Fun and stimulating courses in STEM/STEAM, Reading, Writing, Mathematics, Science, Studio Arts, Performing Arts, Cartooning, Coding, Video Game Building, Athletics, and Test Preparation.
SATURDAY CLASSES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

SPRING 2019 SEMESTER
General Classes: March 2-May 18 (No classes March 23, April 6, 20, and 27)
NYS Regents Prep Classes: March 2-May 11 (No classes April 6, 20, and 27)
Swim Classes: March 2-May 4 (No classes April 20 and 27)
All classes are held on Saturday mornings, unless otherwise noted.
*Register one week prior to start date and receive a $25 discount per class.
(Discount does not apply to Pre collegiate classes.)

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Preschoolers Prepare to Read! – Part 1

Ages 3-4

Y1210-51    Y1210-52
8 sessions: $250  8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.  11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

As early as age 3, children are eager to read. This course is designed to develop and expand children’s early literacy skills by using oral language to develop reading and writing fluency. Each session is divided into several activities that reinforce skills that are important to reading. This is done through the use of games, songs, crafts, and storytelling.

Limited enrollment; register early!

Preschoolers Prepare to Read! – Part 2

Ages 4-5

Y1211-51    Y1211-52
8 sessions: $250  8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.  11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

This course is a continuation of our wonderful Preschoolers Prepare to Read! — Part I and provides a developmental opportunity for children to be introduced to more advanced levels of reading. Through this classroom adventure, your child will be better prepared for kindergarten. As we continue to expand your child’s reading and writing skills through linguistic and phonetic instruction, our instructor works with each child at their own pace.

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Kindergartners Prepare to Read

Ages 5-6

Y1212-51    Y1212-52
8 sessions: $250  8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.  11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

This course is the sequel to Preschoolers Prepare to Read! — Part 2 and focuses on the needs of students who are in kindergarten and want to continue to develop their skills. Additional emphasis is placed on the phonetic instruction of the pre-reader, while sight vocabulary is further enhanced.
Using a thematic approach to reading enrichment for the beginning reader, this program is designed for those who enjoy reading as well as those who need extra help. In-class instruction incorporates the use of vocabulary words, reading passages, and language arts skills to enhance the progress of the new reader. Themes include a variety of stimulating experiences that make reading fun and meaningful. Through the use of manipulatives, stories, and auditory and visual experiences, ideas come alive and excite children about reading.

This course is designed to assist students in expanding their comprehension skills and utilizing them as they become reading detectives. Students engage in close readings to analyze text. Through hands-on activities, they find text evidence to support their answers. Students not only become stronger readers, but also develop a love for reading that they can enjoy inside and outside the classroom.

The class caters to those who enjoy reading as well as those who need additional support. Students learn how to utilize comprehension strategies to become reading detectives as they close read. Students take part in hands-on activities that relate to the readings in class (based on themes) and begin to analyze content confidently inside and outside the classroom.

Building solid reading skills is essential for all successful students. Students build on comprehension, fluency, and decoding skills while increasing and expanding their vocabulary. Our small class environment allows students to feel comfortable and confident engaging in class lessons and discussions. Students will be able to take the skills learned and apply them to everyday reading as well as school assignments.

Does your child love to read? This is the place for them! In our Literature Circles of fun, we explore books that children have always wanted to read. Since all reading is done during class, peer discussion is a focal point of this course. Students receive their own copies of books as well as highlighters and sticky notes to track critical thinking while reading. The techniques learned strengthen students’ decoding, comprehension, and conversation skills. This literacy-based class is both engaging and advantageous!

The foundations of reading need to be developed and reinforced in order to achieve and maintain a successful school career. Students continue to strengthen their reading comprehension, fluency, and decoding skills. These essential skills can be transferred to all subject areas and used in various aspects of learning. Students will be able to apply these reading fundamentals to school work as well as everyday reading.
Writing

Beginning to Write

Y1410-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

This course is designed to meet the needs of emergent learners who require extra emphasis on writing skills. Students are motivated to write in a relaxed and supportive environment, using their everyday language and experiences. Imagination and creativity guide young writers to use developmentally appropriate spelling, organize their ideas, and increase their awareness of punctuation. Students use the different phases of the writing process – prewriting, revision, and editing – and learn to see themselves as authors and their work as literature.

Grammar 101

Y1460-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

This course is designed to give students a better understanding of grammar. Our goal is for students to work on a variety of skills and concepts, including the importance of capitalization and punctuation, sentence structure, parts of speech, and the introduction of more challenging vocabulary. Students are assessed through weekly spelling and vocabulary tests. This class enables each child to become a better writer and build a stronger vocabulary base.

Calling All Writers!

Y1420-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Students learn amazing writing tips while they explore the power behind the writing process. This class is challenging as well as exciting and engaging for each student. The main focus is aligned with the Common Core standards. Students write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly. Students write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences. For the concluding project, each student becomes the author of their own book.

Aspiring Authors Club

Y1422-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

This class inspires students with a passion for writing to follow their dreams and show their creativity on paper. With the use of literature from all genres, students create writing pieces that have descriptive details, organization, and sentence fluency, and express their individual voice. Works such as original short stories, poems, narrative essays, and skits are created in order to build students’ writing portfolios. A basic review of spelling, grammar, and punctuation is incorporated into the class to ensure steady progress for our young authors.
Ready, Set ... Write!

Y1423-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Grades 4-5

Send your child on an exciting journey toward becoming a more descriptive and creative writer. This class focuses on assisting and motivating young authors to add details to their works and make them come alive on paper. The incorporation of voice and word choice is a high priority. Students create original writing pieces to add to their portfolio.

How to Write Better

Y1413-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Grades 5-6

The best way to become a better writer is to practice, practice, and practice. Students complete weekly writing assignments while learning how to convey ideas quickly, clearly, and persuasively. Good writing reflects clear thinking—a process that serves the student throughout their lifetime. Activities include practical suggestions on writing style, organization and content of letters and essays, and how to write creatively.

English Grammar and Composition

Y1412-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Grades 6-8

Concentrating on grammar, punctuation, paragraphs, development of ideas, and sentence structure, students use templates and visual aids to improve their writing skills. This process enables writers to successfully complete paragraphs and essays. Moreover, students can then transfer the knowledge gained from this course to their individual school settings.

Pen to Paper in All Genres

Y1475-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Grades 7-12

This course invites young authors to challenge themselves as they enter the exciting world of literature. Students learn the fundamentals of literacy genres across the board, such as fiction, poetry, science fiction, nonfiction, historical fiction, memoirs, short stories, fairy tales, fantasy, and drama. With the infusion of NYS Regents-based literacy elements and language skills, students celebrate creativity and individuality. Much of what is taught in this course helps students with their English school curricula by further enhancing their writing abilities in a well-rounded fashion. The instructor encourages students to take both risks and pride in their work while having fun!

Assessment Writing

Y1416-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Grades 9-12

This course prepares students for assessment (Regents/AP/SAT) essays: thematic essays, document-based questions (DBQs), and critical lenses. We examine the best ways to organize, interpret, and analyze both the information given and the student’s content knowledge to assist the student in creating a cohesive final essay. We work on structure and layout by outlining and drafting before the final essay is written. This is a great course for any student preparing to take or retake any writing examination.
Mathematics

Kindergarten Math

Y2105-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Ages 5-6

This course focuses on the building blocks that all kindergartners need to be successful in math. Using hands-on, interactive activities, students learn to form and identify numbers, recognize patterns, distinguish shapes, and much more.

Big Ideas for Young Mathematicians

Y2110-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Grades 1-2

Y2110-52
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

While learning topics such as time, money, patterns, and logic in this interactive course, students discover mathematical concepts and learn to apply them in their everyday worlds. This course is designed to foster a love of math by engaging in hands-on activities that inspire students to love math!

More Math, Please

Y2485-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Grades 2-3

This course is appropriate for both the hesitant mathematician and those who simply love math. Each week a different math skill is reinforced through fun and creative approaches. In this class, we practice working with numbers, operations, money, time, algebra, graphing, probability, measurement, and word problems.

Math Mania

Y2480-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Grades 3-4

Students engage in activities that help develop their mathematical abilities. Possible topics include place value, estimation/rounding, logic, properties of addition and multiplication, algebra, fractions, decimals, problem solving, geometry, exponents, statistics/probability, and factors/multiples. Students are encouraged to work cooperatively as a class as well as in small groups and pairs. Any student who enjoys learning while having fun will enjoy this class!

Making Sense of Math

Y2495-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Grades 4-5

In both small and large group settings, the most challenging topics of grades 5 and 6 are addressed: fractions, decimals, percentages, mean, median, mode, probability, signed numbers, and word problems, to name a few. Students are encouraged to ask questions and discover how math can be made easy once they acquire the skills taught in this course.

Math Made Easy – Part I

Y2450-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Grades 5-6

This course is for students who need help in solving more difficult math problems involving decimals, fractions, percents, and signed numbers, as well as algebraic equations and word problems. We spend time reviewing basic concepts, and we use practice exercises within small group settings to reinforce concepts and their applications. Students are encouraged to bring work from their regular school math class to use as examples.

Math Made Easy – Part II

Y2470-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Grades 7-8

This course is for students who need help in solving more difficult math problems involving decimals, fractions, percents, and signed numbers, as well as algebraic equations and word problems. We spend time reviewing basic concepts, and we use practice exercises within small group settings to reinforce concepts and their applications. Students are encouraged to bring work from their regular school math class to use as examples.
Children explore a variety of science topics through literature, poems, arts and crafts, hands-on activities, outdoor nature exploration, and educational games. Activities are conducted each week that not only introduce major science concepts, but also teach general thinking skills such as patterns, shapes, colors, sequencing, sorting, graphing, measuring, comparing, and observing. Children eagerly get involved in hands-on activities organized around various themes.

Limited enrollment; register early!

**Ages 4-5**

**Stepping Stones in Science**

Y3100-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

**Young Science Investigators**

Y3110-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**Science – The First Step**

Y3111-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Y3111-52
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**Applied Science**

Y3112-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**Young Inventors at Work**

Y3113-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

**Crime Scene Investigation: Forensic Science**

Y3515-51
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Y3500-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

The amazing life of the earthworm, the underwater life of the squid, intriguing rocks and minerals, the excitement of the dinosaur – these and many other wonders of science are presented to our young future scientists through hands-on experiences. Different experiments are taught each season so that our students are able to continue their scientific experience throughout the year!

Limited enrollment; register early!

Grades K-1

Grades 1-2

Grades 2-4

Grades 3-4

Grades 5-6

Grades 7-8
Every successful student starts with a solid foundation in studying. As students progress in their academic careers, study skills, time management, note-taking, organizational skills, and test-taking techniques play an integral part in their achievements. This class focuses on these fundamental components to improve a child’s way of studying and learning.

Public Speaking/Debate

Y8230-51
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Grades 7-12

Students learn and develop the skills necessary for public speaking as well as strong debate tactics. Students are given the opportunity to develop their speeches through writing, and practice the delivery of their messages through oral presentations in class. Students customize their speeches to different audiences to enhance delivery styles, and work individually and in teams to practice group debating skills. This course allows students to set and reach personal goals to confidently and dynamically express themselves verbally.

Girl Scouts of Nassau County

Hofstra Saturday Classes and Girl Scouts of Nassau County are proud to collaborate on offering classes in which students can earn badges. The following courses have been approved by Girl Scouts of Nassau County. Please refer to Girl Scouts of Nassau County Possibilities Program and Event Guide for program/badge details. Please contact the Hofstra Saturday Classes office at 516-463-7400 for registration discount information.

- Young Inventors at Work
- Crime Scene Investigation: Forensic Science
- Public Speaking/Debate
- Cartooning: Intermediate
- Advanced Cartooning
- Cartoon Sculpture
- Methods in Clay
- Advanced Methods in Clay
- Scratch: Introduction to Coding
- Introduction to Software Development: Python
- Build Your Own Website: HTML5/CSS3
- Internet Hardware Hacks: IoT (Internet of Things)
- GBA: Starburst Video Game Development
- GBA: Video Game App Design
- GBA: Virtual Reality Game Design
- GBA: Motion Capture Animation
- GBA: YouTube Studio
- GBA: 3D Printing and Animation
- En Garde! Beginner
- Beginner Swim
- Advanced Beginner Swim
- Intermediate Swim
- Pre-Lifeguard Training Skills Program
- Tennis
Hofstra Gifted Academy (HGA) is designed to enrich the lives of advanced students by expanding the scope of experiences provided by their school, while stimulating new creative interests. Students take part in three courses every Saturday morning in their choice of mathematics, science, humanities, and language arts, while being educationally challenged by their instructors in this eight-week program. Each semester brings new courses to the Gifted Academy, so register now to prepare your student for years of intellectual stimulation.

Students who wish to participate in the Hofstra Gifted Academy must submit an application and $50 nonrefundable application fee. The application can be found online at ce.hofstra.edu/forms. Once accepted to the Hofstra Gifted Academy, students can register for HGA courses in the current semester or any future semester.

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**Cartooning**

**Introduction to Cartooning**

Y6100-51
8 sessions: $265
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Y6100-52
8 sessions: $265
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**Cartooning: Intermediate**

Y6200-51
8 sessions: $265
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Y6200-52
8 sessions: $265
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

With step-by-step instructions, participants learn to draw some of today's most popular characters while they are introduced to perspective and the proper way to ink and color their work. Students create their own original comic strips, comic books, storyboards, and more with the support and guidance of the instructor. *Limited enrollment; register early!*

**Advanced Cartooning**

Y6300-51
8 sessions: $265
9:30-10:55 a.m.

Students learn the basics of cartooning, including character structure, penciling, inking, coloring, and storytelling, through a series of fun and creative projects such as creating their own character key chains, cards, and buttons, and making their own comic strips.

**Cartoon Sculpture**

Y6500-51
8 sessions: $265
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Students expand their artistic skills by modeling characters from polymer clay on a wire armature. Students also have the opportunity to create action figures, which is quite the rage in the toy industry. Emphasis is on originality and creativity, resulting in finished 3D sculptures. These cartoon sculptures are excellent additions to the professional portfolio of a cartoonist, animator, or fine artist.

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**Girl Scouts of Nassau County**

- GBA: Starburst Video Game Development
- GBA: Video Game App Design
- GBA: Virtual Reality Game Design
- GBA: Motion Capture Animation
- GBA: YouTube Studio
- 3D Printing and Animation
- En Garde! Beginner
- Beginner Swim
- Advanced Beginner Swim
- Intermediate Swim
- Pre-Lifeguard Training Skills Program
- Tennis
Children explore works of art, books about famous artists, and how art is an expression of who we are. Students create their own artistic masterpieces using paint, clay, pastel, marker, chalk, and recycled materials.

Children have fun while they learn about art! Exciting lessons are aligned with NYS and Common Core Visual Art standards to enhance the depth of personal growth within each child. In this class, we use a wide variety of art materials to create art based on the works of famous artists.

The goal of this course is to encourage students to unleash their imaginations by learning the basic skills of working with clay. In this beginning class, students not only learn techniques, but also start to use color application to express their ideas. Using wheel throwing and hand building techniques, past projects have included pottery making, small structures, and the human form. *No experience is necessary.*

*Parents are welcome to register.*

In this advanced class, participants continue to explore the medium of clay while pushing the boundaries of their ideas and imagination. The class expands students' knowledge of hand building, wheel throwing, and color application techniques. Some prior experience is beneficial, but most important is the willingness to try new approaches. Examples of projects created in this class include the figure, hybrid animals, small structures, and pottery making. *Parents are welcome to register.*

This class gives students the opportunity to explore a variety of mediums and artist tools as well as create original work that reflects their own personal vision. Instruction is given in the artistic process using mediums such as pencil, pen and ink, pastels, charcoal, and watercolor painting.

This class instructs students in the process of creating a coherent portfolio that reflects their own personal vision. Instruction is given in how to take an original idea from rough sketch to finished piece using mediums such as pencil, pen and ink, pastels, color pencils, markers, and watercolor and acrylic painting. The class also emphasizes basic concepts such as anatomy and composition.
Performing Arts

Beginning Piano
Y7110-51
Grades 3-7
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.
This course is for both beginners and those who have given up on conventional lessons. Students are introduced to music fundamentals and piano study. Instruction is provided by an experienced piano teacher, with an emphasis on becoming comfortable with the electronic keyboard. **Students must have the use of a piano or electronic keyboard at home.**

Guitar for Beginners
Y7130-51
Grades 3-12
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
This course introduces students to the fundamentals of guitar playing. Musical principles such as melody (single notes), harmony (chords), and rhythm (timing) are covered. The instructor, an experienced teacher and performer, presents the guitar in a variety of stylistic settings (i.e., rock, jazz, blues, classical). Whether your child is seeking to acquire a new skill or develop existing ones, they are sure to benefit from this enjoyable musical experience. **Students must provide their own guitar.**

Voice Training:
Show Stoppers, Act 1
Y7310-51
Grades 2-5
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.
Does your child have dreams of performing on Broadway? Students get a taste of musical theater through individual and ensemble preparations. Audition preparation, musical staging, voice training, and movement are discussed, but the emphasis is on teaching the novice as well as the more experienced student the process of creating a musical number for the stage and presenting it to an audience. Vocal warm-ups and exercises help to strengthen students’ voices and prepare students for singing and projecting onstage. All participants have the opportunity to perform a solo song as well as a group number in the final production, which is open to family, friends, and guests.

Voice Training:
Show Stoppers, Act 2
Y7315-51
Grades 2-5
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
This course continues to emphasize the presentation of musical performances to an audience, but it is more focused on specific one-on-one training and interaction with musical director Bruce Katz. We’re taking it to another level, and if your child has higher aspirations as a performer, then this is the class for them. As with Show Stoppers, Act 1, the finale to the class is a musical revue that is open to family, friends, and guests.

A Star Is Born
Y7360-51
Grades 2-5
8 sessions: $250
9:30-10:55 a.m.
“The entire world’s a stage,” and magic happens on ours, as students explore the excitement of performance. Students’ imaginations will soar as they cast off inhibitions while progressing from simple theater games and improvisations to a polished presentation on a campus stage. **No prior acting experience is necessary.**

Theater Games and Improv
Y7455-51
Grades 2-5
8 sessions: $250
11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Theater games and improv give students a little fun out of the cold. It’ll be a belly full of laughs as students use their imagination to spark their creativity, express their emotions, and entertain their peers. With no lines to memorize, students get to put the ha-ha back in their funny bone while gaining confidence on stage. **No prior experience is necessary.**
Virtual Reality Game Design

In this next-level game design course, students create advanced fully 3D video games with industry standard Unity software, and best of all, are able to test them out in true virtual reality with the Oculus Rift VR headset! Students will see their game programming skills skyrocket as they learn to program their own 3D games using authentic C# coding. While developing their game projects, students learn the same concepts and techniques that professional game programmers in the industry use every day, and will take their skills into a new dimension with all the amazing new features that 3D and virtual reality bring to the table. At the forefront of technology, this specialty course is a fantastic introduction to the world of computer science and advanced professional game development!

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3D Printing and Animation

This specialty course allows students to create their own 3D art, including 3D characters, environments, and animations – with no prior drawing or art experience required – and bring their creations into the real world using cutting-edge 3D printers! Whether in video games, at the movies, or on TV, 3D animation is everywhere, and students will be breaking into the industry using state-of-the-art software, MAXON’s Cinema 4D – the same software used by industry professionals! By the end of the course, each student will have created a multitude of digital 3D models and animations complete with textures, lighting, and other effects, as well as one or two 3D printed models to bring home for friends and family to see! Also, upon completion of the course, each student takes home an exclusive student copy of the powerful Cinema 4D software for free!

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Grades 5-12

Starburst Video Game Development – Level I

Young students learn how to create their own video games, all in a fun and encouraging atmosphere! Each day, students are introduced to a brand-new feature that they learn to add to their games, and apply basic math and science concepts to bring their games to life! Students also have tons of fun designing their own characters, levels, sounds, and backgrounds, using their own unique artwork and creativity. By the end of the course, each student will have created a fully working game, and will receive their game to take home for friends and family to play!

Video Game App Design

Students learn the fundamentals of video game development and app design as they design and program a fully functional video game from start to finish, complete with unique characters, levels, and backgrounds, and able to be tested and played on real mobile devices provided in the classroom! While developing their games, students use and strengthen their math, logic, communication, concentration, and critical thinking skills, as well as gain a great deal of self-confidence! By the end of the course, each student will gain a working knowledge of the technical and artistic concepts necessary in designing video games, and will receive their own finished game to bring home for friends and family to play!

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Grades 5-12

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9-10:55 a.m.

Y4040-51

8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.

Y407-51

8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.

Y4007-51

8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.

Y4087-51

8 sessions: $400
11:05 a.m.-1 p.m.

Y4031-51

8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.

Y4007-51

8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.

Y4087-51

8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.
In this special blended course, student engineers learn the fundamentals of robot engineering as they program their robots to move, spin, roll, throw, react, and compete before their very eyes! First, students use the renowned Lego Mindstorms robotics kits to build and program their robots. Students work in teams of two to four, strengthening their teamwork and cooperation skills. Together, they program their robots to see, hear, and perceive their surroundings using light, touch, and ultrasonic sensors! In addition, students use the cutting-edge Sphero Robotics kits (the same technology used in the Star Wars BB-8 droid) to program amazing motorized robots with custom remote controls, reactive collision detection, color lighting effects, and much more! Students put their newly acquired skills to work in exciting class challenges, including obstacle courses and races.

Please note: For this course, staff are not available to transport or accompany students to or from another Saturday course.

Lego and Sphero Robotics

Grades 2-5

Y4057-51
8 sessions: $400
11:05 a.m.-1 p.m.

Grades 6-12

Y4058-51
8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.

New for 2019!

Using state-of-the-art facial motion capture technology, students not only design their own characters, but also have them animate in sync with the student’s own movements and facial expressions! While learning about this revolutionary movement in the animation industry, students gain a great foundation in the history of 2-D animation, from Disney classics to the cartoons and animated films of today, including projects in character design, voice acting, lip-syncing, and physics simulation. Along with the new Adobe Character Animator software, students have the opportunity to work with Adobe Photoshop and professional Wacom pen tablets to bring their ideas to life. By the end of the course, students will have created multiple finished animated shorts and cartoons to take home for friends and family to enjoy!

Please note: For this course, staff are not available to transport or accompany students to or from another Saturday course.

Motion Capture Animation

Grades 6-12

Y4062-51
8 sessions: $400
9-10:55 a.m.

New for 2019!

Students learn the fundamental skills and techniques of video recording, editing, lighting, screen capture, special effects, and audio production, and create their own “How-to” videos, commentary, or “Let’s Play” videos, and even basic animation! In addition, students explore what makes a YouTube video successful and how to effectively market themselves on the web’s most successful video platform. Along with a bevy of technical skills and finished products, students will come away with enhanced public speaking and presentation skills.

Please note: For this course, staff are not available to transport or accompany students to or from another Saturday course.

YouTube Studio

Grades 6-12

Y4063-51
8 sessions: $400
11:05 a.m.-1 p.m.

Pokémon have invaded Hofstra Saturday Classes! In this exciting course, young students and Pokémon trainers alike take part in daily STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) projects revolving around the fantastic world of Pokémon! Students have the opportunity to work with state-of-the-art technology, including 3D printers, photo editing software, and game design software, as they design their own Pokémon characters, cards, and games; learn about Pokémon types and statistics; create fossil and evolution stones; and more! As students share their excitement for the world of Pokémon with classmates and newfound friends, they are making important connections to the real world around them, becoming naturally excited about learning, and coming away with several finished projects to share with family and friends. All Pokémon fans are invited to learn and have fun together!

Pokémon STEAM Club

Grades 2-5

Y4001-51
8 sessions: $400
11:05 a.m.-1 p.m.

New for 2019!
Students gain an understanding of the basics of programming; how to create, test, and build their own programs; and how to use coding to help them in everyday life! Python is widely used in industry by companies such as Google and is a great language for students to develop programs to help with everyday tasks and homework, and to build their own games.

Students are encouraged to bring a pen/pencil and notebook to each class.

Students use their prior knowledge of Python programming to join different forms of technology, including basic files and databases. Students also begin to develop an understanding of object-oriented programming, a modern approach to software development that continues to grow in popularity. Object-oriented programming helps to promote systematic and critical thinking while providing comprehensive solutions to real-world issues.

Prerequisite: Knowledge and development of Python, Java, or C++ programming languages.

Students are encouraged to bring a pen/pencil and notebook to each class.
**Technology**

**Build Your Own Website: HTML5/CSS3**

This course teaches students the foundations of web design and development. Using the newly revised HTML5 language, students build the structures and framework to hold and display content. CSS3 is the latest version of Cascading Style Sheets, which allows users to style webpages with their own creative flair. These highly structured languages allow students to present their webpage content in incredible ways!

*Students are encouraged to bring a pen/pencil and notebook to each class.*

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**Internet Hardware Hacks: IoT (Internet of Things)**

Students take the first step in programming smarter devices. Students also begin to develop a greater understanding of the inter-networking of physical and virtual devices, including toys, cars, homes, and “smart devices.” Using Arduino, Photon, and JavaScript, students build the structures and framework to create smaller-scale automation through the internet. Students use tools such as the micro-controller (an open-source platform used for building electronics projects). The Arduino hardware and software are great for artists, designers, and people of all skill levels who are interested in creating interactive objects or environments. Arduino can interact with buttons, LEDs, motors, speakers, GPS units, cameras, the internet, and even a smartphone or TV!

*Note: The student must be registered with Cloud 9 prior to class.*

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**Cybersecurity**

Students are introduced to the field of cybersecurity by developing and analyzing the results of computer programs made for cyber operations. We discuss the theory of cryptographic techniques and real-world applications. The objective of this course is to teach fundamental concepts, architectures, and processes related to computer and network security, including the basics of cryptography, threat models, authentication and authorization, and intrusion detection.

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Fencing

En Garde! Beginner

Y8110-51
Grades 6-12
10 sessions: $230
4:15-5:05 p.m.

TUESDAY • February 26-May 7 (No class April 23)
Has your child always wanted to try their skill at dueling, but didn’t know where to begin? Well, en garde! Taught by a Hofstra fencing instructor and coach, this course introduces students to the art of swordplay in a safe, progressive manner. Students learn how to advance, retreat, and lunge, along with various attacks and parries. Students develop stamina, quick reactions, speed, accuracy, and coordination through participation in the sport. Protective clothing and safe, blunted weapons are provided. Students need to bring only their enthusiasm to class!

En Garde! Advanced

Y8120-51
Grades 6-12
10 sessions: $290
5:15-6:05 p.m.

TUESDAY • February 26-May 7 (No class April 23)
En garde! Students continue to develop stamina and hone their skills in parries, attacks, lunges, and advances. Opportunities for competitions among students are provided throughout the semester. The instructor helps to develop the individual skills of each student.

Prerequisite: Beginner or equivalent experience.

Tennis

Grades 2-12

Tennis

Y8500-51
Grades 2-12
6 sessions: $230
9-10:55 a.m.

May 4-June 15 (No class May 25)
Rain date: June 22, if necessary
Small group and individual instruction on our outside courts for beginner to intermediate students. Students must provide their own racquets.

Limited enrollment; register early!

Y8500-52
6 sessions: $230
11:05 a.m.-1 p.m.
Aquatics

Beginner Swim

This class is for children who are new to swimming. In groups of 2 or 3, swimmers learn water initiation as well as how to feel comfortable in the water. They are introduced to elementary aquatic skills, including floating and locomotion. As students progress, they are taught the fundamentals of the beginner stroke. **Minimum 4 years of age; birth certificate required.**

Y8410-51 8 sessions: $265 8:25-9:15 a.m.  
Y8410-52 8 sessions: $265 9:25-10:15 a.m.  
Y8410-53 8 sessions: $265 10:25-11:15 a.m.

Swim Dates: March 2-May 4  
(No class April 20 and 27)

Advanced Beginner Swim

This class is for children who can swim 5 yards on their stomach and 5 yards on their back without assistance. In groups of 4 to 7, swimmers are taught correct breathing as well as proper stroke and kick techniques. Swimmers are taught the front crawl, back crawl, and elementary backstroke. They begin to work on their endurance and build on the skills that were taught in Beginner Swim.

Y8420-51 8 sessions: $265 8:25-9:15 a.m.  
Y8420-52 8 sessions: $265 9:25-10:15 a.m.  
Y8420-53 8 sessions: $265 10:25-11:15 a.m.

Intermediate Swim

This course is for children who can swim 25 yards/meters (one lap) of each of the following: front crawl, back crawl, and elementary backstroke. In groups of 7 to 12, swimmers are taught the breaststroke, the racing dive, and competitive turns for each stroke, and how to refine their other strokes. Swimmers work on their endurance and build on the skills they were taught in Advanced Beginner Swim.

Y8430-51 8 sessions: $265 8:25-9:15 a.m.  
Y8430-52 8 sessions: $265 9:25-10:15 a.m.  
Y8430-53 8 sessions: $265 10:25-11:15 a.m.

Hofstra Junior Swim Club

This course provides swim practice and instruction for students who aspire to be competitive swimmers. An experienced swim coach paces the youngsters as though they are on a swim team. Each session includes practice and instruction in all strokes, coupled with lap swimming. **Prerequisite: Students should be able to maintain basic strokes for at least 2 laps or 50 yards. Limited enrollment; register early!**

Y8440-51 8 sessions: $325 9:25-11:15 a.m.

Pre-Lifeguard Training Skills Program

This course is for those students interested in eventually becoming lifeguards or who want to train without competing. Students strengthen their endurance through lap swimming and interval training while learning necessary lifeguarding skills.

Y8450-51 8 sessions: $265 8:25-9:15 a.m.
NYS Regents review classes focus on the main topics covered within the NYS curriculum for each subject area. Teachers review current curriculum and use old exams and supplemental material to help students prepare for the NYS Regents exams in June.

**Test Preparation Dates:**
March 2-May 11
(No classes April 6, 20, and 27)

- **Test Preparation**
  - Algebra 1: Y2551-51, 8 sessions: $300, 9:30-10:55 a.m.; Y2551-52, 8 sessions: $300, 11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
  - Algebra 2: Y2570-51, 8 sessions: $300, 11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
  - Geometry: Y3410-51, 8 sessions: $300, 9:30-10:55 a.m.; Y3410-52, 8 sessions: $300, 11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
  - Chemistry: Y3412-51, 8 sessions: $300, 9:30-10:55 a.m.
  - Earth Science: Y2560-51, 8 sessions: $300, 9:30-10:55 a.m.; Y2560-52, 8 sessions: $300, 11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
  - Global History: Y1700-51, 8 sessions: $300, 9:30-10:55 a.m.
  - Living Environment: Y3411-52, 8 sessions: $300, 9:30-10:55 a.m.
  - U.S. History: Y1701-51, 8 sessions: $300, 11:05 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

SAT and ACT Preparation at Hofstra

The course is a basic skills review of math, reading, writing, grammar, and problem-solving concepts and strategies, and includes the use of past SAT exams.

For information about SAT and ACT preparation at Hofstra, call 516-463-7400.
Precollegiate Career Discovery Institute

Saturday Classes

Designed for teens and taught mainly by Hofstra professors and professionals in their fields, these interactive, hands-on classes and workshops help teens explore their passions and interests and discover new ones as they prepare for college and beyond.

To register, visit ce.hofstra.edu/satpc.

~ ARTS ~

PHOTOSHOP BASICS
Instructor: Professor Evangeline Christodoulou
Grades 9-12
This class teaches the fundamentals of Adobe Photoshop with easy-to-follow, practical examples. Topics covered include creating new documents, organizing files, creating and using layers, using filters, adding typography to a composition, creating shapes, and applying effects. Students will leave this class with a greater understanding of Photoshop and the inspiration to create.

PHOTOSHOP BASICS 2
Instructor: Professor Evangeline Christodoulou
Grades 9-12
This class teaches more of the fundamentals of Adobe Photoshop with easy-to-follow, hands-on, practical examples. We cover topics such as combining images, filters, layers, layer masks, typographic design, customizing a brush, and retouching photographs. Students build on their previous knowledge of the various techniques and tools they learned in Photoshop Basics. Prerequisite: Basic knowledge of Photoshop

PHOTO DESIGN
Instructor: Professor Evangeline Christodoulou
Grades 9-12
This class draws from many aspects of art and design, including advertising, product design, and visual marketing, as well as other genres that a professional graphic designer might encounter. Students use Adobe Photoshop and Adobe InDesign to develop their personal style. We explore digital and nondigital formats and techniques and create computer-based solutions to graphic art problems.

2 sessions
Saturday,
February 9 and 16
10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
$250

2 sessions
Saturday,
February 23 and March 2
10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
$250

2 sessions
Saturday,
April 6 and 13
10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
$250
CODER GADGETS
Instructor: Jay Mir
Grades 7-12
Drones, AR on our iPhones, Cloud computing and smart devices. This three-session workshop brings it all together. You will build internet-connected devices, race drones, learn how to use JavaScript to build augmented reality apps that we can access using our smartphones, and more. We will come together and collectively learn how to use all this amazing technology around us. We will also discuss where technology is heading and how it affects our everyday lives. Sign up to enjoy this action-packed coder’s dream.

CYBERSECURITY – BECOMING A WHITE HAT HACKER
Instructor: Jay Mir
Grades 7-12
Hackers are in high demand. As our digital footprint grows, companies need to stay on top of their security. An ethical hacker, or white hat hacker, is someone paid by businesses to find bugs in security systems by trying to hack into them. A career in pen-testing or red-teaming can be extremely lucrative. Being a white hat hacker involves a great deal of problem solving, as well as communication skills, a balance of intelligence and common sense, strong technical and organizational skills, impeccable judgment, and the ability to remain calm under pressure. During this workshop, we will learn how to use our programming skills to help create a more secure web as a cybersecurity expert.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
Instructor: Jay Mir
Grades 7-12
Artificial intelligence (AI) is the next big innovation to change our lives forever. Inventor and futurist Ray Kurzweil says, “Many thousands of AI applications are deeply embedded in the infrastructure of every industry.” The primary goals of AI include deduction and reasoning, knowledge representation, planning, natural language processing (NLP), learning, perception, and the ability to manipulate and move objects. Long-term goals of AI research include achieving creativity, social intelligence, and general (human-level) intelligence. Few technological inventions in human history have evolved as quickly as artificial intelligence. This is thanks to its human-like ability to constantly learn and improve itself – autonomously. As a class, we can build a sports talent scout app, a preventive care website, or a chatbot, or use our mobile camera to recognize objects. Together we will discover how to program using techniques for deep learning and artificial intelligence.

THE CODER CHALLENGE
Instructor: Jay Mir
Grades 7-12
Most of us learned the basics of coding using Python. Now it’s time to put our knowledge and skills to the test. During this three-session course, we will review the basics to bring us all up to speed. Then we will work in teams as well as individually to figure out solutions to challenges using the programming knowledge we possess. On the last day, we will compete to see who can beat all the challenges. Coders are all skill levels are welcome; students will have a blast while building their confidence!
LEARNING HOW TO LEARN:
HARNESS YOUR POTENTIAL
Instructor: Karen Kolb
Grades 9-12
We can learn how to master any subject, regardless of difficulty, by mastering how our brain works. In a relaxed, fun, and interactive atmosphere, students learn the powerful, research-backed learning, neuroplasticity, and mindset techniques used by experts in all disciplines. We must understand our thinking to harness our potential.

INTRO TO METEOROLOGY: THE SCIENCE BEHIND YOUR WEATHER APP
Instructor: Dr. Jase Bernhardt
Grades 9-12
Weather enthusiasts and amateur meteorologists are encouraged to spend a morning at Hofstra University learning about weather observation and forecasting. We tour the campus network of three weather stations to better understand how meteorological data is collected and analyzed. Using data from those stations, students learn how to define climate and its changes over time. Students also create their very own weather forecasts using weather station data and information from computer models. After taking this crash course, students are sure to have an increased understanding of the current weather conditions and forecasts that they regularly view on smartphone applications and other media platforms, as well as insight into the science behind climate change.
UNDERSTANDING AND WRITING GRAPHIC NOVELS

Instructor: Glenn Greenberg
Grades 9-12

Students learn the process for creating comic books and graphic novels: coming up with an idea, outlining a story, writing a script, refining it, and working with an artist. Students are called upon to develop and write a complete or partial script for a short comic book story or a full-length graphic novel.

3 sessions
Saturday, March 30, April 6, and April 13
10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
$225

FICTION WORKSHOP: BUILDING SUSPENSE

Instructor: Dina Santorelli
Grades 9-12

What makes a story a “page turner”? In this workshop, students learn the art of suspense – how to craft a strong hook, create tension, incorporate twists and revelations, and improve pacing, structure, and characterization in their fiction writing. Grammar and overall writing skills are also addressed. Students will read aloud and share their work and learn the value of constructive criticism. Although not required, students are encouraged to bring one story idea to class that they’d like to develop.

3 sessions
Saturday, March 2, 9, and 16
9 a.m.-noon
$270

HOW TO WRITE A DYSTOPIAN NOVEL

Instructor: Melissa Kuch
Grades 9-12

Dystopian literature is a huge trend right now, from The Hunger Games to the Divergent series. But how do you create your own dystopian world? The instructor speaks with students about how to write a dystopian novel by describing her journey creating her dystopian/fantasy series The Hypothesis of Giants. The workshop is interactive and examines character development, setting, and the various conflicts found within dystopian novels. Students begin their own dystopian novel through fun and engaging writing exercises.

2 sessions
Saturday, March 2 and 16
10 a.m.-noon
$160
HOW TO CREATE A MAGICAL WORLD
Instructor: Melissa Kuch
Grades 9-12

From *Harry Potter* to *Percy Jackson*, magic in literature is something readers are drawn to. But how do you start writing your own fantasy novel? The instructor speaks with students about her magical young adult novel series, *The Hypothesis of Giants*, and how she incorporated magic into her writing. This workshop is interactive, and students have the opportunity to write their own magical story.

CREATIVE WRITING: EXPLORING EACH GENRE
Instructor: Maria Cerniello
Grades 9-12

This course gives students experience writing in poetry, nonfiction, fiction, and playwriting. Students sample each genre and discover for themselves where their passion lies! Students learn how to write in each genre through reading published works, as well as through various writing exercises and assignments.

Check out our
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For full biographies of all instructors, visit [ce.hofstra.edu/satpc](http://ce.hofstra.edu/satpc).

(Note: Early registration discount does not apply to Precollegiate classes.)
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Monday-Friday, April 22-26, 2019
9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Gain knowledge and skills, make new friends from throughout Long Island, and get a taste of college life!

- Fiction Writing for Teens (Grades 6-12)
- Pokémon Tech Fusion (Grades 2-5)
- Roblox and Minecraft Adventure Week (Grades 4-12)
- Game Design/3D Printing Fusion (Grades 6-12)
- Travel Camps (Grades 2-9)
- Digital Arts (Grades 7-12)

Four-Day Program
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Sportscasting 101 for Teens (Grades 6-11)

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REGISTRATION AND GENERAL INFORMATION

SATURDAY CLASSES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE GENERAL CALENDAR
General classes: Saturday, March 2-May 18 (No class March 23, April 6, 20, and 27)
NYS Regents Prep classes: March 2-May 11 (No class April 6, 20, and 27)
Swim classes: Saturday, March 2-May 4 (No class April 20 and 27)
Precollegiate Career Discovery Institute: See pages 19-23 for dates.

REGISTRATION OPTIONS
You may register online; via telephone, fax or mail; or in person. To register by fax or mail, you may use the registration form included in this publication or download the registration form from our website at ce.hofstra.edu/forms.

ONLINE
New and returning Continuing Education students may register online at ce.hofstra.edu for any course, except those that are part of the Paralegal Studies Certificate Program. In order to register online, you must have a student account ID and password. If you are a returning student, you should already have this information. If not, please call our office at 516-463-7200 or send an email to ce@hofstra.edu and we will be happy to send it to you. Payment must be made by major credit card (MasterCard, Visa, or American Express) or electronic check. If you have any problems registering online or creating a student account, please call our office at 516-463-7200 or send an email to ce@hofstra.edu.

BY FAX
The registration form can be faxed to 516-463-4836 anytime. Payment must be made by major credit card (MasterCard, Visa or American Express).

BY PHONE
Telephone registrations are accepted at 516-463-7200, Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Saturday, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Payment must be made by major credit card (MasterCard, Visa, or American Express).

BY MAIL
Mail a completed registration form at least one week before the first day of class to:
Hofstra University Continuing Education Registration Office
Oak Street Center, 255 Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY 11549-2550
Payment must accompany registration form and can be made by personal check or major credit card (MasterCard, Visa, or American Express).

IN PERSON
Visit our office, located at the Oak Street Center, on the North Campus of Hofstra University (101 Oak Street, Uniondale*). Offices are open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Saturday, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Payment may be made by personal check or major credit card (MasterCard, Visa, or American Express).

TUITION AND FEES
• Tuition as listed with each course description.
• Application fee (Hofstra Gifted Academy): $50

OTHER FEES AND CHARGES
• Returned check/declined credit card: $35

PAYMENT METHODS. Tuition and fees are to be paid in full at the time of registration. Acceptable forms of payment are personal check, bank check, money order, and major credit card (MasterCard, Visa, or American Express). Cash, second- or third-party checks, and credit card checks are not accepted. Checks must be made payable to Hofstra University, in U.S. dollars and drawn on a U.S. bank. When paying by check, you authorize check payments to be processed as Automated Clearing House (“ACH”) transactions, which immediately debit the account. The process will read the information from a paper check and convert it to an electronic payment or debit transaction. The result is that funds may be withdrawn from your account as soon as we receive your payment, and you will not receive your check back from your financial institution. For online registration, only credit cards or electronic checks are accepted as payment.

*Note: Money orders and bank-certified check payments cannot be used for online registration.

Veterans. Various programs have been approved by the Department of Veterans Affairs for tuition reimbursement to eligible veterans. For information, call 1-888-GI-BILL-1 (1-888-442-4551). Hofstra University does not guarantee reimbursement and urges you to check course approvals.

ACCES-VR. New York State Education Department ACCES-VR (formerly known as VESID) vouchers are accepted. For inquiries or an application, please call Seth Liebstein at 516-463-6961.

Tax Deduction for Education. Under certain circumstances, educational expenses undertaken to maintain or improve job skills may be deductible for income tax purposes. Also, education assistance under an employer’s education plan may be considered nontaxable income. Students are advised to bring this to the attention of their tax advisor or accountant.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES
You may register online; via telephone, fax at 516-463-4836, or mail; or in person. Tuition and fees are to be paid in full at the time of registration.
Add/Drop. Students registered for Continuing Education courses may request to add one course and drop another, by sending an add/drop/withdrawal request in writing (using the Add/Drop/Withdrawal form) to the Continuing Education Registrar’s Office via fax at 516-463-4836, postal mail, or in person. Certificate students must obtain their advisor’s approval prior to making schedule changes.

Withdrawing From a CE Course for a Refund. All programs are subject to a $25 fee for withdrawing before the program begins. No refunds will be issued after the program’s start date. For additional information about the refund policies and procedures, please refer to ce.hofstra.edu/refund.

Refunds for Canceled Courses. Hofstra University Continuing Education reserves the right to cancel courses or adjust curriculum. Typical reasons for course cancellation include insufficient enrollment, withdrawal of the instructor, or inability to schedule appropriate instructional space. If you are registered for a course that is canceled, Continuing Education will notify you by telephone or mail. You will be asked if you wish to register for a different course or if you wish a full refund of tuition and fees. Refunds will be issued only in the original form of payment.

Refunds for Hofstra Summer Camps. Call 516-463-CAMP for details.

Add/Drop/Withdrawal and Refunds. To receive a refund, students must complete the Add/Drop/Withdrawal form and forward it to the Continuing Education Registrar’s Office. Refunds are not granted to students receiving incomplete and/or failing grades in a specific course.

Paralegal Studies Program Tuition Refund, Withdrawal, and Leave of Absence Policy. For information about the Paralegal Studies Program’s tuition refund, withdrawal, and leave of absence policy, please refer to the Paralegal Studies Student Handbook or contact Stacey Kerins at 516-463-6333.

ADMINISTRATIVE POLICIES

Transcripts. Noncredit students may request a transcript through the Continuing Education Registrar's Office. Continuing Education official transcripts will be mailed to the student's home address or to a third party. Unofficial transcripts may be picked up in person. There is a nonrefundable fee of $5 per copy, which must be paid by the student's own personal check, MasterCard, Visa, or American Express; cash is not accepted. All noncredit transcript requests must be made in writing by completing the Continuing Education Transcript Request form. The Continuing Education and Paralegal Transcript Request forms can be found at ce.hofstra.edu/forms and must be submitted with payment. Processing of requests takes approximately two business days.

Credit students must request a transcript from the Hofstra University Office of Academic Records; its transcript request form can be found at hofstra.edu/academicrecords.

Changing Your Name or Contact Information. If your name, address, phone number, or email address changes at any time, please contact the Continuing Education Registrar’s Office as soon as possible to request a CE Student Profile Change form, or download the form at ce.hofstra.edu/forms. Some change of information requests require verification. Please be prepared to provide a valid government-issued photo identification card or legal documentation.

Please note that it is important for us to have your current contact information so that you will receive all important letters and notices from Hofstra University Continuing Education.

Admission to Class. All persons wishing to attend any course or event offered by Hofstra University Continuing Education must be properly registered. Be prepared to show a current-term schedule confirmation to the instructor for admission to any class. If you have not received your schedule confirmation or have forgotten or lost it, you may be admitted to class if your name appears on the course roster.

Schedule Confirmation. A schedule confirmation will be sent to the email address and mailing address on record. Please retain the schedule confirmation for your records.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Hofstra University Bookstore/Post Office. Located in the Mack Student Center, North Campus, the Bookstore stocks all required course materials as well as Hofstra apparel, gifts, sundries, office supplies, magazines, candy/snacks, and greeting cards. Textbooks can be ordered online at hofstra.bncollege.com. The Post Office, located outside the Bookstore on the lower level, sells stamps, issues money orders, and offers typical mail-related services. Hours for the Bookstore and Post Office vary. Please visit hofstra.bncollege.com or call 516-463-6654 for more information.

Classroom Locations. The location of your classroom will be listed on the schedule and email confirmations sent prior to the start of classes. Classroom locations for Continuing Education classes can also be viewed at ce.hofstra.edu/classrooms. Classroom locations are subject to change; please refer to this website for the most up-to-date classroom assignments.

DISCIPLINE

Hofstra University reserves the right to refuse enrollment in or admittance to any Continuing Education course to any student who engages in conduct deemed by Hofstra, in its sole discretion, as interfering with the learning experience or safety of any person in the Hofstra community. Laws prohibiting harassment on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, national or ethnic origin, physical or mental disability, marital or veteran status, or any other legally protected status are observed and enforced. Students are expected to familiarize themselves and comply with academic regulations and established practices of the University and Continuing Education. If, pursuant to such regulations or practices, the withdrawal of a student is required before the end of the term for which tuition has been paid, a refund will be made according to the standard schedule for refunds.
POLICY ON STUDENT CONDUCT

Introduction
Students enrolled in noncredit courses at Hofstra University Continuing Education can take advantage of the privileges afforded to all members of the Hofstra academic community for the duration of their enrollment, including access to facilities and assistance from faculty members and staff. Students must comply with all applicable Hofstra rules and policies governing student conduct.

Policy Statement
Students enrolled in noncredit courses are expected to demonstrate appropriate professional and personal behavior in the classroom, on campus, at on-site visits, at internships, and in other situations applicable to their role as Hofstra students. They are expected to practice civility and respect in their interactions with others in the University community; to abide by the principles of academic integrity; to represent honestly their noncredit status at the University; and to refrain from conducting themselves in ways that compromise the reputation, academic processes, or regular operations of the University.

Behavior subject to disciplinary action includes behavior that violates University rules of conduct; the policies of Hofstra University; any local, state, or federal laws; and conduct deemed by Hofstra to not comply with the expectations described in this policy or to interfere with the learning experience, safety, or well-being of any person in the Hofstra community, wherever any such behavior occurs. Examples of conduct that is subject to review include, but are not limited to, harassing students, faculty, and staff members; contributing to an unsafe environment; interfering with academic classes or events; disrupting University functions, programs, and activities; compromising the academic or administrative process by making excessive and unreasonable demands on faculty or administrative staff; accessing or using Hofstra facilities or files (including electronic files) without authorization; jeopardizing the health, well-being, or safety of any member of the Hofstra community; causing damage to University facilities, property, or equipment; and the inappropriate use of University electronic services (e.g., running a business, spamming, and any other form of electronic/email harassment).

Disciplinary Sanctions

Adult Programs:
Students engaging in violations of this policy may be directed by Hofstra faculty or staff to leave the classroom or other educational setting immediately. Any student determined by the head of the department to have engaged in violations of this policy shall be subject to the imposition of further sanctions, such as, but not limited to, suspension from the course for a stated period, dismissal from the course or program, prohibition from future enrollment, and notation on the student’s record. Hofstra shall have sole discretion in determining whether a violation of this policy has occurred. The student may request an appeal of the sanction, in writing, within seven (7) days of notice of the sanction. The divisional dean will review the appeal and render a decision, which shall be final and binding.

Youth Programs:
I understand and agree that my child will comply with the University’s rules, standards, and instructions. I understand that the University and its agents and employees have the right to enforce its standards and may at any time terminate my child's participation in Saturday Classes for failure to maintain these standards or for any conduct which the University or its agents consider to be incompatible with the interest and welfare of the other Saturday Classes participants or the University. I understand that I will not be entitled to any refund if my child’s participation in Saturday Classes is terminated as described in this paragraph.

CELL PHONE USE – ADULT PROGRAMS
Students are NOT permitted to use cell phones during program activities.

CELL PHONE USE – YOUTH PROGRAMS
Students are NOT permitted to use cell phones during program activities. Students who violate this policy will be removed from the program, and their parent/legal guardian will be notified. No refunds and/or credits will be issued if a student is removed from any program due to a violation of this policy. In case of an emergency, students/campers may request permission from the counselor/instructor to make a phone call to their parents.

Forms. Forms mentioned in this publication are available on the Continuing Education website at ce.hofstra.edu/forms.

Parking. There are no parking restrictions on campus after 5 p.m. However, before 5 p.m., Continuing Education students must observe the University's parking lot restrictions. Parking restrictions can be found on the Hofstra University Public Safety website at hofstra.edu/parking.

Student Advising. Continuing Education program directors and Student Services staff are available to assist you in deciding which program(s) or course(s) will best meet your educational, personal and professional goals. For advisement, please call 516-463-7200.

Weather Emergency. Continuing Education may cancel courses due to a weather emergency, even when Hofstra University remains open. Call the Continuing Education offices at 516-463-7200, Public Safety at 516-463-6606, or Hofstra’s Weather Hotline at 516-463-SNOW for accurate information.

Questions? If you have any questions or concerns, please email us at ce@hofstra.edu or call us at 516-463-7200.

Disclaimer. The information contained within this publication, including schedules, instructor assignments, tuition, and fees, is subject to change without notice at the sole discretion of Continuing Education. For the most up-to-date information, please visit the Hofstra University Continuing Education website at ce.hofstra.edu. Hofstra University is not responsible for errors or omissions contained in this publication.
Nondiscrimination Policy

Hofstra University is committed to extending equal opportunity to all qualified individuals without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, national or ethnic origin, physical or mental disability, marital or veteran status in employment and in the conduct and operation of Hofstra University's educational programs and activities, including admissions, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs. This statement of nondiscrimination is in compliance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act, the Age Discrimination Act, and other applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations relating to nondiscrimination ("Equal Opportunity Laws"). The Equal Rights and Opportunity Officer is the University's official responsible for handling inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies and coordinating its overall adherence to Equal Opportunity Laws. Questions or concerns regarding any of these laws or other aspects of Hofstra's Nondiscrimination Policy should be directed to the Equal Rights and Opportunity Officer at EROO@hofstra.edu, 516-463-7310, C/O Office of Legal Affairs and General Counsel, 101 Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY 11549. The University's Title IX Coordinator, who is responsible for the University's efforts to comply with and carry out responsibilities under Title IX, can be reached at TitleIXCoordinator@hofstra.edu, 516-463-5841, 214 Roosevelt Hall, Hempstead, NY 11549. For additional contacts and related policies and resources, see hofstra.edu/eoe.

Campus Crime Reporting and Fire Safety Statistics

In compliance with the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act and other federal law, detailed information on campus security and fire safety, including statistics, is available by accessing the Hofstra website at hofstra.edu/campussafetyreport or by contacting the Advisory Committee on Campus Safety. Crime statistics are also available at the U.S. Department of Education website at ope.ed.gov/security. The Advisory Committee on Campus Safety will provide upon request all campus crime and fire safety statistics as reported to the U.S. Department of Education. For additional information or a paper copy of the report, please call the Department of Public Safety at 516-463-6606.

Hofstra University Harassment Policy

Hofstra’s prohibition against discrimination is also addressed in Hofstra’s Harassment Policy. The Harassment Policy prohibits harassment – including sexual harassment and sexual violence – based on race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, national or ethnic origin, physical or mental disability, marital or veteran status. Hofstra University is committed to professional and interpersonal respect ensuring that no individuals are subjected to harassment or discriminated against in any way on the basis of any of these protected characteristics. Harassment based on any of these protected characteristics is a form of discrimination prohibited by law and by Hofstra University’s Harassment Policy. The Harassment Policy, which is available online at the link referenced below, contains complaint procedures for resolving complaints of harassment in violation of Hofstra’s Harassment Policy. Harassment policy link: hofstra.edu/harassment
# Course Registration

**HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY**  
Continuing Education

**LIFELONG LEARNING AND COMMUNITY PROGRAMS**

- **Terence G. Ryan, MS**  
  Senior Program Director
- **Seth Liebstein**  
  Program Coordinator
- **Melisa Gibson**  
  Assistant Program Coordinator
- **Patty Brick**  
  Senior Assistant, Hofstra Summer Camps
- **Kelly Jones**  
  Secretary, Hofstra Summer Camps

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**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.**  
*Denotes required fields

- **Course Registration**

- **Student’s Last Name**
- **First Name**
- **M.I.**
- **Date of Birth** (required under 18 years old)
- **Address**
- **City**
- **State**
- **ZIP**
- **Home Phone**
- **Cell Phone**
- **Work Phone**
- **Email**
- **Organization**

**FOR CHILD’S REGISTRATION ONLY (UNDER 18)**

- **Parent’s Name**
- **Emergency Contact (other than parent)**
- **Emergency Contact Phone Number**
- **Student Age**
- **Date of Birth**
- **Grade**

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**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- **Check enclosed**
- **Type of Bank Account:**
  - Checking
  - Savings
- **Charge to:**
  - Visa
  - MasterCard
  - American Express

**Account Holder’s Name (please print)**

**Card Number**

**Exp. Date**

**Security Code**

[AmEx cards utilize 4 digits]

**Account Holder’s Signature**

**Billing Address for Credit Card**

**City**

**State**

**ZIP**

**How did you hear about our courses?**

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

**Date**

**Initials**

**Payment Reference #**

**Order #**

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**Tuition Discounts for Saturday YOUTH Classes**

$25 early registration discount available per course if you register one week prior to the start of the class. For further information, please call Jessica Denise, Associate Director of Youth Programs, at 516-463-7400. Does not apply to Precollege classes.

**Fax this registration form to 516-463-4836 or mail to:**

Hofstra University Continuing Education  
Registrar’s Office  
Oak Street Center  
255 Hofstra University  
Hempstead, NY 11549-2550

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**Hofstra University Confidential**

**When paying by check, you authorize check payments to be processed as Automated Clearing House (“ACH”) transactions, which immediately debit the account. The process will read the information from a paper check and convert it to an electronic payment or debit transaction. The result is that funds may be withdrawn from your account as soon as we receive your payment, and you will not receive your check back from your financial institution.**
Saturday Classes for Young People

SPRING 2019