

Grade 5 Curriculum Guide

Ratio 1 : 15

Language Arts

- Focus on reading a variety of literature
- Novels: fiction, poetry, sci-fi, realistic fiction, tall tales
- Study skills
- Usage of reference materials
- Writing: narrative, descriptive, persuasive, expository, poetry, research
- Self expression and oral presentation

Mathematics

- IXL Learning- supplementary curriculum on the computer
- Number theory, estimation, geometry, fractions, decimals, percents, collecting and working with data, coordinates, graphing, area, and circles

Social Studies

- Social Studies Weekly
- US history
- European exploration through Reconstruction
- Map skills
- American economy

Science

- Science Weekly
- Physics introduction
- General chemistry
- Meteorology
- Systems of the body
- Science projects



Technology Lab

- Keyboarding software
- Google Suite
- Internet studies
- Educational software used to enrich entire curriculum

Library

- Learn library skills
- Introduce students to authors, illustrators
- Critical listening encouraged
- Discuss and compare styles

<u>Spanish</u>

- Sube Spanish Curriculum
- Beginning exposure and practice with reading, writing, listening, speaking Spanish
- Basic construction
- Gender cultural traditions
- Reinforced with music and games

Bible Study

- Attend Chapel
- Positive Action Bible Curriculum
- Understanding Biblical themes of Old and New Testaments
- Weekly Bible memory verse

<u>Art</u>

- Fine arts based curriculum
- Emphasis on elements and principles of design, art history, art appreciation, art vocabulary
- Individual expression is encouraged through a variety of art media



<u>Music</u>

- Singing skills, notation, music symbols
- Chapel songs
- Music theory
- Composers
- Movement and dancing
- Musical performance
- Musical styles
- Musical instruments
- Orchestra (optional)

Physical Education

- Promote physical activity, healthy development and lifestyles
- Develop body awareness
- Gain confidence during play
- Follow directions, teamwork