

## SJCS 2022-23 FAMILY BOOK LIST Year B

Here is the list of books that families will need to source for the 2022-2023 academic year. This list does not include titles for which SJCS has sufficient copies for all students - these will be issued as needed to each student.

The number in parentheses indicates the number of copies available in the SJCS Library. Please note that most titles listed do not have sufficient copies in the Library to accommodate all students. Families can place a hold on the available titles and they will be provided when needed in the classroom, on a first come, first served basis. While borrowing from our library is a great way to save money, we do encourage families to build their home library with these excellent books. Alternatively, copies can be borrowed from the Calgary Public Library if available.

The links provided are for Amazon but these books can be purchased anywhere. We encourage families to support smaller vendors when feasible. Whenever possible, the edition indicated matches the one in the SJCS Library. Using the same edition as the rest of the class is helpful but not required.

In the Senior program, there are a few books that must be purchased by the family that SJCS has already sourced for you. These are indicated below and will be available for purchase at the parent meeting in August.

### **GRADE 3/4 (22 students)**

- [Charlotte's Web](#) (White) (16)
- [Sarah Plain and Tall](#) (2)
- [Farmer Boy](#) (Ingalls) (9)
- [Children of Fatima](#) (Windeatt) (21)

### **GRADE 5/6 (28 students)**

- [The Light Princess](#) (Macdonald) (15)
- [Viking Tales](#) (Jennie Hall) (21)
- [St Edmund Campion: Hero of God's Underground](#) (Gardiner) (21)
- [Augustine Came to Kent](#) (23)

### **GRADE 7/8 (26 students)**

#### **Literature**

- [The Wind and the Willows](#) (21)
- [The Call of the Wild](#) (London) (19)
- [A Christmas Carol](#) (Dickens) (20)
- [Watership Down](#) (Adams) (0)
- [Midsummer Night's Dream](#) (Shakespeare) (24)

#### **Theology: Life of Jesus**

- Ideally: [The Great Adventure Catholic Bible](#) (Ascension Press, RSV-2CE)

- Acceptable: Any RSV-2CE Bible (it is important that students have the same translation so that we can read together in class).
- Blank high-quality notebook (at least 150 pages, lined or dotted, approx size 8"x5" or larger, lay-flat binding, not spiral-bound) for use as a Lectio Divina journal. Both Chapters and Staples have a large selection: Examples include [Leuchtturm1917](#), [Moleskine](#). The goal is for the notebook to be sturdy enough to last for the entire year, and lay-flat so it is easy to write in.

### **Science (Classical Astronomy)**

- *The Book of Astronomy Student Workbook* (Memoria Press) Purchase from SJCS at parent meeting
- [Eric Sloane's Weather Book](#) (Sloane) (0)
- Blank high-quality notebook (at least 150 pages, lined or dotted, approx size 8"x5" or larger, lay-flat binding, not spiral-bound) for use as a science notebook and stargazing journal. Both Chapters and Staples have a large selection: Examples include [Leuchtturm1917](#), [Moleskine](#). The goal is for the notebook to be sturdy enough to last for the entire year, and lay-flat so it is easy to write in.
- Optional: [Signs and Seasons](#) (Ryan) (0) Tutor to use a copy in class - optional for families if a home copy is desired (Only available from US vendors)

### **GRADE 9/10 (26 students)**

#### **Literature**

- [Macbeth](#) (Shakespeare) (17)
- [The Odyssey](#) (Fagles) (10)
- [Les Miserables](#) (Hugo) (2)
- [Pride and Prejudice](#) (Austen) (9)
- [Animal Farm](#) (Orwell) (20)
- [A Man for All Seasons](#) (Bolt) (15)

#### **History: Christendom**

- [The Everlasting Man](#) (Chesterton) (0)

#### **Philosophy: Material Logic**

- *Material Logic: Student Workbook*, 3rd ed. (Memoria Press) Purchase from SJCS at parent meeting

#### **Theology: Life in Christ**

- [Catechism of the Catholic Church](#) (5)
- *Fulfillment of All Desire* (Martin) (0) Purchase from SJCS at parent meeting

### **GRADE 11/12 (22 students)**

#### **Literature**

- [One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich](#) (Solzhenitsyn) (11)

- [Huckleberry Finn](#) (Twain) (18)
- [Brave New World](#) (Huxley) (15)
- [The Great Gatsby](#) (Fitzgerald) (6)
- [The Crucible](#) (Miller) (0)

#### **Philosophy: Ethics**

- Aristotle, [Introductory Readings](#) (Hackett) Note: Grade 11/12 students should already have this book from last year.
- John Paul II, [Veritatis Splendor](#) This can either be purchased as a book or read online

#### **Theology: The Journey into God**

- Augustine, [Confessions](#), trans. Maria Boulding (Ignatius) HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
  - Also acceptable is Henry Chadwick's translation (Oxford).
  - Any other translation will make comprehension very difficult.
- Francis de Sales, [Introduction to the Devout Life](#) (0)
  - Ideally: Trans. Allan Ross (Baronius Press)
  - Acceptable: Ignatius Press
- Therese of Liseux, [Story of a Soul](#), trans. John Clarke (ICS Publications: Study Edition, prepared by Marc Foley)