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*CCC = Catechism of the Catholic Church

TASK OF CATECHESIS 1: KNOWLEDGE OF THE FAITH: **Students will explore, profess and reflect on our Catholic faith, which is the content of God's revelation found in Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition and lived out in the Creed and Church doctrine.**	
Code	**Standard**
PK-KF-R REVELATION	● Begin to understand that God created the world because he loves us. **(creation)** ● Begin to understand that God created us, others, and all we see. ● Begin to understand that angels have been created by God and that God has given each of us a Guardian Angel to watch over and protect us. Scripture: Gen. 1:1-31, 2:1-25 *CCC: 36-141, 290-315, 325- 354
PK-KF-R-1 Sacred Scripture	Begin to understand the Bible is the holy book that talks about God and creation. Scripture: Old Testament New Testament *CCC: 101-141
PK-KF-R-2 Salvation History	Begin to understand the Bible as the book which contains the stories of God's creation and of Jesus' life. Scripture: Old Testament New Testament *CCC: 50-73
PK-KF-R-3 Christology	● Begin to understand that Jesus came to live on earth because He wanted to share God's love with us. ● Begin to understand that Jesus is God and man, Son of God and Son of Mary. ● Listen to the stories of Jesus who died on the Cross for us, rose from the dead, and ascended into Heaven. Scripture: Lk 1:26-38; 2:1-20; 2:41-52 Mt. 1:18-2:15 Mk.15:16 *CCC: 74-100

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PK-KF-T Trinity: God the Creator, Jesus the Redeemer, and Holy Spirit the Sanctifier	● Repeat the **Sign of the Cross.** ● Become familiar with and show reverence for the names of the three **Divine Persons:** God the Father, God the Son (Jesus Christ) and God the Holy Spirit. Scripture: Gen. 1:1-31, 2:1-25 Lk 1:26-38; 2:1-20; 2:41-52 Mt. 1:18-2:15; 3:13-1 Mk 14:32-36 Acts 2:1-42 *CCC: 249-324
PK-KF-C Creed: A Statement of Our Belief	Begin to understand that the word “Creed” means what we believe as Catholics. *CCC: 185-1065

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TASK OF CATECHESIS 2 – LITURGICAL EDUCATION: **Students recognize the presence of Christ and enter into communion with Him through active, full and conscious participation in the Liturgical celebrations and Sacraments of the Church.**	
Code	**Standard**
PK-LE-E Eucharist: Who, How, When, and Where the Mass is Celebrated	● Experience Mass where we worship and thank God. ● Associate the parish priest with the Mass and be able to identify his role in the Mass. ● Begin to recite grade level Mass responses. (See Task 4: Teaching to Pray.) ● Begin to identify the altar, chalice, tabernacle, ciborium, pall, priest's vestments, crucifix, and ambo in pictures or in person. Scripture: Mt. 26:25-30 Mk. 14:12-26 Lk. 22:14-20 Jn. 6:32-58 Acts 2:42-47 *CCC: 1135-1167,1322-1419
PK-LE-S Celebration of the Sacraments	Begin to understand the definition of a **Sacrament.** *CCC: 1210-1666
PK-LE-S-1 Sacraments of Initiation	Begin to understand that Baptism is a Sacrament. Scripture: Ex. 16:1-35 Mt. 3:13-17; 28:16-20 Mk. 1:9-11; 16:15-18 Lk. 3:21-22 *CCC:1212-1419
PK-LE-S-2 Sacraments of Healing	Begin to understand that Jesus loves us always and forgives us. Scripture: Ps. 32 Mk. 2:1-12 *CCC: 979-987, 1420-1484
PK-LE-S-3 Sacraments at the Service of Communion	Begin to recognize that God has given us parents and a priest to show us how to love others Scripture: Gen. 2:18-24 Mt. 19:4-6; 28:16-20 *CCC: 1533-1666

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PK-LE-LR-1 Liturgical Calendar	● Celebrate the special seasons in the Liturgical Calendar: **Advent**, **Christmas**, **Epiphany**, **Lent** and **Easter** and special feasts of Mary and the **Saints**. ● Begin to associate the different colors with the different seasons of the Church year. Scripture: Mk. 16:1-8 Lk. 24: 1-53 Jn . 20:1-10 *CCC: 1163-1173
PK-LE-LR-2 Liturgical Symbols and Sacramentals	Begin to recognize items in the classroom, church and at home that are “holy” and regard them with reverence. *CCC: 1179-1199,1667-1679
PK-LE-LR-3 Divine Office Liturgy of the Hours	Prayerfully listen to Psalm 117 and respond “Alleluia!” Scripture: Psalms 117, 150, 100 *CCC: 1174-1178
PK-LE-LR-4 Liturgical Rites: Weddings, Funerals and Blessings	Bow their heads when blessed by the priest, their parents or teachers. *CCC: 1671-1673

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TASK OF CATECHESIS 3: MORAL EDUCATION: **Students develop a moral conscience that is informed by Church teachings and conformed to Christ, as modeled in a personal life of virtue and demonstrated in service of the Gospel's demands for society.**	
Code	**Standard**
PK-ME-HP The Human Person	Begin to understand that God made us to know and to love Him. *CCC: 1691-1876
PK-ME-HP-1 Made in the Image of God- Foundation of Human Dignity	● Understand that saying a kind word to someone or doing a good deed is a way to show God's love. ● Practice saying kind words and doing good deeds as a way to show God's love. Scripture Gen. 1:1-2:3 Col. 1:15 *CCC: 355-368,1004,1700-1876
PK-ME-HP-2 Beatitudes- Made for Happiness with God	Begin to associate happiness with loving and being close to God and other people. Scripture 2 Cor. 4:4 Mt. 5: 1-12 *CCC: 1218-1229, 1716-1717
PK-ME-HP-3 Human Freedom and Conscience Formation	● Begin to name and distinguish right from wrong actions. ● Understand God can help us obey our parents and treat others with kindness. Scripture Gen. 6:9-9:17 *CCC: 1030-1037, 1730-1802
PK-ME-HP-4 Covenant and Ten Commandments	● Understand the **Ten Commandments** as God's rules for our life. ● Associate the reason for and the purpose of the **Ten Commandments** with rules at home and at school. Scripture Ex.2-24 Ex. 19:16-20:17 Mt. 22:34-40 Mk. 10: 17-20 Lk. 10:25-28 *CCC: 2052-2557

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PK-ME-HP-5 Virtues Cardinal and Theological	Begin to recognize the word virtue as a gift from God to do good things. *CCC: 1803-1845, 2656-2662
PK-ME-HC The Human Community	Demonstrate awareness of the needs and feelings of others. *CCC: 1877-1948, 2204-2213
PK-ME-HC-1 Personal and Social Sin	Begin to understand our words and actions affect others. Scripture: Gen. 2:7-25; 3:1-24 Lk. 15: 11-32 *CCC: 1846-1876
PK-ME-HC-2 Catholic Social Teaching- Consistent Ethic of Life, Love of Neighbor, and Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy	● Begin to understand that God created all people, creatures and the world as a gift for us all. ● Show the importance of sharing and respecting classroom materials and school resources. ● Begin to understand, participate in and reflect on service to help care for all God's people, creatures and world. Scripture Gen. 1:1-18; 2: 1-25 *CCC: 2419-2449

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TASK OF CATECHESIS 4 – TEACHING TO PRAY: **Students experience and engage in Catholic expressions of prayer to deepen their relationship with God and the Church.**	
Code	**Standard**
PK-TP-UC The Universal Call To Prayer, Importance Of Prayer	● Begin to understand that prayer is talking to God. ● Listen to and participate in many and varied types of prayers and recognize that prayer is important. Scripture: Mt. 6: 5-15 *CCC: 2558-2758
PK-TP-FP Forms Of Prayer: Blessing, Adoration Petition, Intercession Thanksgiving, Praise	● Spend time with God in prayer. ● Know that through prayer we thank God for our many gifts, and we ask God to help us with our worries. *CCC: 2623-2649
PK-TP-E Expressions of Prayer, Process: Personal, Shared, Vocal, Singing, Meditation	● Recognize that we pray at home, at school and at church. ● Experience prayer with music and in short periods of silence. *CCC: 2700-2724
PK-P-OF Our Father: Summary of The Gospel	Begin to recognize the “Our Father” is a prayer we say at Mass and in our daily lives. Scripture: Mt. 6:9-14 Lk. 1:28, 42, 11: 1-4 *CCC: 2746-2865

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PK-TP-DP Devotional Practices: e.g. Rosary, Stations Of The Cross, Novenas, Simbang Gabi, Etc.	Know that there are prayers that the Church and families recite/pray together. *CCC: 1200-1209,1674-1679, 2683-2696

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TASK OF CATECHESIS 5 – EDUCATING FOR THE LIFE, COMMUNITY, AND HISTORY OF THE CHURCH: **Students study and participate in the life and mission of the church, the Body of Christ and the community of believers, as expressed in the Church's origin, history, ecclesiology, the Communion of Saints and their family, the domestic church.**	
Code	**Standard**
PK-LCH-CH The Church in God's Plan	• Listen to stories about the parish patron saint. • Begin to understand the word history as the story of the past. Listen to stories about Padre Kino and the missions he founded in Sonora and Arizona. Hear the story of Our Lady of Guadalupe. *CCC: 748-780
PK-LCH-MC Models of The Catholic Church	Identify church as a place where all people join together to worship, to thank God, to serve God, and to serve one another. *CCC: 781-810
PK-LCH-MC-1 People of God	Associate the church as the place where community, God's family, joins in prayer together. Scripture 1 Pet. 2:9 *CCC: 781-786
PK-LCH-MC-2 Body of Christ	Associate that we are the "Body of Christ" when we pray together and use our hands to help others. Scripture 1 Cor. 12:12-27 *CCC: 787-796
PK-LCH-MC-3 Temple of the Holy Spirit	Recognize that God loves us so much that the Holy Spirit lives in each of us. Scripture 1 Cor. 6:19 *CCC: 797-801

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PK-LCH-MMC The Mystery And Marks of The Church: One, Holy, Catholic, Apostolic	● Begin to understand “holy” in reference to the Church. ● Demonstrate signs of reverence in church, as church is a holy place. *CCC: 811-870
PK-LCH-CF-1 Church Order: The Hierarchy and Magisterium and Infallibility	Begin to identify the **bishop(s)** and recognize his role as the leader of our diocese, the local Church. *CCC: 874-896
PK- LCH-CF-2 The Laity: Rights and Responsibilities	Begin to understand that Sunday is an important day to be with God and to go to Church. *CCC: 897-913, 2041
PK- LCH-MC-3 The Domestic Church	● Understand that Jesus grew up in a loving family. ● Begin to identify the **Holy Family**. ● Share ways that prayer happens in your family. Scripture Mt. 1:18-2:15 *CCC: 1655-58, 1666, 2204- 2257, 2685
PK-LCH-CF-4 The Universal Call to Holiness	Begin to understand the word “holy” as being close to God. Scripture 1 Pet. 1:15-16 Lev. 11:44 *CCC: 2013-2014,2028,2813
PK-LCH-CF-5 Vocation: Marriage, priesthood, religious life	Begin to understand that both priests and parents serve God by taking care of others. *CCC: 914-933

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PK-LCH-CS Communion of Saints	Listen to stories of saints as heroes of our faith who are part of the family of the Church in heaven. Scripture Jn. 3:1-21 *CCC: 946-962
PK- LCH-Mary Mary as Model of The Church	Begin to understand that Mary is the Mother of Jesus, Mother of God and our Mother. Scripture Lk. 1:26-38 *CCC: 148-149, 963-975, 2673- 2682

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TASK OF CATECHESIS 6 – THE CHURCH'S MISSIONARY LIFE AND SERVICE: **Students acquire and demonstrate skills to recognize their gifts from God and their vocation to share the good News of Jesus Christ in word and deed in the world.**	
Code	**Standard**
PK-CMLS-BCD Baptismal Call And Discipleship (the mandate to go forth)	● Relate that through Baptism, we are given new life as God's children. ● Begin to understand that the Church has a mission given to her by Jesus Christ. Scripture Mt. 28: 19-20 *CCC: 816-849
PK-CMLS-SS Call To Stewardship And Service: Catholic Social Teaching about the common good	● Begin to name our unique gifts that God provides us to help others. ● Participate in and reflect on service and how we can be Jesus for others. Scripture Mt. 5:3-12 *CCC: 1905-1948, 2419-2422
PK CMLS-EDNE Call To Ecumenism, Interfaith Dialogue And The New Evangelization	● Know that God made all people, and we are called to be kind and loving to all people. ● Recognize that Jesus calls us to serve God and all God's people. ● Show God's love for all people through words and actions. *CCC: 848-849, 927-933, 905, 2044,2472