

Grade 8

Year at a Glance

	AUGUST & SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
LITERATURE	<i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i>	<i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i>	<i>Lord of the Flies</i>	<i>Lord of the Flies</i>	<i>Robinson Crusoe</i>	<i>Robinson Crusoe</i>	Short Stories <i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Poetry
GRAMMAR Stay Smart	Review: Parts of Speech Phrases	Review: Clauses Verbals	Diagramming Sentences 1-27	Diagramming Sentences 28-55	Diagramming Sentences 56-83	Diagramming Sentences 84-111	Diagramming Sentences 112-139	Diagramming Sentences 140-167	Diagramming Sentences 168-188
COMPOSITION Structure and Style for Students 1C	Notemaking and Outlines Writing from Notes	Retelling Narrative Stories	Summarizing a Reference	Writing from Pictures	Writing from Pictures	Summarizing Multiple References	Inventive Writing	Formal Essay Models	Formal Critique
HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY	The Gilded Age Progressivism Toward the Great War	World War I The Roaring Twenties	The Great Depression Rise of Totalitarianism World War II	World War II	The Start of the Cold War	Cultural changes and Activism The 1960s	The 1960s The 1970s	The 1980s The 1990s	The 2000s The 2010s
MATH Weeks & Adkins	Chapters 1-2	Chapters 3-4	Chapters 5-6	Chapter 7	Chapter 8	Chapter 9-10	Chapters 11-12	Chapters 13-14	Review
SCIENCE	Review scientific method and metric system Motion	Forces	Density and Buoyancy	Work, Energy, Power Albert Einstein	Work, Energy, Power Sound	Sound Electromagnetic Radiation and Light	Light Charles Steinmetz	Electricity Nikola Tesla Benjamin Franklin	Magnetism James Maxwell
ART	Elements of Art	Form Drawing & Painting	Contemporary Painting	Contemporary Painting	Contemporary Painting	Photography	Sculpture	Architecture	Architecture
MUSIC	Orchestra & Theory	Nationalism: Sibelius & Bartok	Nationalism: Rodrigo & Ravel	Nationalism: Vaughan Williams Copland	Moderns: Debussy & Stravinsky	Musical Theater: Gilbert & Sullivan Vaudeville Revue	Musical Theater: Gershwin, Berlin, Cohan	Musical Theater: Porter, Kern Rogers & Hammerstein	Musical Theater: Bernstein & Sundheim