

2026-2027 ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT PROGRAM CAUSEWAY BAY

Our Programs

Grade 1-6

- ✓ Aspiring Writers
- ✓ Critical Readers
- ✓ Junior Speaker
- ✓ Public Speaking and Debate

Grade 6-7

- ✓ The Writing Bridge

Grade 7-12

- ✓ Academic Writing
- ✓ Public Speaking and Debate



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QUICK GUIDELINES

Assessment for New and Returning Students:

New or returning students (who have not attended any course for the past six months) need to be assessed before any enrollment. The purpose of the assessment is to allow our teachers to assess a student's current academic abilities and give their professional recommendations on which programs will be best suited for their needs.

Submit TWO writing samples to receive course recommendations for the program placement. Please refer to the details below:

Primary students - Grade 1 to Grade 6

- Two recent writing samples (one fiction and one non-fiction) that are no older than two months.
- Writing samples should be compositions and not "question and answer" type exercises.

Secondary students - Grade 7 to Grade 12

- Two recent writing samples from different genres (e.g. Persuasive and Descriptive) that are no older than two months.
- Writing samples should be at least 200 words in length.

Comprehensive written assessment is also available. Please contact us for details.

Students interested in joining the G1-3 Junior Speaker Program / G3-12 Debate Program must submit the writing samples, as well as schedule a 15-min online or in-person interview with one of our debate instructors.

Upon submitting your writing samples, please also indicate your preferred day and time for the interview or you may call us at 2893 - 6060 to schedule the 15-min interview. We will try our best to accommodate your preferences.

To fast track your enrollment, new and returning students can send their recent writing samples (one fiction and one non-fiction) to info@capstoneprep.com with student information and course preferences. Our Student Services Team will be in touch with you soon!

Sign Up for Special Offers Today!

(September 2026 Commencement)

Early Bird \$500 Discount - enroll by Aug 20, 2026

- Registration fee will be waived if you re-enroll in 2026 September for the 2026-2027 Academic Enrichment Program.
- \$500 early bird ends on Aug 20, 2026 with September tuition fee paid in full.

Welcome Offer \$500 for 2026 Fall Term - New students who joined 2026 Summer Intensive Program:

After completion of any intensive course, new summer students will receive a \$500 discount towards the Fall 2026 term and invitations to exclusive Capstone community events.

1. This offer applies only to enrolment starting in September or October 2026. Offer cannot be applied to a previous enrolment period.
2. To apply for the "Welcome Offer", a complete course enrolment of two months is required and only applicable to classes with available seats.
3. Tuition fee must be paid within 7 days upon course confirmation, otherwise the welcome offer will be canceled.

Refer-a-Friend \$200 discount is available!

Our Refer a Friend Program is available for our ongoing Academic Enrichment Program. For every friend you refer to our ongoing Academic Enrichment Program, you and your friend will each receive \$200 off* your tuition fees.

***Terms and Conditions apply.**

Referrer rewards:

Existing Capstone students will receive \$200 off their next month's tuition for every referee who has successfully enrolled in an ongoing course from our Academic Enrichment Program.

Referee rewards:

New students will receive \$200 off their first tuition invoice upon successful enrollment in an ongoing course from our Academic Enrichment Program. Referee students should be NEW students to Capstone, and should not have attended any course at Capstone before.

Terms and Conditions:

1. The Refer a Friend Program Promotion Period is valid from July 21, 2026 to July 31, 2027.
2. The referrer must be an existing Capstone student who is currently enrolled in an ongoing Capstone course, or who recently joined the 2026 Summer Intensive Program and wishes to continue to enroll in our 2026-2027 Academic Enrichment Program.
3. The referee must be directly referred by the referrer, and the discount is applied upon successful enrollment in a course.
4. The referrer must provide each referee's relevant information through the link provided during the Promotion Period in order to receive the referrer rewards.
5. Each referee can only be referred ONCE during the entire Promotion Period. With reference to duplicate records, a) if there are duplicate referee records provided by the same referrer, only the first entry with complete information will be used; b) if the same referee is referred by more than one referrer, only the referrer who the referee has submitted in the record will be eligible.
6. The referee rewards will be deducted from the referee's first tuition invoice upon initial enrollment.
7. The referrer rewards will be credited to the month after the corresponding referee's enrolled month (i.e. If the referee's will start the course in September, his/her referrer will receive the credit on or after October).
8. Because our monthly invoicing is automated, the referrer rewards will not be automatically updated on the invoice sent by the system. You may contact us to apply the credits, and we will resend the invoice to you accordingly.
9. This Program is only applicable to Capstone Hong Kong branch.
10. Capstone reserves the right to amend relevant terms and conditions at any time without prior notice.
11. All matters and disputes are subject to the final decision of Capstone.

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 2-6 Aspiring Writers

The Aspiring Writers Program is designed to develop students' writing skills in the three main writing genres: narrative, informational, and persuasive. The program starts with the foundation of idea development and basic writing structures. At each level, students practice the important steps of the writing process - brainstorming, outlining logically, writing effectively, and revising thoughtfully. As students progress in the program, they learn level-appropriate literary skills and techniques to hone their writing skills. These skills are developed through reading and evaluating texts; teacher instruction and modelling; close attention to the writing process; and regular feedback on activities and assignments.

Perfect for students who:

- Have plenty of ideas and/or want to improve their creativity, writing fluidity, and expression
- Want to express their ideas and opinions, but lack the structural organization and skills to craft effective stories and essays
- Need guidance in systematically planning or editing and revising their writing
- Want to advance their writing with higher-level vocabulary and writing techniques

Level 2

In this course, students will

- Expand upon structure of the narrative arc
- Learn and apply the basic structure of an essay
- Develop descriptive writing skills using sensory details
- Further develop and practice paraphrasing and summarizing skills
- Expand upon range of transition words to organize and connect ideas

Level 3

In this course, students will

- Learn and apply a more in-depth narrative arc
- Learn and apply figurative language to descriptive writing
- Expand upon developed persuasive writing skills
- Be introduced to transition words to signal cause/effect, reason/result, etc
- Further develop more advanced paraphrasing and summarizing skills
- Learn and apply different sentence beginnings to create complex sentences
- Expand upon types of conflict and apply them to narrative writing

Level 4

In this course, students will

- Practice in depth and master the 3 main types of writing: narrative, informational, persuasive
- Organize and develop ideas in a clear and effective 5-paragraph essay
- Practice and master use of figurative language in descriptive writing
- Expand upon range of transition words, and use them accurately and effectively in writing
- Vary sentence length and structure to express ideas effectively
- Expand upon types of conflict and apply them to narrative writing

Level 5

In this course, students will

- Transition from informational writing to the genre of expository writing
- Learn to modify style and structure of a writing piece for audience and purpose
- Be introduced to characterization methods to develop characters
- Develop higher-level vocabulary and specific literary techniques to enhance descriptive writing
- Learn to map the flow of ideas and arguments for strong persuasive writing
- Learn research techniques and use research findings in writing
- Expand upon types of conflict and apply them to narrative writing

Level 6

In this course, students will

- Explore more in-depth a variety of genres and to strengthen overall writing proficiency
- Deploy specific and interesting vocabulary to create mood and atmosphere in narrative writing
- Learn and apply effective persuasive strategies in writing
- Practice and master crafting a thesis-driven essay - expand upon techniques to research effectively and synthesize findings
- Craft strong and relevant evidence to thoroughly explain and support opinions and arguments
- Expand upon types of conflict and apply them to narrative writing

Level 2 **Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 6 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)**

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IAWPB2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPB2602	Friday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IAWPB2603	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	02IAWPB2604	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15

Level 3 **Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)**

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IAWPC2601	Wednesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IAWPC2602	Thursday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPC2603	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00
In-Person	02IAWPC2604	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15

Level 4 **Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)**

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IAWPD2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPD2602	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPD2603	Thursday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IAWPD2604	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPD2605	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	02IAWPD2606	Saturday	15:00 - 16:30

Application will be processed on a first-come-first-served basis. Course schedule and fees are subject to change without advance notice.

Level 5 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IAWPE2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IAWPE2602	Wednesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IAWPE2603	Thursday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPE2604	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPE2605	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	02IAWPE2606	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00
Online	02OAWPE2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:00

Level 6 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IAWPF2601	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPF2602	Wednesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IAWPF2603	Thursday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPF2604	Friday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IAWPF2605	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	02IAWPF2606	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00
In-Person	02IAWPF2607	Saturday	15:00 - 16:30
Online	02OAWPF2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 6-7 The Writing Bridge

Perfect for students who:

- Have plenty of ideas and/or want to improve their creativity, writing fluidity, and expression
- Want to express their ideas and opinions, but lack the structural organization and skills to craft effective stories and essays
- Need guidance in systematically planning or editing and revising their writing
- Want to advance their writing with higher-level vocabulary and writing techniques

In this course, students will

- Achieve proficiency in the core essay genres of narrative, informational, and persuasive writing.
- Build vocabulary and comprehension skills in English.
- Structure cohesive essays through planning and writing clear, effective 5-paragraph essays.
- Enhance descriptive writing by incorporating figurative language to add depth and engagement.
- Improve flow by utilising a wider range of transition words to connect ideas logically.
- Diversify sentence construction to express ideas more effectively.
- Strengthen narrative conflict to elevate storytelling.

The Writing Bridge (G6-7) **Duration: 1.5 hrs** | **Class Size: 8** | **Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)**

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IAWPG2601	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IAWPG2602	Friday	18:00 - 19:30

Application will be processed on a first-come-first-served basis. Course schedule and fees are subject to change without advance notice.

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 4-5 Critical Readers

The Critical Readers Program is designed to help students develop their reading comprehension skills. In each thematic unit, students will have the opportunity to improve their reading and vocabulary skills, as well as broadening their understanding of real-world issues. A key focus is on effective and analytical approaches to reading comprehension questions, a valuable skill across various school subjects. At each level, students engage with a diverse selection of thought-provoking novels, short stories, and articles, both historical and contemporary, giving them insights into worlds beyond their own. Through reading, students will be encouraged to grapple with the words, ideas, and narratives presented by authors from various cultures, historical periods, and literary traditions. These materials are specifically chosen to enrich contextual understanding of pertinent topics and expand knowledge of literary styles and vocabulary.

Perfect for students who:

- Are looking to develop strategies for effective reading comprehension and vocabulary acquisition.
- Are eager to strengthen their ability to articulate thoughts and opinions about texts and themes.
- Enjoy exploring a variety of literary forms, including novels, short stories, and articles, to expand their horizons.
- Are interested in making connections between literature and contemporary events, fostering a broader worldview.

Grade 4-5

In this course, students will

- Improve their reading comprehension skills
- Expand their vocabulary and develop strategies for comprehending unfamiliar words
- Learn strategies for answering reading comprehension questions
- Engage with a variety of literary texts, developing a deep appreciation for Literature
- Cultivate empathy and emotional intelligence by challenging their assumptions
- Analyse relevant and contemporary articles, gaining insights into diverse experiences and real-world issues

Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02ICRPE2601	Wednesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02ICRPE2602	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15

Application will be processed on a first-come-first-served basis. Course schedule and fees are subject to change without advance notice.

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 1-3: Junior Speaker Program

The Junior Speaker Program is a brand new course designed specifically for students in the first to third grade to develop their communication and critical thinking skills in a fun and supportive environment. Many students have an interest in speaking but lack the specific skills needed to thrive in a public speaking and classroom setting. This course is a wonderful introduction to these much needed skills through guided practices and detailed breakdowns on the best practices of compelling public speaking and communication.

In this course, the students will be taught about the essential skills of public speaking and how to use those skills in different everyday situations from interviews to classroom presentations. Moreover, the students will also be exposed to the art of storytelling and how to present a speech in a compelling and gripping manner. Finally, the course will also aim to educate the students about the art of productive disagreements and how to navigate arguments thoughtfully. With carefully constructed personal feedback and hands-on guidance offered in each class, this course offers a wonderful platform for students to develop their confidence and excel in communication! **Interested students must schedule an interview for admission.**

Perfect for students who:

- Have minimal experience in public speaking and or debate
- Would like to sharpen their speaking and presentation skills
- Are interested in honing and improving on their conversational skills
- Are interested in exploring how to do high quality storytelling
- Would like to learn how to thrive in an interview setting

In this course, students will

- Learn about the core elements of public speaking and effective communication.
- Learn about the art of storytelling and story construction.
- Learn about effective methods of disagreement.
- Be placed in numerous simulations of everyday events, such as classroom presentations, classroom discussions, and interviews to test their newfound skills.
- Be provided with numerous opportunities to practice their speaking skills with the feedback of a qualified instructor.

Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IJSPA2601	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IJSPA2602	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30

Application will be processed on a first-come-first-served basis. Course schedule and fees are subject to change without advance notice.

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 3-6 Public Speaking & Debate

Capstone's Public Speaking and Debate program uses the activities of speech and debate to train students to both see the world with a critical eye and then speak eloquently and persuasively. By setting debates within relevant global and philosophical contexts, students not only learn more about the world and gain increased confidence and critical thinking skills, but also become prepared to attend debate competitions if they choose to do that in the future. Lower levels of the program are intended to train students' processing abilities and get them accustomed to the practice of debating; meanwhile, higher levels of the program train students to ensure their debates are consistently well-delivered and compellingly structured within common competitive debate formats. **Interested students must schedule an interview for admission.**

Perfect for students who:

- Want to improve their confidence in public speaking or improve their spontaneous logical reasoning skills
- Have thoughts and opinions about the world and are looking for an outlet to speak up and be heard
- Are interested in debating competitively in the future

PSD I - Introductory (Grade 3-4 | Grade 5-6)

In this course, students will

- Learn about a variety of important current issues and develop personal opinions about them
- Practice basic speech structures to present on any topic persuasively
- Respond critically and competently to a peer's arguments
- Develop their confidence in front of an audience

PSD II - Intermediate (Grade 3-4 | Grade 5-6)

In this course, students will

- Continue their education on important global issues and apply various perspectives in understanding them
- Gain exposure to standard competitive debate formats, including British Parliamentary and World Schools (3-v-3)
- Hone their speech structures for more consistently persuasive delivery
- Respond confidently to the arguments of the opposing teams

Grade 3-6 Public Speaking & Debate I - Introductory

PSD I Grade 3-4 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IPDEB2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IPDEB2602	Thursday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IPDEB2603	Friday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IPDEB2604	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	02IPDEB2605	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00

PSD I Grade 5-6 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IPDEC2601	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IPDEC2602	Thursday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IPDEC2603	Thursday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IPDEC2604	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IPDEC2605	Friday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IPDEC2606	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	02IPDEC2607	Saturday	15:00 - 16:30
In-Person	02IPDEC2608	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15
Online	02OPDEC2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30

Application will be processed on a first-come-first-served basis. Course schedule and fees are subject to change without advance notice.

Grade 3-6 Public Speaking & Debate II - Intermediate

PSD II Grade 3-4 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IPDDB2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IPDDB2602	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00

PSD II Grade 5-6 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	02IPDDC2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IPDDC2602	Wednesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	02IPDDC2603	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	02IPDDC2604	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15
Online	02OPDDC2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30

Application will be processed on a first-come-first-served basis. Course schedule and fees are subject to change without advance notice.

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 7-9 Academic Writing

The Academic Writing program is designed to prepare Secondary students for the myriad of writing assignments as they transition from Primary school to challenging Secondary-level writing, to, eventually, college. Students learn the fundamental genre conventions necessary to write effectively within the persuasive, expository, descriptive, and fiction genres in the lower levels. At higher levels, students tackle increasingly complex forms of writing and the emphasis moves to developing their ideas and writing style. Through every level, the course ensures that students learn important writing habits that will serve them through the rest of their education and career. In addition, students expand their critical thinking by engaging with writing tasks through an analytical standpoint as opposed to rote learning of expected structures and conventions. Finally, reading is a large aspect of the course as students turn to reading to both gain a greater appreciation of what makes an effective text as well as to expand their vocabulary.

Perfect for students who:

- Are looking to hone their writing skills to bolster their grades at school and beyond
- Need a toolset to tackle any writing assignment confidently
- Struggle with organising their ideas
- Want to find ways to express themselves more eloquently and fluently in writing

Academic Writing I

In this course, students will

- Gain foundational exposure to the genre expectations of persuasive, expository, descriptive, and fiction writing
- Practice organizing their ideas in clear and effective 5-paragraph essays and within coherent paragraphs
- Learn essential descriptive techniques necessary to paint a vivid picture
- Consider story structure and characterization prior to composing their own stories
- Develop necessary research skills

Academic Writing II

In this course, students will

- Consistently implement the genre expectations of persuasive, expository, descriptive, and fiction writing
- Confidently organize their ideas in clear and effective 5-paragraph essays and within coherent paragraphs
- Consider the effectiveness of the descriptive techniques they use when drafting and revising
- Evaluate fiction written by others to compose their own stories more compellingly
- Hone their research skills to be more efficient and effective

Grade 7-9 Academic Writing

AW I Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	01IAWSS2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IAWSS2602	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IAWSS2603	Thursday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IAWSS2604	Friday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IAWSS2605	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	01IAWSS2606	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00
Online	01OAWSS2601	Friday	16:30 - 18:00

AW II Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	01IAWHS2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IAWHS2602	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IAWHS2603	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IAWHS2604	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	01IAWHS2605	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	01IAWHS2606	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15
Online	01OAWHS2601	Wednesday	18:00 - 19:30
Online	01OAWHS2602	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 9+ Academic Writing

The Academic Writing program is designed to prepare Secondary students for the myriad of writing assignments as they transition from Primary school to challenging Secondary-level writing, to, eventually, college. Students learn the fundamental genre conventions necessary to write effectively within the persuasive, expository, descriptive, and fiction genres in the lower levels. At higher levels, students tackle increasingly complex forms of writing and the emphasis moves to developing their ideas and writing style. Through every level, the course ensures that students learn important writing habits that will serve them through the rest of their education and career. In addition, students expand their critical thinking by engaging with writing tasks through an analytical standpoint as opposed to rote learning of expected structures and conventions. Finally, reading is a large aspect of the course as students turn to reading to both gain a greater appreciation of what makes an effective text as well as to expand their vocabulary.

Perfect for students who:

- Are looking to hone their writing skills to bolster their grades at school and beyond
- Need a toolset to tackle any writing assignment confidently
- Struggle with organising their ideas
- Want to find ways to express themselves more eloquently and fluently in writing

Academic Writing III

In this course, students will

- Employ the necessary genre conventions within more nuanced and targeted writing assignments
- Learn more complex forms of writing within the four standard genres taught at Capstone
- Evaluate their own work and the work of others for greater efficacy
- Use their literary analysis skills in order to inform their own descriptive and fiction writing
- Fine-tune their writing habits to allow for greater consistency and independence

Academic Writing III+

In this course, students will

- Be expected to craft writing assignments independently
- Probe genre conventions more deeply to consider the why behind them
- Evaluate their own work and the work of others for greater efficacy
- Discuss topics with greater nuance in order to produce deeper written work
- Continue to fine-tune their writing habits to allow for greater consistency and independence

Grade 9+ Academic Writing

AW III Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	01IWTSS2601	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IWTSS2602	Thursday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IWTSS2603	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IWTSS2604	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	01IWTSS2605	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	01IWTSS2606	Saturday	15:00 - 16:30
In-Person	01IWTSS2607	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15
Online	01OWTSS2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30

AW III+ Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	01IWPSS2601	Thursday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IWPSS2602	Friday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IWPSS2603	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	01IWPSS2604	Saturday	15:00 - 16:30
Online	01OWPSS2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30

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Academic Enrichment Programs

Grade 7-12 Public Speaking & Debate

Effective public speaking has become an essential skill in today's media-rich academic and entrepreneurial fields. Capstone's program is designed to equip students with the necessary skills to thrive in this context, with the intent to engage their listeners with strong rhetoric and critical thinking. Through a focus on debate, students learn more about salient issues, develop their analytical abilities, and gain greater confidence and fluency when presenting. The lower levels of the program focus on giving students the necessary critical thinking skills while getting them accustomed to debate within Capstone's format. At the intermediate levels of the program, students learn specialized debating skills within standard competitive debate formats. Capstone's upper-level debate program is a premier training course for debate and public speaking. Capstone's debaters have made it to the elimination rounds of the World Schools and World Individuals debating championships. Yearly, Capstone's students win championships, reach finals' series, and receive best speaker's prizes at Hong Kong's biggest debating events and at the most prestigious tournaments in the world, including Harvard, Cambridge, Oxford, and Yale-World Scholars invitationals. **Interested students must schedule an interview for admission.**

Perfect for students who:

- Would like a better understanding of global events and important contemporary issues
- Have thoughts and opinions about the world and are looking for an outlet to speak up and be heard
- Want to hone their competitive spirit by engaging in the exciting world of competitive debate

PSD I - Introductory (Grade 7-9)

In this course, students will

- Learn about complex current issues and evaluate them independently
- Practice basic speech structures to present on any topic persuasively
- Respond critically and competently to a peer's arguments
- Gain exposure to basic debate terminology and concepts

PSD II - Intermediate (Grade 7-12)

In this course, students will

- Continue their education on important global issues and apply various perspectives in understanding them
- Gain exposure to standard competitive debate formats, including British Parliamentary and World Schools (3-v-3)
- Learn important debate terminology and concepts in greater depth
- Rebut the other team's arguments by consistently and accurately identifying the flaws in them

PSD III - Advanced (Grade 7-12)

In this course, students will

- Build on an extensive repertoire of ideas within the fields of economics, philosophy, political science, international relations, and more
- Leverage experience to compete with confidence at the elimination round level and beyond at major debating competitions
- Train using more advanced and nuanced debating strategies
- Learn to perform well within the crucial areas of style, substance, and strategy

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Grade 7-9 Public Speaking & Debate I - Introductory

PSD I Grade 7-9 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	01IPDED2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IPDED2602	Wednesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IPDED2603	Thursday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IPDED2604	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IPDED2605	Friday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IPDED2606	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	01IPDED2607	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	01IPDED2608	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00
In-Person	01IPDED2609	Saturday	15:00 - 16:30
In-Person	01IPDED2610	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15

Grade 7-12 Public Speaking & Debate II -Intermediate

PSD II Grade 7-12 Duration: 1.5 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$975 (In-Person) / \$900 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	01IPDDD2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30
In-Person	01IPDDD2602	Wednesday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IPDDD2603	Thursday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IPDDD2604	Friday	16:30 - 18:00
In-Person	01IPDDD2605	Saturday	9:30 - 11:00
In-Person	01IPDDD2606	Saturday	11:00 - 12:30
In-Person	01IPDDD2607	Saturday	13:30 - 15:00
In-Person	01IPDDD2608	Saturday	15:00 - 16:30
In-Person	01IPDDD2609	Saturday	16:45 - 18:15
Online	01OPDDD2601	Tuesday	18:00 - 19:30

Grade 7-12 Public Speaking & Debate III - Advanced

PSD III Grade 7-12 Duration: 2 hrs | Class Size: 8 | Lesson Fee: \$1,300 (In-Person) / \$1,200 (Online)

Mode	Course Code	Day	Time
In-Person	01IPDCD2601	Tuesday	16:30 - 18:30
In-Person	01IPDCD2602	Wednesday	18:00 - 20:00
In-Person	01IPDCD2603	Friday	18:00 - 20:00
In-Person	01IPDCD2604	Saturday	14:30 - 16:30
Online	01OPDCD2601	Thursday	18:00 - 20:00
Online	01OPDCD2602	Saturday	9:30 - 11:30

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