

# Kindergarten Curriculum Guide 2024-2025 Updated 07/23/2024

	Aug/Sept	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May/ June
Bible	Selected Old Testament and New Testament Stories ongoing throughout the year, plus Christmas and Easter								
Language Arts	Telling and Writing Stories, Phonemic and Print Awareness, Letters and Sounds Blending & Beginning Reading Skills, Small Group, independent, and partner reading to build a broad repertoire of strategies and skills that strong readers and writers use								
Math	Number & Numeration, Counting, Number Recognition, Comparing & Ordering Numbers, Using Objects to Solve Problems, Data for Graphs & Charts Introduction to Measurement & Reference Frames Geometry, Plane & Solid Figures, Symmetry Patterns, Function, Algebra (ongoing throughout the year)								
Science	Trees	The 5 Senses	Weather and Climate (ongoing through the year): seasonal weather changes in Fall	Weather and Climate (ongoing through the year): seasonal weather changes in Winter	The Farm	Museum Project: Research projects on Ancient Egypt, Animals, and Rocks & Gems	Weather and Climate (ongoing through the year): seasonal weather changes in Spring		
Social Studies	What is Kindergarten? Learning About Others & How to Work Positively in a Group (ongoing throughout the year)		Thanksgiving	Christmas	Martin Luther King, Jr.	America, Then & Now; President's Day; Museum Project			Kindergarten Program

## Textbooks

	Math	Science	Social Studies	Bible	Reading, Writing, Spelling, Phonics, Vocabulary
K	<i>enVision Math, Saavas</i>	Trade Books; Non-fiction Animal Books; Natural Materials; FOSS Curriculum books	Trade Books; Non-fiction Books	Purposeful Design Bible Curriculum, 3rd Edition 2020; <i>The Jesus Bible Storybook</i>	Bridge to Reading Phonics and Phonemic Awareness, 2023; Wit & Wisdom, 2023; Trade Books; Decodable texts and early readers

## Assessments

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Test	aimsweb		ISELS/ LDA		aimsweb	ISELS/ LDA			aimsweb

\*Maps are a general guideline and subject to change. For example, science kits are shared among classrooms so each room studies the topics in a different order.

Assessment Codes: ISELS - **Illinois Snapshot of Early Literacy**; LDA - **Locally Developed Assessments**; ESI-K - **Early Screening Inventory, revised Pearson**; aimsweb - **Reading Fluency**

<b>Bible Memory for Kindergarten</b>
<b>on a 3-year-rotation with the entire Elementary School</b>