

*Physical Science*  
*Fall and Spring 2020-2021*

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**Grades:** 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>

**Tuition:** \$25 per month (\$125 per semester)

**Material Fees:** \$25/semester (\$50/year)

**Required Text/Supplies:** Textbook Apologia Exploring Creation with Physical Science, 2nd Edition (ISBN:978-1-932012-77-4); Solutions and Tests Manual (ISBN: 978-1-932012-78-1), 3 ring binder with 5 divider tabs (for Notes, OYO, Study Guides, Lab reports, Tests); calculator; notebook paper; pencil

**Pre-Requisites:** 7<sup>th</sup> grade math

**Description:** This course is part of Apologia's formal Jr/Sr High School science series. The text discusses topics of the atmosphere, the hydrosphere, weather, the structure of the earth, environmentalism, physics of motion, Newton's Laws, forces in creation, and astrophysics.

The curriculum is composed of sixteen modules. Each will be covered over 2 weeks.

**Instructor Bio:** My name is Jessica Pittman. I have been lucky enough to call Brevard County home my entire life. Access to so many natural wonders and having the space program in our own backyard is a gift I do not take for granted. I have been married to my husband, Jason, for 12 years and we have three amazing, beach-loving children!

I earned my BS in Exceptional Education from the University of Central Florida in 2006 and subsequently obtained my teaching certification in Reading and ESE K-12. I have taught in public and private schools for over 10 years with a few breaks in between to stay home with our kiddos. I have always loved working with children, watching them grow and providing a path for them to figure things out on their own. There is nothing that can replace watching a student have that "Aha!" moment when they finally figure out that Math problem or get the literature connections!

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My youngest son had a fantastic first year at ACE last year and I am so excited to teach a class this year. This program is a testament to what a great community we have in Brevard and I am so proud to be a part of it!