

# Catholic Biblical School Required Texts\*



The Catholic Biblical School Program

OLD TESTAMENT

**FOUNDATIONS** 

## **CBS 100 (Blue Workbook/Year One)**

- A Study Bible. Recommended translations: New American Bible Revised Edition (2011 or later), New Jerusalem Bible, New Revised Standard Version with Apocrypha, Revised Standard Version with Apocrypha, New International Version with Apocrypha. Paraphrased and/or condensed Bibles are not an acceptable primary text for use in this program.
- The Catholic Biblical School Student Workbook Year 1: Old Testament Foundations, Genesis Through Kings, (Paulist Press, 2007) (ISBN 978 0 8091 9584 8) to be purchased from the CBS office.
- Introduction to the Bible: A Catholic Guide to Studying Scripture, Stephen J. Binz (Liturgical Press, 2007) (ISBN 978 0 8146 1700 7)
- Eerdman's Dictionary of the Bible, David Noel Freedman, ed. (Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing, Ltd., 2000) (ISBN 978 0 8028 2400 4)
- An atlas of biblical lands. Recommended atlas: *Oxford Bible Atlas*, Fourth Edition, Adrian Curtis, ed. (Oxford University Press) (ISBN 9 780199 56046 2) (Any similar atlas or online map that provides the information required in the student workbook is permissible.)
- Reading the Old Testament, Lawrence Boadt, Revised and Updated by Richard Clifford and Daniel Harrington, (Paulist Press, 2012) (ISBN 978 0 8091 4780 9)
- "Genesis," New Collegeville Bible Commentary: Old Testament, Joan E. Cook (Liturgical Press, 2011) (ISBN 978 0 8146 2836 2) OR "Genesis," Collegeville Bible Commentary Old Testament #2, Pauline Viviano (Liturgical Press, 1985) (ISBN 0 8146 1370 5).

#### CBS 200 (Red Workbook/Year Two)

In addition to the texts from CBS 100, you will need:

- The Catholic Biblical School Student Workbook Year 2: New Testament Foundations: Jesus and Discipleship (Paulist Press, 2008) (ISBN 978 0 8091 9586 2) to be purchased from the CBS office.
- Synopsis of the Four Gospels, revised edition, K. Aland, ed., (American Bible Society) (ISBN 978 1 5851 6942 9)
- Jesus: A Gospel Portrait, revised edition, Donald Senior, C.P. (Paulist Press, 1992) (ISBN 0 8091 3338 5)
- An Introduction to the New Testament for Catholics, Joseph F. Kelly (Liturgical Press, 2006) (ISBN 978 0 8146 5216 9)
- Revelation and the End of All Things, Craig R. Koester (Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing, 2001) (ISBN 978 0 8028 4660 0)

The Gospel and Epistles of John: a Concise Commentary, fourth edition, Raymond Brown (Liturgical Press, 1986) (ISBN 9780814612835)

# CBS 300 (Green Workbook/Advanced Year Cycle A)

In addition to the texts from CBS 100 and CBS 200, you will need:

- The Catholic Biblical School Student Workbook Year Three: Old Testament Continued, Exile and Restoration (Paulist Press, 2009) (ISBN 978 0 8091 9588 6) to be purchased from the CBS office.
- Conversing with God in Scripture: A Contemporary Approach to Lectio Divina, Stephen Binz (The Word Among Us Press, 2008) (ISBN 978 1 5932 5126 0)
- The Prophets, Volume 1, Abraham J. Heschel (Harper & Row Publishers, 1962) (ISBN 978 0 0613 1421 6)
- Introduction to the Prophets, Thomas L. Leclerc (Paulist Press, 1995) (978 0 8091 4492 1)
- "Ezekiel, Daniel," Corrine Carvalho, New Collegeville Bible Commentary (ISBN 978 0 8146 2850 8) OR Toni Craven, Collegeville Bible Commentaries (ISBN 978 0 8146 1423 5) also used in CBS 400

### CBS 400 (Orange Workbook/Advanced Year Cycle B)

In addition to the texts from CBS 100 and CBS 200, you will need:

- The Catholic Biblical School Student Workbook Year Four, Old and New Testaments Concluded, The Word in the Hellenistic World (Paulist Press, 2010) (ISBN 978 0 8091 9590 9) to be purchased from the CBS office.
- The Word of God at Vatican II: Exploring Dei Verbum, Ronald D. Witherup, SS, (Liturgical Press, 2015) (ISBN 978 0 8146 3556 8)
- "Ezekiel, Daniel," Corrine Carvalho, New Collegeville Bible Commentary (ISBN 978 0 8146 2850 8) OR Toni Craven, Collegeville Bible Commentary (ISBN 978 0 8146 1423 5) also used in CBS 300
- Companion God, revised edition, George T. Montague (Paulist Press, 2010) (ISBN 978 0 8091 4501 0)

\*All required textbooks may be revised without notice depending on availability and curriculum revisions.

