

Tyler Street Christian Academy

Second Grade Curriculum

BIBLE

- From Adam to Moses
- The life of Moses in Exodus
- Promises of God to Israelites
- Learning to trust God in both victory and tribulation as did the Israelites
- Memorize scriptures

LANGUAGE

- Write complete sentences with proper punctuation and capitalization
- Write declarative, interrogative, and exclamatory sentences
- Become familiar with abbreviations

PHONICS

- Learn phonics rules and clue words from phonics charts 10-18
- Recognize vowels, consonants
- Memorize and apply all phonics blends
- Learn final consonants, capitalization, some punctuation rules, syllables and accents, root words with suffixes and prefixes

SPELLING

- Write from memory approximately 700 high utility words using prefixes and suffixes
- Learn interesting and varied word study activities for both phonetically-consistent pattern words and high frequency words
- Begin recognizing parts of speech, including nouns, adjectives, and verbs

READING

- Read basal readers with smoothness, accuracy, enunciation, expression, speed, and comprehension
- Read and complete exercises independently in *Nicky* and *Uncle Bunny* workbooks
- Accelerated Reader utilized to improve comprehension skills

HANDWRITING

- Review manuscript writing
- Learn cursive writing

WRITING

- Review sentence form.
- Journals – Each student should write from story prompts and briefly illustrate.
- Sentences – Begin writing sentences using spelling words. Second semester sentences should emphasize more detail. Work toward expanding sentence structure.
- **MATH**

- Count to 10,000
- Count by 1's, 2's, 3's, 4's, 5's, and 10's
- Know odd and even numbers and ordinal numbers
- Know place value to the hundred thousands
- Learn money value
- Master addition and subtraction up to 3-digit numbers and number sentences
- Add with carrying and subtract with borrowing
- Tell time to the minute
- Solve word problems
- Become familiar with simple measurement
- Read temperatures and calendar
- Roman numerals to 20
- Multiply to 12×5
- Divide by 2, 3, 4, and 5
- Draw plane geometrical shapes
- Recognize symmetry
- Find perimeter
- Read bar graphs

SOCIAL STUDIES/GEOGRAPHY

- America's Flag/Patriotic Holidays/America's Songs
- The Separatists
- American Indians
- Cowboys and Pioneers
- The Colonists and the New Americans
- Election Process
- Continents, Land Formations
- Map Skills
- National Monuments

SCIENCE

- Plants
- Vertebrates/Invertebrates
- Habitats
- Energy/Heat/Light
- Ocean
- Sound and hearing/Sight and touch/Taste and smell

HEALTH, SAFETY, and MANNERS

- Units of study on the food groups
- Daily practice of correct habits, safety, and good manners