is highly recommended for junior high school students and others who cannot type.

**And There Were None** – Mrs. Marston (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade) – Christie's works have been popular since she started writing them in the 1920s, and she is particularly well known for her ingenious plots. Christie herself acknowledged that this book was her favorite, although the most difficult, to write. The book will be read aloud in class, accompanied by comments and discussion. Each student is expected to supply their own non-electronic copy of the novel.

**Pre-Algebra/Algebra I Tutor** – Mrs. Hewitt (7th - 10th grade, 12 students) – This class is for anyone wanting extra review and practice with Pre-Algebra and Algebra I concepts. Geometry students will not be included in this class for the spring.