

Co-op Classes *Please contact the individual co-op teacher to enroll your child. Registration will be completed at orientation – August 16.*

Biology Lab: Carolyn Battle
251-661-2996

*Sign Language: Teresa
Druelle*
251-648-7992

Photography: Ida Thrasher
251-665-5309

Writing: Bonita L. Harris
251-599-2849

Mondays 10am at PCS offices

Apologia Biology Lab

16 sessions per year

Carolyn Battle, 251-661-2996 veteran home school mom and registered nurse has taught this class many times.

Payable to instructor: \$75 per semester, PCS students
\$105 per semester for non-PCS students



Lab fees per year \$10. payable at registration

Textbook required

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Thursdays at Young Life facilities

Basic Digital Photography: *Ida Thrasher, Thrasher Photography (251) 665-5309*

Payable to instructor: \$35 per month, PCS students, \$45 per month, non-PCS students

Skills taught: how to use settings on your camera; when to use them; rules of composition; how good composition makes a better photograph; different types of photography and more...



Required: digital camera, the manual for camera, three-ring notebook with pages to hold photos.

Grade: Weekly assignments covering these settings. Compilations of weekly assignments (1/3 of the grade), notebook (1/3), matted and framed photograph taken during the semester (1/3).

Framed photography graded on these aspects for 10 points each: 1. Composition, 2. Impact, 3. Lighting, 4. Title, Name of photography, or Story Telling (refers to the image's ability to evoke imagination.), 5. Creativity, 6. Print Presentation, 7. Center of Interest, 8. Subject Matter (be appropriate to the story being told in the image.), 9. Color Balance, and 10. Technique (the approach used to create the image)

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PHOTOGRAPHY NIGHT CLASSES are offered at the Thrasher Photography studio.
Please contact Ida Thrasher for more information.

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Writing classes: Bonita L. Harris, M. Ed., [251-599-2849](tel:251-599-2849)



Payable to PCS: \$95 per semester, PCS students
\$125 per semester, non-PCS students

These classes develop crucial age-appropriate writing skills. Literature is used in these classes, but for modeling of criteria taught, not for a literature credit.

Writing Strategies for the Middle School Student (grades 6-8) 9:25 - 10:35am

Genre taught: creative writing, poetry, expository, essay, persuasive, research

Textbook required

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Advanced Writing Strategies for the High School Student (grades 8-12) 8:00 - 9:15am

Higher-level skills taught: creative writing, poetry, expository, persuasive, essay, research writing. *(This is an intense writing program which will ground your student in necessary high school skills and proper research writing and citation.)*



Textbook required

FYI – Bonita has a master’s degree in education with a current Alabama teacher’s certificate. She stays up-to-date with college classes and workshops.

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Sign Language: Teresa Druelle, [251-648-7992](tel:251-648-7992), See letter below.



Payable to instructor: \$35 per month, PCS students
\$45 per month, non-PCS students

Textbook to be determined

CONCERNING SIGN LANGUAGE CLASS

To Whom It May Concern,

Several years ago, I became interested in sign language while home schooling my two daughters. I soon discovered that I had a love for the language; as a result, I studied and developed my skills for the next several years.

While living in Houston, Texas, I traveled with a sign group performing music at various events for about a year. After moving to Mobile, Alabama, I was a co-partner in setting up a Deaf

Ministry at my church. There I interpreted off and on for 3 years, which involved interpreting the Sunday school class, music, and sermons.

Last summer, I completed a 6-week course at the University of Tennessee on interpreting. In the fall, I passed the Jacksonville State University written evaluation exam. More recently, I attended a one-week course in Atlanta, Ga. During this course, I focused on signing skills such as, processing, classifiers, production, voicing, and vocabulary. I have also completed ASL (American Sign Language) 101, 102, and 103 classes at Bishop State Community College. Attending workshops regularly helps me to maintain and improve my skills. The multiple aspects of sign language continue to fascinate me.

I have taught sign language to a home school group consisting of 12-17 students. In class, they learned vocabulary and Christian music. I hope to introduce your student to this language and culture which may for them, open a new world and a new way to worship.

Students are split into a) elementary and b) middle/high school groups. Each age will have music they enjoy.

“I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands.” Ps. 63:4

Teresa Druelle

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