

## General Information

- Bus transportation for WBL District residents
- Hot lunch program
- Before and after school care
- Tuition assistance available
- Technology supported classrooms
- Individual attention/small class sizes
- Standardized test scores above the national average
- Parent/Teacher Organization
- Student Council

## Student Support Programs

- Differentiated instruction to meet individual needs
- Special Education services provided in cooperation with District 624 (White Bear Lake)



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\*MCS admits students of any race, religion, color, national and ethnic origin



Curriculum Guide:  
Grade 7

*Mission:*

*We are a Christ-centered, academically excellent educational community that develops the whole child—heart, soul, mind and body.\**

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

## Christian Development

Students develop and grow their faith in Jesus through:

- Study of the life of Jesus, our Savior
- Reading and understanding scripture
- Applying scripture & prayer to daily life
- Memory verses

## Music

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

## Physical Education

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

## Technology

- Stem Fuse
- Khan Academy

## 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, poetry, drama, fables, and mythology
- Writing: short story, how-to explanation, personal narrative, persuasive essay, autobiography, re-search paper
- Grammar, spelling

## Social Studies

American History:

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

## Foreign Language

- Spanish

## Mathematics

Number and Operation:

- Solve real-world and mathematical problems
- Integers, rational numbers, fractions, decimals, exponents

Algebra

- Proportionality
- Order of operations
- Algebraic properties
- Use and create equations with variables
- Graphs and functions
- Solve equations symbolically, graphically, and numerically

Geometry and Measurement

- Geometric figures
- Measurement (2/3D figures)

Data Analysis and Probability

- Use mean, median, and range
- Display and interpret data
- Probability

## Science

- Scientific Process, Inquiry
- Ecology
- Organisms and living systems
- Interaction of cells, genetics, human body

## Health, FACS & Art