

Mid-Missouri Christian Homeschool Cooperative Class Schedule 2024-2025

The Mid-Missouri Christian Homeschool Cooperative will be meeting for 12 weeks during the fall of 2025 (Sept. 8, 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 13, 27, Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24, and Dec. 1) and 12 weeks during the spring of 2025 (Feb. 23, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, April 13, 20, 27, May 4, 11, and May 18). Classes will be meeting Monday afternoons at Logan Street Church of Christ on Moberly.

Cost to attend classes is \$150 per family. A few classes may have extra costs that are noted in their descriptions.

Fall Block

This is a 12 week block with a 1 week vacation October 20.

Nursery and Toddler Room (approximate ages 0-3)

Currently nursery kids will need to be in the preschool class or with their attending parent.

Preschool (approximate ages 3-5)

First Hour - Eleora Watson

Second Hour - Erinn Stevenson

No supplies needed

Elementary Class (approximate ages 5-8)

First Hour - Musical with Sarah Hays

Musical Students will learn songs and motions to 5-7 songs. I will assign some parts to older children and we will work to prepare our musical. I hope to have us “perform” on the last day of the semester during the opening time.

*Parts will be done in the reader's theater style. I do not expect any parts to be memorized

Second Hour - Anatomy with Ashley Moore

We are going to learn all about our body while building a lifesize model of one!

Supplies Needed: scissors, glue

Upper Elementary (approximate ages 8-11)

First Hour- Crafts with Beth Ann Schad

We will be learning a variety of types of crafts and how we can give God glory in being able to do things.

Supplies needed: sewing needles, thread, scissors or safety scissors, air dry clay, paints and brushes, markers, pleather or leather already in strips, pencils, colored paper, paper or safety scissors, stick glue, NO glitter, printer or colored paper for airplanes or origami

Second Hour- American Sign Language Basics with Sarah Hays

This will be an introduction to the basics of ASL.

Intermediate Class (approximate ages 11-14)

First Hour - Biblical Citizenship with David Swindell and Jeremiah Terrell

This class will be based on US history, the constitution and your amendment rights. And how the founding fathers intended the bible to be the founding principle and the only way for our country to be established and remain free!

Second Hour - Hymn Study with Emily Stoldt

In this hymn study course, students will explore the rich history, theology, and meaning behind classic Christian hymns. Each week, we'll study a hymn's background, memorize selected verses, and discuss its connection to Scripture and worship. The course encourages thoughtful reflection and a deeper appreciation for the role of hymns in the Christian faith.

Advanced Class (approximate ages 14-18)

First Hour- Read, Write, Repeat with Robert Williams

Read to be a better thinker. Write to be a better thinker. Talk about what you read and write to be a better critical thinker.

"Common sense is what tells us the earth is flat. It is not true that 'we have only one life to live'; if we can read, we can live as many more lives and as many kinds of lives as we wish."
by Samuel Ichiye Hayakawa from Language in Thought and Action

Supplies needed: paper and pencils

OR Biblical Citizenship with David Swindell and Jeremiah Terrell (see above)

Second Hour- Novel Writing with LB Ammon

We are going to prepare for National Novel Writing Month by going over character development, plot lines, settings, etc. Then we will spend the month of November writing our novels!

Supplies needed: a notebook and pens or pencils for planning; more supplies may be needed later in the block when putting together your novel

OR Hymn Study with Emily Stoldt (see above)

Fall Extras:

PE - TBA

This is an optional class that will take place from 12:45-1:40 pm each Monday. Any parent registering their child for this will help with teaching; the number of weeks required will depend on the number of parents who register.

Etiquette with Beth Ann Schad (ages 10 and up)

This class takes place on Monday after the 2 normal class periods, so from 4-5 pm.

We will cover introductions, conversations, letters, emails, texts, telephone manners, mealtime manners from plain to fancy, have a lesson on table setting, etc.

We hope to put what the kids learn into practice at a fancy meal.

Supplies needed: Students may be asked to bring in dishes that are not breakable or you are ok with the possibility of breaking to practice table setting

Programming with Battle Bots! with Nathan Moore (ages 12 and up)

I will be working with the students to develop AI programs to compete against other students in different challenges. Supplies Required: a laptop, a Steam account, and purchasing the game "Gladiabots." 2 students may share a laptop, but parents need to make those arrangements ahead of time as I will not be able to. The game purchase should be \$10-15, so there is no fee for this class this year.

Our current plan is to host this class from 6:30-8:30 pm Monday evening at our house. If the class gets too large, we may look at moving it. Hopefully, this works for everyone involved, and all co-op classes will be over on Monday! Nathan does not think this class will require the full 12 weeks, so we are going to start it September 22, have 4 weeks of class, have our normal break week, have 4 more weeks of classes and be finished. So, the dates will look as follows: Sept. 22 Sept. 29, Oct. 6, Oct. 13, Oct. 27, Nov. 3, Nov. 10, Nov. 17 for a total of 8 classes.

Supplies Required: a laptop, a Steam account, and purchasing the game "Gladiabots."

Spring Block

This is a 12 week block with a 1 week vacation April 6.

Nursery and Toddler Room (approximate ages 0-3)

Currently nursery kids will need to be in the preschool class or with their attending parent.

Preschool (approximate ages 3-5)

First Hour - Maci Goehringer

Second Hour - Josh Penrod

Elementary Class (approximate ages 5-8)

First Hour - Bugs! with Noelle Terrell

We're going to focus on a different creepy-crawly friend every week using interesting books, poems, art & other hands-on activities for our learning time!

Second Hour - Music Appreciation with Maci Goehringer

We'll spend this class learning the basics of music, such as notes, instruments, and genres.

Upper Elementary (approximate ages 8-11)

First Hour- Kitchen Basics with Amy Martel

Students will learn the basics they need to feel comfortable and safe in the kitchen. They'll practice using kitchen tools, learn how to measure ingredients, follow simple recipes, and try easy cooking methods like mixing, chopping, and baking. Kids will also learn about kitchen safety, cleanliness, and how to work together while cooking.

Second Hour- Art with Bethany Hart

We will study various famous artists, a different one each week, and imitate their technique or style.

Supplies needed: heavyweight drawing or mixed media paper either loose leaf or in a drawing pad, and a pencil.

Optional: a paint shirt

Intermediate Class (approximate ages 11-14)

First Hour - Debate with LB Ammon

We plan to go over the basic logical arguments and fallacies to learn how to structure and take part in a debate.

Second Hour - Kitchen Basics with Amy Martel

Students will learn the basics they need to feel comfortable and safe in the kitchen. They'll practice using kitchen tools, learn how to measure ingredients, follow simple recipes, and try easy cooking methods like mixing, chopping, and baking. Kids will also learn about kitchen safety, cleanliness, and how to work together while cooking.

Advanced Class (approximate ages 14-18)

First Hour- Child Development with Sarah Hays

Students will learn about child development from conception to age 5. We will discuss physical, emotional, learning/academic development.

Second Hour- Psychology in Family Relationships with Nathan Moore

This class can be substituted if someone else wants to teach this age group.

OR Chemistry Lab with Ashley Moore

This will be a two hour class limited to 6 students.

In this Chemistry lab we will perform experiments that will cover many of the major concepts in Chemistry. Since this is a lab only, students need to study their own chemistry curriculum at home. We will be writing lab reports for the experiments we do as well. In order to perform the calculations needed, students will need to have already completed the first half of algebra 1.

Supplies needed: Composition notebook for lab reports and pencils

Spring Extras:

PE - TBA

This class is dependent on how the fall class goes, but assuming it is well received this class will follow the same pattern.

This is an optional class that will take place from 12:45-1:40 pm each Monday. Any parent registering their child for this will help with teaching; the number of weeks required will depend on the number of parents who register.

Theatre Production with Bonnie Carter and Nathan Moore (Ages 8 and up)

A specific play has not been selected yet, but as always we will be putting on a play as well as learning how to be a team player, build confidence, and more as we learn all about theatre and what it takes to put on a play.

Rehearsals will be each Monday from 4:00-6:00 pm. Production week will be sometime at the end of May but is yet to be decided.

The theatre class has an additional cost of \$50 per family if you are participating in weekly classes.

****Limited spots may be available to non-co-op members. If spots remain after all co-op members are admitted, non-co-op members will be allowed at a cost of \$200 for the first student and \$150 for each additional student.*