



SUMMER 2025

Upper School OFFERINGS

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Pine Crest School offers currently enrolled Upper School students an opportunity to complete required courses, study a new topic or pursue knowledge in a particular subject in advance of the upcoming academic year. Summer courses allow for students to concentrate on one content area without other demands on their schedule, accelerate in a subject area or fulfill a graduation requirement.

All courses are taught by Pine Crest faculty and will be on campus unless otherwise stated.

REGISTRATION OPENS FOR GRADE NINE, ATHLETIC AND PINE CREST SUMMER PROGRAMS DECEMBER 13, 2024.

REGISTRATION FOR ALL OTHER COURSES OPENS FEBRUARY 6, 2025.

ACADEMIC CREDIT COURSES

GRADE NINE

Social Impact through Entrepreneurship (SITE) *(Formerly GDCC)*
Health

GRADES 10 TO 12

Constitutional Law Honors with Immersion Trip to Washington D.C.
Creative Writing Honors Online
Research Methods in Molecular Biology Honors

NON-CREDIT COURSES

Bridge to Success: Algebra II Summer Packet Review
Bridge to Success: Precalculus Summer Packet Review
Preview: Biology AP
Preview: Biology Honors

ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

High Performance Rowing Camp (Grades Nine to 12)

PINE CREST SUMMER

CIT Leadership (Grade Nine)
Camp Counselor

Course	Session Dates*	Cost	Academic Credit	Grades
Bridge to Success: Algebra II Packet	August 13 to 15	\$750	Non-Credit	9-10
Bridge to Success: Precalculus Packet	August 13 to 15	\$750	Non-Credit	10-11
Preview: Biology AP	August 13 to 15	\$750	Non-Credit	11-12
Preview: Biology Honors	August 13 to 15	\$750	Non-Credit	10

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Summer academic courses are condensed and move at an accelerated pace. Each day of a summer course is equivalent to one week of a semester course. Students are expected to attend each day and remain in the class for the duration. **In addition, students must be present on the first and last day of class.** Missing any part of these sessions results in a loss of instruction vital to success in the course. A student may be required to withdraw if there is more than one absence or tardy recorded. Pine Crest School will be closed on Thursday, June 19, and Friday, July 4, 2024, in observance of Juneteenth and Independence Day.

SUMMER PAYMENTS AND REFUNDS

A non-refundable deposit of \$100 is due upon registration. **For courses with an immersion trip, payment is due in full by Friday, March 28, 2025. For all other courses and programs, payment in full is due by Friday, May 2, 2025.** All payments are non-refundable and non-transferable. Courses with low enrollment may be canceled. If a course is canceled, families will be notified in early May and a full refund will be issued.



Please use the website <https://pcauxiliary.campbrainregistration.com/> to register for any Upper School Summer Programs. Registration for non-credit courses will close approximately one month before the first day of class.

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BRIDGE TO SUCCESS AND PREVIEW NON-CREDIT COURSES

8:00 a.m. TO 12:00 p.m. | Wednesday, August 13 to Friday, August 15 | Investment: \$750

BRIDGE TO SUCCESS: ALGEBRA II SUMMER PACKET REVIEW

This non-credit course is designed to prepare students for their upcoming Algebra 2 mathematics class by offering assistance with their summer packets. The instructor will not only address specific questions from the summer packets but will also reinforce key concepts and topics that are particularly challenging.

Prerequisite: Enrolled in an Algebra II Class next year

BRIDGE TO SUCCESS: PRECALCULUS SUMMER PACKET REVIEW

This non-credit course is designed to prepare students for their upcoming Precalculus mathematics class by offering assistance with their summer packets. The instructor will not only address specific questions from the summer packets but will also reinforce key concepts and topics that are particularly challenging.

Prerequisite: Enrolled in a Precalculus Class next year

PREVIEW: BIOLOGY AP

This class is designed for students entering Biology AP in the fall with the goal of providing assistance and direction to the summer reading guide of Chapters 1 through 5. This refresher course will also help prepare students for their first test, review important content, and provide a foundation in scientific thinking and quantitative reasoning skills. The focus will be on scientific inquiry and problem-solving, hypothesis testing, data analysis and graphing, mathematical modeling, and descriptive and inferential statistics.

Teacher: Andrew Schwartz

Prerequisite: Enrolled in Biology AP next year

PREVIEW: BIOLOGY HONORS

This class is designed for students entering Biology Honors in the fall who wish to reinforce their knowledge of chemistry, the scientific method as it applies to Biology, and key vocabulary to guide understanding. The course will provide a review of the summer packet as well as in-depth coverage of Chapter 1 (Exploring Life) and Chapter 2 (The Chemical Basis of Life). The focus will be on developing critical thinking skills required for thoughtful examination of the role of science in society, and success in Biology Honors.

Prerequisite: Enrolled in Biology Honors next year