

Proposed Scope & Sequence for Common Sense Co-op

This plan is subject to change.

Science

1st-6th Grade: Berean Builders Science Through HiStory series

2021-22	Science in the Beginning
2022-23	Science in the Ancient World
2023-24	Science in the Scientific Revolution
2024-25	Science in the Age of Reason
2025-26	Science in the Industrial Age
2026-27	Science in the Beginning
2027-28	Science in the Ancient World

7th-12th Grade: Berean Builders Science in the Atomic Age (Gen. Sci.) and Discovering Design w/Earth Science (Physical Science); Biology: the Study of Life from a Christian Worldview by MasterBooks Publishing; 101 Series Chemistry

2025-26	General Science & Biology
2026-27	Physical Science & Chemistry
2027-28	General Science & Biology
2028-29	Physical Science & Chemistry

For High School Biology, there may be an additional class fee (up to \$50/student) to cover the cost of specimens for dissection.

There may also be an additional High School Elective during the science hour for students who have already taken the main science being offered. Some examples of possible classes are Health & Nutrition, Forensic Science, Comparative Religions, Apologetics in Action, Christian Heritage, History of Religious Liberty, Worldviews in Conflict, etc.

2023-24 Health & Nutrition was offered as the alternate

2025-26 Forensic Science was offered as the alternate

History

1st-4th Grade: Notgrass Elementary

2024-25	Our 50 States (Second Half of Book)
2025-26	Our Star-Spangled Story (Full Book)
2026-27	Our Great Big World (World Geography)
2027-28	Our 50 States (Full Book) or Minnesota History (tbd)

5th-8th Grade: Notgrass Middle School

2024-25	Geography - To Every Nation by Not Consumed, Notgrass edition not available
2025-26	Adam to Us
2026-27	America the Beautiful
2027-28	Uncle Sam and You

9th-12th Grade: Notgrass High School

2024-25	Exploring World Geography
2025-26	Exploring World History
2026-27	Exploring America
2027-28	Exploring Government & Exploring Economics (1 Semester each)

Electives

The elective classes each year will depend on what is requested and if we have someone to teach the requested subjects. Some electives may require a purchased curriculum, while others may not. There may be an additional class fee for some elective classes to help cover in-class materials and costs.