

Our Lady of the Lake Roman Catholic School
Yearly Course Outline
English
Fourth Grade
2026–2027

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Course Description

The 4th grade English curriculum offers instructional grammar, usage, mechanics, and composition. Daily lessons will include one or more of the following: direct instruction, independent practice, cooperative learning, and writing.

Instructional Materials

Wonders Grade 4 McGraw Hill: Grammar Practice Workbook

Methods of Assessment and Distribution

All test, quiz, and homework grades will be posted on PowerSchool (www.ollpowerschool.org). Please check for postings frequently. Each quarter, four tests and four quiz assessments will be administered.

Assessment Weighting

60% Tests

30% Quizzes

10% Homework

Grading Scale

A: 100-94

B: 93-86

C: 85-78

D: 77-70

U: 69 and below

Tentative Course Calendar

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

Aug 6 – First day of school 4th - 7th

Week	Standards	Objectives (The learner will . . .)	Instructional Materials	Assessments
1st Quarter				
Week 1 Aug. 10-14 8/14 Summer Reading Due	L.1.f, L.2.a, L.2.d	Sentence/Fragment Types of Sentences	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 1
Week 2 Aug. 17-21 8/18 PTCC Mtg 6pm	L.4.1, L.4.2	Subject/Predicates	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 1
Week 3 Aug. 24-28	L.4.1, L.4.2	Commas in a series. Editing marks for punctuation & capitals. Writing 4 kinds of sentences.	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 2
Week 4 Aug 31-Sept 4	L.4.2	Conjunctions Compound Sentences (FANBOYS)	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 2
Week 5 Sept. 7-11 9/7 Labor Day No School	W.4.3	Narrative Writing Prewriting	Narrative Writing Graphic Organizer	
Week 6 Sept. 14-18 Spirit Week 9/18 Pep Rally and Fun Run Kickoff	W.4.3	Narrative Writing: Typing rough draft. Revise & edit.	Google Docs	Quiz 3
Week 7 Sept. 21-25 9/25 Birthday Brunch (July, Aug, Sept)	L.4.1, L.4.2	Simple/Compound Sentences	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 3
Week 8 Sept. 28- Oct. 2 10/2 – Fun Run 10/2 - ½ day dismissal	L.4.1, L.4.2	Run-on Sentences	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 4
Week 9 Oct. 5-9 10/8 End of 1 st Qtr 10/9 No School 10/9-10/11 Festival of the Lake	L.4.1, L.4.2	Common/Proper Nouns	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 4
2nd Quarter				
Week 10 Oct. 12-16 10/13 Living Rosary 10/15 CFR Reward Day	L.4.1, L.4.2	Singular/Plural Nouns Commas in a series	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 1

10/15 - ½ Day 10/15 - Parent Teacher Conferences 10/16 – No School				
Week 11 Oct. 19-23	L.4.1, L.4.2	Irregular Plurals	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 1
Week 12 Oct. 26-30 <i>Red Ribbon Week</i>	L.4.1, L.4.2	Collective Nouns Project	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 2
Week 13 Nov. 2-6	L.4.1, L.4.2	Possessive Nouns	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 3
Week 14 Nov. 9-13 11/11 Veterans Day Prayer Service	L.4.1, L.4.2	Combining Sentences Subject Nouns	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 2
Week 15 Nov. 16-20 St. Nick's Workshop	L.4.1, L.4.2	Verbs	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 3
Thanksgiving Holidays Nov. 23-27				
Week 16 Nov 30-Dec 4 12/4 Birthday Brunch (Oct, Nov, Dec)	L.4.1, L.4.2	Verb Tenses Progressive Verbs	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 4
Week 17 Dec. 7-11	L.4.1, L.4.2	Main & Helping Verbs	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 4
Week 18 Dec. 14-18 12/18 - ½ day <i>End of 2nd Qtr</i>	L.4.1, L.4.2	Linking Verbs	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	
Christmas Holidays Dec. 21 – Jan. 4				
3rd Quarter				
Week 19 Jan. 4-8 ¼ - No School	L.4.1, L.4.2	Irregular Past Tense Verbs	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 1
Week 20 Jan. 12-16	L.4.1, L.4.2	Pronouns & too, two, to	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 1
Week 21 Jan. 18-22 1/18 – MLK Day No School 1/22 Birthday Brunch (Jan, Feb, Mar)	L.4.1, L.4.2	Subject/Object Pronouns I vs. Me	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 2

Week 22 Jan. 25-29 1/29 - Pep Rally 1/29 – Eve Parade	L.4.1, L.4.2	Quotation Marks/dialogue	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 2
Week 23 Feb. 1-5 Catholic Schools Week 2/5 Grandparents Day 2/5 – ½ Day	W.4.2	Expository Essay Favorite Pet *Outline & Intro *R1, R2, R3 paragraphs *Conclusion paragraph	Google Docs	
Mardi Gras Holiday February 8-12				
Week 24 Feb. 15-19	L.4.1, L.4.2	Prepositions It's vs. Its	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 3
Week 25 Feb. 22-26	W.4.7	Extended Research (5-A-Day) Endangered Animal Research Notes	Endangered Animals Notes Organizer	Test 3
Week 26 March 1-5 Book Fair	W.4.7	Digital Presentations (5-A-Day) Endangered Animal Google Slideshow	Google Slides	Quiz 4
Week 27 March 8-12 3/12 – ½ Day End of 3 rd Qtr	L.4.1, L.4.2	Adjectives	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Test 4
4th Quarter				
Week 28 March 15-19 3/18 - Passion Play	L.4.1, L.4.2	Adverbs	Wonders Grammar Practice Workbook	Quiz 1
Week 29 March 22-26 3/26 - Good Friday	W.4.2	Expository Essay IRC Outline	IRC Outline	Quiz 2
Easter Holiday March 26 – April 2				
Week 30 April 5-9	W.4.2	Expository Essay Intro Paragraph, R1, R2 & R3 paragraphs	Graphic Organizer	Test 1
Week 31 April 12-16		Terra Nova Review	Prep Packet	Test 2
Week 32 April 19-23		Terra Nova Review	Prep Packet	Test 3

4/23 Birthday Brunch (Apr, May, June)				
Week 33 April 26 - 30 4/30 - Field Day ½ Day		TERRA NOVA TESTING (Tentative)		
Week 34 May 3-7 5/4 May Crowning 5/6 – 7 th Closing Ceremony		MAP Testing (Tentative) Cereal Box Book Reports	Book Report Packet	Quiz 3
Week 35 May 10-14	W.4.7	Biography Notes	Biography Research Questions Packet	Quiz 4
Week 36 May 17-21 5/19 – Grades Due	W.4.7	Biography Posters	Poster & Research Packet	Test 4
Week 37 May 24-25 5/25 – ½ Day		The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe Movie		