

Third Quarter Overview 2010-11 School Year Grade 8

	8 th Grade
Essential Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Independent learner • Follow directions • Personal organization • Class participation • Respect for others • Cooperation • Study Skills • Courtesy
Language Arts <i>Mrs. Liesenberg</i> liesenbergl@archmil.org	<p>Writer's Choice Unit 6 Persuasive Writing Prepositions Adjectives and Adverbs</p> <p>6+1 Traits of Writing 5 Paragraph Essays</p>
Spelling <i>Mrs. Liesenberg</i> liesenbergl@archmil.org	<p>Units 19-27</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vowell Changes II • Latin Roots II • Noun Suffixes II • Words from Other Languages • Words Often Misspelled • Vowel Changes II • Latin Roots II • Adjective Suffixes
Reading <i>Mrs. Liesenberg</i> liesenbergl@archmil.org	<p>Unit Theme: Rising to the Challenge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selections from <i>The Language of Literature</i>. Genre focus: Fiction and Fantasy • Novel (s): <i>The Giver</i> • Independent Project – Book Report
Social Studies <i>Ms. King</i> king@archmil.org	<p>The American Nation Chapters 16-24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Civil War • Reconstruction • The New West • Industrial Growth • A New Urban Culture • The Progressive Era • Becoming a World Power • World War I

<p style="text-align: center;">Science <i>Mrs. King</i> king@archmil.org</p>	<p>Interactions of Matter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atomic Energy <p>Human Body Systems and Health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Body Organization and Structure • Circulation and Respiration • The Digestive and Urinary Systems • Communication and Control
<p style="text-align: center;">Religion <i>Mrs. Maciejewski</i> maciejewskih@archmil.org</p>	<p>Church</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People of the Old Testament • The Early Church • The Teaching Church • Professing Our Faith • Living Faithfully • The Church Alive • The Church in the World • Now and Forever
<p style="text-align: center;">Math <i>Mrs. Maciejewski</i> maciejewskih@archmil.org</p>	<p>Pre-Algebra</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ratios , Proportions and Probability • Percents • Linear Functions • Real Numbers and Right Triangles <p>Algebra</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Systems of Equations and Inequalities • Exponents and Exponential Functions • Polynomials and Factoring • Quadratic Equations and Functions