

Pre-Kindergarten Curriculum



2025-2026



PRE-KINDERGARTEN BIBLE

- The Pre-Kindergarten Bible lessons are a sequential overview of the Bible.
- Students will demonstrate increasing comprehension of Bible stories discussed.
- Character traits: Self-Control, Respect, Thankfulness, Responsibility, Cooperation, Kindness, Generosity, Honesty/Integrity, Diligence, Patience

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The World God Made	9781629821498
Children of the World Storybook Bible	9781945470271
ESV Children's Bible	9781433547553

In-class resources: *ESV Children's Bible*, *Children of the World Storybook Bible*, *Child's Book of Character Building Book 1 & 2*, Picture books that support character and virtuous habits

PRE-KINDERGARTEN LANGUAGE & LITERACY

- Phonological Awareness: Students will hear and manipulate parts of spoken language as well as begin to make sense of the different sounds and words they hear.
- Alphabet Knowledge: Students will name the letters of the alphabet and recognize letters in print.
- Concepts About Print: Students will learn how books work and develop concepts about print.
- Comprehension: Students will make meaning from what they hear, see, and experience from stories that are read to them, through self-directed and dramatic play.
- Oral Language: Students will listen and express themselves to express feelings, thoughts, and observations. They will learn new vocabulary words and develop oral language skills by social interaction and by listening to, retelling, and narrating stories.
- Writing: Students will create stories and see their words become print through dictation, sharing the pen and finally, owning the pen (hearing and recording sounds independently) as they write.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
My First Book Set by Handwriting Without Tears Set includes My First School Book and My First Lowercase Book	9781950578122
Sing, Sound, and Count with Me CD by Handwriting Without Tears	9781934825266
Rock Rap Tap & Learn CD by Handwriting Without Tears Optional	9781891627842
The Reading House Letter Recognition A-L	9780525571285
The Reading House Letter Recognition M-Z	9780525571292
CDA ABC Books A resource fee of \$12 will be added to your student's tuition for CDA-provided ABC Books.	CDA In-class Distribution

In-class resources: "HWT Language & Literacy" Teacher Instruction Book, Sound Around Box, A-B-C Touch and Flip Card, Line it Up Cards, Music CD's, Word Time, "Saxon Early Learning" Lap books

PRE-KINDERGARTEN READINESS & WRITING

- Students will use body awareness and other school readiness skills properly, manipulate multi-sensory and hands-on materials, develop an effective “crayon grip” and demonstrate other fine motor skills, develop fine motor skills and posture for writing, and prevent most reversals of letters and numbers.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Get Set for School CD by Handwriting Without Tears	9781891627422

In-class resources: *HWT Get Set for School* Teacher Guide, music CD's, wood pieces, capital letter cards, work mats, Roll-A-Dough letters and Stamp & See Screen, slate & blackboard with double lines, FLIP crayons (class set), *Saxon Early Learning* alphabet flashcards, alphabet wall cards

PRE-KINDERGARTEN NUMBERS & MATHEMATICS

- Students will develop an understanding of numbers up to 30, build puzzles and reproduces patterns, identify and sort objects by shape, color, and size, and solve problems using operations such as combining or dividing sets and adding or taking away an object.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
I Know my Numbers by Handwriting without Tears <i>Must be an unused copy</i>	9781934825211

In-class resources: Tag Bags, 1-2-3 Touch & Flip Cards, 4 Squares More Squares, Mix & Make Shapes, Work Mats, ruler, balance scale, demonstration and student clocks, linking cubes, pattern, base ten and attribute blocks, counters, dominoes, playing cards, play money, shape pieces, dice

PRE-KINDERGARTEN MUSIC & ART

- Students will explore painting in watercolor, tempera, oil pastels, printmaking, sculpture with papier-mâché, and mixed media.
- Students will listen to *Peter and the Wolf* by Serge Prokofiev and discuss musical tone, mood, and types of instruments.
- Students will demonstrate understanding that God has given us an imagination.
- In-class resources: *Artistic Pursuit...The Way They SEE It-A Book for Every Parent About the Art Children Make* by Brenda Ellis, *Peter and the Wolf* CD and teaching materials

PRE-KINDERGARTEN NATURE STUDY

- Students will develop a sense of wonder through observing, discovering, and performing simple investigations.
- In our study of science and nature, students will see that God is the creator of all things.
- In-class resources: *God's Creation Series-"The World God Made"* by Edward J. Shewan and *"Science is Simple"* by Peggy Ashbrook, objects in nature, mirrors, balance, tub, measuring spoons, measuring cups, eyedroppers, hand lens, and horseshoe magnets.



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KINDERGARTEN BIBLE

- Daily lessons provide a sequential overview of the Bible, foundational Bible truths, skills, and character qualities presented through the telling of Bible stories from Genesis to Revelation.
- Recitations: Genesis 1:1, Matthew 6:9-13, Exodus 20:2-3, Matthew 28:19, Deuteronomy 6:5, John 1:29, Psalm 23:1-2, John 13:34-35, Isaiah 9:6, Ephesians 2:8-9, Ephesians 4:32, Ephesians 6:1-3

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Jesus Storybook Bible	9780310708254
Wee Sing Bible Songs - available on CD (see ISBN) or your music streaming platform of choice (Apple, Spotify, Amazon, etc.) Contact teacher for song list.	9780843113006

In-class resources: *Jesus Storybook Bible*, *Wee Sing Bible Songs*

KINDERGARTEN PHONICS

- Students will develop phonemic awareness and a beginning understanding of phonics.
- Students will code words by learning common vowel patterns and letter clusters.
- Students will apply spelling rules and practice sight words and irregular spelling words.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Phonics K <i>A material fee of \$55 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
Phonics and Spelling K: Level B Fluency Readers <i>These are published by Saxon and can be purchased at www.hmhco.com</i>	9780358447214

In-class resources: *Saxon Phonics K* Teacher Manual and Materials

KINDERGARTEN READING

- Students will listen and retell, illustrate, and sequence ideas in a story.
- Students will read picture books using context clues.
- Students will recognize high frequency and sight words.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Mary Engelbreit's Mother Goose: One Hundred Best-Loved Verses	9780060081713
The 20 th Century Children's Book Treasury	9780679886471
Plenty of age-appropriate picture books for independent reading	

In-class resources: Class library of picture books for students to select.

KINDERGARTEN PENMANSHIP

- Students will hold a pencil in a comfortable and correct manner; correctly form all 26 letters - both upper and lower case - in print; and legibly write letters and words using correct spacing and consistent size.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Letters and Numbers for Me by Handwriting Without Tears <i>Must be an unused copy. New ISBN</i>	9781952970764

KINDERGARTEN MATH

- Kindergarten math should be taught with the goal of creating in our students a sense of awe and wonder for God's world. Math lessons will be tied to real life as teachers give a brief lesson followed by guided and independent practice. Independent practice will continue on the home days with parents providing additional instructional support. Training in the habits of attention and orderliness will be a focus in math instruction.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Math 1 A material fee of \$60 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution

In-class resources: *Saxon Math 1* Teacher Manual and Materials, Saxon Math Manipulatives (pattern blocks, color tiles, student clocks, number lines, wrap-ups, linking cubes, balance scale, real coins, etc.)

KINDERGARTEN MUSIC & ART

- Students will learn one song per quarter and perform at their grade-level festival. Students will be introduced to choral singing as well as singing for an audience through class singing, chapel singing, and festival performances.
- Students will participate in picture study in order to cultivate awe and wonder as their eyes are drawn to truth, beauty, and goodness. Students will become familiar with prominent artworks.

KINDERGARTEN NATURE STUDY

- Students will develop a sense of wonder through observing, discovering, and performing simple investigations.
- In our study of science and nature, students will see that God is the creator of all things.



1st Grade Curriculum

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1ST GRADE BIBLE

- At home, students will begin the gospel and epistle readings with their family.
- In class, students will study favorite Bible stories from the Old Testament.
- Recitations: Genesis 1:1, Genesis 12:2, Psalm 23, Psalm 118: 28-29, Ten Commandments, Books of the Bible, Matthew 28:5-7, Luke 2: 7-12, John 3:16, Romans 3:23, Lord's Prayer (KJV)

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Bible – English Standard Version One copy per family is sufficient.	Any edition
The Student Bible Atlas Used in grades 1-6, one copy per family.	9781506400105

In-class resources: Bible – ESV, Picture studies: Lievens's *Abraham and Isaac*, Murillo's *Jacob's Dream*, Lawrence Alma-Tadema's *The Finding of Moses*, Lanfranco's *Moses and the Messengers from Canaan*, Rembrandt's *Samson and Delilah*, Preti's *Samuel Anoints David*, Titian's *David and Goliath*, Solomon's *Palace*, Solomon's *Temple, Jerusalem*, Riviere's *Daniel's Answer to the King*, Murillo's *Adoration of the Magi*, Bouguereau's *The Holy Women at the Tomb*, Chora Church

1ST GRADE LITERATURE

- Students will listen and retell, illustrate, and sequence ideas in a story.
- Students will read picture books using context clues.
- Students will recognize high frequency and sight words.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Children's Book of Virtues	9780684813530
Tut's Mummy: Lost... And Found	9780394891897
Plenty of age-appropriate picture books and beginning readers for independent reading and for child to read aloud to parent.	

In-class resources: Class library of picture books for students to select.

1ST GRADE PHONICS & SPELLING

- Students will continue to develop phonemic awareness and a fuller understanding of phonics.
- Students will code words by learning common vowel patterns and letter clusters.
- Students will apply spelling rules and practice sight words and irregular spelling words.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Phonics 1 A material fee of \$55 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
Phonics and Spelling 1: Level B Fluency Readers These are published by Saxon and can be purchased at www.hmhco.com	9780358447221

In-class resources: *Saxon Phonics 1* Teacher Manual and Materials

1ST GRADE PENMANSHIP

- Students will hold a pencil in a comfortable and correct manner; correctly form all 26 letters - both upper and lower case - in print; and legibly write letters and words using correct spacing and consistent size.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
My Printing Book by Handwriting Without Tears Must be an unused copy. New ISBN	9781952970771

1ST GRADE GRAMMAR & WRITING

- Copy work and journal writing provide the foundation for writing in 1st grade. Students will be taught to copy beautiful sentences as well as write their own during journal time in preparation for formal grammar instruction beginning in third grade. Students will be taught key grammar concepts through short lessons on parts of speech.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
CDA First Lessons in Language 1 Book fee of \$10 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution

In-class resources: *First Language Lessons for the Well-Trained Mind* by Jessie Wise

1ST GRADE HISTORY

- Students will retell stories of key events and people from Egypt and the ancient world.
- In-class resources: *Story of the World, Vol. 1* by Susan Wise Bauer, *Fifty Famous Stories Retold* by James Baldwin, Simply Charlotte Mason presents *The Stuff They Left Behind Ancient Egypt, The Great Pyramid* by Elizabeth Mann, *Joseph* by Brian Wildsmith, *Exodus* by Brian Wildsmith, *Seeker of Knowledge: The Man Who Deciphered Egyptian Hieroglyphs* by James Rumford

1ST GRADE MATH

- Students will learn to skip-count, place numbers in order, master addition and subtraction facts, multiplication, volume & mass, basic geometry and more.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Math 2 A material fee of \$60 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution

In-class resources: Saxon Math manipulatives (pattern blocks, color tiles, student clocks, number lines, etc.), Individual white boards

1ST GRADE MUSIC & ART

- Students will learn one song per quarter and perform at their grade-level festival. Students will be introduced to choral singing as well as singing for an audience through class singing, chapel singing, and festival performances.
- Students will participate in picture study in order to cultivate awe and wonder as their eyes are drawn to truth, beauty, and goodness. Students will become familiar with prominent artworks.

1ST GRADE NATURE STUDY & SCIENCE

- Students will develop a sense of wonder through observing, discovering, and performing simple investigations.
- In our study of science and nature, students will see that God is the creator of all things.
- In-class resources: Selected lessons from *Science in the Beginning* by Dr. Jay L. Wile, objects in nature, candle, aluminum foil, small coins, water basin, metal paper clip, small saucepans, Ziploc bags, measuring cups, measuring spoons, baking pan, magnifying glass, turkey baster

2nd Grade Curriculum

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2ND GRADE BIBLE

- At home, students will continue the gospel and epistle readings with their family.
- In class, students will study the book of Genesis.
- Recitations: Genesis 1:26-28, Genesis 12:1-3, Genesis 50:20, Psalm 1, Nicene Creed

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Bible – English Standard Version <i>One copy per family is sufficient.</i>	Any edition
The Student Bible Atlas <i>Used in grades 1-6, one copy per family.</i>	9781506400105

In-class resources: Bible – ESV, Picture studies by Brueghel, Eeckhout, Champaigne, Gavin, Ribera, Ruben, Arthur, Ivanov, de Bray, Rembrandt, and Jordaens.

2ND GRADE LITERATURE

- Students will demonstrate knowledge and use of phonics, including decoding skills for reading.
- Students will listen and retell, illustrate, and sequence ideas in a story.
- Students will use new vocabulary words learned from literature in their oral discussions and presentations.
- Students will describe the virtues of the characters in the stories and recognize those that are worthy and those that are worth avoiding.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Frog and Toad Storybook Favorites	9780062883124
Aesop's Fables with MP3 Downloads	9780486846392
The Boxcar Children: Book 1	9780807508527
The Boxcar Children Comprehension Guide <i>Must be an unused copy</i>	9781932168099
Homer Price	9780140309270
Homer Price Comprehension Guide <i>Must be an unused copy</i>	9781930710757

In-class resources: The Golden Treasury of Poetry.

2ND GRADE PHONICS & SPELLING

- Students will continue to develop phonemic awareness and a fuller understanding of phonics.
- Students will code words by learning common vowel patterns and letter clusters. Coding is taught as a tool to help students read unfamiliar words until the phonetic principles become automatic.
- Students will apply spelling rules and practice sight words and irregular spelling words.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Phonics 2 <i>A material fee of \$60 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
Phonics and Spelling 2: Level B Fluency Readers <i>Optional</i> <i>These are published by Saxon and can be purchased at www.hmhco.com</i>	9780358447238

2ND GRADE PENMANSHIP

- Students will learn the formation of cursive letters and practice writing in cursive using copywork, recitation, passages, and poetry.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
New American Cursive, Level 1 Workbook <i>Must be an unused copy.</i>	9780979767807

2ND GRADE GRAMMAR & WRITING

- Students will copy beautiful sentences as well as write their own during journal time in preparation for formal grammar instruction beginning in third grade. Students will be taught key grammar concepts through short lessons on parts of speech.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
CDA First Lessons in Language 2 Book fee of \$10 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution

In-class resources: *CDA Grade 2 Gentle Grammar Guide*

2ND GRADE HISTORY

- Students will retell stories of key events and people of the ancient world.
- Students will demonstrate an understanding of the chronology of those events on a timeline.
- Students will identify locations of key events from the ancient world.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Story of the World, Volume 1	9781933339009
Pompeii...Buried Alive!	9780394888668
The Trojan Horse	9780394896748

In-class resources: Simply Charlotte Mason presents *The Stuff They Left Behind packets: Ancient Egypt, Ancient Greece, Ancient Rome, Herodotus* by Jeanne Bendick, *The Librarian who Measured the Earth* by Kathryn Lasky, *Seven Wonders of the Ancient World* by Lynn Curlee, *Thirty More Famous Stories Retold* by James Baldwin, *Ancient Egypt and Her Neighbors* by Lorene Lambert.

2ND GRADE MATH

- Students will learn skip-counting; identifying ordinal positions; adding and subtracting multi-digit numbers; dividing by single-digit divisors; adding positive and negative numbers; adding and subtracting fractions; plus measurements, mass, function rules, coordinate graphs, angles, and lines of symmetry.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Math 3 A material fee of \$60 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution

In-class resources: Saxon Math manipulatives (pattern blocks, color tiles, student clocks, number lines, etc.), Rulers, Individual white boards

2ND GRADE MUSIC & ART

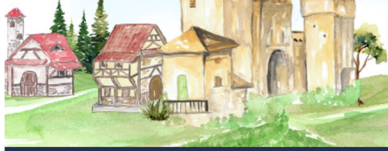
- Students will learn one song per quarter and perform at their grade-level festival. Students will be introduced to choral singing as well as singing for an audience through class singing, chapel singing, and festival performances.
- Students will participate in picture study in order to cultivate awe and wonder as their eyes are drawn to truth, beauty, and goodness. Students will become familiar with prominent artworks.
- Students will recite poems, including "The Lamb" by William Blake, "Who Has Seen the Wind" by Christina Rossetti, "My Shadow" by Robert Louis Stevenson, or "The Wind" by Robert Louis Stevenson

2ND GRADE NATURE STUDY & SCIENCE

- Students will develop a sense of wonder through observing, discovering, and performing simple investigations.
- In our study of science and nature, students will see that God is the creator of all things.
- In-class resources: Selected lessons from *Science in the Beginning* and *Science in the Ancient World* by Dr. Jay L. Wile, objects in nature, candle, trash bags, newspaper, cake pan, glasses, hot pads, measuring cups and spoons, mixing bowls, rubber bands, metal can, pepper, plastic wrap, butter knife, paper plate

3rd Grade Curriculum

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3RD GRADE BIBLE

- At home, students will continue the gospel and epistle readings with their family.
- In class, students will study the books of Exodus through Deuteronomy.
- Recitations: Exodus 20:1-17, Deuteronomy 6:5-9, Luke 2:8-10, Philippians 4:4-9, Ephesians 6:10-18

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Bible – English Standard Version <i>One copy per family is sufficient.</i>	Any edition
The Student Bible Atlas <i>Used in grades 1-6, one copy per family.</i>	9781506400105

In-class resources: Bible – ESV, Picture studies by Tadema, Kramskoy, Poussin, Rembrandt, Veronese, Jordaens, Bouguereau, Chora Church

3RD GRADE LITERATURE

- Students will develop reading skills of accuracy, fluency, inflection and comprehension.
- Students will retell a given passage of literature both orally and in writing in the proper sequence with as much accuracy and detail as possible.
- Students will engage with virtues and themes and participate in the discussion of the elements of character, setting, exposition, rising action, conflict, climax, falling action, and conclusion within a narrative.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Treasury of Children’s Literature <i>Purchased for summer reading.</i>	9780395533499
Viking Adventure	9781935570226
Sword in the Tree	9780064421324
Castle in the Attic	9780440409410
The Whipping Boy	9780060521226
Minstrel in the Tower	9780394895987
The Tale of Despereaux	9780763680893

In-class resources: *Leonardo’s Horse, Clown of God, Fishing in the Air, Treasury of Children’s Literature, Bedtime for Frances.*

3RD GRADE HISTORY

- Students will retell stories of key events and people from the Middle Ages.
- Students will demonstrate an understanding of the chronology of those events on a timeline.
- Students will identify locations of key events from the Middle Ages on a map of Europe.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Story of the World, Volume 2	9782933339092

In-class resources: *Heroes of the Middle Ages, Marguerite Makes a Book, Joan of Arc, Stories of the Saints, Patrick Patron St. of Ireland, Bard of Avon, Good Queen Bess, Pippo the Fool, Who in the World Was the Secretive Printer?, St. George and the Dragon.*

3RD GRADE MATH

- Students will learn to add three-digit numbers, subtract numbers with regrouping, read time, correctly recognize and use money, write numbers, estimate arithmetic answers, divide with two-digit answers, multiply three or more factors, and simplify and convert fractions, decimals, and mixed numbers.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Math 5/4: 3 rd Edition Homeschool Student Text 3rd Edition Student Textbook only. Kit not required.	9781591413172

In-class resources: Saxon Math manipulatives (pattern blocks, color tiles, student clocks, number lines, etc.),
Rulers, Individual white boards

3RD GRADE PRE-LATIN/VOCABULARY

- Students will begin to learn stems of Latin-based words that are fundamental to English vocabulary.
- Students will ground their learning of vocabulary and stems in the historical context of Rome.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Building Language www.rfwp.com/bookstore/building-language/ Order code: 8007. Paperback only	9780880928007

In-class resources: Constructing a Roman arch with blocks

3RD GRADE GRAMMAR

- Students will unlock the four levels of sentences including parts of speech, parts of sentence, phrases, and clauses and begin to understand patterns of language used in English grammar.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Grammar Island www.rfwp.com/bookstore/grammar-island/ Order code: 8427. Paperback only. Must be unused copy.	9780880928427
Practice Island www.rfwp.com/bookstore/practice-island-student-workbook/ Order code: 8809. Paperback only. Must be unused copy.	9780880928809

Picture studies: *The Bear Dance* by Beard, *Noah and His Ark* by Peale.

3RD GRADE WRITING

- Students will read and narrate fables and strengthen working memory through dictation.
- Students will copy texts accurately and practice summary and amplification of well-written texts.
- Students will creatively imitate sentences and whole fables.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Writing and Rhetoric Book 1: Fable, Student Edition Must be an unused copy.	9781600512162

3RD GRADE PENMANSHIP

- Students will practice writing in cursive using copywork, recitation, passages, and poetry.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
New American Cursive Workbook 2, 4 th Edition Must be 4th edition with 'scriptural quotations' and an unused copy.	9780979767890

3RD GRADE MUSIC & ART

- Students will learn one song per quarter and perform at their grade-level festival.
- Students will participate in picture study and become familiar with prominent artworks.

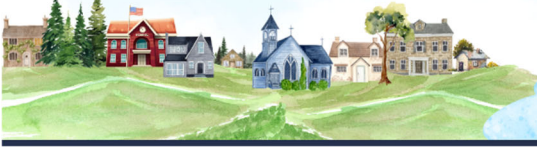
3RD GRADE SCIENCE

- Students will develop a sense of wonder through observing, discovering, and performing simple investigations. In our study of science and nature, students will see that God is the creator of all things.
- Selected lessons from *Science in the Ancient World* by Dr. Jay L. Wile.



4th Grade Curriculum

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4TH GRADE BIBLE

- At home, students will continue the gospel and epistle readings with their family.
- In class, students will study the books of Joshua through 1st Samuel.
- Recitations: Joshua 1:9, Psalm 100, Matthew 5:1-16, 43-48, Matthew 6: 5-15, Matthew 28:18-20, John 1: 1-14

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Bible – English Standard Version <i>One copy per family is sufficient.</i>	Any edition
The Student Bible Atlas <i>Used in grades 1-6, one copy per family.</i>	9781506400105

In-class resources: Bible – ESV, Picture studies by Benjamin West, Nicolas Poussin, Gerrit van Honthors, Ark of the Covenant, Bartolome Murillo, William Adolph Bouguereau, Chora Church

4TH GRADE LITERATURE

- Students will develop reading skills of accuracy, fluency, inflection and comprehension.
- Students will retell a given passage of literature both orally and in writing in the proper sequence with as much accuracy and detail as possible.
- Students will engage with virtues and themes and participate in the discussion of the elements of character, setting, exposition, rising action, conflict, climax, falling action, and conclusion within a narrative.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe	9780064471046
The Boy Who Fell Off the Mayflower	9781536202960
The Witch of Blackbird Pond	9780547550299
The Sign of the Beaver	9780547577111
Carry On, Mr. Bowditch	9780618250745

In-class resources: *Lentil* by Robert McCloskey, *Elbert's Bad Word* by Audrey Wood, *Paul Revere's Ride* by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, *Bread and Jam For Francis* by Russell Hoban

4TH GRADE HISTORY

- Students will retell stories of key events and people from the birth of the United States to 1812.
- Students will demonstrate an understanding of the chronology of those events on a timeline.
- Students will identify locations of key events from the time period on a map of the United States.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Story of the World, Volume 3 <i>Used in grades 4-5. Must use 2020 edition.</i>	9781945841446
Ben Franklin of Old Philadelphia	9780394849287
What Was the Lewis and Clark Expedition?	9780448479019
Where Was Patrick Henry on the 29 th of May?	9780698114395

In-class resources: *America First Updated Edition* by Lawton B. Evans, updated and revised by Rachel Lebowitz

4TH GRADE MATH

- Students will learn order of operations; geometry and measurement; integers; divisibility concepts; ratios; statistics and probability; prime and composite numbers; patterns and sequences; and powers and roots. Students will specifically learn about making a multiplication table, adding/subtracting fractions with a common denominator, multiplying by multiples of 10 and 100, perimeter, simple probability, decimal parts of a meter, reciprocals, volume, square roots, graphing points on a coordinate plane, and more.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Saxon Math 6/5: 3 rd Edition Homeschool Student Text 3rd Edition Student Textbook only. Kit not required.	9781591413189

In-class resources: Saxon Math manipulatives, Rulers, Individual white boards

4TH GRADE PRE-LATIN/VOCABULARY

- Students will learn Latin-based stems, nonfiction words, and essential classic words of English vocabulary.
- Students will ground their learning of vocabulary and stems in the historical context of ancient Rome.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Caesar's English I: Student Books 1 & 2 Must be an unused copy. www.rfwp.com/bookstore/caesars-english-i-cee-student-book/ Order code: 8630. Paperback only	9780898248630

4TH GRADE GRAMMAR

- Students will continue to practice the four levels of sentence analysis including parts of speech, parts of sentence, phrases, and clauses to better understand patterns of language used in English grammar.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Grammar Town Must be an unused copy. Paperback only. www.rfwp.com/bookstore/grammar-town/ Order code: 7923.	9780898247923
Practice Town Must be an unused copy. Paperback only. www.rfwp.com/bookstore/practice-town-student-workbook/ Code: 6829.	9780880926829

4TH GRADE WRITING

- Students will read and imitate narrative writing, including elements of parables, dialogue, conflict, story hooks, and character traits. Students will copy texts accurately and practice summary, outlining, and amplification of well-written texts.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Writing and Rhetoric Book 2: Narrative I, Student Edition Must be an unused copy.	9781600512186
Writing and Rhetoric Book 3: Narrative II, Student Edition Must be an unused copy.	9781600512353

4TH GRADE PENMANSHIP

- Students will practice writing in cursive using copywork, recitation, passages, and poetry.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
New American Cursive Workbook 3, 4 th Edition Must be 4th edition and an unused copy.	9780979767876

4TH GRADE MUSIC & ART

- Students will learn one song per quarter and perform at their grade-level festival.
- Students will participate in picture study and become familiar with prominent artworks.

4TH GRADE SCIENCE

- Students will develop a sense of wonder through observing, discovering, and performing simple investigations. In our study of science and nature, students will see that God is the creator of all things.
- Selected lessons from *Science in the Scientific Revolution* and *Science in the Age of Reason* by Dr. Jay L. Wile.



5th Grade Curriculum

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5TH GRADE BIBLE

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- At home, students will continue the gospel and epistle readings with their family.
- In class, students will study the books of 1st Samuel through Esther, focusing on the prophets and kings.
- Recitations: Deuteronomy 5:1-21, 1 Corinthians 13:1-13, John 14:1-6, Hebrews 11:1-16

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Bible – English Standard Version <i>One copy per family is sufficient.</i>	Any edition
The Student Bible Atlas <i>Used in grades 1-6, one copy per family.</i>	9781506400105

5TH GRADE LITERATURE

- Students will read, discuss, and write thoughtful responses and reflections over selections of American literature books focusing on literary elements and style.
- Students will analyze and identify all parts of a story (setting, exposition, rising action, climax, falling action, conclusion, themes, and conflicts).

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Horse and His Boy	9780064471060
Old Yeller	9780060935474
Caddie Woodlawn	9780689815218
The Prince and the Pauper	9781948132114
The Winged Watchman	9781883937072

In-class resources: *Simply Shakespeare, Reader's Theatre*, edited by Jennifer L. Kroll

5TH GRADE WRITING

- Students will read and imitate informative and persuasive texts through the *progymnasmata* exercises of chreia, proverb, refutation, and confirmation. Students will practice summary, outlining, and amplification in order to develop well-written and organized texts supported by reasoned facts and details.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Writing and Rhetoric Book 4: Chreia & Proverb, Student Edition <i>Must be an unused copy.</i>	9781600512421
Writing and Rhetoric Book 5: Refutation & Confirmation, Student Edition <i>Must be an unused copy. Please note new ISBN.</i>	9781600516924

5TH GRADE VOCABULARY

- Students will learn Latin-based stems, nonfiction words, and essential classic words of English vocabulary.
- Students will ground their learning of vocabulary and stems in the historical context of ancient Rome.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Caesar's English II: Student Books 1 & 2 <i>Must be an unused copy.</i> www.rfwp.com/bookstore/caesars-english-ii-cee-student-book/ <i>Order code: 8739. Paperback only</i>	9780898248739

5TH GRADE HISTORY

- Students will retell stories of key events and people from the United States from 1812 to the present.
- Students will demonstrate an understanding of the chronology of those events on a timeline.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Story of the World, Volume 3 Used in grades 4-5. Must use 2020 edition.	9781945841446
The Story of the World, Volume 4 Must use 2021 edition.	9781945841903
"Carry a Big Stick" /The Courage and Character of Theodore Roosevelt	9781581824391 OR 9781888952209

5TH GRADE SCIENCE

- Students will be introduced to the scientific advances made from the early 1800s to the early 1900s, discussing a wide range of topics including medicine, human physiology, cell biology, evolution, chemistry, geology, electricity, magnetism, heat, light waves, sound waves, radioactivity, and conservation laws.
- Students learn about the science that was being discovered at the time as well as the lives and personal beliefs of those who were discovering it.
- Through hands-on activities, students will be introduced to the scientific process and the perspectives of a scientist.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Science in the Industrial Age	9780989042482

5TH GRADE PRE-ALGEBRA

- In preparation for algebra study beginning in 7th grade, students will explore and solidify their understanding of integers; operations of multiplying and dividing; factors and multiples; fractions, decimal and percent representations; equations, inequalities, and functions; rates, ratios, and proportions; measurement, geometry, and data analysis.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Math Explorations 1 Textbook Order through the online bookstore OR click the link below. STOCK #1451175	9781938858222
Math Explorations 1 Workbook Order through the online bookstore OR click the link below. STOCK #WK ME1	9781938858031
https://secure.touchnet.com/C24322_ustores/web/store_main.jsp?STOREID=118&SINGLESTORE=true#	

5TH GRADE LATIN & GRAMMAR

- Students will learn the Latin language through four different pathways: hearing, speaking, reading, and writing. Using images, sounds, and memorable contexts, students will acquire both vocabulary and grammar forms with the goal of reading ancient texts in Latin.
- Students will continue to practice the four levels of sentence analysis including parts of speech, parts of sentence, phrases, and clauses to better understand patterns of language used in English grammar.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Picta Dicta Latin Primer A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
Grammar Voyage www.rfwp.com/bookstore/grammar-voyage/ Order code: 7930. Paperback only. Must be unused copy.	9780898247930
Practice Voyage www.rfwp.com/bookstore/practice-voyage-student-workbook/ Order code: 6843. Paperback only. Must be unused copy.	9780880926843
The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary One per family	9780553590128

6th Grade Curriculum

2025-2026



6TH GRADE CHURCH HISTORY

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- The students will narrate a basic outline of the history of the Christian Church with a few major dates, key figures, and the basic geography of Christian expansion.
- The students will know some Christian art, music, architecture, vocabulary, and symbols.
- The students will learn to interpret basic original source documents

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Bible – English Standard Version <i>Used in History and in conjunction with Pilgrim's Progress and The Hiding Place.</i>	Any edition
The Student Bible Atlas <i>Used in grades 1-6, one copy per family.</i>	9781506400105
So Great a Cloud of Witnesses: Heroes from Church History	9798985754704
The 100 Most Important Events in Christian History <i>Previous editions are acceptable.</i>	9780800739065

6TH GRADE ENGLISH

- Students will read, discuss, and write thoughtful responses and reflections over selections from classic stories in literature focusing on literary elements and style.
- Students will develop vocabulary knowledge of the 100 most frequent and important words in classic English literature.
- Students will read and imitate informative and persuasive texts through the *progymnasmata* commonplace essay format. Students will practice summary, outlining, and amplification in order to develop well-written and organized texts supported by reasoned facts and details.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Children's Homer	9780689868832
King Arthur and His Knights of the Round Table	9780141321011
The Story of Rolf and the Viking Bow	9781883937010
The Pilgrim's Progress	9781542015790
The Hiding Place	9780553256697
The Vocabulary of Literature <i>Must be an unused copy.</i> www.rfwp.com/bookstore/the-vocabulary-of-literature/ <i>Order code: 8724. Paperback only</i>	9780880928724
Writing and Rhetoric Book 6: Commonplace <i>Must be an unused copy.</i>	9781600512773

6TH GRADE EARTH SCIENCE

- Students will gain an understanding of the composition of the earth and understand the processes established by God that form and continue to change the earth's geological features.
- Students will be introduced to the responsibility of cultivating, stewarding and conserving the resources that have been provided to us by God through his creation.
- Students will learn the locations of countries/states in the context of discussion points on how the terrain of the land impacts the lives of the people that live within those political boundaries.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Exploring Creation with Earth Science	9781946506726

6TH GRADE PRE-ALGEBRA

- In preparation for algebra study beginning in 7th grade, students will explore and solidify their understanding of integers; modeling problems algebraically; multiplication and division; functions; decimal representation and operations; number theory; adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing fractions; rates, ratios, and proportions; geometry, data analysis, and personal finance.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Math Explorations 2 Textbook Order through the online bookstore OR click the link below.	9781938858239
Math Explorations 2 Workbook Order through the online bookstore OR click the link below.	9781938858260
https://secure.touchnet.com/C24322_ustores/web/store_main.jsp?STOREID=118&SINGLESTORE=true#	

6TH GRADE LATIN & GRAMMAR

- Students will learn the Latin language through four different pathways: hearing, speaking, reading, and writing. Using images, sounds, and memorable contexts, students will acquire both vocabulary and grammar forms with the goal of reading ancient texts in Latin.
- Students will continue to practice the four levels of sentence analysis including parts of speech, parts of sentence, phrases, and clauses to better understand patterns of language used in English grammar.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Picta Dicta Latin Primer A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
The Grammar of Literature www.rfwp.com/bookstore/the-grammar-of-literature/ Order code: 8700. Paperback only. Must be unused copy.	9780880928700
4Practice for Literature www.rfwp.com/bookstore/4practice-for-literature-student-workbook/ Order code: 8786. Paperback only. Must be unused copy.	9780880928786
The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary One per family	9780553590128

6TH GRADE ART & MUSIC

- Students will gain skill in observation and drawing in pen and ink to include, light and shadow, sketching basic shapes, and making basic drawings. Students will see some examples of pen and ink drawing from the golden age of book illustration.
- Students will learn a small repertoire of hymns, carols, and folk songs including musical elements and theory to understand them.
- Students will contemplate works of art and pieces of music from a few important artists and cultivate a relationship with the art.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Our Hymns, Our Heritage	9780802429292
Pen and Ink Drawing Workbook Must be an unused copy.	9780997046502
Pens for Drawing (Sakura Pigma 30062) Black Set	ASIN# B0008G8G8Y

7th Grade Curriculum

2025-2026



7TH GRADE ENGLISH

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- Students will read, discuss, and write thoughtful responses and reflections over selections from American literature focusing on literary elements and style.
- Students will develop a greater understanding of the classical roots of the English language.
- Students will read and imitate informative and persuasive texts through the *progymnasmata* forms of encomium and vituperation. Students will practice summary, outlining, and amplification in order to develop well-written and organized texts supported by reasoned facts and details.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Bible – English Standard Version <i>One copy per family is sufficient.</i>	Any edition
Johnny Tremain	9780547614328
Adventures of Tom Sawyer	9780486400778
The Call of the Wild	9781950435937
White Fang	9781953649546
Romeo and Juliet	9780743477116
The Word Within the Word I <i>Must be an unused copy.</i> https://www.rfwp.com/bookstore/the-word-within-the-word-i/ Order code: 9279. Paperback only	9780898249279
Writing and Rhetoric Book 7: Encomium & Vituperation <i>Must be an unused copy.</i>	9781600512988

7TH GRADE UNITED STATES HISTORY

- The students will narrate a basic outline of the history of the United States with a few major dates, key figures, and the basic geography of American expansion.
- The students will learn to interpret basic original source documents

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
A Little History of the United States	9780300223484

7TH GRADE SPEECH

- Students will memorize and deliver 25 lines of a classic poem. They will analyze a piece of poetry and research the author. Students will write an introduction for performance based on the poet's life, work, and research on the poem, its meaning, and its place in the God's world.
- Students will develop, research, outline, and present short speeches with an introduction, body, and conclusion. Students will use correct volume, pronunciation, diction, articulation, and delivery techniques for an audience.
- Students will research and write a case for both sides of a debate on a given topic.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
101 Famous Poems	9780071419307

7TH GRADE LIFE SCIENCE

- Students will develop a basic knowledge of the origin, organization, and function of living things from a biblical worldview.
- Students will see God's work in creating and sustaining the universe in life science.
- Students will participate in laboratory activities to observe, calculate, and analyze results. At least three formal lab reports are required.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Life Science Student Edition, 5 th Edition	9781628564013

7TH GRADE ALGEBRA 1A

- Students will begin Algebra study with a survey of integers, rational numbers, order of operations, variable expressions, set notations, equations, exponents, scientific notation, polynomials, common factors, graphing lines, linear inequalities, linear equations, and functions.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Jon Blakely Algebra: A Classical Approach A resource fee of \$20 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution

7TH GRADE LATIN & GRAMMAR

- Students will learn the Latin language through four different pathways: hearing, speaking, reading, and writing. Using images, sounds, and memorable contexts, students will acquire both vocabulary and grammar forms with the goal of reading ancient texts in Latin.
- Students will review and extend understanding of patterns of language used in English grammar and apply those patterns to Latin study.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Picta Dicta Latin Primer A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary One per family	9780553590128
The Magic Lens I: Student Book Optional purchase	9780880929127

8th Grade Curriculum

2025-2026



8TH GRADE ENGLISH

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- Students will begin the first year of a five year sweep of the history and literature of Western Civilization. In 8th grade, students will focus on ancient and wisdom literature from the Old Testament, Greek mythology, and Homer's *The Iliad* and *The Odyssey*. Students will develop an understanding of poetic forms including epic, narrative, and lyric poetry.
- Students will develop a greater understanding of the classical roots of the English language.
- Students will complete a research paper related to ancient history using the MLA format and in-text citations.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Bible – English Standard Version	Any edition.
Mythology <i>Used in grades 8-9</i>	9780316223331
The Iliad/Odyssey Boxed Set	9780147712554
Vocabulary from Classical Roots Book B <i>Must be an unused copy</i>	9780838822548
Vocabulary from Classical Roots Book B, Answer Key	9780838808665
Grammar for Middle School: A Sentence-Composing Approach <i>Used in grades 8-9</i>	9780325009568

8TH GRADE OLD TESTAMENT HISTORY

- The students will read and narrate the history of the Old Testament, including key figures, chronology, and geography of the major events.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Bible – English Standard Version	Any edition.
CDA Old Testament History Handbook. <i>A resource fee of \$25 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution

8TH GRADE PHYSICAL SCIENCE

- Students will study the basic organization and behavior of matter from atoms to energy in God's created universe, with a focus on Chemistry and Physics.
- Students will engage with the material through inquiry-based methods, hands on and interactive activities, and exploration of discrepant events.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Interactions in Physical Science, 2 nd Edition <i>A resource fee of \$70 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution

8TH GRADE ALGEBRA 1

- Students will continue Algebra study by reviewing linear equations; parallel and perpendicular lines; solving systems of equations by graphing, substitution, and elimination; reviewing exponents, roots, and scientific notation; multiplying and dividing polynomials; graphing parabolas; factoring trinomials and binomials; simplifying radicals; and solving and graphing quadratics.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Jon Blakely Algebra: A Classical Approach A resource fee of \$20 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution

8TH GRADE LATIN I

- Students will learn the Latin language through four different pathways: hearing, speaking, reading, and writing. Using images, sounds, and memorable contexts, students will acquire both vocabulary and grammar forms with the goal of reading ancient texts in Latin.
- Students will review and extend understanding of patterns of language used in English grammar and apply those patterns to Latin study.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Picta Dicta Latin Grammar 3 A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary One per family	9780553590128



9th Grade Curriculum

2025-2026



9TH GRADE ENGLISH

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- Students will continue their study of the history and literature of Western Civilization with a focus on classical literature.
- Students will perform oral recitations and dramatic episodes from their stories and plays.
- Students will write four essays related to literary aspects of the stories they are reading.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Mythology <i>Used in grades 8-9</i>	9780316223331
The Three Theban Plays: Antigone, Oedipus the King, Oedipus at Colonus	9780140444254
Medea	9780486275482
The Aeneid	9780143106296
Till We Have Faces	9780062565419
Beowulf	9780393320978
Hamlet	9780451526922
Vocabulary from Classical Roots Book C <i>Must be an unused copy</i>	9780838822562
Vocabulary from Classical Roots Book C, Answer Key	9780838808672
Grammar for Middle School: A Sentence-Composing Approach <i>Used in grades 8-9</i>	9780325009568

9TH GRADE ANCIENT & MEDIEVAL HISTORY

- The students will narrate and understand the impacts of two major periods in the history of Western Civilization: Classical (500 BC to 476 AD) and Medieval (476 AD to 1517 AD), including major dates, key figures, and the basic geography of the time period.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Bible – English Standard Version	Any edition.
CDA Ancient & Medieval History Reader <i>A resource fee of \$25 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
The Book of the Ancient Greeks	9781547702374
The Book of the Ancient Romans	9781547703593
The Book of the Middle Ages <i>Must be 2nd Edition</i>	9781547702398

9TH GRADE BIOLOGY

- Students will learn the fundamental principles of living organisms including physical and chemical properties of life, cell structure and function, the transfer of energy through metabolic systems, cellular reproduction, genetics, taxonomy and the kingdoms of living organisms.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Science Shepherd Biology <i>3rd Edition revised. Previous ISBN 9780991636914 is okay.</i>	9798985835816

9TH GRADE GEOMETRY

- From the beginning God has displayed order in His creation. In geometry (geo – earth, metric – measurement), students will learn to “measure the earth,” or think clearly and logically about God’s creation. Geometry students will learn about lines, planes, angles, triangles, shapes and similarity, while learning to reason logically through their first introduction to formal proofs. Throughout the course, students will develop an appreciation for God-given logical principles and learn about great mathematicians and their contributions to scientific thought.

HMH Geometry 2020 Edition A rental textbook fee of \$40 will be added to your student’s tuition. Materials will be distributed in class and returned at the end of the year.	CDA In-class Distribution
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9TH GRADE LOGIC

- Logic provides the foundation for good writing in thinking in Rhetoric School. It covers the basics of formal logic, including the development of sound syllogisms and the identification of formal and informal fallacies in reasoning. Additionally, the course addresses strategies in argumentation, including the identification of claims, evidence, and warrants and the development of criteria to establish judgements.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Introductory Logic <i>Must be an unused copy</i>	9781591281658

HONORS LATIN II *Please order Latin or Spanish according to your student’s schedule.*

- Students will memorize Latin vocabulary and grammatical forms, analyze Latin syntax, translate sentences written by Latin authors, read small paragraphs of original text, and practice responding in increasingly sophisticated Latin to Latin texts.
- Students will deepen their appreciation for the hope of the Gospel by comparing it with the responses of Classical philosophy to the problems produced by the fall: mortality and the difficulty of virtue in particular.
- Students will read, write, hear, and speak Latin.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Wheelock’s Latin, 7 th Edition	9780061997211
38 Latin Stories <i>Used in Latin II and III</i>	9780865162891
The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary	9780553590128

HONORS SPANISH I *Please order Latin or Spanish according to your student’s schedule.*

- Spanish I will introduce students to the beauty and structure of the Spanish language. Through grammar, vocabulary, and cultural exploration, students begin to read, write, listen, and speak in Spanish, laying a foundation for future language study and missional engagement with the world.

Senders 1 A resource fee of \$70 will be added to your student’s tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
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FRIDAY LATIN I *New Students Only*

- Students will learn the Latin language through four different pathways: hearing, speaking, reading, and writing. Using images, sounds, and memorable contexts, students will acquire both vocabulary and grammar forms with the goal of reading ancient texts in Latin.
- Students will review and extend understanding of patterns of language used in English grammar and apply those patterns to Latin study.

Picta Dicta Latin Grammar 3 A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student’s tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
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10th Grade Curriculum

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10TH GRADE MEDIEVAL EUROPEAN LITERATURE

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- Students will consider the journey of life as both a pilgrimage and a quest. They cultivate wisdom and virtue by reading and reflecting on the great stories of the Middle Ages, works which challenge contemporary conceptions about the good man and the well-spent life. The course begins and ends with epics, Tolkien's *The Lord of the Rings* and Dante's *The Divine Comedy*. In between, students study Christendom's great heroes, Roland, Gawain, and Arthur, and her great poets, Chaucer, Shakespeare, Herbert, and Donne. Student written work for the course includes literary analysis as well as creative narrative and original poetry.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Song of Roland	9780140445329
Sir Gawain and the Green Knight	9780345277602
Canterbury Tales	9780199599028
The Once and Future King	9780441020836
The Divine Comedy: The Inferno, The Purgatorio, and The Paradiso	9780451208637
Macbeth	9780743477109

10TH GRADE AP WORLD HISTORY & MISSIONS

- Students will study world religions and the development of classical to modern civilizations in Persia, China, Rome, India, Central & South America, Africa, and the Middle East. Students will read and evaluate primary source documents from the time periods studied and evaluate each culture and civilization through the truth of the Gospel.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
CDA World History Reader <i>A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
From Jerusalem to Irian Jaya: A Biographical History of Christian Missions	9780310239376
The Silk Roads: A New History of the World	9781101912379
Modern China: A Very Short Introduction	9780198753704
Modern India: A Very Short Introduction	9780198769347
African History: A Very Short Introduction	9780192802484
The Palestinian-Israeli Conflict: A Very Short Introduction	9780199603930

10TH GRADE THEOLOGY I

- Students will reflect on and study the Scriptures and other Christian thinkers, seeking to understand basic theological concepts and integrate biblical truths. The students will develop a framework for lifelong learning and understanding of theology as a disciple of Jesus Christ.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Bible – English Standard Version	Any edition.
Mere Christianity	9780060652920
On the Incarnation – Athanasius <i>Any edition trans. by Penelope Lawson</i>	9781537586311

10TH GRADE CHEMISTRY

- Students will explore the composition, structure, properties, and reactions of matter through a biblical lens. Students will investigate God's created world, from the smallest atom to complex molecules, developing critical thinking skills while understanding the order and design inherent in the universe.

Introductory Chemistry, 7 th Edition A rental textbook fee of \$60 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class and returned at the end of the year.	CDA In-class Distribution
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10TH GRADE ADVANCED ALGEBRA

- Students will continue Algebra study by reviewing linear equations and inequalities; polynomials; linear functions; systems of equations and inequalities; matrices; functions; operations with radicals; solving quadratics; logarithmic functions; and operations with rational expressions.

Jon Blakely Algebra: A Classical Approach A resource fee of \$30 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
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HONORS LATIN III *Please order Latin or Spanish according to your student's schedule.*

- Students will memorize Latin vocabulary and grammatical forms, analyze Latin syntax, translate sentences written by Latin authors, and read small paragraphs of original text. Students will practice advanced grammatical forms through composition and oration.
- Students will deepen their appreciation for the hope of the Gospel by comparing it with the responses of Classical philosophy to the problems produced by the fall: mortality and the difficulty of virtue in particular.
- Students will read, write, hear, and speak Latin.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Wheelock's Latin, 7 th Edition	9780061997211
38 Latin Stories <i>Used in Latin II and III</i>	9780865162891
Vergil's Aeneid: Selections from Books 1, 2, 4, and 6 <i>Used in Latin III & AP</i>	9780865167643
The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary	9780553590128

HONORS SPANISH II *Please order Latin or Spanish according to your student's schedule.*

- Spanish II deepens students' understanding of grammar and vocabulary to engage with more complex sentence structures, verb tenses, and authentic texts, fostering conversational skills and cultural awareness. The class continues to explore the impact of language on culture and missions.

Senderos 2 A resource fee of \$70 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
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FRIDAY LATIN I *New Students Only*

- Students will learn the Latin language through four different pathways: hearing, speaking, reading, and writing. Using images, sounds, and memorable contexts, students will acquire both vocabulary and grammar forms with the goal of reading ancient texts in Latin.
- Students will review and extend understanding of patterns of language used in English grammar and apply those patterns to Latin study.

Picta Dicta Latin Grammar 3 A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
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11th Grade Curriculum

2025-2026



11TH GRADE AP ENGLISH LITERATURE

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- Students will explore the good man and the good life through great literature. Beginning with Enlightenment works, students will progress through Romanticism and Realism and Victorian poetry. The course concludes with modernism/post-modernism and Christian apologetics.
- Students develop analytical and creative writing skills, gaining comprehensive coverage of Western Civilization's major literary movements.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Paradise Lost	9780486442877
Pride and Prejudice	9781586172633
Faust: Part One	9780199536214
Frankenstein	9780486282114
The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	9780486266886
The Death of Ivan Ilyich	9780307951335
Metamorphosis	9781557427663
The Abolition of Man	9780060652944
The Great Divorce	9780060652951

11TH GRADE AP ENGLISH RHETORIC (LANGUAGE & COMPOSITION)

- This course uses the fundamentals of classical rhetoric to give students an opportunity to hone their thinking and writing in composition and speech. It aims first to develop students' capacity for wisdom and second, to equip them with tools for argument and eloquence.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Rhetoric Alive! Book 1: Principles of Persuasion, Student Edition	9781600513008
They Say, I Say	9780393617436

11TH GRADE AP EUROPEAN HISTORY & WESTERN CIVILIZATION

- Students will explore Western civilization through a Christian lens, developing critical thinking skills by analyzing diverse viewpoints and interpreting primary sources. Active participation in seminar discussions, including leading sessions and constructing thesis-driven essays, is essential.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
CDA European History Reader <i>A resource fee of \$35 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
A History of Modern Europe, 4 th Edition	9780393667363
Animal Farm <i>Should be an unmarked copy</i>	9780451526342
Night <i>Should be an unmarked copy</i>	9780374500016
The Bible – English Standard Version	Any edition.

11TH GRADE AP CHEMISTRY *Please order Science textbooks according to your student's schedule.*

- This advanced placement chemistry course prepares students for the AP exam and college-level science. Students will continue to explore core chemical concepts from a biblical worldview, investigating atomic structure, bonding, reactions, and thermodynamics and developing critical thinking and laboratory skills essential for future scientific pursuits.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Chemistry, A Molecular Approach, 4 th Edition	9780134112831

11TH GRADE AP ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE *Please order according to your student's schedule.*

- This advanced placement course prepares students for the AP exam and college-level study in environmental science. Students investigate Earth's systems, human impacts, pollution, resource management, and conservation, fostering a biblical stewardship ethic. Emphasis is placed on scientific inquiry, data analysis, and developing solutions to complex environmental challenges.

Environmental Science for the AP Course, 3 rd Edition <i>A rental textbook fee of \$50 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
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11TH GRADE TRIGONOMETRY AND/OR PRE-CALCULUS

- Students will continue to explore trigonometric functions, identities, equations, and their applications.
- Students will develop problem-solving skills, analyze graphs, and apply trigonometric concepts to real-world scenarios, preparing them for pre-calculus and further STEM studies.

Algebra and Trigonometry: Functions and Applications	Faculty resource
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HONORS AP LATIN *Please order Latin or Spanish according to your student's schedule.*

- AP Latin offers a rigorous study of Latin language and literature, preparing students for the AP exam and college-level classics. Students develop advanced reading comprehension, translation, and grammatical skills through close analysis of authentic texts from authors like Pliny and Virgil.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
Wheelock's Latin, 7 th Edition	9780061997211
Vergil's Aeneid: Selections from Books 1, 2, 4, and 6 <i>Used in Latin III & AP</i>	9780865167643
A Vergil Workbook, 2 nd Edition <i>Used in Latin III & AP</i>	9780865167742
College Pliny and Vergil	9798987488416
A Pliny Workbook	9780865168879
The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary	9780553590128

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- Spanish III deepens students' understanding of grammar and vocabulary to engage with more complex sentence structures, verb tenses, and authentic texts, fostering conversational skills and cultural awareness. The class continues to explore the impact of language on culture and missions.

Senderos 3 <i>A resource fee of \$70 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
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FRIDAY LATIN I *New Students Only*

- Students will learn the Latin language through four different pathways: hearing, speaking, reading, and writing. Using images, sounds, and memorable contexts, students will acquire both vocabulary and grammar forms with the goal of reading ancient texts in Latin.

Picta Dicta Latin Grammar 3 <i>A resource fee of \$40 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
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12th Grade Curriculum

2025-2026



12TH GRADE AMERICAN LITERATURE

Unless otherwise noted, exact ISBN is required.

- In 12th-grade American Literature, students explore pivotal works through a biblical lens. They analyze rhetoric, symbolism, and the evolution of American thought, from early Puritan writings to contemporary voices. Engaging with themes of faith and freedom, students cultivate critical thinking and articulate expression, discerning truth within America's rich literary heritage. A senior presentation culminates the year's work.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
CDA American Literature Reader <i>A resource fee of \$20 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
Sentence Composing for High School	9780867094282
Other novels studied will be tailored to the focus of the course with approval from the Curriculum Department. Students will receive a list from their English teacher prior to the start of the year.	

12TH GRADE AP UNITED STATES HISTORY

- This foundational U.S. History course explores the nation's development from its colonial origins. Students will examine American social, political, and religious thought, focusing on key individuals and events that shaped the country.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
American Heritage: A Reader	9780916308285
American History, Volume 1	9781433644412
American History, Volume 2 <i>Students can also use combined text 9781535982268 instead of purchasing Vol. 1 and Vol. 2 if they would prefer.</i>	9781433644436
Farewell to Manzanar <i>Must be an unmarked copy.</i>	9781328742117

12TH GRADE THEOLOGY II

- The students will study Scripture and the writings of great thinkers, utilizing classical and contemporary sources to examine challenges and questions facing students today. The students will cultivate a mindset of reflective consideration and apply biblical truth to shape their affections.

Parents, please purchase:	ISBN
The Bible - English Standard Version	Any edition.
CDA Theology Reader <i>A resource fee of \$15 will be added to your student's tuition.</i>	CDA In-class Distribution
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The Best Things in Life	9780877849223

12TH GRADE PHYSICS /AP PHYSICS/ DC PHYSICS

- This introductory, algebra-based Physics course explores the fundamental principles governing the natural world. Through experimentation and data analysis, students investigate physical phenomena, developing a deeper understanding of God's created order.

AP Edition College Physics: Explore and Apply, 2 nd Edition A rental textbook fee of \$50 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class and returned at the end of the year.	CDA In-class Distribution
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12TH GRADE CALCULUS

- Students will explore the concepts of limits, derivatives, and integrals, developing analytical thinking and problem-solving skills. Students investigate functions, their behavior, and applications, preparing for the AP exam and future STEM studies. A classical approach emphasizes rigorous proof and the beauty of mathematical order.

Calculus Online: Concepts and Contexts. Stewart, 4 th edition A resource fee of \$50 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
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12TH GRADE INTEGRATED MATH

- This capstone mathematics course integrates the rigorous study of college algebra, encompassing equations, functions, and graphical analysis, with the practical wisdom of personal finance. These complementary disciplines are explored within a biblical framework, cultivating both intellectual and financial stewardship.

College Algebra Online: Real Mathematics, Real People. Larson 7 th Edition A resource fee of \$50 will be added to your student's tuition. Materials will be distributed in class.	CDA In-class Distribution
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