



## Kindergarten Curriculum Guide

Ratio 1 : 15

### **Language Arts**

- Saxon Phonics and whole language curriculum
- Creative writing, journals, and stories
- Students express themselves in complete thoughts
- Name and identify each letter of the alphabet, apply letter-sound correspondence
- Develop oral language skills
- Listen to a wide variety of children's literature
- Segment and identify the sounds in spoken words
- Print is read from left to right and from top to bottom
- Sight word practice

### **Mathematics**

- Envision Math Curriculum
- Recognize and solve problems
- Use tools and toys
- Practice through games
- Graphs and charts
- Patterns
- Measurement
- Estimation
- Money
- Telling time

### **Social Studies**

- Social Studies Weekly Curriculum
- Understanding interdependence and cultures
- Communities: families, schools, towns
- The study of Texas and our national heritage
- The concept of chronology is introduced
- Map skills
- The purpose of rules and the roles of authority figures



## **Science**

- Science Weekly Curriculum
- Concepts: discovery, hypothesizing, observing, predicting, recording, presenting
- Topics: nature, weather, myself, seasons, holidays, space, health, senses

## **Technology Lab**

- Introduction to computers
- Educational software used to enrich entire curriculum

## **Library**

- Learn library skills
- Introduce students to authors, illustrators
- Critical listening encouraged

## **Spanish**

- Exposure and practice with reading, writing, listening, speaking Spanish
- Basic construction
- Understanding cultural traditions, holidays
- Reinforced with music and games

## **Bible Study**

- Summit Curriculum- Building on the Rock
- Attend Chapel
- Weekly Bible verse

## **Art**

- Introduction to the elements and principles of design
- Hands-on creativity
- Individual expression is encouraged through a variety of media

## **Music**

- Singing skills, notation, music symbols
- Chapel songs
- Music theory



- Composers
- Movement and dancing
- Musical styles

### **Physical Education**

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