

# HOLY CROSS ACADEMY

## 7TH AND 8TH GRADE

### CURRICULUM



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# **ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS**

## ***Grade 7 and 8***

General literature and grammar study, 5 classes per week

Writing Workshop, 1 class per week

# **MATHEMATICS**

## ***Grade 7 and 8***

General Math, 5 classes per week

# **SCIENCE**

## ***Grade 7***

Life Science, 5 classes per week

## ***Grade 8***

Physical Science, 5 classes per week

# **SOCIAL STUDIES**

## ***Grade 7***

New York State and United States History, 5 classes per week

## ***Grade 8***

United States and World History, 5 classes per week

# **SPANISH LANGUAGE**

## ***Grade 7***

Spanish I (High School Credit), 5 classes per week

## ***Grade 8***

Spanish II (High School Credit), 5 classes per week

## **RELIGION**

### ***Grade 7 and 8***

Study of Jesus Christ, the Catholic Church, and living the Christian Faith, 3 classes per week

Mass/Group prayer, 1 class per week

## **MUSIC**

### ***Grade 7***

General Music, 1 class per week

Choir, 2 classes per week

### ***Grade 8***

Choir, 2 classes per week

## **ART**

### ***Grade 7 and 8***

General Art, 1 class per week

## **LATIN LANGUAGE**

### ***Grade 8***

Introductory course in Latin, 2 classes per week

## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

### ***Grade 7 and 8***

Games and Sports, 2 classes per week

All classes begin with prayer and are taught from a Catholic perspective, e.g., the Catholic Church's influence and contributions in history, literature, science, and the arts.

Assessments are given during the second semester in English Language Arts and Math. Students who continue high school at Holy Cross Academy are on track to receive New York State diplomas as well as Holy Cross Academy diplomas.