Curriculum Resources for Middle School

Religion Curriculum Resources include:

- Sadlier: "Christ in Us"– grade 6
- Benzinger: "Blest Are We"- grades 7-8
- Sadlier: "We Live Our Faith" and Loyola Press: "Confirmed in the Spirit" – grade 8

Literacy Curriculum Resources include:

- Reading: a variety of novels and short stories
- Writing: Six Traits Writing by Ruth Culham

Math Curriculum Resources includes:

- Big Ideas Math (Cengage Learning)

Social Studies Curriculum Topics include:

- 6th grade: River Valley Civilizations, Ancient Asia and Ancient Europe
- 7th grade: Constitution, Civil War and Reconstruction
- 8th grade: World Wars I/II, Cold, Korean and Vietnam Wars, and Conflicts to the Present
- Curriculum Resources include:
- Pearson: "My World History" – grade 6
- Pearson: "My American Nation" – grades 7-8

Science Curriculum Topics include:

- 6th grade: Earth Science
- 7th grade: Life Science
- 8th grade: Physical Science
- Curriculum Resources include:
- Imagine Learning: Twig Science

Spanish: all middle school students take Spanish class daily as one of their core classes.

Technology: OLW Middle School is a 1:1 technology program. All 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students have their own iPad with keyboard case. Students' use of technology includes, but is not limited to: Google Suite for Education (Drive, Docs, Sheets, Slides, Classroom, Gmail), Notability, plus other apps and web-based programs that are approved by the teachers. Many apps that the students use are the apps used at the nearby high schools.

Additional Curriculum Offered in Middle School: The other courses that are required for Middle School students are: Physical Education, Art, Music, and Health.