

Spring 2024

Dear Returning Students/Classes of 2025 & 2026~

Welcome back to the upcoming summer session of the Waldorf High School Teacher Education Program! I will be eager to hear more firsthand how you have fared during this extraordinary past year and how your professional lives are unfolding.

In preparation for our summer program, I am once again calling for your help: please make sure you carefully read all advance materials, have submitted proper paperwork for internships/practicums, taken care of lodging and meals needs, and ensure you are up to date in your tuition payments. Tuition needs either to have been paid in full or a payment plan established with Milan Daler, Administrator of the Center for Anthroposophy, before you resume your studies with us this summer.

[Here](#) is the schedule for the live residency, as well as our one day together in advance online (**Friday, July 11**). The links to join the Friday sessions are on the schedule.

Gathering of all WHISTEP students ~ 2:00- 2:40 EDT

Pro Sem II (with Paul) ~ 2:45- 4:00 pm EDT

Pro Sem III (with David) ~ 2:45- 4:00 EDT

Live classes in Wilton begin on **Sunday, July 13** at 8:30 am with the Convocation along with the Antioch University Waldorf Teacher Education Program students. Dorms are open **Saturday, July 12** and there will be dinner on Saturday night for those who have signed up.

[Here](#) is the syllabus/required readings for all Year II & III courses.

The major study text this summer, as you know, will be Rudolf Steiner's *Occult Science* in addition to supplementary readings for the subject seminar and artistic courses as outlined in the course syllabi of last summer.

Please remember: *It is your responsibility to secure prior to arrival all required books for summer courses.*

Required articles not listed in the syllabi will be available on the first day of classes. It is also required that students read all assigned books as indicated on the reading list—including those for your subject seminar—before the start of the summer session. For individual subject seminar assignments, including possible presentation of projects arising from your year of independent study, please consult your independent study mentor or subject seminar instructor.

The in-person portion of this summer's training program ends with our closing graduation ceremony on **Sunday July 27**, starting at 10:30 a.m.; the culminating "demonstration evening" of artistic offerings from all our summer cohorts will take place the previous evening, on **Saturday July 26**. Please plan your travel arrangements accordingly! Family members are warmly invited to both of these events. Please note that all other functions—including the Convocation of all teacher training programs on Sunday July 13 are for enrolled students only.

Questions about program or courses—such as difficulties in finding the assigned readings—can be routed to me at my home office phone number—(603) 533-3383—or to my e-mail address at david@centerforanthroposophy.org.

Administrative questions, for instance housing and other arrangements, should be directed to Milan at (603) 654-2566 or at his e-mail address: milan@centerforanthroposophy.org.

If you have yet to arrange your meals and lodging, please do so as soon as possible here: <https://centerforanthroposophy.org/programs/summer-housing-meals/>

I am really looking forward to welcoming you back to Wilton for our summer program and to having you meet the participants in the large, new first-year group of prospective and already practicing Waldorf high school teachers.

With tremendous enthusiasm,
David Barham, Director
Waldorf High School Teacher Education Program (WHiSTEP)
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