



Upper Primary Grades Curriculum and Activities

Reading

Scott Foresman Reading

Literature Circles:

- Stone Fox
- Charlotte's Web
- Sarah Plain and Tall
- The Hundred Penny Box
- The Tail of Desperaux
- Ramona the Brave

Mathematics

Basic math facts, geometry, perimeter, area and volume, fractions, decimals, time and money, measurement, probability and statistics.

Math Tribes Everyday Math

Social Studies Themes

Lifelong Skills and Guidelines

The Regions of the USA

Culture and Communities

The History of USA

The Government Framework

Science Themes

Plant Structures and Functions

Life Cycles and Ecosystems

Solar System and Weather

Rocks and Minerals Electricity

Matter, Motion and Machines

Human Growth/ Development

Community Service Project

Morningside Nursing Home

Grammar

Subject and verb agreement, possessive nouns, action, linking and helping verbs,

verb tenses, pronouns, adverbs, proper, comparative and superlative adjectives, commas and quotation marks, sentence punctuation, and sentence types,

Language Arts

Handwriting: Improve manuscript writing

Vocabulary: Word Walls

Theme Vocabulary

Writing Goals:

3rd Grade: To write complete 5 sentence paragraphs using Power Writing process.

4th Grade: To write 3 paragraph essays using Power Writing process.

Music and Art

Art: Patterns in foreground, middle ground, and background, ceramics, weaving, draw contour lines, structural lines, distance and space, optical illusions

Music: Perform songs with increasing accuracy in pitch, level and one quality, musical signs and vocabulary, dynamics, members of orchestra, musical production

Spanish

Colors, numbers, day and month. Vocabulary for clothing and parts of the body, weather, foods, animals, Holiday songs simple sentences, weather, and members of the family.

Physical Education

Swimming, bowling, skating, horseback riding, aerobics, hiking, volleyball