

4th Grade Curriculum

Reading- Through the use of the Scott Foresman Reading Street curriculum students read and comprehend literature and informational texts. Students learn and apply grade- level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words and read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.

English/Language Arts- The English and Language Arts curriculum is directly linked to the reading curriculum. Students use the Scott Foresman Spelling and Grammar Worksheets to practice grammar rules and skills.

Math- The A beka series is used.

The main ideas for this grade level are as follows:

- (1) developing understanding and fluency with multi-digit multiplication, and developing understanding of dividing to find quotients involving multi-digit dividends
- (2) developing an understanding of fraction equivalence, addition and subtraction of fractions with like denominators, and multiplication of fractions by whole numbers
- (3) understanding that geometric figures can be analyzed and classified based on their properties, such as having parallel sides, perpendicular sides, particular angle measures, and symmetry

Science- The Christian based curriculum is from BJU Press. It covers God's Creation, Forces and Energy, The Moon and Oceans, The Earth for Our Use, and The Body at Work.

Social Studies- The Social Studies curriculum is from McGraw-Hill. We use Regions: Adventures in Time and Place. It covers United States, Land and People, The Southeast, The Northeast, The Middle West, The Southwest, and The West. Outside resources (ex: superteacherworkseets.com and other sources) are also used to suppliment as needed.

Spelling- Scott Foresman provides the spelling and vocabulary curriculum within the series.

Memory- Each week students memorize a bible verse. They write down the verse on Friday's for a grade.