

SNDdeN Education Collection Finding Aid

Prepared by Nancy C. Barthelemy
Provincial Archivist
Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur
30 Jeffrey's Neck Rd.
Ipswich, MA 01983

Collection Summary

Title: SNDdeN Education Collection

Accession Numbers: 2017.13

Dates: 1873-1992

Bulk Dates: 1895-1970

Location: East West Province Archives, Ipswich, MA

Physical Description: 188 Volumes and Pamphlets.

Abstract: The Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur Education Collection includes writings and books employed to design the curriculum of the Notre Dame academies and parochial schools, texts used by the sisters in Notre Dame schools, and student workbooks and samples of student work.

Search Terms:

Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur

Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur - History

Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur - Instructions and Guidance

Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur - Massachusetts

Education

Education - History

Provenance: The collection was added to the archives over many decades, beginning in the 1970s and continuing until present day.

Processing: The collection was organized and processed in 2017.

Conservation Work: Boxes were constructed for fragile volumes; pamphlets and other soft volumes housed in pamphlet envelopes.

Restrictions: There are no restrictions on this collection.

Scope and Content Note: The SNDdeN Education Collection contains volumes approved by the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur that defined the curriculum of Notre Dame schools; volumes used by both teachers and students for classwork; and workbooks and worksheets with various examples of student work in a Notre Dame School.

Organization and Container List

The Collection is arranged into three series:

Curriculum

Textbooks

Student Work

Curriculum

Shelf

Course of Study in the Academies and Parochial Schools of the Sisters of Notre Dame (Mother-House, Namur, Belgium.) Notre Dame Press: Cincinnati., 1895.

Paedagogica, Or Guide in the Choice of Books on Education by the Rev. Thomas Hughes, S.J. Special Reprint from the American Ecclesiastical Review. Philadelphia., 1895.

Course of Study in the Academies and Parochial School of the Sisters of Notre Dame. (Mother-House, Namur, Belgium), Boston, 1889.

Course of Music in the Schools of the Sisters of Notre Dame (Mother-House, Namur). Cincinnati, 1905.

Notes and Outlines of Modern History by Sisters of Notre Dame (Of Namur), 1909.

Extracts from Instructions Given by Rev. J. P. DeSmedt, S.J., St. Xavier School, Cincinnati, 1911.

L'Education Des Tout Petits: Essai d'adaptation du Systeme Montessor, Realise Dans Les Ecoles Gardiennes Des Soeurs de Notre-Dame de Namur par S.N.D. [The Education of Small Children: Adaptation Test of the Montessori System ...], 1921.

Notions De Psychologie det De Pedagogie a L'Usage des Ecoles Normales Les Soeurs de Notre-Dame de Namur, 1936.

Etude Critique de Systemes d'Education et Lecons Pratiques par Une Soeur de Notre-Dame de Namur, 1922.

Notions De Psychologie det De Pedagogie a L'Usage des Ecoles Normales Les Soeurs de Notre-Dame de Namur, 1937.

Methodologie de L'Enseignement Primaire: Arithmetique, Les Soeurs de Notre-Dame de Namur, 1938.

Palmer's Penmanship Budget: Containing Complete Courses of Instruction in Business Writing, Ornamental Writing, Manuscript Writing, Engrossing, Engraver's Script, etc., 1947.

Religious Program Curriculum for the Archdiocese of Boston
By Sisters Mary Annunciata Moriarty and Dorothy Marie Cernigliaro, S.N.D.
St. Mary's School, Cambridge, MA, 1963.

Massachusetts Province Guidelines for Elementary Schools, 1966-1967.

Notre Dame Education Conference, Secondary Schools, "Communicating the World in the Space Age", Emmanuel College, August 9-11, 1964.

Notions of Psychologie et de Pedagogie a L'Usage des Ecoles Normales
By Sr. Marie Chantal, 1935.

The Writing Road to Reading: A Modern Method of Phonics for Teaching Children to Read By Romalda Bishop Spalding, 1957.

Vocabulary Building by the Cluster Method By Sr. Therese Hines, 1897-1979.

St. John's School, Worcester, Curriculum Outlines, 1911.

Our Writing Book, First Grade First Half (Introduction to Manuscript Writing), 1950.

History and Literature Outline, c. 1950.

Drill Book, United States History. Grade Seven. 1962.

The Forty-Five Minute Homemaking Period Mental Health Course By Sr. Marie de Lourdes Ferren, 1955.

Vocabulary Overview, 1960.

Written Requirement in English for Grades 3-8, 1961.

Art for Children's Growing, 1955.

Art for the Academically Talented Student, 1961.

Course of Study in High School English, Grade Nine, 1967.

Worksheets and Tests used for Religious Education, 1960.

Worksheets and Tests used for Religious Education, 1970. [2 copies]

Work Cards for Mathematical Teaching, 1960.

Teacher's Manual, Part 1 For the Prang Elementary Course in Art Instruction Books 1 and 2, Third Year, By John S. Clark, Mary Dana Hicks and Walter S. Perry, 1898.

Art in Catholic Secondary Schools:

The Proceedings of the Workshop on Art in Catholic Secondary Schools, Conducted at the Catholic University of America from June 13th to June 24th, 1952, Edited by Sister Augusta Zimmer.

Art Today in Catholic Education:

The Proceedings of the Workshop on Art in Catholic Elementary Schools, Conducted at the Catholic University of America from June 12th to June 23rd, 1953.

Teacher's Manual, Part II For the Prang Elementary Course in Art Instruction Books 3 and 4, Fourth Year, By John S. Clark, Mary Dana Hicks and Walter S. Perry, 1898.

Teacher's Manual, Part IV For the Prang Elementary Course in Art Instruction Books 7 and 8, Sixth Year, By John S. Clark, Mary Dana Hicks and Walter S. Perry, 1898.

Teacher's Manual, My World of Art Book I, By Blanche Jefferson, 1963.

Teacher's Manual, My World of Art Book 2, By Blanche Jefferson, 1963.

Teacher's Manual, My World of Art Book 3, By Blanche Jefferson, 1963.

Instruction Articles, Curriculum, 1955.

Plan Books of Sr. Teresa Bernadette Owens. 1955.

Plan Books of Sr. Teresa Bernadette Owens. 1955.

Lesson pages used Sr. Teresa Bernadette Owens. 1955.

Art Lesson pages used Sr. Teresa Bernadette Owens. 1955.

Sample Lesson Booklets, 1955.

Sr. Matilda Marie Dery Practicum, 1962.

Sr. Matilda Marie Dery Lesson Booklet, 1961. [2 copies]

Sr. Marion Sheehan Phonics Booklet, Part I, 1960.

Sr. Marion Sheehan Phonics Booklet, Part II, 1960.

Understand and Guide by Charles M. Magsam. 1965.

Textbooks

Spick and Span, By J. Mace Andress, I. H. Goldberger and Marguerite Dolch, 1939.

First Reading Book by William T. Vlymen, Columbus Series, 1897.

Second Reader by Franklin B. Dyer and Mary J. Brady, The Merrill Readers. 1915.

The See and Say Series, Book Three, By Sarah Louise Arnold, Elizabeth C. Bonney and E. F. Southworth, 1920.

Course of Study: Art Education, Grade One, 1957.

Course of Study: Art Education, Grade Four, 1957.

Course of Study: Art Education, Grade Eight, 1957.

Secondary School Art By John Portchmouth, 1971.

Early Christian Art in Ireland By Margaret Stokes, 1887.

Christian Art, By C. R. Morey, 1935.

Child Art By Wilhelm Viola, 1942.

The New Educational Music Course: Second Music Reader, By James McLaughlin and W. W. Gilchrist, 1906.

The New Educational Music Course: Fifth Music Reader, By James McLaughlin and W. W. Gilchrist, 1906.

The Masters and Their Music: A Series of Illustrative Programs, with Biographical, Esthetical, and Critical Annotations, Designed as an Introduction to Music as Literature

By. W. S. B. Mathews, 1898.

And the Ages Sound, By Sisters Anna Louise, Barbara Therese, Ellen St. Anne, Marie Frederica, Mary Genevieve, Patricia Gertrude and St. Rita., c. 1960.

Ancient and Modern History, Excelsior Series of Catholic School Books, 1884.

History of Europe, By Carlton J. H. Hayes, Marshall Whithed Baldwin and Charles Woolsey Cole, 1949.

The Story of the Rocks. Fourteen Weeks in Popular Geology, By J. Dorman Steele, 1877.

Elements of Natural Philosophy: A Text-Book for High Schools and Academies
By Elroy M. Avery, 1885.

A Textbook of Inorganic Chemistry for College, By James F. Norris, 1921.

The Normal Elementary Geometry: Embracing a Brief Treatise on Mensuration and Trigonometry, By Edward Brooks, 1884.

Ahn's First German Book, Being the First Division of Ahn's Rudiments of the German Language, By Dr. P. Henn, 1873.

Collar and Daniell's First Year Latin, Revised by Thornton Jenkins, 1901.

A Spanish Reader, By John Pittaro. Heath's Modern Language Series, 1919.

Bible History, Containing the Most Remarkable Events of the Old and New Testaments, To Which is Added a Compendium of Church History. By Right Rev. Richard Gilmour, 1919.

Catechism of Christian Doctrine, Prepared and Enjoined By the Order of the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore, No. 3, 1885.

Patron Saints for Girls, With Illustrations, 1905.

Scripture Manuals for Catholic Schools: The Gospel According to St. Luke, Edited by Rev. Sydney Smith, S.J., 1907.

Compendium of First and Second Years of High-School Religion, According to the Requirements of the Catholic University, 1924.

A Catechism of the Christian Doctrine, Prepared and Enjoined By Order of the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore, No. 1; A Catechism of Christian Doctrine, No. 2; My First Communion; Essentials of Religion, Book Two. 1885-1950. [4 pamphlets]

The Life of St. Julie Billiard: A Game Book (2 copies); Saint Julie; Julie Billiard, c. 1970. [3 pamphlets]

The New Excelsior Dictionary, 1889.

Kyra Celtica: An Anthology of Representative Celtic Poetry, Edited by Elizabeth A. Sharp, 1896.

Selections from DeQuincey, Edited with an Introduction and Notes by Milton Haight Turk, 1902.

Ivanhoe, A Romance by Sr. Walter Scott, 1922.

Chaucer: The Prioresses Tale, Sire Thopas, The Monkes Tale, The Clerkes Tale, The Squieres Tale from The Canterbury Tales, 1923.

How to Study and Teaching How to Study, By F. M. McMurry, 1909.

Modern English, Book Two, By Henry P. Emerson and Ida C. Bender, 1911.

Poetry for the First Grade, 1913.

Poetry for the Second Grade, 1913.

Poetry for Grammar Grades: Fourth Grade, 1930.

Poetry for Grammar Grades: Fifth Grade, 1915.

Poetry for Grammar Grades: Eighth Grade, 1930.

Poetry for Schools: Book One, Arranged and Edited by Florence Holbrook, 1911.

The Polite Pupil By the Brothers of Mary, 1912.

Blind Agnese; Or, The Little Spouse of the Blessed Sacrament, By Cecilia Caddell, 1888.

The New Reference Atlas of the World, 1928.

The Palmer Method of Business Writing By A. N. Palmer, 1915.

Rowe Shorthand By Benn W. Parker, 1915.

The Irish Princess and Other Tales, 1881.

The Vision; Or, Hell, Purgatory, and Paradise of Dante Alighieri, Translated by Rev. H. F. Cary, 1896.

Columbia Graded Spelling Books for City Schools, Sixth Year, 1910.

Explanation of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, 1934.

Father McGuire's The New Baltimore Catechism, No. 1, 1953

A Catechism of Christian Doctrine, No. 1, 1977.

Kinkead's Baltimore Series of Catechisms; A Catechism of Christian Doctrine, 1885, 1921.

The Baltimore Catechism, No. 2 by Rev. M. Philips, 1911.

Model English, Book II; The Qualities of Style by Francis P. Donnelly, 1919.

Cambridge Geographical Text Books, Junior, By A. R. Chart-Leigh, M.Sc., 1921.

The New Chardenal by W. H. Grosjean, 1950.

Jeanne D'Arc Par A. De LaMarine, By Albert Barrere, 1899.

A History of the Councils of Baltimore by Peter Guilday, 1932.

A Primary History of the United States, By Thomas Bonaventure Lawler, 1905.

A Full Catechism of the Catholic Religion, 1876.

New Revised Edition of the Baltimore Catechism, No. 2, 1962.

Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1992.

Baltimore Catechism, No. 3, 1974.

Student Work

Geometry Workbook, 1897.

Composition Workbook, 1886. Compositions by M. E. Campbell, student at the Notre Dame Philadelphia Academy.

Astronomy Workbook, 1898. Completed by Annie Ford, 1898. Graduate of St. Joseph's School in Somerville, MA.

St. James School, Salem, MA, Student Workbook, 1908. Work of Annie Walsh.

St. Mary's School, Lawrence, MA, Student Workbook, 1908-1909. Work of Alice Walsh during her fifth and sixth grade.

St. Mary's School, Lawrence, MA, Student Workbook, 1909. Work of Alice Walsh during her sixth grade.

St. Mary's School, Lawrence, MA, Student Workbook, 1909, 1912. Spelling book of Alice Walsh during her sixth grade and Algebra workbook during her ninth grade.

St. Mary's School, Lawrence, MA, Student Workbook, 1910, 1912. Workbook book of Alice Walsh during her seventh grade and Test book during her ninth grade.

Penmanship Workbook of Marguerite Moran, 1910.

Student Workbook of Margaret E. O'Toole, St. John's School, Worcester, MA, 1911. Margaret O'Toole (1900-1982) entered the SNDs in 1921, taking the name Sr. Ellen St. Joseph.

Student Work of Margaret E. O'Toole, St. John's School, Worcester, MA, 1915. Margaret O'Toole (1900-1982) entered the SNDs in 1921, taking the name Sr. Ellen St. Joseph.

Botany Workbook of Margaret E. O'Toole, St. John's School, Worcester, MA, 1915-1916. Margaret O'Toole (1900-1982) entered the SNDs in 1921, taking the name Sr. Ellen St. Joseph.

Workbooks of Catherine Cassatto, Fitton School, East Boston, 1914-1915. First Grade workbook, penmanship and arithmetic. Second Grade workbooks, penmanship and short essays.

Workbooks of Catherine Cassatto, Fitton School, East Boston, 1915.

Workbooks of Catherine Cassatto, Fitton School, East Boston, 1915. Vocabulary and arithmetic books.

Workbooks of Catherine Cassatto, Fitton School, East Boston, 1917. Test books.

Workbooks of Catherine Cassatto, Fitton School, East Boston, 1917. Composition and Test books.

Workbooks of Catherine Cassatto, Fitton School, East Boston, c. 1915. Drawing books.

Workbooks of Anna O'Neill, St. Mary's, Lynn, MA, 1911, 1915. Her Essays, Arithmetic and Grammar lessons during the fifth grade and Compositions during her ninth grade.

Workbook of Anna O'Neill, St. Mary's, Lynn, MA, 1914-1915. Her writings during eighth grade.

Workbooks of Anna O'Neill, St. Mary's, Lynn, MA, 1916. Test Workbook and Latin Workbook during her tenth grade.

Workbook of Anna O'Neill, St. Mary's, Lynn, MA, 1916. Latin Workbook, tenth grade.

Drawing Workbook of Anna O'Neill, St. Mary's, Lynn, MA, 1916.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1918-1919. Fourth and fifth grade vocabulary and composition books.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1920. Fifth grade composition book.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1923. Eighth grade composition book.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1922-1923. Vocabulary and composition workbooks during her seventh and eighth grades.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1920-1921. Compositions and Arithmetic.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1921. Compositions and Arithmetic.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1921-1922. Compositions and Arithmetic.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1922-1924.
Compositions, Arithmetic and Tests.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1924. Compositions.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1925-1926.
Compositions.

Workbook of Mary O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1919-1922.
Compositions.

Workbook of Catherine Hayes, St. Augustine's School, 1924. "My First Writing Book".
Workbooks of Elizabeth Hewett, St. Mary's School, Lawrence, MA, 1926-1930.
Grade 1 Workbook. Grade 1 Specimens of Writing. Composition Book for Grade 5.
Elizabeth Hewett later entered the SNDs, taking the name Sr. Aurelia. She died in
Tyngsboro on June 28, 1953.

Workbook of Francis O'Leary, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1926.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1924-1925. First grade
workbook.

Workbooks of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1924, 1926. First and
third grade books.

Workbooks of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1925-1926. Drawing
Workbooks during First Grade and Third Grade.

Workbooks of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1926-1927. Spelling
Workbooks during Fourth Grade.

Workbooks of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1926-1927. Composition
Workbooks during Fourth Grade.

Workbooks of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1926-1927. Test
Workbooks during Fourth Grade.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1927, 1929. Drawing
Workbooks for Fourth and Sixth Grades.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1927, 1930. Workbooks of
for Fourth and Seventh Grades Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, Algebra and History
Lessons.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1928. Fifth Grade Compositions Lessons.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1928. Penmanship Workbooks for Fifth Grade.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1929. Fifth grade test books.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1929-1930.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1931-1932. Spelling Workbooks, Seventh and Eighth Grades.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1930-1931. Eighth grade theme and Revision Workbooks.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1930-1931. Eighth grade Penmanship Workbooks.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1930. Seventh grade drawing Workbooks.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1930. Seventh grade penmanship Workbooks.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1930. Seventh grade composition Workbooks.

Workbook of Marjorie Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1930-1931. Eighth grade Drawing Workbooks.

Workbook of Charles Duggan, St. Mary's School, Lynn, MA, 1928.

Workbook of Rita Hall, St. Joseph's School, Somerville, MA, 1936. Compositions and Revisions.

Music Workbook, no date. Most likely used in Notre Dame Novitiate, Waltham, MA to instruct sisters in music.

Spelling Workbook, 1979.

Vocabulary Workbook, 1979.

Spelling Workbook, 1984.

Miscellaneous, 1891-1965.

Anna B. Duffy Student Papers, 1955.

