

USLR Summer Enrichment Workshops

Academic Management

For rising 7th–10th grade students August 19th–22nd | 1:00–3:30 pm | 4-day Workshop Limited to 10 students | \$275

In middle and high school, children need to juggle multiple teachers with different expectations, and are expected to be predominantly independent. It is beneficial to foster executive function skills as much as possible. Jen McKernan, USLR Director of Academic Support, will focus on study skills necessary for success in the Upper School. Topics will include planning and prioritizing time, organizing space and materials, preparing for tests/quizzes, and test-taking strategies.

Latin Basics Bootcamp

For rising 8th–9th grade students August 19th–22nd | 1:00–3:30 pm | 4-day Workshop Limited to 12 students | \$275

Students will walk through an overview of English grammar, learn study methods for memorizing vocabulary words, and review translation basics.

Mathematician's Toolbox

For Rising 8th–10th grade students August 19th–22nd | 9:00 am–12:30 pm | 4-day Workshop Limited to 12 students | \$350

Morgan Johnson, a CCA math teacher, will help students develop and sharpen the mathematical tools needed to identify, represent, and solve problems, justify conclusions, and apply mathematics to practical situations. The idea behind this workshop is to fill gaps, shore up foundations and create the confidence needed for students to succeed in their next Math course at CCA. Topics will be organized around five conceptual categories: Number and Quantity, Arithmetic, Algebra, Functions, and Displays of Data. Students will also learn how to properly utilize technology to increase efficiency and enhance understanding.

Rhetoric Primer

Required for any new 10th, 11th, and 12th grade students September 3rd | 12:00–2:00 pm Lunch is provided and there is no cost

This 2-hour workshop taught by CCA teachers takes place after school on the first day of school (which is a half day). This workshop seeks to introduce an overview of both language and concepts covered in earlier Logic and Rhetoric classes at CCA (between grades 7 and 10).

For more information or to sign up for any USLR Summer Enrichment Workshops, email Tracy Bennett, Dean of Academics at tracy.bennett@ccamail.org.