

Knowledge of Faith – We Believe		
Applied and Supporting Standards	Unit	Notes
PK.1 Illustrate basic understanding of Catholic dogma and doctrine in light of the Catechism of the Catholic Church.		
PK.1A know that Jesus loves and invites every person to be in relationship with Him		
PK.1A.1 identify Jesus as son of God and son of Mary (CCC 495)		
PK.1A.2 know that Jesus was born long ago, as a baby, and grew to be a man (CCC 422-423)		
PK.1A.3 know that Jesus wants to have a special relationship with each of us (CCC 52; Jn 5:15)		
PK.1B recognize Sacred Scripture as the living word of God, a story of the covenant, and a guide for life today		
PK.1B.1 recognize the Bible as a holy and special book where we learn about how God created all that is (CCC 103-104, 289)		
PK.1B.2 demonstrate respect and reverence for the Bible		
PK.1B.3 identify some key biblical figures that show God’s love, e.g., Noah, the Good Shepherd, Mary and Joseph		
PK.1C explain and pray the Creed as an expression of our faith		
PK.1C.1 know that God made the world and created everything good (CCC 279-280, 295, 299; Gn 1:1-31)		
PK.1C.2 recognize that God made and loves each person (CCC 220-221)		
PK.1C.3 understand that God cares for all people and all creation (CCC 303-305)		
PK.1C.4 identify angels as God’s messengers (CCC 329)		
PK.1D describe Church structure and history		
PK.1D.1 identify saints as special friends of Jesus who show us how live a life of holiness (CCC 2683)		

Liturgy and Sacraments – We Celebrate		
Applied and Supporting Standards	Unit	Notes
PK.2 Demonstrate the importance of Sacraments, with an emphasis on the centrality of the Eucharist, in the life of Catholics.		
PK.2A explain the purpose of the sacraments and the centrality of the Eucharist		
None at this grade-level		
PK.2B engage in the sacraments		
PK.2B.1 explain that we become part of God’s family through Baptism (CCC 1277)		
PK.2C engage in the liturgical life of the Church		
PK.2C.1 know that at Mass we sing, pray, and listen to God’s word (CCC 1071, 1156-1158)		
PK.2C.2 know that Christmas is Jesus’ birthday (CCC 525-526)		
PK.2C.3 know that Easter is the day Jesus rose from the dead		

Morality – We Live		
Applied and Supporting Standards	Unit	Notes
PK.3 Make moral decisions consistent with Church teachings.		
PK.3A explain Jesus as a model of how to live and love		
PK.3A.1 recognize that God made every person special (CCC 355)		
PK.3A.2 understand that Jesus wants everyone to love and care for each other (CCC 1878, 1970)		
PK.3A.3 identify visual representations of Jesus’ loving actions (CCC 2447)		
PK.3B describe how to make decisions in the light of Jesus’ moral teachings		
PK.3B.1 understand that we can hurt other people by our choices (CCC 1872)		
PK.3B.2 know that God helps us to make good choices (CCC 1813)		
PK.3B.3 identify that rules help us make good choices (CCC 1961-1962, 1965)		

Prayer – We Become		
Applied and Supporting Standards	Unit	Notes
PK.4 Use a variety of prayer forms as tools for inspiration and guidance. Develop a prayer life.		
PK.4A describe the role of prayer in spiritual growth		
PK.4A.1 explain the purpose of prayer (CCC 2590)		
PK.4A.2 describe when, where, and how we pray (CCC 2591, 2680, 2720, 2757)		
PK.4A.3 describe grace before and after meals as an example of shared family prayer [^]		
PK.4A.4 explain the purpose of and actively pray grade-level prayers [^]		

Community Life – We Belong		
Applied and Supporting Standards	Unit	Notes
PK.5 Describe how you belong to Christ’s Church, the family of God and how to take an active role in it.		
PK.5A demonstrate ways in which we grow spiritually		
PK.5A.1 know that to be holy means to belong to God (CCC 2013; Mt 5:48)		
PK.5B know that Jesus teaches us how to grow in understanding, compassion and concern for others		
PK.5B.1 know that one must show love to one’s family and friends (Col 3:12-17)		
PK.5C describe families as the Church of home where we learn to love		
PK.5C.1 identify the Holy Family: Jesus; Mary; and Joseph (CCC 1655; Lk 2:39-52)		
PK.5C.2 recognize that one’s family is a special gift from God (CCC 2206)		
PK.5D describe how Church is both personal and communal		
PK.5D.1 know that God’s family is called the Church (CCC 751)		

PK.5D.2	know baptism is the way to become a member of God’s family (CCC 1213)		
PK.5D.3	name the parish priest		
PK.5E	explain that the Church is the people of God, sent to bring the Good News		
	None at this grade-level		
PK.5F	explain how we share in promoting the unity of all God’s people		
	None at this grade-level		

Missionary Spirit – We Serve		
Applied and Supporting Standards	Unit	Notes
PK.6 As missionaries, we are called to serve: "As you did it to one of the least of these, my brethren, you did it to me." (Mt 25:40). Describe the mission of every disciple to grow the kingdom of God by spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ.		
PK.6A evangelize by witness in words and actions		
None at this grade-level		
PK.6B explain how each of us is called to a particular task in helping to reveal the Kingdom of God		
PK.6B.1 know that God gives special gifts to each person, so they may serve him and others (CCC 52; Mt 4:18-22; Mt 9:9)		
PK.6C engage in activities that foster the social teachings of the Church		
PK.6C.1 recognize that Jesus wants us to help each other (Mt 25)		

The Diocese of Dallas religion curriculum standards are organized around the six tasks of catechesis outlined in the National Directory of Catechesis. “Forming his disciples, Jesus entrusted to them “the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven”; he taught them how to pray; he opened his “meek and humble heart” to them; and he sent them “ahead of him in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit. The fundamental task of catechesis is to achieve this same objective: the formation of disciples of Jesus Christ. Jesus instructed his disciples; he prayed with them; he showed them how to live; and he gave them his mission” (NDC, 20).

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Explain the purpose of and actively pray the following prayers:									
PK	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross	Sign of the Cross
Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)	Grace (before/after meals)
Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel	Guardian Angel
		Lord's Prayer	Lord's Prayer	Lord's Prayer	Lord's Prayer	Lord's Prayer	Lord's Prayer	Lord's Prayer	Lord's Prayer
		Hail Mary	Hail Mary	Hail Mary	Hail Mary	Hail Mary	Hail Mary	Hail Mary	Hail Mary
		Glory Be	Glory Be	Glory Be	Glory Be	Glory Be	Glory Be	Glory Be	Glory Be
			Confiteor	Confiteor	Confiteor	Confiteor	Confiteor	Confiteor	Confiteor
			Act of Contrition	Act of Contrition	Act of Contrition	Act of Contrition	Act of Contrition	Act of Contrition	Act of Contrition
			Prayers of the Faithful	Prayers of the Faithful	Prayers of the Faithful	Prayers of the Faithful	Prayers of the Faithful	Prayers of the Faithful	Prayers of the Faithful
			Stations of the Cross	Stations of the Cross	Stations of the Cross	Stations of the Cross	Stations of the Cross	Stations of the Cross	Stations of the Cross
				Come Holy Spirit	Come Holy Spirit	Come Holy Spirit	Come Holy Spirit	Come Holy Spirit	Come Holy Spirit
				Gloria	Gloria	Gloria	Gloria	Gloria	Gloria
				St. Michael the Archangel	St. Michael the Archangel	St. Michael the Archangel	St. Michael the Archangel	St. Michael the Archangel	St. Michael the Archangel
				Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
					Nicene Creed	Nicene Creed	Nicene Creed	Nicene Creed	Nicene Creed
					Angelus	Angelus	Angelus	Angelus	Angelus
					Magnificat	Magnificat	Magnificat	Magnificat	Magnificat
						Apostle's Creed	Apostle's Creed	Apostle's Creed	Apostle's Creed
						Rosary	Rosary	Rosary	Rosary
							Memorare	Memorare	Memorare
							Lectio Divina	Lectio Divina	Lectio Divina
								Hail, Holy Queen	Hail, Holy Queen
								The Examen	The Examen
								Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction	Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction
									Liturgy of the Hours