

Class Name: General Science

Teacher: Mrs. Houlberg

Grade levels: 7-8th grade

Class Description: Students can expect 3-5 hours of homework per week. This course is designed to be a student's first systematic introduction to the sciences and provides a wide scope of topics. Some of the topics covered will be the history of science, the scientific method, designing experiments, simple machines, archaeology, geology, paleontology, biology and human anatomy and physiology. There are many hands-on experiments that will be performed, all using household items.

Prerequisites: None (Parent discretion)

Textbook/Author/Publisher:

1. Exploring Creation with General Science, (2nd Edition)

Author: Dr. Jay L. Wile Publisher: Apologia Educational Ministries Inc.

ISBN: 9781-932012-89-7

2. Apologia Exploring Creation with General Science Student Notebook (2nd Ed)

This text is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED, but not required for the class.

Author: Vicki Dincher Publisher: Apologia Educational Ministries Inc.

ISBN: 9781935495703

Supplies required: Textbook, 3 ring binder with dividers, notebook paper, pen, pencils, colored pencils, simple calculator.

Weekly class cost: \$8.00

Materials/lab fee: \$15.00

FLDOE Course code: 2002100

Maximum # of students: Classroom capacity **Minimum # of students:** 2

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