

First Grade Curriculum Chart 2019-2020



	First	Second	Third	Fourth
	Quarter	Quarter	Quarter	Quarter
English Reading	- Rhyming words - Sight words - Group & begin 1 st grade readers - Begin Readers Notebook	- Understand phonetic rules & apply in reading - Readers Notebook	- Apply special sounds in words - Continue with Readers Notebook	- Encourage extra reading - Pick up pace on readers - Readers Notebook
English Written	Grammar: Capitol letter and period for sentence Writing:	Grammar: Difference between a sentence & a phrase Writing:	Grammar: Discuss what a paragraph is Writing:	Grammar: Write stories about Math, Science, History etc. Writing:
Expression	Write simple sentences	Begin to write more sentences	Begin writing short paragraphs	Sentence structure vs. phrases
Handwriting	- Introduce proper hand position Prewriting activities	Write lower case letters	Continue with lower case and begin capitals	Continue capitals Practice & review lower case/capitals
Math	Numbers 1-100 Before and after Place value Begin word problems Addition facts 1-6 Count coins (value based); Calendar	Math facts +/- and 1-9 County by 1s, 2s, 5s, and 10s Count coins Calendar Clock	Math facts +/- and 1-11 Add two and three digit numbers Count by 3s Continue calendar and clock	Math facts +/- and 1-13 Carrying Tally marks Story problems Roman numerals
Science/Health	- How scientists work - All about matter - Forces, energy and sound	- How animals live - How plants live	- Objects in the sky - Weather and Seasons	- Weather and Seasons - Earth and its resources
French/Arabic	Level I I can recognize a few letters or characters. I can alphabetize a few names or words. I can match a character in a headline to a supporting visual. I can occasionally understand isolated words that I have memorized, particularly when accompanied by gestures or pictures. I can understand greetings. I can recognize some color words. I can understand some numbers. I can understand some food items. I can copy some familiar words, characters, or phrases. Participate in age-appropriate cultural activities, games and songs. Be familiar with a few well-known children's stories of the target culture. Level II I can understand the main idea in short, simple messages and presentations on familiar topics. I can understand the main idea of simple conversations that I overhear. I can present basic information on familiar topics using language I have practiced using phrases and simple sentences. I can write lists and memorized phrases on familiar topics.			
	 I can use culturally appropriate courtesy expressions. Integrate products of the target culture to other school subjects (technology skills, music, songs, arts, games, etc.). 			
Fine Arts	Colors in Art: Identifies primary, secondary & tertiary colors; Drawing with crayons, colored pencils, markers & oil pastels	Sculpture: Uses clay to sculpt object and add detail; Makes assemblage with various objects such as blocks, plastic lids, feathers, etc	Music: Rhythm and Percussion - Create different sounds with different percussive items - How rhythms communicate a feeling - overlapping rhythms	Drama/Theater: -How to create a character in a drama - Gestures and vocals to send a message

^{**} Topics and times may change depending on student progress in each area of learning.