

Family Academy[®] News

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Family Membership

Receive a 10% discount off services.

As a Family Member with Family Academy[®], you get access to our current roster of Teacher Consultants that are trained in Homeschooling procedures. These TC's have homeschooled their own kids (or are still doing so). We know the hardships, the rewards and all that comes with homeschooling children.

With our Family Membership you receive:

- 10% off our services, and products
- A monthly newsletter
- Consultations with the TC's
- Learning Styles Analyses
- Yearly planning at no cost to you!
- Much Much More.

The cost for this service is \$60.00 a year (\$5.00 a month!) Register at <http://www.familyacademy.org>

Refer a new family to join our membership program and be entered into a drawing for free gifts!

Curriculum Sale on Now!

You can save lots with the current curriculum sale! If you have a family membership you can get 10% off! Look inside this issue for the list of curriculum and planning guides on sale! Get your supplies early!

Vendors Wanted!

If you are part of a homeschool co-op or other homeschool ministry that would like to earn some extra money, we have a new program!

We are seeking vendors to sell our books. You get a 40% wholesale discount and can sell the books for any price above the discounted one and make money for your organization.

We offer books in lots of 10 (but it can be a mix). There is even a referral fee for everyone you send to our Able to Teach course!!!

To inquire please contact our office.

Home Educators Needed

We are looking for home educators that would like to help other homeschool parents. We provide a training program! Start a great side business helping others today! To receive an application, please contact school@familyacademy.org or go to our website to inquire.

Support Members Needed

We are currently expanding our circulation and are looking for local businesses that support homeschool families. If you know of anyone, please contact our office manager.

Drawing

Register at our website to join our Family Membership Program and you will be entered into a drawing for a bag of goodies to use in your homeschool area this year! Register today at our website www.familyacademy.org

New This Fall!

Monthly Bible Studies for the kids to do! We will be adding this to our monthly newsletter come September.

We have some fantastic resources we will be sharing with you this fall! Sign up for a Family Membership to get added specials!

Teacher Needed ASAP

One of our Arlington locations needs a middle school teacher. You do not need to be certified currently. Please contact us at the office.

We Want to Hear from You

What would you like to see added to this monthly newsletter??? Email us today!

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Aleks.com Math

We have recently worked out a great contract with Aleks.com. This online Math is just awesome. Its great for kids that struggle with book work.

This online program has great features and some games, videos to teach, but the best thing of all is that it keeps going over concepts learned to reinforce that learning. Plus, you as a parent, do not need to grade papers!

Our teachers assign work and tests on a regular basis. Plus, they can come on and see where your child is having troubles and help.

Program fees are:

One-month trial for \$30.00

Three-month subscription \$50.00

Nine-month subscription \$70.00

Twelve-month subscription \$90.00

You are saving up to \$238.00 a year, plus they have books to correlate with the curriculum if you need them.

Aleks even offers some classes for Biology and Chemistry.

For more information, please contact school@familyacademy.org

Math Assessments

We currently have access to a Math Assessment program that tests the 13 Pre-High School areas of Math competency. Learn where your student needs help!

The cost for this is \$100.00 per assessment.

To register for this, please contact mdail@familyacademy.org

Registration for the Fall has begun!

With the increase in families deciding to homeschool their children after the experiences with public school this past year, we have added more teachers to our roster that have independent learning centers. These teachers are qualified to assist your family needs while continuing to homeschool.

We provide:

- School year planning
- Weekly Contact with students and parents
- Quarterly conferences
- Report cards for K-8
- Sports report cards for district needs
- Great online resources for Special Education Needs
- New Phonics program for K-2 online coming this Fall! Limited enrollments available.
- Highschool accreditation through a partner program for 9-12
 - Keep homeschooling and get an accredited diploma.
- Testing and Assessments
- Outdoor Schools
- Online courses available
 - Student/Teacher led Spanish Class.
 - Music Classes
 - Art Classes
- And much more

We have teachers in:

- Sequim/Port Angeles area (Tutor)
- Arlington – 2 learning centers
- Burien – 2 learning centers
- Vancouver – 1 learning center
- Marysville – 1 learning center
- A Zoom teacher in Oklahoma for special needs children working with her Brain training system.

To inquire about registration for the fall and availability with one of our Teacher Consultants or Learning Centers, please email us at school@familyacademy.org.

We look forward to assisting you!

Open Registration in Arlington, WA

Will be held at Family Academy Administration Building in Arlington, WA on Friday, August 27th from 1 to 5 pm. Please drop by, meet Diana McAlister and Tammie Elliott. We will answer any questions you have about homeschooling! Please contact us so we know you are coming! Use the school@familyacademy.org email.

Curriculum on Sale. First Come First Serve!!!!

Language Arts:

Title	Sale Price	Shipping Weight	# In Stock
A Writer's Guide to Powerful Paragraphs	9.00	15.6 oz.	6
A Writer's Guide to Using 8 Methods of Transition	3.00	3.3 oz.	4
Brightest Heaven of Invention (Shakespeare Guide)	9.00	15.2 oz.	6
Megawords Level 2 Student Workbook	5.00	8.5 oz.	2
Megawords Level 2 Teacher Key	6.50	7.3 oz.	5
Megawords Level 4 Student Workbook	5.00	8.4 oz.	4
Megawords Level 4 Teacher Key	6.50	6.5 oz.	2
Megawords Level 5 Student Workbook	5.00	7.2 oz.	2
Megawords Level 5 Teacher Key	6.50	6.3 oz.	3
Megawords Level 6 Student Workbook	5.00	7.9 oz.	6
Megawords Level 6 Teacher Key	6.50	6.3 oz.	3
Megawords Level 7 Teacher Key	6.50	7.3 oz.	1
Megawords Level 8 Student Workbook	5.00	9 oz.	1
Megawords Level 8 Teacher Key	6.50	8.1 oz.	1
Rules of the Game Level 1 Teacher Key	2.25	4.9 oz.	1
Rules of the Game Level 2 Teacher Key	2.25	5.2 oz.	1
Rules of the Game Level 3 Teacher Key	2.25	5.4 oz.	3
Write Source Publications:			
All Write Skillsbook Student Workbook	9.00	1 lb. 1.5 oz.	1
All Write Skillsbook Teacher Edition	11.50	1 lb. 3.8 oz.	7
All Write Student Handbook	11.00	1 lb. 8.8 oz.	5
Write Away (early elementary)	6.50	1 lb. 2.8 oz.	1
Writers Express Skillsbook Level 4 Teacher Ed.	6.50	15.3 oz.	2
Writers Express Skillsbook Level 5 Teacher Ed.	6.50	15.3 oz.	1
Writers Express Skillsbook Level 5 Student Workbook	6.50	15.4 oz.	1
Writers Inc. School to Work Student Handbook	6.50	1 lb. 9.7 oz.	1
Writers Inc. School to Work Teacher's Guide	6.50	14.3 oz.	1
Writers Inc. Skillsbook Level 11 Student	6.50	14.4 oz.	4
Write Source 2000 Skillsbook Level 8 Teacher Edition	6.50	1 lb. 1.3 oz.	1
Write Source 2000 Skillsbook Level 7 Student Workbook	6.50	15.4 oz.	1
History Curriculum:			
Doing History – Student - (Global Studies Edition)	6.00	11.9 oz.	2
Doing History – Student - High School (Level G-H)	6.00	10.8 oz.	6
Doing History – Teacher - High School (Level G-H)	3.00	2.9 oz.	3
Doing History – Student – Middle School (Level E-F)	6.00	10.7 oz.	5
Our NW Heritage	13.00	1 lb. 3.3 oz.	Sold out
Science:			
The Geology of Yellowstone	15.00	15.5 oz.	6
Pagoo	6.00	15.4 oz.	2
Biblical/Apologetics:			
The Answer Gospel of John	3.00	5.6 oz.	6
Know What You Believe	6.50	7.8 oz.	3
Family Academy Publications			
Homeschooling the Highschooler Course	36.00	1 lb. 8.3 oz.	50 in processing
High School Your Way Planner	16.00	15.5 oz.	367
Teaching My Own Planner	16.00	12.3 oz.	82

To order any of these items, you can go to our website shopping page and purchase online, or you may call the office to purchase. Please note some items may have sold prior to the release of this newsletter and we cannot guarantee if the item is available. Check out our Teaching My Own K-8 planner and the High School Your Way planner to meet your homeschooling needs this fall.

Adult Learner Program

While most Community Colleges in our state have diploma courses for adults over the age of 21 that have not earned their diplomas from High School, Family Academy® has a program as well. Although our program is not accredited, it is from our Washington State approved Private School and is considered a legal diploma.

Our school realized when this change came about in Washington State that for many who are declared “Special Education Students” do not qualify by college standards to be admitted earning their diploma. So, we went to OSPI, and we are approved to take on adult learners over the age of 21 who are seeking their high school diploma.

The process is simple. Provide a transcript from your high school or school district. You only need to meet the requirements of when you should have graduated. We charge \$60.00 for a transcript evaluation. Once our review is done, we will provide you with an estimated cost to complete your diploma, along with a list of courses needed to complete. We have the availability to use life experiences for some of those credits.

Contact school@familyacademy.org for more information on getting started today!

High School Credit in 8th Grade!

Do you have a new 8th grader? You may want to take advantage of a program that will give them 1.0 credit toward high school each semester.

We utilize a partner program which offers homeschool students’ credit in 8th grade for 9th grade courses in: World Language/Algebra 1/ English 9 or U.S. History. You must do the same two courses for the entire year with your student.

The cost of this program currently is \$210.00 non-refundable registration fee, credit fees of \$560.00. An 8-month payment plan is available. TC fees are additional and can be worked out with one of our Teacher Consultants.

To enroll, contact us at school@familyacademy.org

Christian Businesses Wanted

If you own a Christian business that supports homeschooling, please contact us for advertising in our newsletter!

Educational Balance

The founder of Family Academy® and one of the homeschool law founders here in Washington State, Diana McAlister is offering her services for an Educational Balance assessment. This includes full assessments, Learning Style Analysis, and Curricula planning for the next school year. She is in Arlington, WA.

The charge for this service is \$325.00, and this would be a 4-hour session with you and your student.

If you would like to set up an appointment with Diana, you can contact her at Dianamca@gmail.com.

Your Feedback is Needed!

If you have taken the Able to Teach Course; the MU+ Parent Qualifying Course, we want to hear from you! Your experience with the course, what you liked or did not like! What was missing or how you felt at the end of the courses! Please contact the office to leave your comments or leave an email at office@familyacademy.org.

Neurodevelopmental Department of Family Academy®

Maggie Dail has been our lead Special Education Brain Trainer that assists those with Neurodevelopmental issues has a variety of services. If you have kids that are behind, who may need some special courses or are noted with disabilities, these services may help you.

Specialty courses or assistance is:

Brain Training Assessment – homeschool assessment plus an individual Neurodevelopmental plan for your student. \$200.00

Brain Training – meeting with a certified Brain Trainer two days a week for 30 minutes \$130.00 per month.

Hear Builder – is a program that develops the Auditory processes. \$10 per month for a 4-month commitment paid in advance.

MySciLearn is a Learning Accelerator / Reading Booster for all ages through Carnegie Learning. There is a six-month commitment with the first month paid in advance of \$250.00 and \$200.00 for months 2-5. This is an excellent program. New coming this fall is a Phonics portion at no additional cost for K-2.

Overcoming Learning Challenges is a great course for parents. Cost is \$100.00 and its all online. Take your time!

Some additional reading you may be interested in:

- *Becoming Adults in the 21st Century* by Maggie Dail. This comes in an eBook. \$5.00
- *Using Biographies to Teach Writing* by Maggie Dail. This comes in an eBook. \$5.00

If any of these courses pique your interest, contact mdail@familyacademy.org

Board Members Wanted!

We have openings on our school board if you are interested in serving.

Positions available are:

- Finance Committee
- Social Media Committee
- Support Committee
- Family Membership Committee

If you have any knowledge of marketing, finance, or social media, we want to talk with you! Please contact the office!

Newsletter Issues

Thank you for all your input about our newest product, the monthly newsletter! It has been a highlight of our month to put together something that can help inspire your walk with your children.

As we prepare for the next school year, the newsletter for July and August will not contain information for schooling. We are working ahead to bring you some new improvements to the monthly news!

The next issue will have more sale items! Stay tuned!