Rhetoric School Texts

Redeemer Classical School

9TH GRADE

- HISTORY
 - o The War of the Peloponnesians and Athenians (Thucydides, Cambridge Texts)
 - National Geographic: The Greeks
 - The Lawgivers (Hicks and Hicks)
 - The Republic (Plato)
- LITERATURE
 - Summer reading:
 - *Till We Have Faces* (Lewis)
 - *The Odyssey* (Homer)
 - Ecclesiastes
 - Non-fiction choice
 - Original Texts:
 - *The Iliad* (Homer, Fagles)
 - Oedipus the King, Oedipus at Colonus (Sophocles, Fagles)
 - *The Clouds* (Aristophanes)
 - Excerpts from Nicomachean Ethics (Aristotle, Cambridge)
 - Modern Texts:
 - *Twelfth Night* (Shakespeare)
- ENGLISH LANGUAGE
 - Excerpts from Lost Tools of Writing 1 and 2
- THEOLOGY
 - o Ecclesiastes, Job
- RHETORIC
 - Everyday Debate (Johnson)
 - Excerpts from *The Thinking Toolbox* (Bluedorn)
 - Five Dialogues (Plato)
- SCIENCE
 - Conceptual Physics (Hewitt)
- MATH
 - o Geometry (Jacobs)
- ENRICHMENT
 - Leadership for Life: *Heroic Leadership* (Chris Lowney)
- LATIN
 - o excerpts from Caesar, Cicero, Livy, Pliny, Bede, Virgil, the Vulgate text of the Bible



10th Grade

- HISTORY
 - o De Officiis (Cicero)
 - o The Fall of the Roman Republic (Plutarch)
 - o Ecclesiastical History (Eusebius)
 - o The Deeds of Louis the Fat (Suger)
 - o The Prince (Machiavelli)
- LITERATURE
 - Summer Reading:
 - *The Emperor's Handbook* (Marcus Aurelius)
 - Original Texts:
 - The Aeneid (Virgil)
 - Inferno by Dante (trans. Esolen)
 - Faerie Queen (Spencer)
 - Sir Gawain and the Green Knight (trans. Tolkein)
 - Nibelungenlied
 - Modern Texts:
 - King Lear (Shakespeare)
 - As you Like it (Shakespeare)
- ENGLISH LANGUAGE
 - Excerpts from Lost Tools of Writing 1 and 2
- THEOLOGY
 - o Galatians
 - On the Incarnation (Athanasius)
 - o A Shorter Summa (Kreeft)
- RHETORIC
 - Rhetoric Alive 1 (Barnes)
 - o Rhetoric of Love 1 (Jones)
- SCIENCE
 - General Chemistry (Novare)
- MATH
 - o Algebra and Trigonometry (Prentice Hall Classics)
- GREEK
 - o From Alpha to Omega (Groton)
 - o Forty-Six Stories in Classical Greek (Groton)
 - o From Alpha to Omega Ancillary Exercises (Bruss)

