

Grade 7 Scope and Sequence

Unit	Objectives	Literature	Task of Catechesis	Scripture	Catechism	TOB Standard	TOB Ref	Saint	Materials	SEL Connection	Task of the Family	Catholic Social Teaching	Family Life Standard Themes
1 - Man of Concupiscence	Discuss the account of original sin and its effects. Compare and contrast the burden of sin with the freedom of Adam and Eve had before sin. Describe "concupiscence".	<i>The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</i> , by C.S. Lewis	Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Gen 1:31, 2:15-17, 3:1-7, Rom 5:8, 5:19, John 8:32, Mark 9:24	CCC 144-175, 402-406	7.1.2, 7.9.1	TOB 3:4-4:3, 26:1-27:4, 29:4-5, 30:5, 32, 45:5, 107:2	St. Mary Magdalene	Laptop and projector or copies of the book, Common Place Books and pens	Social Awareness, Responsible Decision Making			Moral Decision Making; Virtue; Friendships and Relationships
2 - Redeemed and Called	Discuss God's response to Adam and Eve's sin. Explain that Christ takes away our sin, he doesn't cover it up or push it side. Discuss the importance of the sacraments, especially Baptism.		Teaching prayer	Gen 3:7-21, Rom 5:8, 5:20b-6:2, 6:20-23, John 1:29	CCC 312, 1422-1498, 1849-1851, 2090-2092	7.1.1, 7.10.1	TOB 3:4-4:3, 45:5, 46, 49:4, 99:5-7, 102, 107:2, 6	St. Columba of Ireland	Experience: Chipped or broken dishware, or other brightly-colored ceramic, paper bags, hammer, tile adhesive, grout, plastic trowel or spackle brush, 8" CB" squares of either sturdy cardboard or wood, large drop-cloths, or tarp, paper towels or sponge	Relationship Skills, Self-Management			
3 - Law and Love	Discuss the original purpose of God's law. Compare and contrast the attitudes of living by the letter of the law and allowing the law to transform one's heart. Discuss how Christ gives us the ability to live the law even when it is difficult.		Forming for life in Christ	Psalms 119:89-105, 172-176, 119:35, 1 John 5:3, Gen 2:17, Is 29:13, Matthew 5:21-24, 11:30, Gal 5:1, 2 Cor 12:9	CCC 618	7.10.1	TOB 15:2, 24:1-25:2, 34-35, 43:5-6, 46:4, 58:5, 59, 118:5	St. Thomas Aquinas	Experience: Laptop and projector or small individual copies of the picture, large pieces of construction paper, paints or colored pencils, refreshments and background music (optional)	Responsible Decision Making	Participating in the development of society		Moral Decision Making; Virtue; Friendships and Relationships
4 - Life According to the Spirit	Discuss what it means to put off the "old self" and take on the "new self". Discuss how the sacraments are the foundation of our life in the Spirit.		Initiating into the celebration of the Mystery	Rom 8:1-15, 11, 31-34, 37-39, Eph 4:22-24		7.10.1, 7.10.2	TOB 15:1, 23, 45:1, 49:4-50:4, 51:5-6, 52:4-5, 54:2-4, 57:1-3, 101:4	St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen	Kalos: Video clip of any famous musician, artist, sports player, interviewer, etc., index cards. Suggestion: <i>Yo-Yo Ma Bach Cello Suite No. 1 in G Major</i> at the BBC Prom 2015."	Self-Awareness, Responsible Decision Making			Virtue
			Forming for life in Christ						Experience: Common Place Books, Pens, index cards (optional)				

List some of the gifts of the Holy Spirit.												
Teaching Prayer												
5 - The Heroism of Love	Explain what "self-mastery" is and why it is important	<i>The Chronicles of Narnia: The Voyage of the Dawn Treader</i> , by C.S. Lewis	Forming for life in Christ	1 Ptr 2:1, 16, 3:8-9, 14-21, John 15:13, Phil 4:13, Mark 12:29-31, CCC 1763-1770	7.6.1	7.6.1	7.6.1	7.6.1	7.6.1	7.6.1	7.6.1	7.6.1
	Recognize the difference between love and use.											
	Discuss what it means to "lay down your life" for others and how this is life-giving											
Teaching Prayer												
6 - Spousal Meaning of the Body	Explain what the "language of the body" means.		Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Rom 12:1-2, 4-21, 1 Cor 6:19, Eph 5:25-30, CCC 1790-1794	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1
	Discuss the filial and spousal meanings of the body.											
	Examine the spousal analogy of Christ's love for the Church											
Teaching Prayer												