



## Mr. Stephen Johnson's Courses

A Stanford graduate, an avid student of languages, is an extremely popular ShareWorld instructor. Mr. Johnson's curriculum has been perfected throughout his 27 years of teaching, giving students an advantage with the most updated and innovative material for exam preparation. Several of our SAT Critical Reading & Writing 800 students attribute their success on the exam solely to Mr. Johnson's course curriculum and unique SAT foundation building strategies, and students are often surprised with their significant score improvement after completing his course.

### Vocabulary and Reading

Through readings in classical literature and rigorous vocabulary drills, students will acquire a sophisticated vocabulary and develop advanced reading skills.

### Advanced English

Through exercises in graded readings, students will develop the skills not only to do well on the SAT Critical Reading test, but also to cope with the reading load at an academically demanding university.

### Critical Reading & Writing

This class will cover vocabulary, reading skills, grammar, and writing skills. Vocabulary will entail three pages a week from the Advanced Vocabulary book; Reading will entail readings from the Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire or Dryden's translation of Plutarch's Lives; Grammar will entail the entirety of A Brief Grammar of English; and Writing will entail original thinking, essay organization, and a topical abstract of SAT essay values (honesty, individualism, responsibility, etc.) drawn from the readings.

### SAT I Critical Reading & Writing

In addition to learning all the vocabulary and reading skills necessary to cope in college as well as to excel in the SAT Critical Reading exam, students will also learn the skills to write an effective essay for the SAT Writing Test.

### Latin

For all levels from beginning to advanced using Wheelock for Beginners, Caesar for intermediate, and Vergil for Advanced.

### World History

Survey of World History focusing on stories of the most influential people. special emphasis on Asia (China, Japan, Korea, Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia, India, Indonesia).

### AP Chinese - By Request

The AP Chinese Exam will assess the reading, writing, and speaking abilities of Mandarin as well as knowledge of Chinese culture.

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