

A Block Rotation for Main Lessons at Faith Christian Academy

- This block rotation does not include Bible class, chapels, class plays, trips, or humanities courses.
- Students receive additional Arithmetic and ELA development daily.
- This list is for theme reference only and does not include Tasks and Content that are taught in each course.
- The length of a block is generally 4-5 weeks.
- The order of the blocks may be very different from what is listed here.

First Grade Blocks

1. Language Arts (Letters)
2. Math (Quality of Numbers)
3. Science (Earth & Life Cycles)
4. History (Local Community)
5. Language Arts (Phonics/Writing)
6. Math (“From Counting to Math”)
7. Science (Physical Science)
8. History (Larger Communities)

Second Grade Blocks

1. Language Arts (Stories/Phonics)
2. Math (Place Value & Times Tables/Intro to Time & Times Tables)
3. History (Ancestry)
4. Science (Life Science)
5. Math (“Bringing it All Together”)
6. Language Arts (Reading/Writing)
7. History (Historical Figures)
8. Science (Life Science)

Third Grade Blocks

1. Language Arts (Old Testament Stories)
2. Science (Invisible Forces)
3. Math (Working Knowledge)
4. History (CA Landscape)
5. Language Arts (Old Testament Stories)
6. Math (Expanding Horizons)
7. Science (Astronomy)
8. History (US Government & Economy)

Fourth Grade Blocks

1. Language Arts (Classic Lit.)
2. Math (Intro to Fractions/ Add & Sub of Fractions)
3. History (Geography)
4. Science (Zoology)
5. Language Arts (Understanding the Origin of Mythology through a Christian lens)
6. Science (Forces & Earth’s Surfaces)
7. Math (Long Div and Mult & Div of Fractions)
8. History (The Transformation of CA)

Fifth Grade Blocks

1. Science (Botany)
2. History (American History)
3. Math (Freehand Geometry/5th grade Fractions)
4. Language Arts (Personal Choice Literature)
5. Math (Decimal Fractions & Metric/Wonder of Number)
6. Science (Botany II)
7. History (American Government)
8. Language Arts (Personal Choice Literature)

Sixth Grade Blocks

1. Math (Geometric Drawing)
2. History (Ancient Rome)
3. Science (Geology)
4. Language Arts (Ballads & Poems)
5. History (Ancient Rome into Middle Ages)
6. Science (Botany)
7. Math (Business Math & Intro to Percents)
8. Language Arts (Ballads & Poems)

Seventh Grade Blocks

1. History (Middle Ages)
2. Science (Anatomy/Physiology)
3. Language Arts (The Art of Composition)
4. Math (Algebra & Geometry)
5. History (The Renaissance)
6. Science (Anatomy/Physiology)
7. Language Arts (The Art of Composition)
8. Math (Algebra & Geometry)

*Seventh/Eighth will alternate between Anatomy/Physiology & Physics/Astronomy. They will take this class as a group.

Eighth Grade Blocks

1. History (The Industrial Revolution Forward)
2. Science (Physics/Astronomy) *
3. Language Arts (Advanced Grammar/Composition)
4. Geometry (Loci & Stereometry)
5. History (The Industrial Revolution Forward)
6. Science (Physics/Astronomy)
7. Language Arts (Creative Writing)
8. Geometry (Percents & Growth/Mensuration)

High School Main Lesson Courses

History: World History, US History, American Gov/Economics, Historical Geography

Math: Algebra, Geometry, Algebra 2/Trigonometry

Science: Biology (Lab), Physics, Chemistry

English: Classic Dramas, *Shakespeare*, Comedy & Tragedy, *Moby Dick*, *Sophocles' Oedipus Rex*, The World of Classic Literature, *Dante's Inferno*, *Parzival*, *Odyssey by Homer*, *Mere Christianity by C.S. Lewis etc.*