Renaissance Kids celebrates the theme of Growing up Renaissance, which embodies the ideal of loving to learn and empowering students to expand their perspectives and achieve their dreams. The company's founder, Anna Rubin, has always led by example, reading for pleasure and displaying a fascination for the world around her. Anna's first grade students at the Kenter Canyon Elementary School thrived under her care and when, 29 years ago, she first opened Renaissance Kids Enrichment Center, this culture of learning for pleasure became a standard in the Los Angeles educational community.

We offer a unique program that encourages students of all ages to explore and love a variety of academic pursuits. Whether they are exploring the wonders of science, absorbing the beauty and history of art, or challenging themselves with advanced literature and mathematics, the students will be forever captivated by a love for knowledge. Each and every course reflects the *Renaissance Kids*' philosophy that learning should be exciting and challenging.

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General Information

Group Classes Begin September 9,2019

At Renaissance Kids Enrichment Center we strive to suit every schedule. We form new groups at your request. For any other math and reading enrichment group, test preparation, or private tutoring, please call to arrange a convenient time.

ENRICHMENT GROUP FEES

Payment for Math and Reading Enrichment Groups is by the semester. (Groups are limited to five students.)
WE DO NOT PROVIDE ANY MAKE-UP CLASSES.

Fall 2019 Group Prices

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, \$1170 (13 weeks)

Thursday & Friday

Spring 2020 Group Prices

Monday \$ 1620 (18 weeks) Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday/Friday \$ 1800 (20 weeks)

Call to Register! (310) 207-4225

For more information, you can also check out our website.

www.Rkids.com

ISEE Test Preparation INDEPENDENT SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAM

This program is appropriate for all secondary school entrance examinations.

RENAISSANCE KIDS OFFERS 4 WAYS TO MASTER THE ISEE

- Group Classes at Renaissance Kids are small in size, cost-effetive, and result-oriented.
- (Live) Online Group Classes provide the same proven teacher-led curriculum delivered over the web, right to your home.
- One-on-One sessions at Renaissance Kids provide flexible and comprehensive ISEE preparation with all thebenefits of individual attention.
- Online One-on-One sessions offer individual attention with at-home convenience. This option is especially loved by non-local and international students!

Whichever option you choose, Renaissance Kids provides 28+ years of test preparation experience, in house developed materials, and our unique, patented computer technology.

"Dearest Anna and Frank, Wow. The ISEE was a lot easier than I expected. Renaissance helped me so much."

7th Grader

• FALL ISEE GROUP PREPARATION STARTS AUGUST 23, 2019

10 sessions + 2 (3 hour) practice exams

\$2295

(27 hours of instruction and 33 hours in total)*

Monday or Friday

4 PM-7 PM

Saturday or Sunday

9 AM-12 PM

Sunday

3 PM-6 PM

• Fall ISEE Maintenance Preparation

This one-hour weekly class is **only for students** who have already completed, either privately or in a group, Renaissance Kids' basic ISEE course and wish to continue preparing before taking the test in November or December.

Thursday

5 PM - 6 PM

\$925

^{*}Note: To maintain the integrity of our testing, Renaissance Kids, Inc. cannot release copies of the practice exams.



• Winter ISEE/SSAT/HSPT Boot Camp (January 2020)

1 Weekend (6 hours)

Saturday, January 4th & Sunday, January 5th

1 PM – 4 PM

\$650

Prepares for the January 11, 2020 ISEE

Test Preparation for the ACT, PSAT, & SAT

Rkids' provides preparation for the PSAT and SAT in small groups. Private instruction is available for the PLAN, ACT, PSAT, SAT and all SAT II Subject Tests.

• FALL *STELLAR SAT* & PSAT INTENSIVE

4 Weeks (16 hours) + 12 hours of testing

Sundays 9/8, 9/15, 9/22 and 9/29

9 AM – 1 PM

\$1395

Testing on Saturdays 9/14, 9/21, 9/28

Prepares for the October 5th SAT I or 10/16 PSAT & 10/19 PSAT

• Winter 7 Week *STELLAR SAT* INTENSIVE

January 5 – February 23, 2020 (28 hours of instruction + 12 hours of testing)

Sundays 9 AM – 1 PM \$2395

Prepares for the March 14, 2020 SAT I

• Winter/Spring 7 Week ACT INTENSIVE

January 23 – March 17, 2020 (28 hours of instruction + 16 hours of testing)

Sundays 9 AM – 1 PM \$2395

Prepares for the April 4, 2020 ACT

• Winter/Spring 9 Week *STELLAR SAT* INTENSIVE

February 2 – April 26, 2020 (36 hours of instruction + 16 hours of testing)

Sundays 9 AM – 1 PM \$3060

Prepares for the May 2, 2020 SAT I

We also provide individual instruction for the SAT I, SAT II, ACT, GRE, & GMAT exams, available both on site and online. Please schedule at your convenience.

• PREP-AHEAD! Fall/Spring SAT I Building Blocks Class

This semester-long vocabulary and reading comprehension course provides an early intervention for students who don't love or have time to read outside of school. Students will have a jump start on the skills necessary for the PSAT and SAT.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday

6 PM – 7 PM

\$1100

• Writing Workshop for Standardized Tests (Grades 10 – 12)

This course focuses on literary and rhetorical analysis. Students working on practicing for the new SAT essay or for AP essays will want to take this class.

• College: The Organized Way

For the family who wants a little extra help staying organized through the application process, this weekly hour-long class keeps seniors on track. This is especially helpful for families who do not wish to have a dedicated independent educational consultant (college counselor), but who do want some extra advice and assistance.

ASK ABOUT OUR COLLEGE COUNSELING & COLLEGE ESSAY COACHING PROGRAMS!

Call to Register! (310) 207-4225

Math & Reading Groups

IF YOU DO NOT SEE A CONVENIENT TIME, PLEASE CALL TO ARRANGE A GROUP AT YOUR CONVENIENCE.

The following enrichment classes are offered both summer sessions and meet twice a week (Monday/Wednesday or Tuesday/Thursday). Friday class meets once a week.

• Pre-Pre-K Reading Readiness

(ages 3-4 1/2)

10:30 - 11:30 AM

1-2 PM or 2-3 PM

If your child is flipping through picture books, he/she is ready to learn! In this class your child will learn all the skills necessary to begin reading in a fun and nurturing environment.

• Pre-Kindergarten Enrichment

2-3, 3-4, 4-5 PM

This is a phonics-based course in which your child will learn to read.

• Kindergarten Reading and Math Enrichment

3-4 or 4-5 PM

Focus is on reading fluency, vocabulary, comprehension and basic math skills.

- 1st Grade Math, Reading, and Writing Enrichment 4–5 or 5–6 PM Students increase their skills and fall in love with learning.
- 2nd Grade Math, Reading, and Writing Enrichment 4–5 or 5–6 PM Students increase their skills and fall in love with learning.

• Math Enrichment

(Grades 3-6)

4-5 or 5-6 PM

We have 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th grade classes every weekday afternoon. The courses focus on advancing students, promoting self-confidence, and instilling a love for math.

• Reading Enrichment

(Grades 3-6)

4-5 or 5-6 PM

Students will strengthen their comprehension and vocabulary skills through exploration of advanced literature. Reluctant readers will be reluctant no more!

Enrichment Classes



Shakespeare

Introduce your child to the wonderful world of Shakespeare. Emphasis will be on an age-appropriate study of selected plays.

Monday or Wednesday	5–6 PM
Friday	5–6 PM

• "The Author in Me"

This course is designed to encourage children to be imaginative and adventurous in their writing.

Monday or Wednesday (Grades 3 and 4)	4–5 PM
Monday or Wednesday (Grades 5 and 6)	5-6 PM

• Short Story Masterpieces

This course is an antidote for television. Turn your child on to the joy of reading.

Tuesday or Thursday (Grades 3 and 4)	4–5 PM
Tuesday or Thursday (Grades 5 and 6)	5–6 PM

• Greek, Roman, & Norse Mythology — A Renaissance Kids Favorite!

This class will stimulate your child's imagination and introduce him/her to the world of mythology. Along the way, students strengthen comprehension, vocabulary and analytical skills. Please call to inquire about days and times.

Tuesday or Friday	(Grades 1 and 2)	4–5 PM
Tuesday or Thursday	(Grades 3 and 4)	5–6 PM
Tuesday orThursday	(Grades 5 and 6)	6–7 PM

• Science Explorations

This workshop is pure fun! Students explore the natural world through safe, age-appropriate experiments and lessons.

Inquire about prices and times. Ages 3–5, 6–8, and 9–11

• Mommy & Me Toddler Program

Please enquire for more information.



• ERB Test Preparation Review

Saturdays (Grade 5, 21 hours)

Winter/Spring January 6 – May 8, 2020 Mondays (Grade 3, 14 hours) 4-5 PM \$1260 Mondays (Grades 4 and 5, 14 hours) 5-6 PM \$1260 Wednesdays (Grade 3, 16 hours) 4-5 PM \$1440 5-6 PM Wednesdays (Grades 4 and 5, 16 hours) \$1440 Saturdays (Grade 5, 21 hours) 9 - 10:30 AM\$1890

10:30 AM - 12 PM \$1890

• Verbal Workshop for Fifth and Sixth Graders

This course is designed to increase your child's vocabulary and to improve his/her reading comprehension. The course provides the skills necessary for success on the verbal portions of the ISEE and ERB.

Wednesday or Friday 5–6 PM

• Ways of Thinking: an Exploration into Problem Solving for Young Minds

This class focuses on mathematical word or story problems that require strategy and creative decision-making. It will explore important skills useful in all future studies. We especially recommended this class for students who intend to take the ISEE course in sixth grade.

Monday or Wednesday (Grades 4 and 5)	5–6 PM
Tuesday or Thursday (Grades 4 and 5)	4-5 PM

Parlez-vous français?

Beginning French for ages 3-6. (No reading necessary.)

Monday/Wednesday, Tuesday/Thursday or Friday 4–5 PM

• ¿Se habla español?

Beginning Spanish for ages 3-6. (No reading necessary.)

Monday/Wednesday, Tuesday/Thursday or Friday 4–5 PM

Enrichment Classes



For Middle and High School Students

• Literary Analysis

This course is designed to hone the skills necessary for analyzing middle school and high school literature.

Monday or Wednesday (Grades 7 and 8) 6–7 PM Tuesday or Thursday (Grades 9 and 10) 6–7 PM

Writing Workshop

(Grades 7-9)

This indispensable course is a step-by-step guide through the writing process. It provides the student with the skills necessary for success in all high school courses.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday 6–7 PM

• Algebra Enrichment

This course is designed to provide the student with a competitive edge.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday 6–7 PM

• Pathway to Honors

January 6 – April 24, 2020

\$1195

This is a multi-faceted pre-algebra course focusing on three objectives for your child:

- -Scoring high on the private school placement exams for seventh grade
- -Getting a *head start* on the seventh grade curriculum
- -Most importantly, providing your child with a strong conceptual

framework and appreciation for mathematics.

For many students, this class has fostered a love of math that has carried them through the high school honors track.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday 6–7 PM
Friday 5–6 PM
Online option available Monday or Wednesday 7–8 PM

Call to Register! (310) 207-4225



• Get Personal: The Ultimate College Essay

10th and 11th Grades

Learn the art of writing a personal essay for college applications. The skills learned in this class apply to all academic essay writing.

Sundays (5 Weeks, 10 hours)

10AM - 12 PM \$850

2 PM - 4 PM

• For the Sake of Argument: Approaching the Argumentative Essay

6th - 9th grades

This course will focus on the argumentative essay. Students will analyze both strong and weak arguments and then practice presenting their own compelling arguments in a well-written fashion.

Thursday

5PM - 6 PM

"I consider myself very fortunate to have found Renaissance Kids. I honestly believe that I would not be where I am today if it were not for all of your individual contributions to my life. Ever since the ERBs all of you have had such a large impact on every aspect of my academic life."

• Renaissance Kids Study Skills Seminar

7th – 12th grades

Organizing and prioritizing helps students make the most of their academic opportunities. This class helps students set up good habits during the critical first weeks of the new school year. Using proven techniques plus modern technology, we help the students develop a strategy that works for them. No more forgotten homework assignments or crumpled papers at the bottom of the bag!

Wednesdays

5 PM – 6 PM

\$500

• 7th Grade Pre-Algebra (Online)

Need help adjusting to the demands of middle schools? This weekly class will keep you ahead of the game.

Wednesdays

7PM - 8PM

Private Tutoring



FOR STUDENTS GRADES 7 & UP

Algebra Spanish
Geometry Latin
Algebra II French
Precalculus Hebrew
Calculus Russian
History Study Skills

Physics SAT I & II Preparation
Chemistry ISEE Preparation
English College Counseling

"Anna!!! You were right!!! I got in!! Thank you all sooooooo much for all of your help and support! I cannot believe I got into Princeton!!!! Thaaaank you!!!!!!"

FOR ELEMENTARY AGE STUDENTS

Math Reading Languages Writing ERB Preparation ISEE Preparation Test-Taking Skills Study-Skills

Renaissance Kids seeks to provide enrichment and support for all of your academic needs. Please inquire if you do not see the subject you seek listed above.

^{***} Are you a homeschooling family? Please inquire about out Morning Sessions! We offer a mix of short courses, as well as our invaluable Study Skills for Lifelong Learning course. ***



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Calendar

2019 Fall

Fall ISEE Groups Begin August 23 September 3 Fall Session begins

First day of enrichment group classes September 9

September 29 Closing at 5 PM

Closed: Rosh Hashanah September 30

Spring 2020 Registration Opens October 1

October 8 Closing at 5 PM October 9 Closed: Yom Kippur November 28 - December 1 Closed: Thanksgiving

December 13 Last Day of Fall Classes December 21, 2019 - January 2, 2020 Closed: Winter Break

(Open by Appointment Only)



2020 Spring

Spring Session begins January 2 January 6 Group Classes Begin

January 20 Closed: Martin Luthr King, Jr. Day

February 17 Closed: Presidents' Day March 29 - April 12 Closed: Spring Break Classes Resume

March 1 – June 23 Summer 2020 Registration

May 25 Closed: Memorial Day June 5 Last Day of Spring Classes June 15 Summer Session Begins

Policy Regarding Private Sessions

As Renaissance Kids, Inc. enters its twenty-ninth year, we continue to find ourselves faced with the challenge of maintaining the high quality of our educational enrichment environment at reasonable prices. We are therefore continuing the policy that has been in effect since September 1996.

Those families wishing to reserve a defined weekly time slot will be asked to commit for an entire semester (not including national or major religious holidays as specified in our calendar) and to prepay the session fee. During this period these families may elect to cancel, with no charge, any three of the sessions—provided that they have notified Renaissance Kids by 5 PM of the previous business day.

Families wishing to obtain private lessons without the commitment described above, may schedule lessons on an "as needed" basis. Payment must be made at the time of scheduling. Once a session is scheduled, NO CANCELLATION will be permitted for any reason. There are currently three methods by which payment may be made:

- •Payment may be made in person at our premises at the time of scheduling.
- •A credit balance may be deposited in advance from which appropriate amounts will be deducted at the time of scheduling.
- •Payment can be made by VISA or MASTERCARD.

The rationale behind these policies is simple. In order to attract and retain the best educational staff, we need to respect their time and pay them quality rates. Therefore, we can no longer allow families to reserve limited time and then arbitrarily cancel. This practice has the effect of unfairly requiring the teacher to be committed and "on call" without the associated financial commitment from the family.