

Our Favorite Curricula

*These materials represent the very core of our homeschooling curriculum, past and present.
We are constantly supplementing with a variety of materials – far too many to mention.*

Religion

Seton Religion program
Baltimore Catechism
Fr. Lovasik books (St. Joseph series)
Concise Bible History
Golden Bible
Leading the Little Ones to Mary
Mary Fabian Windeatt series
Vision series
The Mass Explained for Children
My Path to Heaven

Math

A Beka math
Saxon math (for upper grades)
DIVE cd's
Living math books such as those listed at <http://www.pennygardner.com/mathclassics.html>
Flashmaster

Phonics/Reading

Teach Your Child to Read in 100 Easy Lessons
Alphaphonics
Little Angel readers
CHC readers
Bob Books
Phonogram flashcards
Explode the Code
MCP Phonics
American Cardinal Readers
Catholic National Readers

Literature

See our book list which is a compilation of suggestions from various sources

Spelling

Phonetic Zoo
Spelling Workout
Spelling Power

English/Grammar

A Beka "Language" series

Composition

Wordsmith series
Institute for Excellence in Writing
Classical Writing series

Penmanship

Handwriting Without Tears
Seton Handwriting
CHC Handwriting books (including calligraphy)

Vocabulary

Wordly Wise
MCP Word Study
English From the Roots Up

Science

Sonlight science reading suggestions in lower grades
A Beka science in grades 1-2
Harcourt science for grades 3-6 (using Kolbe lessons plans)
Apologia materials for elementary, middle, and high school

Geography

Geography drill – continents, oceans, countries, states, capitals, etc.
National Geographic Map Skills
Around the World in 180 Days
Runkle Geography
Geography puzzles

History

Story of the World – Books 1-4
Kolbe history recommendations
Mother of Divine Grace history recommendations

Physical Education

Homeschool Fitness

Music

Music Masters CD's
Classical Kids CD's
Zeezok Publishing music series
St. Gregory hymnal
Private music instruction

Art

Sister Wendy materials
Child-Sized Masterpieces
Seton Art
Outside art classes

Logic/Critical Thinking

Dandy Lion series
Critical Thinking Press books
Prufrock materials
Building Thinking Skills books

Health

Harcourt health section of science books
Seton health books

Poetry

The Harp and Laurel Wreath
Favorite Poems Old & New
Mother Goose

Latin

Prima Latina

Latina Christiana I
Latina Christiana II
Lingua Angelica

Greek

Elementary Greek
Hey, Andrew! Teach Me Some Greek!

Other Foreign Languages

Rosetta Stone

Supplementary

What Your ____ Grader Needs to Know (Core Knowledge series)