

## COURSE TITLE: GRADE 5 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Student Outcome

<i>Goal 1 Creed: Understand, believe and proclaim the Triune God as revealed in the signs of creation, Sacred Scriptures, Catholic Tradition and Human experience.</i>	
	Show that the three persons of the Holy Trinity are in the Apostles Creed and the Nicene Creed.
	State that God, Creator and Father is all loving and all powerful.
	Explain that humankind is made in the image and likeness of God.
	State that Jesus Christ is true God and true man.
	Articulate that faith is a gift of God.
	Explain that God calls us to love one another as he loves us.
	Define the doctrine of the Immaculate Conception.
<i>Goal 2 Sacraments: Understand and participate in the sacraments of the Church as efficacious signs of God's grace, instituted by Christ and entrusted to the Church.</i>	
	Articulate that the sacraments are encounters with Christ; Christ's gift to the Church.
	State that the Sacraments of Initiation are Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.
	Present and explain the symbols for each of the Sacraments of Initiation.
	Identify the Eucharist as the center (source and summit) of Catholic faith and life.
	State that some sacraments have an indelible spiritual mark and are received only once.
<i>Goal 3 Christian Living: Understand and live the moral teachings of the Church through a life of discipleship in Jesus Christ expressed in love for God, conversion, positive self-image, personal integrity, social justice, the dignity of the human person and love of neighbor.</i>	
	State that Christian morality is an invitation to respond freely to God's love.
	Present each of the Ten Commandments, stating it's focus and a meaningful example.
	State that the Eight Beatitudes are Jesus' teaching about the Kingdom and moral goodness.



	List the gifts and the fruits of the Holy Spirit.
	List the Cardinal Virtues.
	Distinguish between mortal sin and venial sin as related to confession and absolution in the Sacrament of Reconciliation/Penance.
	Explain the Church's teaching on justice and stewardship.
	Discuss the meaning of judgment.
	Define the states of life after death: heaven, purgatory, hell.
	Articulate the meaning of sanctifying grace.
<i>Goal 4 Sacred Scripture: Read comprehend and articulate salvation history as conveyed in God's revelation through Scripture.</i>	
	State the meanings of "the Word" and "Gospel." Teach why the Gospel is good news.
	State the meaning of the term "evangelist." Teach the origin of the word.
	Identify the three stages in the formation of the Gospels as The Life and Teaching of Jesus, Oral Tradition, and Written Gospels.
	State that revelation is transmitted through both Sacred Tradition and Sacred Scripture. Show the relationship between the two.
	Articulate that Scripture has a major role in the life of the Church. Explain the meaning of "proclaim".
	Show that the reading of Sacred Scripture is essential to Christian life.
	Relate that discipleship is the goal of Christian life, and state some reasons why this is difficult – both in Jesus' day and today.
<i>Goal 5 Liturgy: Understand that the Liturgical Year unfolds the whole mystery of Christ and is expressed in the liturgical rites of the Church.</i>	
	Give examples of different forms of liturgy and explain how they are the actions of the Holy Spirit.
	Relate that the sacrificial nature of Mass is evident in the words of consecration.
	State that in receiving Holy Communion one receives the Body and Blood of Christ.
	Explain and contrast the meanings of symbol and ritual.
	Summarize the parts of the Mass, and list them in the proper order.



	Define the Liturgy of the Hours.
<i>Goal 6 Christian Prayer and Spirituality: Understand and express the different forms of prayer consciously recognizing the work of the Holy Spirit.</i>	
	Articulate that we can pray to God at all times, and that he is always with us.
	Show where the Psalms are in the Bible and state why the Psalms are important for prayer life.
	Identify the different Christian prayer postures and distinguish the meaning implied in each.
<i>Goal 7 Catholic Church: Understand and appreciate the mystery of the Church, the Body of Christ, the community of believers, as expressed in the Church's origin, history, mission of evangelization, hierarchical structure, marks, charisms, members and communion of saints.</i>	
	Articulate that the Catholic Church is entrusted with the mission of Jesus Christ and show how it is different from other Christian denominations.
	State how Peter was chosen by Christ to be the head of the Church and that his name means "Rock".
	Be able to refer to biblical images to show that the Church may be described as the Body of Christ, the Temple of the Holy Spirit, the Sheep fold, the flock.
	Define the Communion of Saints. Explain that all members of the Church belong to the communion of saints by reason of baptism.
<i>Goal 8 Parish Life: Understand and participate in the life of the Church as lived in the parish community such as, cultural aspects, worship, sacramental life, service, stewardship and missionary efforts.</i>	
	Identify the parish as the central locus for the celebration of the Catholic way of life.
	Articulate that the participation in the liturgy of the Sunday Mass is an obligation and emphasize the importance of attending as a family.
	Understand the value of cultural diversity in the parish and the diocese and give an example how it is celebrated.
<i>Goal 9 Vocation: Understand and undertake discipleship in Christ responding in faith by participating in the mission of the Church through living a specific call in life.</i>	
	Identify discipleship as the goal of Christian life. Show in the Gospel of Mark how Jesus describes a disciple. Explain that we have talents that can help us be disciples for Jesus.
	Identify the Sacrament of Baptism as our initiation into a life of discipleship with Jesus.



*Goal 10 Ecumenism and Dialogue: Understand and participate in the call of the Church to be a sign of unity in the world through knowledge of and collaboration with Christian churches, Jews, Muslims and all faith traditions.*

	State that the Catholic Church respects what is good and true in other religions. Show that there are many Christian communities whose members are baptized.
	Identify the Jewish faith as the root of our faith and the Jewish people were the first to receive the Covenant from God.
	State that the Psalms are Jewish prayers of praise and petition found in the Old Testament.
	Identify the religion of Islam as founded on the belief of Abraham.

