

Physical Education

- Specialized skills
- Sports activity skills and participation
- Decision making skills about personal approaches to maintaining fitness

Foreign Language

- Spanish

Technology

- Digital Video Camera
- Filming/Editing
- Video Production
- Keyboard skills

FACS

ART

Student Support

- Differentiated Instruction to meet individual needs
- Special Education services provided in cooperation with District 624

General Information

Bus transportation for WBL District residents

Hot lunch program

Technology supported classrooms

Tuition Assistance available

Individual attention/small class sizes

Standardized Test scores above the national average

Strong Parent/Teacher organization

Student Council

Mission: We are a Christ-centered, academically excellent educational community that develops the whole child – heart, soul, mind, and body.



MCS admits students of any race, religion, color, national & ethnic origin

Curriculum Guide Grade 7



**Excellence • Faith •
Family**



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This Curriculum Guide provides an overview of the curriculum and instruction provided to MCS students in seventh grade.

Literacy

With a strong focus on literacy, MCS develops independent, fluent readers who are excited about reading and writing. Seventh grade students are actively involved in reading, writing, speaking, listening, thinking and technology as they explore the following components:

- Vocabulary, analogies
- Comprehension
- Literature: fiction/nonfiction, drama, informational texts
- Multiple copy books
- Writing: business letter, mystery, report, explanatory paper
- Grammar, spelling

Science

- Scientific Process, Inquiry
- Engineering, Matter, Ecology
- Organisms and living systems
- Cells, Genetics, Human Body

Health

Mathematics

- Number and Operation:
 - Solve real-world and mathematical problems
 - Positive and negative numbers, fractions, decimals, exponents
- Algebra
 - Proportionality
 - Order of operations
 - Algebraic properties
 - Use and create equations with variables
 - Solve equations symbolically, graphically, and numerically
- Geometry and Measurement
 - Analyze the effect of change of scale, translations and reflections on the attributes of two-dimensional figures
- Data Analysis and Probability
 - Use mean, median, and range
 - Display and interpret data
 - Probability

Social Studies

- American History
 - Names and locations important to American history
 - Time periods
 - Chronology, distance, differing ways of life
 - Current events
 - World map skills

Christian Development

- Study the life of Jesus, our Savior
- Read and understand scripture
- Apply scripture and prayer to daily life
- Daily journal

Music

- Choir
- Band
- Two and three part music
- Harmonies
- Blending
- Variety of music, including world music
- Piano lessons available