

Aliso Viejo Christian School

A ministry of Aliso Viejo Church of the Cross and Lutheran Church of the Cross & Preschool

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Curriculum

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION:

The following will be taught in Kindergarten:

Bible, reading readiness (letters and sounds, moving into beginning reading for those who are ready), math, social studies, science/health, physical education, motor skills, fine arts (art/music), printing, Spanish, and computer science.

Texts used in Kindergarten

Bible: Biblical Choices (Standard Publishing)

Phonics: Starting Off with Phonics (Modern Curriculum Press)

Language Arts: Beginning to Read, Write, and Listen (McGraw-Hill)

Math: Saxon

Social Science: Houghton Mifflin

Science: Foss (Delta Education)

Art: Meet the Masters

Physical Education: Physical Education Framework (CA)

The following will be taught in grades 1-8:

Bible, reading, math, social studies, geography, science/health, physical education, fine arts, handwriting, language arts (phonics, reading comprehension, vocabulary development, spelling, writing, analogies and grammar) reading groups – grades 1-3, literature circles – grades 4-8 music, PE, and computer science (All grades – keyboarding, grades 2-4 – creative writer, 5th – Word, 6th – Word, and Excel, 7th – Word, Excel, Power Point, 8th – Word, Excel, Power Point, Desk Top Publishing, and Web Page Design)

Texts used in grades 1-6

Bible: Biblical Choices (Standard Publishing)

Language Arts/Phonics: Signatures (Harcourt Brace)

Junior Great Books

Math: Saxon

Social Studies: Houghton Mifflin

Science: Foss (Delta Education)

Spelling: ACSI Spelling, Spel-Lang Tree

Handwriting: Manuscript

Art: Meet the Masters

Physical Education: Physical Education Framework (CA)

Music – God Made Music

Texts used in grades 7-8

Daring Deliverers - ACSI

Language – McDougal

Littell, Junior Great

Books and novel studies

Math - Saxon

Social Studies - Houghton
Mifflin

Science –Glencoe

Health -Riversedge



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AVCS CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

AVCS students are given a variety of opportunities for expression and development. Music, PE, Spanish, library, and computer classes are scheduled for all students. Middle school will also have trimester enrichment which may include study skills, health, writing/research paper, vocabulary roots, media production, biblical mission, speech and drama, and computer technology

ACTIVITIES: We believe it is our responsibility to assist students in the development of their God-given talents. In addition to the curriculum, a number of programs may be offered, such as scouting, intramural sports, computer explorers, foreign language, and instrumental music, along with other possibilities throughout the year.

