

Half-Day Kindergarten Curriculum Overview

	Math	Reading	Writing	Science	Social Studies	Phonics & Word Study	Bible	Hand-writing		
Quarter 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sorting and Classifying Patterns and Movements Matching and Counting Numbers 0-5 Graphing 	<p>Theme – <i>Look At Us</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Environmental Print Nursery Rhymes Compare and Contrast <p>Theme – <i>Colors All Around</i></p> <p>Predict/Infer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sequencing Events Making predictions 	<p>Grammar:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> End punctuation Journal Writing & Drawing 	<p>Color</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rainbow Visit Crayola Factory 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fire Safety Where do I live? Phone Numbers & Addresses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rhyming Words Previewing the alphabet Beginning Sounds Letter Sounds S,M,T High Frequency Words- I, see Word Types Describing Singular/plural 	<p>God Created The Perfect World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7 Days of Creation Creation Pageant 	Learn correct pencil grip and paper placement Introduce, produce and practice proper letter and number formation.		
Quarter 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Numbers 6-10 Geometry and Equal Parts Numbers 10-30 	<p>Theme – <i>We're a Family</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Characters and Setting Drawing Conclusions Summarize <p>Theme – <i>Friends Together</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Question Evaluate Cause and Effect 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Return sweep Word spacing Spoken word matches print Capital letter at onset of sentence 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Families Pancake Breakfast Christmas 	Letter Sounds T, B, N, H, V, C, short a <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beginning Sounds Blending short a words(C-V-C) High Frequency Words- my, like, a to Word Types: action words, family words, order words, position words 	<p>Choices in the Family</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How we make choices Adam and Eve Sin vs. Mistake Cain and Abel (bad choices) Violence, Jealousy, Lying Obeying Parents Family Convention 		Learn correct pencil grip and paper placement Introduce, produce and practice proper letter and number formation.	
Quarter 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100th Day Celebration Exploring Addition Exploring Subtraction 	<p>Theme- Let's Count</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Story structure Beginning, Middle, End Build reading fluency <p>Theme- Sunshine and Raindrops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Story structure Beginning, Middle, End Build reading fluency Fantasy/realism Story Plot <p>Theme- Wheels Go Around</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Text Organization and summarizing Cause and Effect Making Predictions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weather reports Quotation Marks 	<p>Weather</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seasons <p>Life on the Farm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crops Animals Visit Merry Meade Dairy Farm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Martin Luther King, Jr. Washington and Lincoln Bike Safety 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beginning and Ending Sounds Beginning Phonemes Letter Sounds P, G, F, L, K, Q, D, Z, short i High Frequency Words- and , go, is, here, for, have Word Types: describing words, weather action words Blending short I words (C-V-C) 	<p>God Becomes the Perfect Person</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jesus' birth and purpose on earth God's Promises <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - send His son -care for our needs -hear my prayers -help me do my best -wants me to be nice Promises Performance 			Learn correct pencil grip and paper placement Introduce, produce and practice proper letter and number formation.
Quarter 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Measurement Time Money 	<p>Theme- Down on the Farm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noting Details Evaluate Drawing Conclusions <p>Theme- Spring is Here</p> <p>Theme- World of Animals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Questions Predict Compare/Contrast Summarize 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Journaling Punctuation Animal Report 	<p>Ocean Life</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discover various sea creatures and their basic body structures 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phoneme Substitution Beginning Sounds Letter Sounds X, J short e, short, u short o High Frequency Words- said, the, are, she, he Word Types: Naming words, Rhyming words, Comparisons, Animal Names 	<p>Jesus is our Example</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Loving Kind Gentle Honest Forgiving Shares materially and spiritually 			

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Art	Computer (30 minutes once a week)	Health (30 minutes once a month)	Library	Music (30 minutes once a week)	Physical Education (30 minutes once a week)	
	<p>Use of Technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stewardship Basic components of a computer system <p>Basic Operation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Log-on to the network Open and quit an application with assistance Use a mouse Use the scroll bar <p>Keyboarding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Letters and numbers Space bar, return/enter, and delete/backspace Capital letters <p>Word Processing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> New document Enter/Delete <p>Multimedia</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore the toolbar Understand use of tools Create a graphic object/ picture 	<p>Nutrition</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction of Food Groups <p>Safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bus & School Safety Fire Safety Community helpers <p>Getting Along with others (Social health)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stranger Danger Good Touch/Bad Touch Antibullying-Peacemakers <p>Poison Prevention</p> <p>Dental</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Care of teeth Loosing teeth Crest program <p>Hygiene</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hand washing Preventing the spread of germs <p>Healthy Habits</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exercise Sleep Good foods <p>Our Bodies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Study of 4 major organs –brain, heart, lungs, stomach 	<p>One day a week is set aside for parents to take their children to the school library to check out books immediately after dismissal.</p>	<p>Elements of Music</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pitch Melody Rhythm (whole, half, quarter, eighth notes) Mood/Expression Timbre <p>Performance Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Singing (Kodaly method) Instrument Performance (Orff instruments) General Performance Skills Prepare for and perform in two concerts per year <p>Types of Music</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multicultural Hymns Patriotic and Folk Songs <p>Listening Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Music appreciation Identifying musical elements 	<p>Space</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personal vs. General <p>Pathways</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn ways to move Understand different directions <p>Locomotor Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hop Jump Skip Gallop Roll Dodge Fall Run <p>Catching and Throwing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand correct form Pass to a partner at a short distance <p>Parachute Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teamwork Total body skills <p>Gymnastics & Fitness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic rolling Warm-up exercises Stretching <p>Tag Games</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore movement Develop fine and gross motor skills <p>Jumping Rope</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop coordination AHA Jump Rope 4 Heart <p>Scooters</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total body exercise <p>Sport Concepts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn basic sport rules and skills 	