



Berkshire Waldorf High School SEMINAR BLOCKS 2023-2024

	DATES	Days	Freshpersons	Sophomores	Juniors	Seniors
		1	(First seminar)			
	9/6-9/8	3	Orientation at Hi-Rock	Orientation at Hi-Rock	Orientation at Hi-Rock	Orientation at Hi-Rock
1	9/11-9/28	11 (12)	History Through Art <i>Dr. Sagarin</i>	Physics: Kinematics <i>Mr. Andenmatten</i>	Dante's Inferno <i>Ms. Robbins</i>	Zoology, Evolution <i>Ms. Orenstein</i>
2	10/2-10/26	15	Modern U.S. History I <i>Ms. Stier</i>	Early Modern History <i>Dr. Sagarin</i>	Early Modern History <i>Dr. Sagarin</i>	Transcendentalists <i>Ms. Robbins</i>
3	10/30-11/21	14	History of Language <i>Ms. Robbins</i>	History of Language <i>Ms. Robbins</i>	Physics: Electricity/Magnet <i>Mr. Andenmatten</i>	20th C. Revolutions & Cold War <i>Dr. Hamelrath</i>
4	11/27-12/19	14	Scientific Revolution/Enlightenment <i>Dr. Hamelrath</i>	Biology: Cell Biology <i>Ms. Orenstein</i>	World Lit and Translation <i>Ms. Stier</i>	History through Architecture <i>Dr. Sagarin</i>
WINTER RECESS						
5	1/8-1/25	11	Physics: Thermodynamics <i>Mr. Andenmatten</i>	Homer's <i>Odyssey</i> <i>Ms. Robbins</i>	Genetics & Evolution <i>Ms. Orenstein</i>	Philosophy <i>Ms. Stier</i>
6	1/29-2/15	12	History of Technology <i>Dr. Sagarin</i>	Indigenous History <i>Ms. Stier</i>	Indigenous History <i>Ms. Stier</i>	Physics: Optics <i>Mr. Andenmatten</i>
7	2/26-3/21	16	Short Stories <i>Ms. Stier</i>	Chemistry <i>Ms. Burke</i>	History through Music <i>Profe Nunez</i>	Chemistry TBD
8	3/25-4/12	12	Anatomy & Physiology <i>Ms. Orenstein</i>	TRAVEL	TRAVEL	Internship/Project
9	4/22-5/9	12	History of Drama <i>Ms. Robbins</i>	Ancient History <i>Dr. Sagarin</i>	Botany <i>Ms. Orenstein</i>	Botany <i>Ms. Orenstein</i>
Mini-Block	5/13-5/17	5	Hike <i>Mr. Leavitt</i>	Service Work <i>Greenagers</i>	Surveying <i>Mr. Thorp</i>	Astronomy <i>Mr. D'Aleo</i>
10	5/20-6/6	11	Chemistry <i>Ms. Burke</i>	US Constitution <i>Ms. Stier</i>	Russian Literature <i>Ms. Robbins</i>	Economics <i>Dr. Sagarin</i>