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A PARENT'S GUIDE TO SIXTH GRADE COURSE SELECTION

SELECT CORE SUBJECTS

A full-time load of 6th grade courses includes:

- Religion
- English
- Reading or Literature
- History¹
- Mathematics²
- Science

¹Select All Ye Lands or Leaders of Freedom. ²Select Sadlier or Singapore.

SELECT ADDITIONAL COURSES

Other courses parents may wish to add:

- Vocabulary
- Classical Composition¹
- Phonics
- Geography
- Foreign Language

¹Begin with Fable stage or student's current stage. Complete Classical Composition in lieu of the Composition portion of Kolbe's English course. ² Kolbe offers Latin, Greek, Spanish, and French.

CHOOSE COURSE FORMATS

- Traditional Homeschool | Parent-taught & graded | Flexible
- Digital Homeschool | Parenttaught & graded | Digital course with resources | Flexible
 - Asynchronous Online | Teachertaught & graded | Video-based
 - Live Online | Teacher-taught & graded | Set schedule & deadlines

Mix and match course formats.

Not all courses are available in all formats.

ADD NON-ACADEMICS & ADDITIONAL SUPPORTS

- Non-Academics | Homeroom, Kolbe Art, Music, and PE
- Online Labs | Foreign Language,
 Writing, and Math Labs
- Non-Kolbe Courses¹ | Include courses you plan to report, so the course's grade is listed on the student's report card.
- Individualized Supports | Accountability and Tutoring

¹Fully enrolled students are eligible to register in non-Kolbe courses.

HELPFUL TIPS

- To register in courses, first enroll or re-enroll your student in the <u>Kolbe Portal</u>. Then complete tuition management set-up. Course registration will become available when the form is open and after Admissions has finalized your student's enrollment.
- View the <u>Course Catalog</u> for a detailed description of our 6th grade courses and formats they are offered in.
- Schedule an appointment with your advisor to discuss your course selections and format options based upon teacher recommendations and/or placement results.
- Kolbe Academy has no requirement for the number or specific type of courses. We encourage students complete the core subjects to best prepare for the next grade.
- Use our <u>Subject Placement Tests</u> to know where to place your student in non-live online course formats of Latin, Spanish, and Math.
- Students with special learning needs have the opportunity for <u>additional supports</u>. Contact your advisor to learn more.
- Follow all relevant laws for homeschooling in your state or country. <u>HSLDA</u> is a reliable resource for understanding your state's requirements.

