



8TH GRADE BOOK LIST 2025-2026

RELIGION

- ☐ [*Our Life in the Church, Faith and Life Series 8, 3rd Edition, Student Book*](#)
- ☐ [*Our Life in the Church, Faith and Life Series 8, 3rd Edition, Activity Book*](#)
- ☐ [*St. Joseph Baltimore Catechism No. 2*](#)
- ☐ [*St. Joseph Baltimore Catechism No. 2*](#) answer key (Optional)
- ☐ [*The Didache Bible: With Commentaries Based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church: Ignatius Bible Edition*](#). Ignatius Press, 2014. (one per family)

*7th and 8th grade will be a combined class with each year alternating between *The Life of Grace* and *Our Life in the Church*.

ENGLISH

- ☐ [*Voyages in English 8, Student Edition*](#), Loyola Press, 2018
- ☐ [*Voyages in English: Answer Key*](#), Kolbe Academy Press, 2020
- ☐ [*Sadlier Vocabulary Workshop, Level B, Workbook*](#)
- ☐ [*Voyages in English 8 Practice Workbook*](#), Loyola Press, 2018 (Optional)
- ☐ [*Voyages in English 8 Assessment Book*](#), Loyola Press, 2018 (Optional)
- ☐ [*Voyages in English 8 Practice Workbook and Assessment Book Answer Key*](#), Loyola Press, 2018 (Optional)

*7th and 8th grade will be a combined class that will complete *Voyages in English 8* over a two year period.

LITERATURE

- ☐ Shakespeare, William. [*A Midsummer Night's Dream*](#). Edited by Dr. Barbara A. Mowat, New York: Simon and Schuster, 2016.
- ☐ Bradbury, Ray. [*Dandelion Wine: A Novel \(Grand Master Editions\)*](#) Bantam Books, 1985.
- ☐ Stevenson, Robert Louis. [*Treasure Island. Signet Classic*](#), Penguin Random House, 1998.
- ☐ Grahame, Kenneth, and Seth Lerer. [*The Wind in the Willows: Signet Classics*](#). Penguin Random House, 2006.
- ☐ [*Classic Poems Across the Ages*](#), Kolbe Academy Press, 2025
- ☐ Henry, O. [*The Gift of the Magi and Other Short Stories*](#). Dover Publications, 1992

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HISTORY

- ☐ JM Educational Group. [*The American Venture: A History of the United States*](#). 1st ed., Kendall Hunt Publishing, 2022.
- ☐ Sheehan, Arthur, et al. [*Father Damien and the Bells*](#). Ignatius Press, 2004.
- ☐ Tarry, Ellen. [*St. Katharine Drexel: Friend of the Oppressed*](#). Ignatius Press, 2002.
- ☐ Rawlings, Marjorie Kinnan. [*The Yearling*](#). Scribner, 1938.

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SCIENCE - TBD

MATHEMATICS

*Mathematics placement is based on student level not grade level.

Math 6/5:

- ☐ [*Saxon Math 6/5 Homeschool Kit with Solutions Manual, Third Edition*](#)

Math 7/6:

- ☐ [*Saxon Math 7/6 Homeschool Kit with Solutions Manual, Fourth Edition*](#)

Math 8/7:

- ☐ [*Saxon Math 8/7 Homeschool Kit with Solutions Manual, Third Edition*](#)

Pre-Algebra: (Not Offered 2024-25)

- ☐ [*Saxon Algebra 1/2 Homeschool Kit with Solutions Manual, Third Edition*](#)

Algebra 1:

- ☐ [*Saxon Algebra 1 Homeschool Kit with Solutions Manual, Third Edition*](#)

LATIN

*Latin placement is based on student level not grade level.

First Form Latin:

- ☐ [*First Form Latin Set: Student Text*](#)
- ☐ [*First Form Latin Set: Teacher Manual*](#) (recommended for parents)
- ☐ [*First Form Latin Set: Student Workbook*](#)
- ☐ [*First Form Latin Set: Teacher Key \(Workbook, Quizzes, and Tests\)*](#)

*Please make sure your student has the 2nd edition workbook and teacher key (for parents).

- ☐ [*First Form Latin: Flashcards 2nd Edition*](#) (optional)
- ☐ [*First Form Latin Set: Pronunciation CD*](#) (optional)

Second Form Latin:

- ☐ [*Second Form Latin Set: Student Text*](#)
- ☐ [*Second Form Latin Set: Teacher Manual*](#) (recommended for parents)
- ☐ [*Second Form Latin Set: Student Workbook*](#)
- ☐ [*Second Form Latin Set: Teacher Key \(Workbook, Quizzes, and Tests\)*](#)

*Please make sure your student has the 2nd edition workbook and teacher key (for parents)

- ☐ [*Second Form Latin: Flashcards 2nd Edition*](#) (optional)
- ☐ [*Second Form Latin Set: Pronunciation CD*](#) (optional)