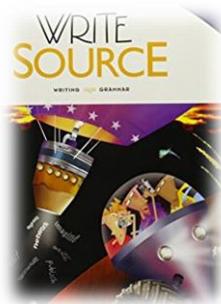


Writing – Write Source

Recharge writing and grammar with Write Source —the only personalized K-12 print and digital program that supports Common Core writing standards. Engaging online technology prepares students to master the writing process, key writing forms, Six Traits, grammar, usage, and mechanics. Write Source provides instruction, practice, and assessment designed to promote student success.



National Science Education Standards (NSES) of the National Research Council (NRC).

Religion – Harcourt, Call to Faith

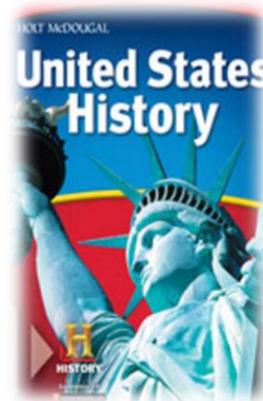
Call to Faith is a comprehensive religion program. The heart of lifelong catechesis, Call to Faith provides a solid foundation of Scripture and Tradition, a rich diversity of prayer, and a developmental sequence of activities. Call to Faith is shaped by the following catechetical principles: Conversion, Catechism, and Catechesis. The aim of Call to Faith is to form participants into disciples who act with the mind and heart of Christ. Call to Faith is the springboard for ongoing lifelong catechesis for the entire Catholic community.

Reading – Literature Study

St. Joseph teachers of English work together to create a novel-based reading curriculum, supported by excerpts from the McDougal Littell Literature Anthology. With thoughtful cross-curriculum integration, teachers guide students to connect what they are reading to other learning. Using an inquiry-based model, students study themes of moral choice, growth and change, equality and justice, overcoming challenges and the struggle to survive. They also explore the power of story and discover literary devices, analyze author's craft, all while practicing reading comprehension. Students experience the written word in everything from classic tales to contemporary novels.

Social Studies –Washington State History, World History, and United States History

The U.S. history textbook program is infused with HISTORY® streaming video, instructive games, and interactive features. In keeping with the Common Core State Standards, the program exposes students to a wealth of primary sources and develops critical skills, while requiring them to analyze a variety of perspectives and investigate key historical topics. Together, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt and HISTORY® are creating a new arena in the classroom—and an opportunity for students to relive, reflect, and re-imagine the people, places, events, and decisions that have made us who we are today.

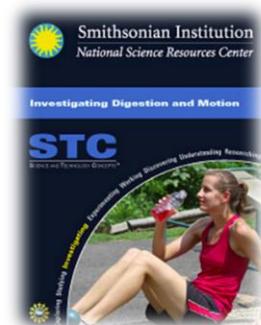


Vocabulary – Wordly Wise & Classical Roots

Wordly Wise 3000 provides direct academic vocabulary instruction – developing the critical link between vocabulary and reading comprehension. Vocabulary from Classical Roots® Strategic instruction helps students learn to unlock the meanings of thousands of words. As students transition from learning to read to reading to learn, they will develop a useful, transferable technique to make sense out of unfamiliar words

Science – Carolina Curriculum: Science and Technology Concepts Program (5th-8th)

STC Program™ Unit Kits for Science and Technology Concepts for Middle Schools™ is an 8-module, inquiry-centered, middle school science curriculum developed by the Smithsonian Science Education Center (SSEC). Each STC/MS module provides opportunities for students to experience scientific phenomena firsthand. A comprehensive, research-based curriculum, STC/MS is aligned with the



Mathematics- Big Ideas Math

The Big Ideas Math program, written by Ron Larson and Laurie Boswell, utilizes a research-based, balanced instructional approach that includes both discovery learning and scaffolded lessons. The program's Dynamic Technology supports and enhances the multiple pathways available from sixth-grade mathematics through Algebra 2.

Enrichment

6th and 7th grade rotate through one trimester each of speech, art, and robotics. 8th grade has Spanish as a language. Advanced Band is available for students in 6-8 grade while Choir is offered to students in grades 4 through 8.

