

Hands-on Studies

- Each *Simply Studies* class includes hands-on learning and take home assignments. Homework is encouraged for greater retention.
- Testing is done to encourage mastery.
- A report card will be given at the end of each session to showcase the child's learning achievements in a continually positive manner.
- Class can get messy at times. Please dress accordingly.
- Each class has a minimum registration of 10 students. If this minimum is not met, the class may be cancelled at the discretion of the instructor.
- Class rotations max out at 18 students. Please secure your spot early.
- Parents are welcome to attend our classes at no extra cost or drop their child(ren) off. If dropping off, please be prompt in picking up your child(ren) when class is over.

About Us

Akron Fossils and Science Center is a learning center that explores many scientific models in historical and operational science. These models do include Creation Science, Intelligent Design, and Catastrophism.

Our *Simply Studies* classes teach with an open mind and encourage critical thinking, allowing the students to decide for themselves in complicated areas of understanding.



2080 S. Cleveland-Massillon Rd.
Copley, OH 44321

Location

Conveniently located in Copley Township only fifteen minutes from downtown Akron.



Find and print driving directions on our website.



Other things to do...

Akron Fossils and Science Center has many other learning opportunities along with a play park where you can have fun on a Giant Slide, 200 ft. long Zip Line, 4-man Helicopter Swing... and much more! We also have a play area for the younger children and a picnic area for bringing lunches. Admission to the museum or the park is separate from all class fees.

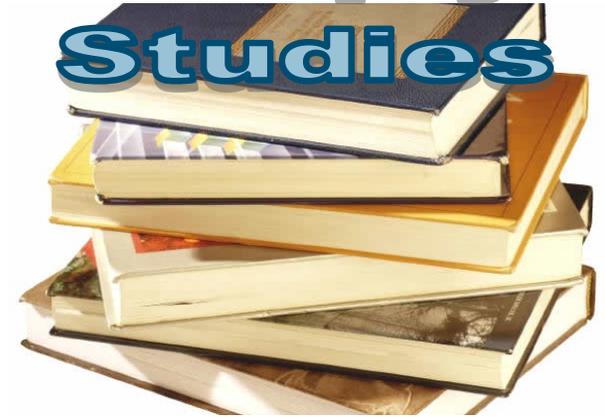
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Studies



- **Who:** Home Educated Students in the 6–12th grades
- **What:** A studies program that offers many classes that run during the school year with 2 sessions (Fall and Spring) that consist of 28 weeks total.
- **When:** Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m.–12p.m.
- **Where:** Akron Fossils and Science Center
- **Why:** To engage students in many areas of study.
- **Cost:** Varies per class. Books are a requirement and must be purchased separately.
- **Payment Plan:** After the initial \$100 deposit, payments can be made throughout the year in 7 monthly installments.
- **Discounts:** A 10% sibling discount is available for each child after the first on any of our Simply programs.



Fall: Sept. 10–Dec. 10, 2019

(*No class on Nov. 26 due to Thanksgiving)

Spring: Jan. 07–Apr. 21, 2020

(*No class on Mar. 31 due to Spring Break)

American History

Tuesdays, 9:30–11a.m.



- **Participants:** 6-12th
- **Instructor:** Alysha Schall
- **Supplies Needed:** Prentice Hall United States History
- **Cost:** \$370

Students will learn the history of America, beginning with the establishment of the first successful colony of Jamestown in 1607 and ending with the Cold War. The class will aim to explore not only important dates and events in American history, but to prompt students to think critically, connect concepts and ideas, and to better understand how the events of early and early-modern America have shaped the nation we live in today.

God and the History of Art

Tuesdays, 11a.m. –12 p.m.



- **Participants:** 6-12th
- **Instructor:** Angie Hogan
- **Supplies Needed:** *God and the History of Art* by Barry Stebbing and a small supply list that will be sent home the first day of class
- **Cost:** \$240

As a high school fine arts credit, this course uses drawing, colored pencil, marker, and painting to explore the creativity of God, as shown by artists throughout history. Using the textbook as a guide, students will study and imitate art from ancient Egypt through the early renaissance periods. Students will learn about artists like Rembrandt, Jean Francois Millet, Gerard Horenbout, Constantinople, Leonardo DaVinci, Michelangelo, Raphael, Monet, Renoir, Peter Paul Rubens, Van Gough, and many more.



Miss Alysha Schall

Alysha Schall graduated from Indiana Wesleyan University with a bachelors in history in 2013 and obtained her masters in history from Youngstown State University in 2019.

She currently works at AFSC instructing and managing the social media and marketing. She also works as a museum educator at Hale Farm and Village.

Miss Alexandria Schall

Alexandria Schall is a graduate of Indiana Wesleyan University where she earned her bachelor's degree in Entrepreneurship.

She currently puts her passion for business and creativity to work as AFSC's Outreach Coordinator. In addition to her work with AFSC, she does freelance marketing for a number of organizations.

Alexandria loves working with the students and is excited to help harness their potential for achieving great things.



Mrs. Angie Hogan

Angie Hogan has educated her five children at home for 10 years and counting.

She studied Graphic Design in college which has ignited her passion for teaching art. She has taught various art classes over the last 9 years and loves to pass on her

knowledge and skill. Her main desire is to foster creativity by helping students develop their artistic gifts.

Fall: Sept. 12–Dec. 12, 2019

(*No class on Nov. 28 due to Thanksgiving)

Spring: Jan. 9–Apr. 23, 2020

(*No class on Apr. 02 due to Spring Break)

Learning Language Arts Through American Literature

Thursdays, 9:30–11a.m.



- **Participants:** 6-12th
- **Instructor:** Alysha Schall
- **Supplies Needed:** *Great American Short Stories* - Edited by Wallace and Mary Stegner, *The Mentor Book of Major American Poets* - Edited by Oscar Williams and Edwin Honig, *The Old Man and the Sea* - Ernest Hemingway, *The Pearl* - John Steinbeck, *The Red Badge of Courage* - Stephen Crane. Please note that the books needed for the course can be obtained from the library and will not all be needed at the same time.
- **Cost:** \$370

Using the curriculum, Learning Language Arts through American Literature by Greg Strayer, Ph.D., students will explore classic poems, short stories, and novels by the best and most influential American authors. Students will deepen their understanding of literature, develop the ability for verbal and written expression, and be enabled to interpret and access literary meaning in terms of content and philosophy and clearly state a position in response.

Intro to Entrepreneurship

Thursdays, 11–12 p.m.



- **Participants:** 6-12th
- **Instructor:** Alexandria Schall
- **Supplies Needed:** Three Ring Binder with Five Dividers and Notebook Paper
- **Cost:** \$240

Students will learn what it takes to develop, launch, and successfully run a business. Topics will include what it means to be an entrepreneur, business types, pieces of a business plan, funding sources, marketing, management, finance, and basic business law. During the course, students will develop a business idea together as a class and independently as they practice the skills they learn.