

MIDDLE SCHOOL CURRICULUM

Sixth Grade

Language Arts – Shurley Grammar Level 6

Literature – Glencoe Literature 1, McGraw-Hill, A Christmas Carol

History – American History, Reconstruction to Present

Science – Matter, Cells, Exploration of the Universe, Weather/Climate, Prentice Hall Series

Bible – Principles from the Old Testament, AMG Publishers

Physical Education

Seventh Grade

Language Arts – Shurley Grammar Level 7

Literature – Glencoe Literature 2, McGraw-Hill, The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle
The Red Pony, an additional novel

History – Civics

Science – Life Science

Bible – Principles from the New Testament, AMG Publishers

Foreign Language – Semester 1:Exploratory French, Semester 2:Exploratory Spanish

Physical Education/Health

Eighth Grade

Language Arts – Shurley Grammar Level 8

Literature – Glencoe Literature 3, McGraw-Hill, Out of the Silent Planet
Old Man in the Sea, an additional novel

History – American History II/World History

Science – Physical Science

Bible – Discipleship, Kay Arthur

Foreign Language – French I or Spanish I

Physical Education/Health

Mathematics

Math classes are assigned according to ability. Testing is conducted prior to the sixth grade.

Math 7/6, Saxon

Math 8/7, Saxon

Pre-Algebra, Houghton/Mifflin

Algebra 1, Houghton/Mifflin

Geometry, Houghton/Mifflin

NOTE: Math Resource, Writing Resource, and Directed Studies are classes assigned to students needing more focused attention.

Electives – one elective per semester

Computer Technology - one semester

Middle School Newspaper (DTP) – one semester

Art – one semester

Woodshop – one semester

Home Economics – one semester

Select Choir – two semesters, audition required

Band – two semesters

Strings – two semesters