

Snapshot of

7th & 8th Grade

Growing Hut	YEAR C (7th/8th)	YEAR D (7th/8th)
LITERATURE	Poetry from a variety of sources-daily readings The Story of King Arthur and His Knights by H. Pyle The Robe by Loyd C. Douglas The Lord of the Rings by J. R. R. Tolkien Kidnapped by Robert Louis Stevenson Rolf and the Viking Bow by Allen French Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain Tales Of Persia: Missionary Stories From Islamic Iran, Miller Amos Fortune Free Man by Elizabeth Yates The Von Trapp Family Singers by Maria Von Trapp Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly Kisses for Katie by Katie Davis Majors I am David by Anne Holm Greek Myths by Olivia Coolidge	Poetry from a variety of sources-daily readings The Age of Fable Bulfinch's Mythology The Hiding Place by Corrie Ten Boom The Scarlett Pimpernel by Baroness Orczy Robinson Crusoe by Daniel Defoe The Bronze Bow by Elizabeth Speare The Story of My Life by Helen Keller Twenty Thousand Leagues under the Sea by Jules Verne Ivanhoe by Sir Walter Scott The Heroes by Charles Kingsley Trojan War by Olivia Coolidge and/or other quality selections such as God's Smuggler, Life in a Jar: The Irena Sendler Project, or The Heavenly Man
	Each alternating year the 7th-12th grades read together: 1.) A Greek play 2.) A Shakespeare play 3.) Two parallel lives from Plutarch's Lives 4.) Faerie Queen Book I by Edmund Spenser	Each alternating year the 7th-12th grades read together: 1.) A Greek Play or Ballad of the White Horse by G.K. Chesterson 2.) A Shakespeare play 3.) Two parallel lives from Plutarch's Lives 4.) Faerie Queen Book III by Edmund Spenser
LANGUAGE ARTS	Lindisfarne Language Arts program An enjoyable, useful, and thorough program which includes poetry, spelling, vocabulary, grammar, composition, and speech (adapted IEW,LTOW, MCT, Killgallon)	Lindisfarne Language Arts program An enjoyable, useful, and thorough program which includes poetry, spelling, vocabulary, grammar, composition, and speech (adapted IEW,LTOW, MCT, Killgallon)
HISTORY	 Elementary History of the United States by Wilber Fisk Gordy Story of the Greeks by H.A. Guerber Supplementals (can be used for student reports, etc) The Pharaohs of Ancient Egypt by Elizabeth Payne The Adventures of Ulysses by Gerald Gottlieb The Exploits of Xenophon by Geoffrey Household Alexander the Great by John Gunther Julius Caesar by John Gunther Cleopatra of Egypt by Leonora Hornblow The Life of St. Patrick by Quentin Reynolds The Vikings by Elizabeth Janeway William the Conqueror by Thomas B. Costain The Crusades by Anthony West Genghis Kahn & the Mongol Horde by Harold Lamb 	 Augustus Caesar's World by Genevieve Foster The Story of the Romans by H.A. Guerber Supplementals (can be used for student reports, etc) The Magna Charta by James Daugherty Marco Polo: His Travels and Adventures by George Makepiece Towle Joan of Arc by Nancy Wilson Ross (or YC selection) Leonardo da Vinci by Emily Hahn The Fall of Constantinople by Bernadine Kielty Mary, Queen of Scots by Emily Hahn Queen Elizabeth & the Spanish Armada by Frances Winway Catherine the Great by Katherine Scherman Marie Antionette by Bernadine Kielty The Slave Who Freed Haiti: by Katherine Scherman The Marquis de Lafayette by Hodding Carter The Story of Napoleon by HE Marshall (YC)
ТҮРЕ	St. Augustine and His Search for Faith by Milton Lomask	A Man Cleansed by God (St. Patrick) by John Edward Beahn
Other classes	Holy Scriptures (Gospels, Life of Christ, Genesis, OT, Epistles) Daily Worship (Morning Prayer in chapel)	Math (Math 7, Pre-Algebra, Algebra I) Logic, Choir, and more Science >>>>See next page

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Covers:		Cov	Covers:	
1.	Principles of Modern Physics, esp. Matter & Energy	1.	Principles of Modern Physics, esp. Relativity and Quantum Mechanics	
2.	Principles of Fluid Mechanics, esp. Liquids & Gases	2.	Principles of Light, Electricity, and Magnetism	
3.	Natural Science including weather, flora, & fauna	3.	Principles of Motion & Classical Mechanics	
		4.	History of Science, and scientific reasoning	
1.	Secrets of the Universe (Vols 1-2) by Paul Fleisher	1.	Secrets of the Universe (Vols 3-5) by Paul Fleisher	
2.	Eric Sloane's Weather Book by Eric Sloane	2.	Phineas Gage: A Gruesome but True Story About Brain Science by John Fleischman	
3.	<u>First Studies of Plant Life</u> by George Francis Atkinson	3.	Johannes Kepler: Giant of Faith and Science	
4.	<u>The Life of the Spider</u> by Jean Henri Fabre		by John Hudson Tiner	
Supplementals:		Sup	pplementals:	
		1.	Napoleon's Buttons: 17 Molecules That Changed History	
1.	Great Men of Medicine by Ruth Fox Hume (Landmark) by Richard Headstrom		by Penny Le Couteur and Jay Burreson	
			-Or- <i>Marvels of the Molecule</i> by Lionel Salem	
2.	Signs and Seasons: Understanding the Elements of Classical Astronomy by Jay Ryan and accompanying Field Journal by R.S. Ball (Intro, Ptolomy, Copernicus, and Brahe)	2.	<u>Adventures with a Microscope</u> by Richard Headstrom	
		3.	<u>Great Astronomers</u> by R.S. Ball	
		4.	The Chemical History of a Candle by Michael Faraday	
		5.	<u>A Briefer History of Time</u> by Stephen Hawking	
		6.	The Microbe Hunters by Paul DeKruif, ch 1: Leeuwenhook	