

## Key Element I: Knowledge of the Faith

### Standard 1

CREED: Understand, believe and proclaim the Triune and redeeming God as revealed in creation and human experience, in Apostolic Tradition and Sacred Scripture, and as entrusted to the teaching office of the Church.

#### Indicators

PK.01.01

**Know that God is the [Holy Trinity](#) – Father, Son and Holy Spirit – and that we demonstrate this belief when we make the [Sign of the Cross](#).**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 21

PK.01.02

**Show understanding that God created me and loves me.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 7, 9

PK.01.03

**Describe how God made all creation good.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 7

PK.01.04

**Identify the universe as belonging to God.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 7

PK.01.05

**Describe God as Father.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 20

PK.01.06

**State that Jesus is: true God and true man, Son of God and Son of Mary.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 11, 12

PK.01.07

**Retell stories about important moments in the life of Christ.**

SOGL Age 4/5:  
Ch. 1, 3, 5, 11, 13, 17, 26, 29

PK.01.08

**Describe that Jesus died on the Cross for us, rose from the dead, and ascended into heaven.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 29

### Standard 2

SACRED SCRIPTURE: Read, comprehend and articulate salvation history as conveyed in God's revelation through Sacred Scripture.

#### Indicators

PK.02.01

**Show understanding that the [Bible](#) is a very special holy book of the family of the Church.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 1

PK.02.02

**Identify the [Bible](#) as the book where we learn about how God created all that is.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 7

PK.02.03

**Identify the [Bible](#) as the book that contains the four Gospels – important books where we learn about Jesus.**

SOGL Age 4/5:  
Ch. 1, 3, 5, 11, 13, 17, 26, 28, 29

PK.02.04

**State the names of [Adam](#) and [Eve](#) as the names of the first man and the first woman created by God.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 7

## Key Element II: Liturgy and Sacraments

### Standard 3

SACRAMENTS: Understand and participate in the sacraments of the Church as effective signs of God's grace, instituted by Christ and entrusted to the Church.

#### Indicators

PK.03.01

**Exhibit basic understanding that [sacraments](#) are [signs](#) of God's love for us.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 16, 18

PK.03.02

**Learn about [Baptism](#) as the sacrament through which we become children of God and members of the family of the Church.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 16

### Standard 4

LITURGY: Understand and celebrate the liturgical rites of the Church as expressed in the liturgy year and epitomized in the Eucharist as the source and summit of Christian life.

#### Indicators

PK.04.01

**Identify [Sunday](#) as a special day when we go to church and pray as a family**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 15, 18

PK.04.02

*Demonstrate respect for God's presence in the Eucharist (or in the tabernacle) by [genuflecting](#) or bowing.*

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 18

PK.04.03

**Identify [Christmas](#) and [Easter](#) as celebrations during the church year.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 12, 26, 29

PK.04.04

**Celebrate [Christmas](#) as the birthday of Jesus.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 11, 12, 26

**Key Element III:  
Morality**

**Standard 5**

Conscience: Develop a moral conscience informed by church teachings.

*Indicators*

PK.05.01  
**Identify visual representations of Jesus' loving actions.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 3, 5, 17

PK.05.02  
**Imitate Jesus' actions of love.**

SOGL Age 4/5:  
Ch. 6, 10, 14, 23, 27, 28

**Standard 6**

Christian Living: Understand and live the moral teachings of the Church through a life of discipleship in Jesus Christ expressed in love for God, conversion, positive self-image, personal integrity, social justice, the dignity of the human person and love of neighbor.

*Indicators*

PK.06.01  
**Distinguish between right and wrong.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 6, 8, 28

PK.06.02  
**Learn that we need God's grace to live as his children.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 6, 8, 15, 28

PK.06.03  
**Know that it is important to be fair and just because that is how Jesus has taught us to be to one another.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 6, 10, 14, 28

**Key Element IV:  
Prayer**

**Standard 7**

PRAYER: Know and participate in the Catholic tradition of prayer and acknowledge prayer as the primary way we deepen our knowledge of God in the community.

*Indicators*

PK.07.01  
**Describe how prayer is talking to God as a loving Father.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 20

PK.07.02  
**Recall that Jesus helps us to pray.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 20

PK.07.03

**Identify prayer as the way we show we love God.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 20

PK.07.04

**Realize that songs can be prayers.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 20

PK.07.05

**Pray before meals and give thanks to God.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 5, 7, 18, 24

PK.07.06

**Follow and recite the Sign of the Cross and the Glory Be.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 21

PK.07.07

**Show respect for the names of God the Father, God the Son (Jesus Christ) and God the Holy Spirit, in speech and when using these names in prayer.**

SOGL Age 4/5:  
Ch. 7, 11, 12, 26, 28

PK.07.08

**Repeat the prayer to the Guardian Angel.**

## **Key Element V: Education for Living in the Christian Community**

### ***Standard 8***

CATHOLIC CHURCH: Understand and appreciate the mystery of the Church, the Body of Christ, the community of believers, as expressed in the Church's origin, mission of evangelization, hierarchical structure, marks, charisms, members and the communion of saints.

### ***Indicators***

PK.08.01

**Identify the [Church](#) as a special community of faith that comes together to worship God.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 15

PK.08.02

**Identify that the [angels](#) are spirits who have been created by God to be his messengers, and that God has given each of us a [Guardian Angel](#) to watch over and protect us.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 25

PK.08.03

**Identify the saints as God's special friends who are part of the family of the Church in heaven.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 23

## **Standard 9**

**ECUMENISM:** Understand and participate in the call of the Church to be a sign of unity in the world through knowledge of and collaboration with other Catholic (Eastern), Orthodox, and Christian churches.

### *Indicators*

PK.09.01

**Understand that Jesus founded the Catholic Church and prayed that we might all be one (Jn 17:20-23).**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 15

## **Standard 10**

**CATHOLIC PRINCIPLES AND RELATIONSHIPS:**  
Apply Catholic principles to interpersonal relations.

### *Indicators*

PK.10.01

*Know that we love our families.*

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 10, 14, 27

PK.10.02

**Recognize that we love our neighbors.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 10

PK.10.03

*Understand that we should share with others.*

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 2, 6,

PK.10.04

**State that Jesus taught us to care for other people.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 5, 10

## **Standard 11**

**VOCATION:** Understand and undertake discipleship in Christ responding in faith by participating in the mission of the Church through living a specific call in the life of the Church.

### *Indicators*

PK.11.01

**Know that priests serve God in a special way.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 16, 18

## Key Element VI: Evangelization and Apostolic Life

### Standard 12

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING: Know, critique, and apply social justice and stewardship principles to societal situations in a way that acknowledges and affirms the dignity of the human person and community.

#### Indicators

PK.12.01

**Recognize that our individual differences are gifts from God.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 4

PK.12.02

**Know that all of God's creation needs care.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 8

PK.12.03

**Understand that Jesus showed concern for all people, especially those in need.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 3, 5, 17

### Standard 13

INTER-RELIGIOUS DIALOGUE: Understand and participate in the call of the Church to be a sign of unity in the world through knowledge of and collaboration with Jews, Muslims, and all faith traditions.

#### Indicators

PK.13.01

**Understand that you belong to the Catholic Church founded by Jesus.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 15, 16

### Standard 14

MISSIONARY VOCATION: Demonstrate an appreciation for Catholic missionary and evangelization efforts through our Catholic faith community, its culture, worship, sacramental life, and service.

#### Indicators

PK.14.01

**Realize that Jesus asks us to share the Good News of Jesus' love for us with our family, friends and neighbors.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 1, 2

PK.14.02

**Recognize that Jesus wants us to help our family and friends.**

SOGL Age 4/5: Ch. 6, 10, 14