

## Standards Overview for Grade 8

RELIGION	MATH	SOCIAL STUDIES	SCIENCE	LANGUAGE ARTS-WRITING	LANGUAGE ARTS-READING/ LITERATURE	LANGUAGE ARTS- GRAMMAR
Revelation through Tradition	Tools of Algebra	Early Colonies, Heritage	Motion	Fiction Story & Expository Writing	Plot Analysis Short Stories From Holt Literature Book	Basic Sentence Structure
The History of the Catholic Church	Solving Equations	Independence & American Revolution	Forces	Research Paper, Friendly Letter, & Response to Literature	Plot Analysis Class Novel (example: <i>Animal Farm</i> )	Complex Sentence Structure
Evangelization in the Past, Present, & Future	Solving Inequalities	Constitution, & Bill of Rights	Structure of Matter	Research Paper, Character Analysis & Business Letter	Analyzing Character Short Stories From Holt Literature Book	Parts of Speech- nouns/pronouns
Church's place in the world	Graphs and Functions	Launching a New Republic	Earth in the Solar System	Newspaper Article & Bibliography	Analyzing Character Class Novel (example: <i>My Brother Sam is Dead</i> )	Parts of Speech
The Community of Faith	Linear Functions and Their Graphs	Jefferson, War of 1812, Jackson	Reactions	Book Review & Autobiography	Analyzing Theme Class Play (example: <i>Romeo &amp; Juliet</i> )	Parts of Speech- verbs, adverbs
The Holy Spirit Guides the Church	Systems of Equations & Inequalities	Native Americans, & Manifest Destiny	Chemistry of Living Systems. (Life Science)	How to Document & Poetry Book	Analyzing Prose & Poetry Poems From Holt Literature Book and other resources	Usage- Negatives, irregular verbs
Christian Life of Community Service	Exponents	War with Mexico, Immigrants, Civil War	Periodic Table	Persuasive Writing & Children's Literature	Analyzing Theme Short Stories From Holt Literature Book	Usage-subject verb agreement, dangling modifiers
Prayer: Formal and Informal	Polynomials & Factoring	Civil War, Reconstruction, Changes in America	Density & Buoyancy	Research Paper, Narrative Essay	Analyzing Theme Class Novel (example: <i>Stolen into Slavery</i> )	Usage-subject verb agreement, dangling modifiers
Liturgy	Quadratic Equations & Functions	The Progressive Era, World Power	Electricity & Sound	Expository Writing (Supporting a Position), Business Persuasive Letter	Criticizing Literature Short Stories From Holt Literature Book	Mechanics
Morality, Human Dignity, & Respect for All People ( <i>Family Life &amp; Whole-Life Curriculum</i> )	Radical Expressions & Equations	World War I	Investigation & Experimentation	Resume, Self-Evaluation Critique (SLE)		Review