

A PARENT'S GUIDE TO FIRST GRADE COURSE SELECTION

1 SELECT CORE SUBJECTS

A full-time load of 1st grade courses includes:

- Religion
- English
- Reading
- Phonics
- Mathematics¹

¹Select Sadlier or Singapore.

2 SELECT ADDITIONAL COURSES

Other courses parents may wish to add:

- Geography
- Science¹
- Spelling

¹Select Harcourt or Science & Living in God's World.

3 CHOOSE COURSE FORMATS

- **Traditional Homeschool** | Parent-taught & graded | Flexible
- **Live Online** | Teacher-taught & graded | Set schedule & deadlines

Mix and match course formats.
Not all courses are available in all formats.

4 ADD NON-ACADEMICS & ADDITIONAL SUPPORTS

- **Non-Academics** | Kolbe Art, Music, and PE
- **Online Labs** | Math and Writing Labs
- **Non-Kolbe Courses**¹ | Include courses you plan to report, so the course's grade is listed on the student's report card.
- **Individualized Supports** | Accountability and Tutoring

¹Fully enrolled students are eligible to register in non-Kolbe courses.

5 HELPFUL TIPS

- K-5 Full-Time Online registrations include a full program of courses with the option to add additional courses. Read more about our [K-5 Online Program and schedule](#).
- To register in courses, first enroll or re-enroll your student in the [Kolbe Portal](#). Then complete tuition management set-up. Course registration will become available when the form is open and after Admissions has finalized your student's enrollment.
- View the [Course Catalog](#) for a detailed description of our 1st grade courses and formats they are offered in.
- Schedule an appointment with your advisor to discuss your course selections and format options based upon teacher recommendations and/or placement results.
- Kolbe Academy has no requirement for the number or specific type of courses. We encourage students complete the core subjects to best prepare for the next grade.
- Students with special learning needs have the opportunity for [additional supports](#). Contact your advisor to learn more.
- Follow all relevant laws for homeschooling in your state or country. [HSLDA](#) is a reliable resource for understanding your state's requirements.

BE SURE TO SCHEDULE A CONSULTATION WITH YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR PRIOR TO REGISTRATION!

Schedule a free advising call: <https://www.kolbe.org/book-an-appointment>

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