

4 Fourth Grade



<p>Language Arts</p>	<p>Reading and Literature Oral reading Reading comprehension Speed reading Vocabulary building</p> <p>Penmanship Review of cursive writing formation through skill practice, word games, original composition, and sentence dictation</p> <p>Spelling, Vocabulary, and Poetry Weekly word lists with challenging words and vocabulary Reinforcement activities Six poems committed to memory</p>	<p>Language <i>Writing Process</i> Letters— friendly, post cards, thank-you notes Gathering information Writing with details Writing an encyclopedia report Writing book reports Creative writing Dictionary skills</p>	<p>Grammar Sentence structure, Kinds of sentences, Punctuation, Capitalization facts, Abbreviations, Possessive words Recognizing and using all eight parts of speech Diagraming verbs, nouns, pronouns, adjectives, adverbs Correctly using troublesome words</p>
<p>History and Geography</p>	<p>Map study State history for six weeks Eight documents memorized The Years of Discovery The Years of Exploration The First Americans The English Come to America The New England Colonies</p>	<p>The Middle and Southern Colonies A Picture of Colonial Life The Great Awakening The French and Indian War The American War for Independence Building a New Nation Our Nation Grows</p>	<p>The Civil War New Frontiers An Age of Progress Beyond Our Boundaries The World Wars Time for Freedom and Responsibility</p>
<p>Science</p>	<p><i>Plants</i> Plants: Provision for Man and Beast</p> <p><i>Animals</i> Insects: Miniature Marvels of Creation Birds: Winged Wonders</p>	<p><i>Matter</i> Matter: Water, Air, and Weather</p> <p><i>Energy</i> Energy: Sound and Hearing</p>	<p><i>Earth and Space</i> Geology: Planet Earth Oceanography: Wonders of the Sea Astronomy: Consider the Heavens</p>
<p>Health</p>	<p><i>Physical Fitness</i> Your Body Framework The Muscle Builder Your Breathing Machine</p>	<p><i>Personal Hygiene</i> A Winning Smile Your Body's Cover Keys to Good Grooming</p>	<p><i>Interpersonal Relationships</i> A Healthier You</p>
<p>Arithmetic</p>	<p>Place value of whole numbers and decimals Mastery of fundamental operations Story problems Estimating answers English and metric measures Converting measures within the same system and solving measurement equations</p>	<p>Roman numerals Addition, subtraction, and multiplication involving fractions Estimation Averaging Factoring Divisibility rules Introduction to decimals Making change Reading a thermometer</p>	<p>Solving equations using addition and subtraction axioms Graphs and scale drawing Basic geometric shapes Perimeter and area Using an English and metric ruler Time lapse</p>
<p>Bible</p>	<p>Lessons such as Salvation Series, Genesis, Life of Christ, Paul (includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible doctrine)</p>		
<p>Music Arts & Crafts</p>	<p>Music Theory/Flutophone Traditional, patriotic, fun songs</p>	<p>Basic drawing and painting techniques, color concepts, and perspective</p>	