

## 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> Bible Course Description

**Course Philosophy:** We believe that “all scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training in righteousness...” 2 Timothy 3:16

- Teaching/Training – We filter and infuse all subjects with the Word of God.
- Rebuking – The Word of God is the standard for student expectations.
- Correcting – The Word of God is the foundation from which we guide students toward righteousness.

We do all of this so that each student may come to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ, and be equipped to know, love, and obey His Word.

**Textbook:** Our primary textbook is the Bible. Having it in class each day is required. We will also use the workbook, *The Life of Christ from the Gospel of John* (Positive Action). **Time allotment:** 49 minutes per day, 5 days a week

**Course Goals:** Students will learn the values of living a life set apart for Christ. They will learn how to practice certain spiritual disciplines. Students will expand their knowledge of God and His attributes. They will learn how to compose a testimony and how to share God’s salvation plan.

**Activities:** Students will explore the Gospel of John in-depth. They will understand its context, purpose, scope, and sequence. They will memorize Scripture verses each week and will have multiple reflective assignments on what God has shown them via Scripture memorization, our in-depth class discussions, and our Bible curriculum. Throughout the year, students will engage in a various service projects and assignments which allow them to be “doers of the Word,” while sharing their testimony in authentic ways. Students will also experience the Gospel of John through geography, politics, history, food, and culture.

**Course content:** Gospel of John

Unit 1 - Background Information

Unit 2 - Preparations for Christ’s Ministry (John 1)

Unit 3 - Christ’s Public Ministry Begins with Individuals (John 2-4)

Unit 4 - Christ’s Public Ministry Reveals Who He Is (John 5-7)

Unit 5 - Christ’s Public Ministry Prompts Mixed Reactions (John 8-12)

Unit 6 - Christ’s Private Ministry to His Disciples (John 12-17)

Unit 7 - Christ’s Passion (John 18-21)

### Grading Categories

Activities:	25%
Memorization and Reflection:	25%
Participation:	25%
Projects and Assessments:	25%

**Areas to be evaluated:** Students will be graded on weekly Scripture memorization, weekly and monthly reflections, homework, projects, and participation in class discussions and classwork activities. Note: Conduct and citizenship will be factored into the participation grade.