

# Sunshine Academy

## **TJ Prep: Your Key to the No. 1 High School in America**

Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology is the No. 1 high school in America. Students are admitted through a rigorous admissions process, consisting of an admission exam, personal statement, and student information sheet and teacher recommendations.

We have a comprehensive plan to prepare rising 7th and 8th graders for the TJ admission exam and we are dedicated to working with them until they attain all of the skills they need to get admitted into TJ. Further, we prepare students for various competitions, such as MathCounts, Math Kangaroo, and the AMC 8 and AMC10. These competitions are great extracurricular activities that carry heavy weight on their TJ student information sheet.

Warmest congratulations to our 8<sup>th</sup> graders achieved very high score and accepted by TJ. In 2012, three of our students got perfect scores on both tests and eleven of them got perfect scores on math!

The TJ admissions exam has two sections: Mathematical Reasoning and Verbal Reasoning. Students at our TJ prep will

1. Work on Algebra, Geometry and Word Problems, focusing on preparing for the Math section.
2. Work on critical reading, logical reasoning and unscrambling paragraph for the Verbal section.
3. Learn how to write 2 expressive and impressive essays in 60 minutes.
4. Learn how to write an effective personal statement.

There will be 8 full practice tests in the session before the last class. The teachers for TJ Prep at our summer camp are certified professionals with years of teaching experience in high schools.

### **Time and Location**

Monday -- Friday: 8:30am --5:30pm

Session I: 6/24 --7/19/2013

Location McNair Elementary School, 2499 Thomas Jefferson Drive, Herndon, VA 20171.

Session II: 7/22 -- 8/16/2012

Location: Shrevevood Elementary School (7525 Shreve Rd, Falls Church, VA 22043)

### **Daily Class Schedule**

9:00am -- 11:15am      Verbal, Critical Reading, and Essay Writing  
11:15am -- 11:30am      Recess  
11:30am -- 12:30pm      TJ prep Math  
12:35pm - 1:30pm      Lunch  
1:45pm - 2:15pm      MathCounts/ Math Kangaroo/ AMC problems  
2:20pm - 3:00pm      Homework  
Afternoon Activities: Sports, Chess and fun.

### **Contact Information**

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