

FIRST GRADE SYLLABUS

Below are the standard courses and curriculum topics for First Grade.

Reading/Literature 1

- Daily reading of classic literature from our library

Language Arts 1

- Sentence structure
- Phonics and Syllables
- Long and short vowels
- Blending sounds and consonant blends
- Word endings
- Common, proper, and possessive nouns
- Singular and plural nouns
- Pronouns
- Past, present, and future tense verbs
- Adjectives
- Conjunctions
- Prepositions
- Opinion writing pieces
- Narrative writing pieces
- Sequence writing pieces
- Research writing pieces using a dictionary and thesaurus
- Creative writing pieces
- Spelling and vocabulary

Math 1

- Basic addition and subtraction
- Basic addition and subtraction word problems
- Basic addition with algebraic concepts ($10 + X = 14$)
- Count by twos, fives, and tens
- Greater than, less than or equal comparisons
- Very basic place value
- Addition of two digit numbers
- Subtraction of two digit numbers
- The Metric System
- Telling time

History/Social Studies 1

- Rights and responsibilities of citizenship
- Places and people in different times
- Everyday life in different times and places
- U.S. symbols, icons, and traditions
- Backgrounds of American citizens
- Basic economic concepts
- My state

Science 1

- Materials can be solids, liquids, and gases
- Materials can change when they are mixed
- Plants and animals inhabit different environments
- Food chain ecosystems
- How things work
- Investigations and experiments

