

Curriculum Title	Subject(s)	Age Ranges	Faith Based	Description/Notes from Parent/Teacher
A Reason for Handwriting	Handwriting	K-6	Faith Based	This program uses daily practice drills focused on verses from Scripture. It follows the traditional "ball-and-stick" style of print, along with standard cursive. Fun border sheets help motivate young writers to think of the public nature of their work. We would often have our children send the completed presentation to a grandparent.
<u>ABC Jesus Loves Me!</u>	Early learning activities	Ages 1-5 (preschool)	Faith Based	Hands-on activities, movement, reading real books, singing, and arts and crafts.
<u>Abeka</u>	All Subjects	K-12	Faith Based	It is very traditional in the sense it feels the closest to "school." Parent materials help guide you through teaching each lesson. Has an option for online if desired.
All About Spelling	Spelling	K-6		This multisensory approach ensures students retain what they learn. If you are just beginning to teach your children spelling, want a program that appeals to a variety of learning styles, or if your children need remedial help, this customizable program could be an excellent fit. It is time intensive but it works!
<u>Ambleside Online</u> amblesideonline.org	All Subjects	K-12		Charlotte Mason methodology FREE lesson plans and resources

<u>Apologia</u>	All Subjects- Known for their Science Curriculum	PK-12	Faith Based	I only have experience with the science curriculum. I love the elementary science with the notebooking activities. The high school curriculum is definitely a college prep course and can be difficult if your child is not science minded. I would encourage the video lessons. High school labs require a purchase of lab materials which can be pricey.
<u>Beautiful Feet Books</u> https://www.bfbooks.com/	History, Geography, Science	K-12	Not Faith Based	Charlotte Mason-inspired literature-based curriculum help parents fulfill their desire to read the best books, foster a curiosity-driven learning environment, and develop deep relationships with their kids. Teaching history through the power of story is the best way to ignite a child's natural curiosity about the world around them. There are no textbooks, worksheets, or busywork.
<u>Blossom and Root</u>	Language Arts, Science, Geography/History, STEAM	PK-4	Not Faith Based	An emphasis on language arts, literature, science, nature, the fine arts, and geography. The curriculum strongly supports STEAM subjects (science, technology, engineering, art, and math). It reflects the influence of both Waldorf and Charlotte Mason approaches to education.
Brave Writer	Writing	K-12	Not Faith Based	More information: https://bravewriter.com/

Colorado Chinese Language School	Mandarin	K-Adults	Not Faith Based	The language classes are organized in two groups: Mandarin speaking, and non-Mandarin speaking. Within each group, students are further divided into classes based on their age and language proficiency. Something to note about this school Mandarin S or 1 has young students. Most of the families who attend the school are Chinese and have Chinese speaking family around them. So it is a school where a high schooler or middle schooler would need to be comfortable attending a class with young children. Located in St. John's School in Denver.
<u>Discovery K12</u>	All subjects and electives	K-12	Not Faith Based	Free student accounts/ \$99 parent account that includes the answer keys. For more info: https://cathyduffyreviews.com/homeschool-reviews-core-curricula/grade-level-packages-and-courses/preschool-through-grade-8/discovery-k12-online-homeschool
Duolingo	Foreign Language	K-12	Not Faith Based	Online self paced reading, writing, and speaking
Easy Peasy All-in-One Homeschool https://allinonehomeschool.com/	All Subjects	PK-12	Faith Based	This is a totally free online curriculum that has lessons in each subject for each day. It can be done mostly independently so is great to use for one or two subjects when you need to free up some of your time and have your student work on their own. They have a high school version, too. It might seem like it must be cheap or ineffective since it's completely free, but seriously, some of the smartest homeschool kids I know have used this program! We have used it to fill in gaps in our schedule or add some interesting classes, like oceanography.

Five in a Row https://fiveinarow.com/five-in-a-row/		K-2	Not Faith Based	We used this K through 1st or 2nd grade. It is the sweetest, simplest, inexpensive "curriculum." Each week is based off of one picture book read aloud each day, with associated spinoff.
Fix-it Grammar-Institute for Excellence in Writing	Grammar	3-12th		In Fix It! Grammar, students hunt for and correct errors in daily passages that cumulatively tell a story. Fix It! Grammar is a six-year incremental program that encourages students to apply new grammar knowledge in every lesson while continuing to practice what they already know.
Handwriting without Tears	Handwriting	K-4	Not Faith Based	The program is especially helpful if your children have significant learning challenges and physical limitations. Parents also say it's easy to use with left-handed writers. Developed by an occupational therapist. This curriculum is very hands on!
Homeschool Spanish Academy	Spanish	PK-Adults	Not Faith Based	Online with a native speaker from Guatemala. We did this for 2 years for high school credit. Our child had a class 2x week for an hour. He had homework and it was almost entirely in Spanish. The instructors know a little English but not a lot. It was immersive and he learned quickly. It is expensive but we loved that it was with a native speaker and earned high school credit.
i can Mandarin	Mandarin	K-Adults	Not Faith Based	Online Chinese classes

Institute for Excellence in Writing	Writing	K-12	Some products are faith based and others are not	IEW's unique approach provides the structure that students need to develop confidence in the writing process, while gradually guiding them toward greater independence and creativity. They will learn nine structural models (note taking, writing paragraphs, stories, simple reports, writing from pictures, research reports, creative writing, essays, and critiques) to help them organize any type of composition. Additionally, stylistic techniques (strong verbs, quality adjectives, sentence openers, and more) are taught incrementally to gently move students from the basics into more sophisticated writing.
<u>Khan Academy</u>	Multi-subject	K-12	Not Faith Based	For information and a review- https://cathyduffyreviews.com/homeschool-reviews-core-curricula/math/math-grades-9-12/khan-academy-courses
Math Lessons for a Living Education	Math	K-6	Faith Based	Lessons incorporate narration, copywork, mental math, drawing, and occasional recipes and projects.
<u>Math U See</u>	Math	K-12		Hands-on, student-paced, mastery-based approach that focuses on developing a true understanding of mathematical concepts transferable to real-world application. Math that actually sticks with your kids so they can use it in real life.

<u>My Father's World</u>	All Subjects	PK-12	Faith Based	MFW employs methodologies from unit study, Charlotte Mason, and classical approaches with a strong biblical base (Protestant) and missionary emphasis throughout all levels. Each program centers around a single guide and uses a mixture of real books and hands-on activities along with a few textbooks. MFW courses are clearly structured with easy-to-understand instructions. Lesson preparation time will be required primarily for gathering necessary materials.
Notgrass https://shop.notgrass.com/	Bible, History, and Language Arts	K-12	Faith Based	Notgrass History helps children learn through engaging lessons, beautiful photos and illustrations, primary source documents, inspiring literature, and creative activities. For high school, students can earn 3 credits (one for Bible, one for history, and one for English.)
Phonetic Zoo- Institute for Excellence in Writing	Spelling	3-12th		Looking for a new approach to spelling? This phonics-based program uses auditory input to ensure that the correct spelling of each word is absorbed by the brain. The audio allows students to work independently much of the time, while allowing for the repetition needed for mastery.
Rosetta Stone	Foreign Language	K-Adults	Not Faith Based	Self-teaching program online. Interactive
Saxon Math	Math	K-12	Not Faith Based	We have always used Saxon Math for lower grades, and the Teaching Textbooks online program for once they start Algebra. I am NOT math smart, so Teaching Textbooks online helps them when they are out of my depth. Another family moves from Saxon math into Shormann math for Algebra 1 and beyond. Nicole the Math Lady is an online addition for the younger years that includes videos and grading.

Shiller Learning	Language Arts and Math	PK-4	Not Faith Based	Montessori techniques, multi-sensory, covering the visual, tactile, kinesthetic, and auditory learning modalities.
Shormann/Dive	Math/Science	6-12th	Faith Based	Shormann uses the Saxon philosophy to teach middle school and high school math. Online lessons, tests, and grading. Options for Honors, AP, CLEP for both math and science. As in the original Saxon Math series, Shormann Math integrates geometry with algebra within courses titled Algebra 1 and Algebra 2. There is no separate geometry course. You can earn 3 high school math credits in 2 years.
Singapore Math	Math	K-6	Not Faith Based	Extremely clear, highly logical and sequential, with a strong focus on "mental math." Students get the right amount of practice without too much repetition. Challenging word problems build thinking skills and students apply math in a variety of situations.
Sonlight / Bookshark sonlight.com bookshark.com	All Subjects- Known for their literature based history	PK-12	Bookshark - Not Faith Based Sonlight - Faith Based	This is the curriculum we've used for probably eight plus years now--for ELA, History, and Science. It can get expensive, but I cut costs by only buying the instructor guides, and then getting books from the library or used bookstores. There are a lot of read-alouds involved, and so we keep an Audible subscription to use for some of those books when I don't have time to read aloud, or when my voice just isn't as interesting as a good narrator's. :) Bookshark is the sister company to Sonlight--the courses are the same, except Sonlight has a Bible study component and religious references throughout. We have used both. You can buy all subject packages or pick and choose subjects.

Spelling You See	Spelling	7 Levels		This program doesn't use traditional spelling tests, word lists, or flashcards. The developmental process of spelling is similar to what children go through when learning to walk. In the same way, this program guides your student through the stages in the process of learning to spell.
Teaching Textbooks	Math	3rd-12	Not Faith Based	We have always used Saxon Math for lower grades, and the Teaching Textbooks online program for once they start Algebra. I am NOT math smart, so Teaching Textbooks online helps them when they are out of my depth.
The Good and The Beautiful https://www.goodandbeautiful.com/	All Subjects	K-12	Faith Based	This is another book-based curriculum like BookShark, but it also has some religious elements, like Sonlight. It's a really visually pretty curriculum, and much cheaper than Sonlight/Bookshark. They are now expanding to the upper middle and high school grades. Honestly, if I were starting from the beginning again, I would probably choose this one; it just wasn't available yet when we were starting out.
The Grammar Ace	Grammar	4-7th		All the practical grammar your student needs, in one set-your-own-pace program.
The Waldock Way	Unit Studies	PK-8th	Not Faith Based	Digital downloads. More information at: thewaldockway.com
<u>Time4learning</u>	Math, Language Arts, History, and Science	PK-12	Not Faith Based	Students pay a monthly membership fee. The curriculum is tied to national and state standards to some extent. While it is possible to use it for a large part of your curriculum for some grade levels, you will generally need to be using other resources alongside it for a complete program. Online

Vocabulary with Latin Roots	Vocabulary	7-12th		These books teach modern English words based on their Latin and Greek roots. By learning the roots, one learns much about the meanings of whole families of English words. Very helpful for life and the SAT test.
Wordly Wise	Vocabulary	3-12th	Not Faith Based	A consummable workbook to learn vocabulary.
Writing Strands	Composition and Literature	5th-10th	Faith Based	Teaches four primary strands of writing across all of the courses: creative, argumentative, report and research, and expository.
Writing and Rhetoric	Composition-Classical	1st- high school		Classical Academic Press