

HILLSDALE COLLEGE

K-12 PROGRAM GUIDE 2.2

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CURRICULUM OVERVIEW, PROGRAM GUIDE 2.2

Barney Charter School Initiative, Hillsdale College

INTRODUCTION

Hillsdale College was founded in 1844 with the purpose of providing “sound learning” of the kind necessary to preserve the “blessings of civil and religious liberty.” In the words of its modern mission statement, the College “considers itself a trustee of our Western philosophical and theological inheritance tracing to Athens and Jerusalem, a heritage finding its clearest expression in the American experiment of self-government under law.” In furtherance of that mission, Hillsdale College teaches K-12 schools to provide an education that is both classical and American in its orientation; one that is rooted in the liberal arts and sciences, offers a firm grounding in civic virtue, and cultivates moral character.

Hillsdale College K-12 curriculum is content-rich, balanced, and strong, with emphasis upon the four core disciplines of math, science, literature, and history, followed by attention to music, art, and foreign languages. Hillsdale College offers its curricular recommendations to those of a common mind and purpose through the Barney Charter School Initiative and through limited curriculum licenses.

BACKGROUND

The K-12 education promoted by Hillsdale College is supported through various outreach efforts, especially the BARNEY CHARTER SCHOOL INITIATIVE (BCSI), a program devoted to the recovery of excellence in public education through the launch and support of K-12 classical charter schools. BCSI was launched in 2010 supported the opening of its first affiliated-schools in 2012. Since 2012, the network of schools supported by BCSI has grown to more than 20 schools in 11 states, serving almost 15,000 students.

Each of the BCSI-supported schools is started as a collaboration between Hillsdale College and a local founding group. The College provides curriculum, training, and consultation; the local group does the hard work to devise a business plan, obtain a charter, manage facilities, and govern the school. BCSI support typically begins in the early stages of a school founding project, is secured through an application and startup process, and continues through a school’s opening and maturity. Its support focuses on training and consulting for boards, principals, and teachers, and BCSI staff members make regular contact with each of these constituencies through visits to the schools, online and in-person professional development, and regular trainings offered at Hillsdale College.

Hillsdale College’s K-12 Curriculum was developed through the work of the College and contributions from affiliated schools. BCSI staff is made up of current and former classical school teachers, and they regularly consult with teachers, school leaders, and professors at Hillsdale College as they seek to improve upon it. The result is an excellent and thoughtfully designed K-12 course of study in the liberal arts and sciences.

PROGRAM GUIDE

The BCSI curriculum is outlined in the *K-12 Program Guide*, selections from which are provided in the pages that follow. The *K-12 Program Guide* provides a scope of the topics to be taught, a sequence in which to teach them, and a complement of vetted and reviewed books, primary sources, and other resources for teachers and students that accompany the scope and sequence. The *K-12 Program Guide* and the recommended courses, books, and other resources accord with and provide a useful summary of an “American Classical Education,” an education that combines the best of our educational and American traditions in a form appropriate to contemporary schools and students.

The current version of the *K-12 Program Guide* is version 2.2, published in February 2021, and it is regularly updated and improved. Use of the *K-12 Program Guide* is limited to schools that are part of the BCSI program or have entered into a formal agreement to license the curriculum.

CONTACT US

- For additional information and samples of curricular resources, check us out at <http://www.hillsdale.edu/bcsi> and k12athome.hillsdale.edu.
- For information about how to apply for BCSI support or to license the *K-12 Program Guide*, contact us at k12@hillsdale.edu.

MATH	SINGAPORE MATH <i>Dimensions</i>		
SCIENCE	SCIENCE <i>Core Knowledge</i>		
ENGLISH & LANGUAGE ARTS	PHONICS <i>Literacy Essentials</i>		GRAMMAR & COMPOSITION
	CLASSICAL CHILDREN'S LITERATURE & POETRY		
FOREIGN LANGUAGES			GREEK & LATIN ROOTS
	INTRODUCTORY FRENCH OR SPANISH		LATIN
HISTORY	HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY <i>Core Knowledge</i>		
Co-CURRICULARS	ART & MUSIC <i>Core Knowledge</i>		
	PHYSICAL EDUCATION		

7TH	8TH	9TH	10TH	11TH	12TH
SINGAPORE MATH <i>Dimensions</i>	ALGEBRA I	GEOMETRY	ALGEBRA II	TRIGONOMETRY/ PRE-CALCULUS	CALCULUS
INTRO TO LIFE & CHEMICAL SCIENCES	CONCEPTUAL PHYSICS	BIOLOGY	CHEMISTRY	PHYSICS OR ADVANCED SCIENCE	ASTRONOMY OR ADVANCED SCIENCE
GRAMMAR & COMPOSITION					
CLASSICAL LITERATURE & POETRY		ANCIENT LITERATURE	MEDIEVAL & BRITISH LITERATURE	AMERICAN LITERATURE	MODERN LITERATURE & SENIOR THESIS
LATIN <i>Wheelock's Latin</i>			LATIN ELECTIVE		
			FRENCH OR SPANISH ELECTIVE		
AMERICA To 1877	AMERICA 1877-Present	ANCIENT WORLD To 500	EUROPE 500-1815	AMERICA 1607-Present	MODERN WORLD 1815-Present
ART & MUSIC		FORMAL LOGIC*	ECONOMICS	MORAL & POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY	AMERICAN GOVERNMENT
		RHETORIC	INTRODUCTION TO MORAL & POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY		
PHYSICAL EDUCATION		PHYSICAL EDUCATION	ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE
		ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE

*Newer schools may wish to offer Composition in place of Formal Logic

KINDERGARTEN - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERACY Literacy Essentials	Weeks 1-6	Weeks 7-10	Weeks 11-14	Weeks 15-16	Weeks 17-20	Weeks 21-24	Weeks 25-28	Weeks 29-32	Weeks 33-36
LITERATURE Include ~5 poems each month	Three Billy Goats Goldilocks Three Little Pigs	The Wolf and the Seven Little Kids Aesop's Fables	Red Riding Hood King Midas Beatrix Potter	The Velveteen Rabbit	The Legend of Jumping Mouse How Many Spots? Tug-of-War	Snow White Cinderella Casey Jones	Momotaro Bremen Town Musicians Chicken Little	Little Red Hen Ugly Duckling American Tall Tales	Winnie-the-Pooh
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Basic Geography and Maps Seven Continents	Native Americans Past and Present	Columbus Pilgrims	George Washington	July 4 Thomas Jefferson	Abraham Lincoln	American Flag White House	Theodore Roosevelt Statue of Liberty	Mount Rushmore Current President
MATH Dimensions KA & KB	Chapters 1-2 Begin KA	Chapters 3-4	Chapters 4-5	Chapter 6	Chapters 7-8 Begin KB	Chapters 9-10	Chapters 10-11	Chapters 12-13	Chapter 14
SCIENCE	Plants & Trees George Washington Carver	Seasons	Magnetism	Animals & Their Needs Jane Goodall	Human Body: 5 Senses	Human Body: Taking Care of Your Body	Taking Care of the Earth	Weather Wilson Bentley The Wright Brothers	Planting & Farming
ART	Color	Color	Line	Line	Sculpture	Bruegel Cassatt	Homer	Rivera	Tanner
MUSIC Include 2 songs each month	Instruments	Instruments	Peer Gynt Elements Tempo	March of Siamese Elements Dynamics	March of the Toys Elements Steady Beat	Carnival of the Animals	Elements High & Low	Rhythm Notation	Rhythm Notation Review of elements

1ST GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERACY Literacy Essentials	Weeks 1-4 Review, List A Begin Primary Phonics	Lists B & C	Lists D & E Begin McCall Harby	Lists F & G	List H Complete Primary Phonics	Lists I & J Begin Uncontrolled Readers	Lists K & L	Lists M & N	List O
LITERATURE Include ~2 poems each month	Frog Prince Hansel and Gretel Thumbelina (& variations) Beatrix Potter Stories	Cinderella (& variations) Jack and the Beanstalk Pied Piper	Pinocchio	Princess and the Pea Rapunzel	Aesop's Fables Puss-in-Boots Br'er Rabbit	Rumpelstiltskin Sleeping Beauty The Little Hero of Holland	House at Pooh Corner	Why the Owl Has Big Eyes Lon Po Po/ Little Red Riding Hood	The Little Half-Chick All Stories Are Anansi's The Crowded, Noisy House
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Basic Geography and Maps Mesopotamia	Ancient Egypt Judaism	Christianity	Islam	First Americans Maya, Aztec, Inca Modern Mexico	Early Exploration and Settlement	Thirteen Colonies American Revolution	American Revolution	Exploration of the American West
MATH Dimensions 1A & 1B	Chapters 1-3 Begin 1A	Chapters 4-5	Chapters 6-8	Chapters 8-9	Chapters 10-12 Begin 1B	Chapters 13-14	Chapters 15-16	Chapter 17	Chapters 18-19
SCIENCE	Habitats & Food Chains Oceans Jacques Cousteau Environmental Change	Classification of Animals	Human Body Louis Pasteur	Human Body Edward Jenner	Astronomy	Matter	Electricity Thomas Edison	The Earth	The Earth
ART		Art from Long Ago	Color	Line	Shape	Texture	Portrait	Still Life	
MUSIC Include 2 songs each month	Basic Elements	Orchestra Review	Orchestra Dukas	Ballet	Opera	Bulegrass	Jazz	Notation	Notation

2ND GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERACY Literacy Essentials	Weeks 1-2 Review McCall Crabb List 2A Begin Uncontrolled Readers	Lists 2B & 2C	Lists 2D & 2E	Lists 2F & 2G	List 2H	Lists 2I & 2J	Lists 2K & 2L	Lists 2M & 2N	List 2O
LITERATURE Include ~2 poems each month	Charlotte's Web	Magic Paintbrush Fisherman and His Wife Beauty and the Beast	Greek Mythology	Tongue-Cut Sparrow Christmas Carol How the Camel Got His Hump	Peter Pan	Iktomi Stories Tall Tales Talk	Sign of the Beaver	Emperor's New Clothes	El Pajaro Cu Tiger, Brahman, & Jackal
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Basic Geography and Maps Ancient India	Ancient China Modern Japan	Ancient Greece	Ancient Greece	Constitution War of 1812	Geography of the Americas Westward Expansion	Civil War	Civil War	Immigration and Citizenship
MATH Dimensions 2A & 2B	Chapters 1-2 Begin 2A	Chapters 3-4	Chapters 5-6	Chapter 7	Chapter 8 Begin 2B	Chapters 9-10	Chapters 11-12	Chapters 13-14	Chapter 15
SCIENCE	Seasons and Water Cycle Life Cycles	Insects	Insects Jean-Henri Fabre	Magnetism	Simple Machines Elijah McCoy	Cells and Microscopes Daniel Hale Williams Anton van Leeuwenhoek	Cells & Microscopes Taking Care of Your Body Florence Nightingale	Digestive and Excretory Systems	Plants * Review content from Kindergarten for this unit.
ART	Lines	Architecture	Architecture	Sculpture	Landscapes	Landscapes	Abstract Art	Abstract Art	
MUSIC Include 2 songs each month	Basic Elements	String Instruments Carnival of the Animals	Percussion Instruments Toccata	Keyboard Instruments	Bach	Beethoven	Mozart	Notation	Review notation and elements

3RD GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERACY Literacy Essentials	Weeks 1-2 Review Lists for Weeks 1-4	Lists for weeks 5-8	Lists for weeks 9-12	Lists for weeks 13-16	Lists for weeks 17-20	Lists for weeks 21-24	Lists for weeks 25-28	Lists for weeks 29-32	Lists for weeks 33-36
LITERATURE Include ~2 poems each month	Arabian Nights Black Beauty	Black Beauty Greek and Roman Mythology	Norse Mythology The Princess and the Goblin	The Princess and the Goblin	The Hunting of the Great Bear Farmer Boy	Farmer Boy	Gone is Gone The People Could Fly	Three Words of Wisdom William Tell The Little Match Girl	The Jungle Book
GRAMMAR Well-Ordered Language 1A & 1B	Parts of Speech Kinds of Sentences	Principal Elements Adverbs	Adjectives Direct Objects	Subject Pronouns Interrogative Sentences	Object Pronouns Pronoun Review	Prepositional Phrases-Adverbial Introductory Prepositional Phrases	Compound Subjects Compound Verbs	Compound Verbs Compound Direct Objects	Punctuation & Review
COMPOSITION	Parts of a Paragraph	Informative Paragraph	Informative Paragraph	Informative Paragraph	Narrative Paragraph	Narrative Paragraph	Persuasive Paragraph	Persuasive Paragraph	Review and Remediation
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Rivers of the World Ancient Rome	Ancient Rome	Ancient Rome	Vikings Canadian Geography	Native Peoples of North America	Exploration	Southern Colonies	New England Colonies	Middle Atlantic Colonies
MATH Dimensions 3A & 3B	Chapters 1-2 Begin 3A	Chapters 3-5	Chapters 6-7	Chapters 8	Chapters 9-10 Begin 3B	Chapters 11-12	Chapters 13-14	Chapters 15-16	Chapters 17
SCIENCE	Classification of Animals	Ecology John Muir	Astronomy Mae Jemison	Astronomy E. Halley Copernicus	Human Body: Muscular & Skeletal Systems	Human Body: Nervous System, Vision & the Eye	Light & Optics	Human Body: Hearing & the Ear	Sound A.G.Bell
ART	Balance and Symmetry	Ancient Rome	Ancient Rome	Byzantium	American Indian Art	Light	Space	Design	Design
MUSIC Include 2 songs each month	Elements Orchestra Review	Scheherzade Prelude	The planets	Tchaikovsky	Native American Music William Tell	Souza & Copland	Gershwin, Cohan, & Bernstein	Notation	Review notation and elements

4TH GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERACY	Intro of Roots 3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week
LITERATURE *Include 1-2 poems each month	Wonderful Chuang Brocade Treasure Island	Treasure Island King Arthur	King Arthur Saint George & the Dragon Robin Hood	Robin Hood Fire on the Mountain	Johnny Tremain	Johnny Tremain	Anne of Green Gables	Anne of Green Gables	Rip Van Winkle Sleepy Hollow
GRAMMAR Well-Ordered Language 2A & 2B	Principal Elements Diagramming Adverbs	Adverbs Adjectives	Predicate Verbs Direct Objects Predicate Nominative	Predicate Adjectives Predicate Review Possessive Nouns	Prepositional Phrases Compound Elements	Subject Pronouns Object Pronouns	Possessive Pronouns Interrogative Pronouns	Compound Sentences	Relative Pronouns Relative Clauses
COMPOSITION	Parts of an Essay	Informative Essay	Informative Essay	Informative Essay	Narrative Essay	Narrative Essay	Persuasive Essay	Persuasive Essay	Review & Remediation
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Mountains China Europe in the Middle Ages	Europe in the Middle Ages	Islam Crusades	Early & Medieval African Kingdoms	American Revolution	Making a Constitutional Government	Washington Adams Jefferson	Jeffersonian America	Andrew Jackson
MATH Dimensions 4A & 4B	Chapters 1-5 Begin 4A	Chapters 5-7	Chapters 7-8	Chapters 9	Chapters 10 Begin 4B	Chapters 11-12	Chapters 13-14	Chapters 15-16	Chapter 17
SCIENCE	Circulatory & Respiratory Systems Charles Drew Elizabeth Blackwell	Geology James Hutton	Geology	Geology	Meteorology Benjamin Banneker	Meteorology	Chemistry	Chemistry Electricity Michael Faraday	Electricity
ART	Ancient China	Medieval Europe	Islamic Art and Architecture	Africa	Late 18th-century United States	Late 18th-century United States	Monticello	Georgian Architecture	
MUSIC	Orchestra Review 2 songs	Keyboard instruments 2 songs	Music of the Middle Ages 2 songs	Music of the Middle Ages 1 song	Vocal Ranges Elements	Elements Notation	W. A. Mozart Haydn 2 Songs	Handel 1 song	Review Notation, elements, ranges

5TH GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERACY	Root words review 3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week	3 roots & 10 spelling/vocab words per week
LITERATURE *Include 1-2 poems each month	Secret Garden Tales from Shakespeare	Secret Garden Tales from Shakespeare	Wind in the Willows	Wind in the Willows The Samurai's Daughter	Adventures of Tom Sawyer	Adventures of Tom Sawyer Frederick Douglass	Frederick Douglass	Alice in Wonderland	Sherlock Holmes Coyote Goes to the Land of the Dead The Sun Dance
GRAMMAR Well-Ordered Language 3A & 3B	Four Kinds of Sentences Adverbs & Adjectives	Predicate Verbs, Nominatives & Adjectives Personal Pronouns	Sensory Linking Verbs Prepositional Phrases	Indirect Objects	Interrogative Pronouns Relative Clauses	Adverbial Elements Adverbial Clauses	Reflexive Pronouns Participles	Gerunds Infinitives Review Verbals	Types of Sentences
COMPOSITION	Informative 4 Paragraph Essay	Informative 4 Paragraph Essay	Informative 4 Paragraph Essay	Narrative 4 Paragraph Essay	Narrative 4 Paragraph Essay	Narrative 4 Paragraph Essay	Persuasive 4 Paragraph Essay	Persuasive 4 Paragraph Essay	Persuasive 4 Paragraph Essay
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Lakes Renaissance	Early American Civilizations European Exploration	Reformation England from Henry VIII to William & Mary	Russia Feudal Japan	Antebellum America	Civil War	Civil War	Reconstruction	Westward Expansion after 1860 Native Americans
MATH Dimensions 5A & 5B	Chapters 1-4 Begin 5A	Chapters 4-6	Chapters 6-7	Chapter 8	Chapters 9 Begin 5B	Chapters 9-11	Chapters 11-13	Chapters 13-14	Chapter 15
SCIENCE	Plant Structures and Processes	Plant Structures and Processes Classification	Classification Carl Linnaeus	Cell Structures and Processes Ernest Just	Cell Structures and Processes	Life Cycles and Reproduction Percy Lavon Julian	Endocrine System Reproductive System	Atomic Structure & Periodic Table John Dalton	Elements, Compounds, & Chemical Change
ART	Renaissance Art	Renaissance Art/ Sculpture	Renaissance Art/ Sculpture	Art of Japan	19th-Century American Art	19th-Century American Art	19th-Century American Art	19th-Century American Art	
MUSIC	Orchestra Elements	Renaissance Music	Renaissance: Dona Nobis Pacem	Songs: Sakura and Hava Nagilah Beethoven	Mussorgsky	Music of the Civil War	Spirituals	Notation	Notation

6TH GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERATURE *Include 1-2 poems each month	Classical Mythology	Children's Homer	Children's Homer Prince and the Pauper	Prince and the Pauper	Scarlet Pimpernel	Scarlet Pimpernel	Count of Monte Cristo	Count of Monte Cristo	Count of Monte Cristo
GRAMMAR Well-Ordered Language 4A & 4B	Principal Elements, Adverbs & Adjectives Predicate Verbs, Nominatives, and Predicate Adjectives	Prepositional Phrases Personal Pronouns	Indirect Objects Interrogative Pronouns and Interrogative Adverbs	Relative Clauses with Relative Pronouns and Relative Adverbs Appositives	Reflexive Pronouns & Intensive Pronouns	Adverbial Causes & Phrases Indefinite Pronouns	Participial Phrases Gerund Phrases	Infinitive Phrases Verbal Phrase Review	Noun Clauses
COMPOSITION	Parts of an Essay	Informative Essay	Informative Essay	Informative Essay	Narrative Essay	Narrative Essay	Persuasive Essay	Persuasive Essay	Review and Remediation
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Deserts Judaism & Christianity	Ancient Greece	Ancient Rome	Ancient Rome Enlightenment	French Revolution	Romanticism Industrialism	Capitalism & Socialism	Immigration Industrialization & Urbanization	Reformers Latin America
MATH Dimensions 6A & 6B	Chapters 1-2 Begin 6A	Chapters 2-3	Chapters 4-5	Chapters 6-7	Chapter 8 Begin 6B	Chapters 11 - 12	Chapters 12-13	Chapter 9	Chapter 10
SCIENCE	Plate Tectonics Alfred Wegener	Energy Marie Curie	Heat & Heat Transfer	Energy Transfer Lewis Latimer James P. Joule	Astronomy Isaac Newton	Human Body: Circulatory & Lymphatic Systems	Immune System & Diseases Alexander Fleming	Oceans	Oceans
ART	Classical	Gothic	Renaissance	Baroque	Rococo	Neoclassical	Romantic	Realism	
MUSIC	Orchestra Elements	Elements	Baroque Vivaldi	Handel & Bach	Classical: Haydn & Mozart	Classical: Rossini Beethoven	Early Romantic: Schubert Beethoven	Schubert	Notation & Theory
LATIN Wheelock's	Introduction Chapter 1	Chapter 1	Chapter 2	Chapter 3	Chapter 4	Chapter 5	Chapter 6	Chapter 7	Chapter 8



7TH GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERATURE	Fahrenheit 451	Fahrenheit 451 Cyrano de Bergerac	Cyrano de Bergerac Christmas Carol	Christmas Carol	Call of the Wild	Call of the Wild	Romeo & Juliet	Romeo & Juliet Short Stories	Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde
GRAMMAR Get Smart	Principal Elements of the Sentence Lessons 1-4	Pronouns Adjectives Lessons 5-8	Adverbs Prepositional Phrases Transitive Verbs Lessons 9-12	Coordinating Conjunctions Lessons 13-17	Indirect Objects Intransitive Verbs Passive Verbs Lessons 18-21	Linking Verbs Noun Jobs Clauses Lessons 22-26	Clauses Lessons 27-30	Gerunds Participles Lessons 31-34	Infinitives Review Lessons 35-37
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	Exploration and Colonization	American Revolution	U.S. Constitution	U.S. Constitution	Early Republic	Antebellum Era	Abraham Lincoln	Civil War	Civil War and Reconstruction
MATH Dimensions 7A & 7B	Chapters 1-2 Begin 7A	Chapters 3-4	Chapters 5-6	Chapters 7-8	Chapters 9-10 Begin 7B	Chapters 11-12	Chapters 13-14	Chapters 15-16	Chapter 17 and Review
SCIENCE	Review Scientific Method Atomic Structure Niels Bohr Dmitri Mendeleev	Atomic Structure Antoine Lavoisier	Chemical Bonds and Reactions Lise Meitner	Chemical Bonds and Reactions	Chemistry of Food and Respiration	Chemistry of Food and Respiration Dorothy Hodgkin	Cell Division and Genetics	Cell Division and Genetics Gregor Mendel History of Earth and Life Forms	Evolution Charles Darwin
ART	Impressionism	Impressionism	Post-Impressionism	Post-Impressionism	Art Nouveau	Expressionism & Abstraction	Expressionism & Abstraction	Modern American Painting	Modern American Painting
MUSIC	Elements: Orchestra	Elements: Orchestra	Beethoven Pagolini Chopin	Romantic: Schuman Brahms & Liszt	Romantic: Berlioz Vergil	Romantic: Wagner	Nationalism: Grieg & Tchaikovsky Dvorak	Blues & Jazz Ragtime	Jazz & Fusion
LATIN Wheelock's	Review	Chapter 9	Chapter 10	Chapter 11	Chapter 12	Chapter 13	Chapter 14	Chapters 15-16	Chapter 17

8TH GRADE - YEAR AT A GLANCE

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERATURE	To Kill a Mockingbird	To Kill a Mockingbird	Lord of the Flies	Lord of the Flies	Robinson Crusoe	Robinson Crusoe	Short Stories Much Ado About Nothing	Much Ado About Nothing	Poetry
GRAMMAR Stay Smart	Review: Parts of Speech Phrases	Review: Clauses Verbals	Diagramming Sentences 1-27	Diagramming Sentences 28-55	Diagramming Sentences 56-83	Diagramming Sentences 84-111	Diagramming Sentences 112-139	Diagramming Sentences 140-167	Diagramming Sentences 168-188
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	The Gilded Age Progressivism Toward the Great War	World War I The Roaring Twenties	The Great Depression Rise of Totalitarianism World War II	World War II	The Start of the Cold War	Cultural changes and Activism The 1960s	The 1960s The 1970s	The 1980s The 1990s	The 2000s The 2010s
MATH Weeks & Adkins	Chapters 1-2	Chapters 3-4	Chapters 5-6	Chapter 7	Chapter 8	Chapter 9-10	Chapters 11-12	Chapters 13-14	Review
SCIENCE	Review scientific method and metric system Motion	Forces	Density and Buoyancy	Work, Energy, Power Albert Einstein	Work, Energy, Power Sound	Sound Electromagnetic Radiation and Light	Light Charles Steinmetz	Electricity Nikola Tesla Benjamin Franklin	Magnetism James Maxwell
ART	Painting since WWII	Painting since WWII	Photography	Photography	20th Century Sculpture	20th Century Sculpture	Architecture since the Industrial Revolution	Architecture since the Industrial Revolution	Review
MUSIC	Music Theory Review: Rhythm & Melody Orchestra	Nationalism: Sibelius & Bartok	Nationalism: Rodrigo & Ravel	Nationalism: Vaughn Williams Copland	Moderns: Debussy & Stravinsky	Musical Theater: Gilbert & Sullivan Vaudeville Revues	Musical Theater: Gershwin, Berlin, Cohan	Musical Theater: Porter, Kern Rogers & Hammerstein	Musical Theater: Bernstein & Sondheim
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