

Our Lady of the Lake Roman Catholic School
Yearly Course Outline
Social Living
Kindergarten
2023 – 2024

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Course Description

Social Living will be taught using the State Grade Level Expectations (Standards) through a thematic unit approach and will include topics such as home, school, family, community, safety, the five senses, space, plants, animals, drug awareness, and seasonal themes. We will also include self-esteem themes throughout the year.

The Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Launch curriculum for Kindergarten is presented in four modules: Structure and Function: Exploring Design, Pushes and Pulls, Structure and Function: Human Body, and Animals and Algorithms. As student engage with these modules they will make observations and predictions, as well as form and test hypotheses to solve problems. They will use scientific inquiry and the design process to perform fun and meaningful investigations.

These academic areas alternate with less structured activities such as centers, art, physical education, computer, free play, and stories. The Louisiana Department of Education Grade Level Expectations for Kindergarten are posted on the Kindergarten website. (www.ourladyofthelakeschool.org)

Instructional Materials

Interactive Science, Grade Kindergarten (Pearson)
Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Launch Curriculum, Grade Kindergarten
Various Story Books, Let’s Find Out Scholastic Magazines, Teacher activities

Methods of Assessment and Distribution

In addition to daily teacher observations and individualized evaluations, students will be given point-in-time assessments at the end of each quarter. These quarterly assessments are standards-based and, for each standard, students will receive a grade of Not Assessed, Not Evident, Skill Developing, or Mastered. Specific standards (noted on Kindergarten Report Card) require a student to earn Still Developing or Mastered scores before advancing into the next grade.

Tentative Course Calendar

**** Dates and course content are subject to change at discretion of teacher or administration. ****

Week	Standards	Objectives (The learner will . . .)	Instructional Materials	Assessments
1st Quarter				
Week 1 <i>Aug. 14-18</i>	K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-2 K-ESS3-3	“All about Me” I can, We Can	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 2 <i>Aug. 21-25</i>	K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-2 K-ESS3-3	Kindness, Teamwork, Friendship	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 3 <i>Aug. 28-01</i>	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Bugs (Baby Animals)	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 4 <i>Sept. 04-08</i> 9/4 No School	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3	PLTW-Structure and Function: Exploring Design	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 5 <i>Sept. 11-15</i>	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3	PLTW-Structure and Function: Exploring Design	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 6 <i>Sept. 18-22</i>	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Fall/Apples/Tools/ Jobs	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 7 <i>Sept. 25-29</i> Spirit Week 9/29 Fun Run Kickoff	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Fall/Apples- Johnny Appleseed	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 8 <i>Oct. 02-06</i>	K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3	Sounds/Fire Safety	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities,	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities

			Variety of art supplies	
Week 9 Oct. 09-13 10/13 ½ day (Fun Run)	K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3	Dinosaurs/ Columbus Day	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
2nd Quarter				
Week 10 Oct. 16-20	K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3	Columbus Day/ Places/Transportation	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 11 Oct. 23-27 10/24-26 Kindergarten Conferences 10/27 Fun Run Reward Day	K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1	PLTW-Structure and Function: Human Body	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 12 Oct. 30-03	K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1	PLTW-Structure and Function: Human Body	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 13 Nov. 06-10 11/6 No School (Formation Day) 11/7 Virtual (Senior Day) 11/10 Virtual (OLL Festival)	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Thanksgiving/Farms/Gardens	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 14 Nov. 13-17 11/13 – Thanksgiving School Mass (K) 11/14-16 Fall Theatre Production	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Thanksgiving (Gardens)	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Thanksgiving Holidays Nov. 21-25				
Week 15 Nov. 27-30	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Thanksgiving	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 16 Dec. 04-08	K-PS3-1 K-PS3-2 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS3-2 K-2-ETS1-1	Advent/ Christmas/ Seasons (Farm)	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities

	K-2-ETS1-2 K-2-ETS1-3			
Week 17 <i>Dec. 11-15</i>	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Advent/ Christmas/ Seasons	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 18 <i>Dec. 18-20</i> 12/20 ½ day	K-PS3-2 K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-3	Advent/ Christmas/ Seasons	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Christmas Holidays <i>Dec. 21 - 05</i>				
3rd Quarter				
Week 19 <i>Jan. 08-12</i>	K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3	PLTW: K-Sunlight and Weather	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 20 <i>Jan. 15-19</i> 1/15 No School		Months of the Year Sunlight/ Weather	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 21 <i>Jan. 22-26</i>	K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3	PLTW: K-Animals and Algorithms	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 22 <i>Jan. 29-02</i> Catholic Schools Week, 2/2 Pep Rally	K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1	Pets/Comparing animals	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 23 <i>Feb. 05-09</i> 2/9 ½ day (Grandparents Day)	K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1	Ground Hog's Day/ Habitats	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Mardi Gras Holidays Feb. 12 - 16				
Week 24 <i>Feb. 19-23</i>		Valentine's Day	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities

Week 25 <i>Feb. 26-01</i>		Presidents' Day Grandparents' Day Valentine's Day Mardi Gras	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 26 <i>Mar. 04-08</i>	K-PS3-1 K-PS3-2	Presidents' Day Planets Grandparents' Day	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 27 <i>March 11-15</i>	K-PS2-1, K-PS2-2	PLTW: K-Pushes and Pulls	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
4th Quarter				
Week 28 <i>March 18-22</i>	K-PS2-1, K-PS2-2	PLTW: K-Pushes and Pulls	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 29 <i>March 25-29</i> 3/29 No School (Good Friday)	K-LS-1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1	Spring/Butterflies/ Good Citizenship	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Easter Holidays March 29 – April 05				
Week 30 <i>April 08-12</i>	K-LS1-1 K-ESS2-2 K-ESS3-1 K-ESS3-3 K-2-ETS1-1 K-2-ETS1-2 K-2-ETS1-3	PLTW: K-Living Things	PLTW Launch Logs, PLTW materials per kit	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 31 <i>April 15-19</i>		Sites and Places	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 32 <i>April 22-26</i>	K-PS3-1 K-PS3-2 K-ESS3-3	Protect the Earth	Variety of Storybooks, Music, teacher created activities, Variety of art supplies	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities
Week 33 <i>April 29-03</i> 4/30-2 – Spring Theatre Production	Mother's Day Tea Preparations	Mother's Day Books	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities	Mother's Day Tea Preparations

5/3 Field Day				
Week 34 May 06-10 5/10 – Mother’s Day Tea	Mother’s Day Tea Preparations	Music for Mother’s Day Tea and poems for Tea	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities	Mother’s Day Tea Preparations
Week 35 May 13-17 5/16 – K Graduation	Closing Ceremony Preparations	Music for closing ceremony and poems for closing ceremony	Observation of active participation in class activities and completed activities	Closing Ceremony Preparations
Week 36 May 20-24 5/24 ½ day	No school for Kindergarten			No school for Kindergarten