

6TH-8TH

MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSES

LIT/COMP	MATH
Literature The Classical Literature of the Western Tradition serve as a foundation to the Great Hearts program across all grades. The authors of these classics teach us how to question and think deeply about the world around us. Click the link below to view a complete list of the Classics to Keep. View 6-8 Grade Classics to Keep Here: [insert link] Composition Scholars will learn the necessary writing skills to complete multi-paragraph essays.	6th Grade Math Fundamentals Factors and Multiples, Area and Volume, Decimals, Ratios and Percentages, Graphs, Statistics 7th Grade Pre-Algebra Circles, Ratios, Proportionality, Rational Numbers, Two-step Expressions and Equations, Probability, Angles and Triangles, 3-D Figures 8th Grade Algebra I Pattern, Sequences, Linear Regressions, Functions, and Equations, Exponents, Quadratic Equations
HISTORY	SCIENCE
6th Grade U.S. History European Colonization through 21st Century 7th Grade Ancient History Mesopotamia, Egypt, Palestine, Persia, Greece, Rome 8th Grade Medieval History Christian Europe, Vikings and Feudalism, Crusades, Royal Authority and Conflict, Famine and Plague	6th Grade Life Science Cells, Genetics, Plants and Vertebrates, Classification (Kingdom, Phylum) 7th Grade Physical Science Elements, Matter, Energy, Scientific Method 8th Grade Earth Science Maps, Geology, Water Cycle, Solar System
ART	LATIN
6th Grade Introduction to Art 7th Grade Studio Art I 8th Grade Studio Art II Studio Art teaches scholars a traditional approach to making art through observation of master artists and practice of the 6 elements of art (lines, shape, form, value, texture, space, and color).	6th Grade Latin I 7th Grade Latin II 8th Grade Latin III This Latin curriculum teaches the mechanics of the language including verb conjugation, noun declension, and the relationship between the parts of speech within a sentence. Scholars will put these skills to practice through translation.
MUSIC	PHYSICAL EDUCATION
6th Grade Introduction to Music Theory 7th Grade Music Theory I 8th Grade Music Theory II Music Theory provides scholars with a strong foundation of music literacy. Scholars will learn the history of music through observation of great composers as well as study music theory through a comprehensive understanding of the grand staff and the writing and dictation of musical notes, which will culminate in a final musical performance.	Physical Education I Physical Education II Physical Education III This PE curriculum aims to promote a healthy lifestyle among scholars by combining basic fitness routines with sports drills focusing on agility, balance, coordination, strength, and posture. Scholars will engage in daily exercise lessons and learn drills for various sports like Volleyball, Football, Baseball, Soccer, Basketball, and Hockey.