

6th Grade Curriculum

Areas of Self-Growth

Concern for others
Confidence through acquisition of skills and knowledge
Oral and visual presentation skills
Mastery of curriculum
Organization of homework and long-term projects
Problem solving skills

Religion

Old Testament
Study of God's word in the Bible
Connect Old and New Testament
Participation in the missionary Church
The Ten Commandments
The sacraments
Psalms, rosary, novenas, and Divine Mercy
Concrete effort to grow in the virtues
Participation in weekly school Mass

Reading

Apply critical thinking and problem solving to reading
Evaluate and interpret literature
Vocabulary development
Appreciation of literature

English

Develop organized and coherent written composition
Synthesize research and reading into effective oral presentation
Analyze the components of proper grammar

Math

Problem solving
Critical thinking
Arithmetic competency
Graphing
Measurement
Estimation
Mental math
Fractions, decimals
Mixed numbers
Ratio, percent

Spelling

Spelling accountability in everyday writing
Weekly spelling list

Science

Earth science:

Scientific method
Planets, stars, comets
Oceanography
Geology

Social Studies

Ancient cultures and civilizations
Social units: family, tribe, nation
Development of research skills

Handwriting

Promote legible work
Improve layout of assignments

Special Programs

Computer class
PE
Art
Library
Spelling and geography bees
Service projects
Outdoor education at Camp Hamilton