

INDIVIDUALIZED HOME INSTRUCTION PLAN – GRADES K – 6

Kindergarten

Kindergarten does not have a required curriculum, although Letter of Intent, IHIP, Quarterly Reports and Year-End Assessments are still necessary. Kindergarten might include: Reading Readiness, Math Readiness, Language Development, Health Education including personal safety and AIDS instruction, Music and Physical Education. In addition, patriotism and citizenship, alcohol/drugs/tobacco abuse, and bicycle/highway safety may be added.

Curriculum Grades 1-6 (Required Instruction Hours: 900 per year or 225 per quarter)

The suggested times are provided only as a **MODEL** to assist in assessing equivalency:

English/Language Arts	180 minutes per week
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Reading- Writing- Spelling- Speaking/Listening	
Mathematics	180 minutes per week
Science	180 minutes per week
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Life and physical	
Social Studies	180 minutes per week
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Citizenship & patriotism- Geography- NY State History (4th grade)- US History and Constitution (5th grade)- Local History – Economics	
Health	Regularly
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Include HIV/AIDS, alcohol/drug/tobacco abuse, fire/highway/bicycle safety, child abuse	
Music	45 minutes per week
Visual Arts	45 minutes per week
Physical Education (1 unit)	120 minutes per week
Library Skills – as needed	

NOTE: for an overview of the required components, see *State Education Department Regulations* page 3.