

Grade 6 Curriculum

Mathematics

Text – Sadlier-Oxford: *Progress in Mathematics*

- Place Value, Addition, and Subtraction
- Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers
- Decimals – Add, Subtract, Multiply, Divide
- Number Theory and Fractions
- Fractions – Add, Subtract, Multiply, Divide
- Percents
- Probability and Statistics
- Geometry
- Measurement – Customary and Metric
- Ratio and Proportion

Reading & Language Arts

Texts – Prentice Hall: *Prentice Hall Literature*; Holt, Rinehart & Winston: *Elements of Language*; Sadlier-Oxford: *Vocabulary Workshop*

Reading: Basic Comprehension Skills

Independent Reading: Book Talks & Written Analysis

Literature:

- Themes
 - Fiction
 - Nonfiction
 - Short Stories
 - Myths/Folk Tales
 - Novels
 - Poetry
 - Drama

Writing:

- Complete Sentences
- Paragraph Development Skills
- Essay Development Skills
- Expository, Narrative, & Descriptive Writing

Grammar:

- Parts of Speech
- Punctuation
- Capitalization
- Usage & Expression

Vocabulary:

- Weekly Lessons

Science

Text – Glencoe: *Earth Science*

- Earth's Structure – Plate Tectonics, Geological Features, Weathering & Erosion
- Earth's Atmosphere & Hydrosphere
- Weather, Climate, & Natural Disasters
- Oceanography
- Fossils & Geologic Time
- Earth, Sun, & Solar System

Health

Texts – Harcourt Brace: *Your Health – Being Healthy*

- Body Systems & Senses
- Mental, emotional, Social, & Physical Development of Adolescents
- Personal Health & Well-Being
- Influence of Media & Technology on Health

Social Studies/World History

Text – Prentice Hall: *World Explorers*

- Ancient Greeks/Romans
- Medieval Europe
- Muslim Civilization
- African Civilization
- Renaissance/Reformation Europe
- Maps, Graphs, & Charts
- Enlightenment Period
- Industrial Revolution – England
- Europe & Russia
- Asia

Religion

Texts – Loyola Press: *Christ Our Life*; Benziger: *Family Life*

- Bible Studies: Old Testament
- Church Doctrine
- Liturgy & Sacraments
- Morality & the Family Life Program
- Catholic Social Teaching
- Christian Service
- Prayer
- Sunday Scripture



Specials

- Art
- Music
Text – McGraw Hill – *Share the Music*
- Computer – see separate sheet
- Library
- Spanish
Text – Holt: *Viva El EspanolHola*
 - Basic Vocabulary & Structures
 - Responses to Simple Questions & Commands
 - Read & Write Simple Sentences
 - Develop Listening Skills
 - Demonstrate Customs from Spanish-Speaking Countries
- Physical Education – see separate sheet