

# HIGH SCHOOL RELIGION PROGRAM

Diocese of Salt Lake City

Approved 2008

High School Religion will follow the DOCTRINAL ELEMENTS OF A CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK for the Development of Catechetical Materials for Young People of High School Age. United States Conference of Catholic Bishops July 2008

The recommended way is to follow the Core Curriculum in order. Each topic is one semester. It would look like this:

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>	<b>SECOND SEMESTER</b>
Freshman	The Revelation of Jesus Christ in Scripture	Who is Jesus Christ?
Sophomore	The Mission of Jesus Christ (the Paschal Mystery)	Jesus Christ's Mission Continues in the Church
Junior	Sacraments as privileged encounters with Jesus Christ	Elective
Senior	Life in Jesus Christ	Elective

There are five electives listed in the FRAMEWORK:

1. Sacred Scripture
2. History of the Catholic Church
3. Living as a Disciple of Jesus Christ in Society
4. Responding to the Call of Jesus Christ
5. Ecumenical and Interreligious Issues

It is up to each high school as to the selection of electives to be offered

**CURRICULUM OUTLINES IN THE FRAMEWORK CAN BE SEEN IN THIS PUBLICATION.**

Note:

Each school will cycle this curriculum in so that it is fully implemented by fall 2012.