

# MINI COURSES

High School Students

# TUTOR CORPS

For your child to get the most out of their time with Tutor Corps, we recommend a minimum of 10 hours per mini course. All courses offer flexible scheduling and are pay-as-you-go.

## Writing Camp

In this one-on-one writing camp, students will learn how to write college-level analytical essays in a sequence modeled after Stanford's freshman writing requirement. Students will practice the art of analyzing, researching, and synthesizing while writing clear, persuasive essays. Students should expect to complete approx. 30-60 minutes of independent work between each session.



## Math Booster

Our one-on-one math booster provides an excellent opportunity for students to build and grow confident in their foundational math skills. We will help your child identify their exact level in math and custom-build a program to target any grade-level gaps.

## Executive Functioning Skills Booster

Our specialized executive function coaches teach academic and practical skills that foster success in the classroom and beyond. From time management to organization, students gain skills they'll carry for life.

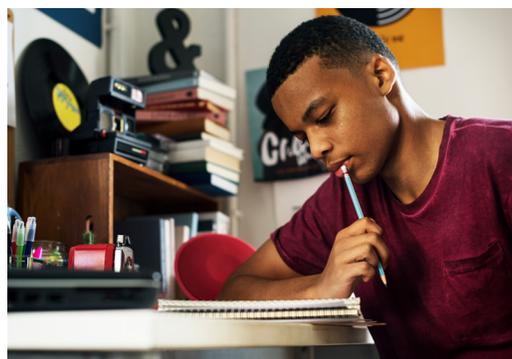


## College Readiness

Prepare for college success with our Summer Bridge to College program, tailored for high school seniors. Combining executive function skill development with academic review in subjects like math and writing, students engage in activities focusing on time management, organization, and effective communication, alongside targeted instruction to reinforce fundamental academic skills. By the program's end, students emerge equipped with both the academic proficiency and essential executive function abilities necessary for thriving on campus.

## SAT & ACT Test Prep

Our one-on-one test prep mini courses help students gain confidence with test taking. Through a dual focus on strategy and content, our test prep tutors will make sure they enter test day confident and ready for success.



# User Experience Design\*

This course will introduce students to the basic principles of user experience research design. Students will discover how the experience of the user can shape what an ecosystem looks like and its functions. Learning will be facilitated by hands-on mini projects to emulate real-world challenges. By the end of the course, students will have a basic understanding of how to plan and conduct user-centered research and apply it to their design ecosystem. This course is ideal for students looking to expand their learning beyond academia and is especially applicable for students looking to pursue an education in psychology, human-computer interaction, engineering, or project management.



# AI Literacy

In the rapidly evolving landscape of artificial intelligence, the boundaries between science fiction and reality blur. This AI Literacy mini course delves into the intricate world of AI, exploring its implications through literature, essays, and critical discourse. Designed for advanced students, this course aims to foster AI literacy, encouraging students to critically engage with both the potential and the pitfalls of AI technologies.

## Entrepreneurship\*

This course supports your child in an in-depth exploration into the exciting world of entrepreneurship! This course will be tailored to your child's unique interests and will serve as a launch pad for innovative business ideas. Throughout the course, your child will engage in a variety of exercises to challenge their critical thinking, problem-solving skills, and creativity, in a hands-on, engaging way.



## Great Genre Fiction

In our Great Genre Fiction course, we will read and discuss several compelling and thought-provoking books from the science fiction, fantasy, and suspense/horror genres. Our goal is to show that reading for pleasure and reading for meaning are not mutually exclusive. Great popular fiction can also be great literature in the hands of master storytellers.

Reading time will be split between homework (roughly 3/4) and in-class (roughly 1/4). Sample books include Project Hail Mary, by Andy Weir; The Girl with All the Gifts, by M.R. Carey; Fairy Tale, by Stephen King; and The Shawshank Redemption, by Stephen King.



## Intro to Legal Thinking

This course will explore the questions that judges, policymakers, and economists are always trying to answer. The issues these questions raise get to the heart of what it means to participate as a citizen in a functioning civil society based on the rule of law. They also shed light on the ways (functional and dysfunctional) that people behave individually and in groups. Legal thinking goes beyond courtrooms and the Capitol — it surrounds us at all times, both restricting and making possible what we can do. This course will provide students with new tools to use and new lenses to look through as they prepare to engage with a wider world.



## Languages

Our dynamic one-on-one language courses empower your child to grasp the fundamentals of a new language, instilling a strong sense of confidence and accomplishment. They learn the basics of a new language within the context of culture. Children can enroll in Spanish, French or ASL.



*\*Note: If your child would like to sign up with a friend, these offerings are available as a small group class.*