Reading

In Grade 1



Students will:

- Ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- Retell stories to show understanding of message or lesson (literary) and main topic (informational).
- Describe characters, settings, and major events in a story using key details.
- Identify words and phrases in stories or poems that suggest feelings.
- Explains differences between literary and informational texts.
- Identify who is telling the story at various points in a text.
- Use illustrations and details to describe characters, setting, events, and key ideas.
- Compare and contrast characters and/or information in reading texts.
- Describe connections between 2 individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text.
- Ask and answers questions about unknown vocabulary words.
- Use text features to find key facts or information in a text.
- Distinguish between information provided by pictures or other illustrations and info provided by the words in a text.

Language Arts

In Grade 1



Reading continued:

- Identify reasons authors gives to support points in a text.
- Understand organization and basic features of print.
- Understand spoken words, syllables, and sounds.
- Apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
- Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.

WRITING

Students will:

- Write an opinion about a topic.
- Write an informative piece.
- Write a narrative about 2 or more sequenced events.
- Strengthen writing with suggestions from teacher and peers.

LISTENING & SPEAKING

Students will:

- Respectfully listen and speak with others on topic.
- Ask questions to clarify something that is not understood.

Mathematics In Grade 1



Students will:

- Use addition and subtraction within 20 to solve word problems including unknowns in all positions.
- Solve word problems that call for addition of three whole numbers.
- Apply properties of operations as strategies to add and subtract.
- Add and subtract within 20.
- Understand the meaning of the equal sign determining if equations involving addition and subtraction are true or false.
- Extend the counting sequence to 120.
- Understand place value (tens and ones)
- Use the understanding of place value and properties of place value to add and subtract.
- Compare and order objects by length.
- Tell and write time in hours and half-hours using analog and digital clocks.
- Organize, represent, and interpret data with up to three categories
- ◆ Compose two and three dimensional shapes to create a composite shape.
- Cut circles and rectangles into halves and fourths and quarters.
- Use strategies to solve problems
- Communicate mathematically in writing





In Life Science, students learn to:

recognize that plants and animals are all around

living and nonliving things all about plants all about animals

 understand about living together plants and animals need one another a place to live

In Earth/Space Science, students learn to:

- understand about our earth earth's land our natural resources
- understand weather, the sky, and seasons measuring weather the sky and the seasons
- recycle on an ongoing basis

In Physical Science, students learn to:

- learn about objects around them sorting and moving objects magnets
- learn about water characteristics of water how water changes whether an object will sink or float

Social Studies in First Grade



Students begin to observe and discuss in learning about:

respecting rights and property

- observing rules
- identify and communicate feelings
- choosing, using and evaluating solutions
- working and solving problems together
- learning behavior management skills
- similarities and differences among class mates, families, neighborhoods, and com munities
- neighborhood and community helpers
- jobs within the community
- economic needs and wants
- how a letter travels
- identify why we need land, air, and water
- types of homes (animal, neighborhood, city, suburban, farm, world)
- find the United States on maps and the globe
- identify the history and significance of special days
 - how we celebrate freedom
 - o birthdays
 - o traditions
 - holidays

This brochure represents a simplified version of the curriculum. For more, speak to the teacher.

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First Grade Curriculum



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^{*} topics on a two year rotation