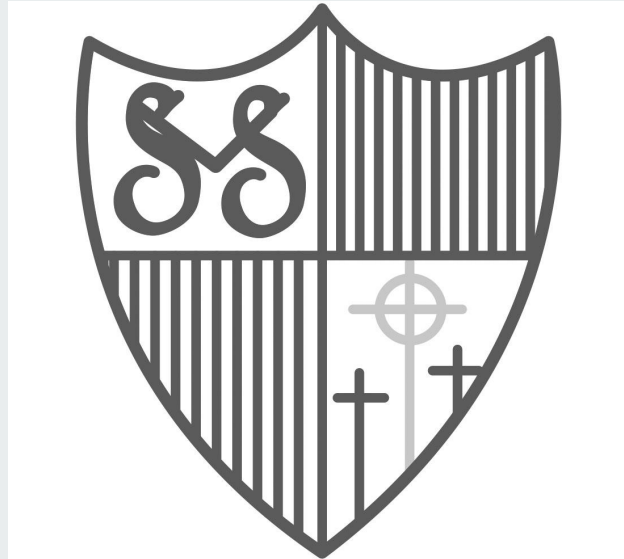

St. Matthew Catholic School

1st Grade Curriculum



Reading/Language Arts Series:
Into Reading (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt)

1st Grade Language Arts

Curriculum: Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills

- Beginning reading skills and print awareness
- Phonetic decoding and sight word recognition
- Spelling patterns and decoding words
- Comprehension strategies
- Reading fluency
- Vocabulary development
- Analyze, make inferences, and draw conclusions using a variety of texts.
- Elements of poetry - rhyming & alliteration
- Sequence of events & characters
- Use elements of the writing process to write stories & poems.
- Write compositions, short letters & comments.
- Research
- Listening & speaking
- Parts of speech
- Write legibly and use proper capitalization & punctuation.



Handwriting Without Tears

Textbook:
SAVVAS Envision Math

1st Grade Mathematics

Curriculum: Texas Essential Knowledge & Skills

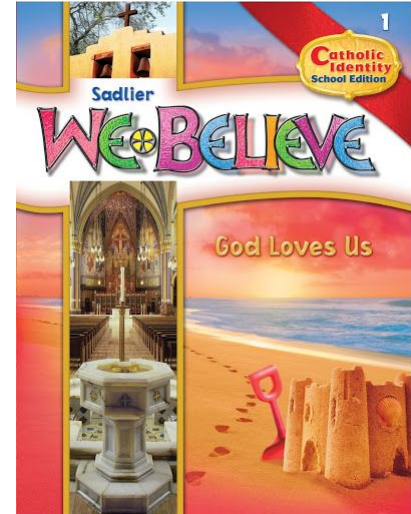
- Base-10 place value system, standard & expanded form
- Addition & subtraction
- Mathematical processes - problem solving model, connections to real life, mathematical tools
- Identify coins and their value.
- 2 dimensional shapes & 3 dimensional figures
- Develop an understanding of nonstandard and standard units of measurement (length & time).
- Data charts & graphs (pictographs & bar graphs)
- Financial Literacy



1st Grade Religion

Curriculum: Archdiocesan Standards

- God's creation
- Liturgical seasons
- Introduction to the Bible
- Angels & the Blessed Trinity
- Parish community
- Sacraments (Baptism)
- Service to others



Textbook:
William H. Sadler - We Believe Catholic Identity

1st Grade Science

Curriculum: Texas Essential Knowledge & Skills

- Safe science practices
- Reduce, reuse, & recycle
- Ask questions & seek answers in outdoor and classroom investigations.
- Scientific problem solving using appropriate tools and models
- Properties & patterns
- Force, motion, & energy
- Natural world - rocks, soil, & water
- Weather, seasons, air & objects in the sky
- Living & nonliving & life cycles

Textbook:
SAVVAS Interactive Science Texas Edition



1st Grade Social Studies

Curriculum: Texas Essential Knowledge & Skills

- Holidays & Celebrations (past & present)
- Historical figures, patriots, & good citizens
- Time & chronology
- Geography - cardinal directions, maps, & globes
- Landforms, natural resources, & weather
- Economics - goods and services, needs vs. wants
- Government - rules, laws, & good citizenship
- Beliefs, customs, language & traditions
- Research - organize & use information

Textbook: SAVVAS My World Interactive

