1st Grade

Language Arts

Phonics and Reading

- Review of vowels, consonants, blends, one-and two-vowel words, consonant blends
- Recognition and use of all phonics special sounds in reading
- \triangleright Spelling rules: doubling consonants, dropping silent e, changing y to i
- Oral reading

Cursive Writing

- > Review of letter formation
- ➤ Daily seatwork practice in all academic areas

Poetry

- Weekly phonics-based word list
- > Weekly test with phonics
- > Reinforcement activities
- > Eight poems committed to memory

Language

- Capitalization of first word in a sentence, proper names, days of the week, and months of the year
- ➤ Correct punctuation at the ends of sentences
- > Recognition of complete sentences
- ➤ Words using suffixes, prefixes, syllables, compound words, rhyming words, opposite words, same meaning words, and contractions
- ➤ Alphabetizing of words
- Writing complete sentences and shore stories
- Creative writing

History and Geography

- > This is My America
- ➤ My America's Flag
- ➤ My America's Freedom
- ➤ My America Grows
- ➤ My America Talks

- ➤ My America Travels
- > My America Is Beautiful
- ➤ My America Sings
- > Symbols of My America
- > Great People of America
- ➤ This Is My World: Mexico, Peru, Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico, Bahamas, England, the Netherlands, Norway, France, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Israel, Egypt, India, China, Australia, Guam, American Samoa

Science

Health and Human Biology

Discovering Myself

Animals

- Discovering Animals
- Discovering Insects

Energy

Discovering My Toys

Plants

Discovering Plants

Seasons

Discovering Seasons

Health, Safety, Manners

Health

- > Eating good foods
- Exercising
- > Rest
- **>** Posture
- > Care of body, clothes, home

Safety

- ➤ At home and away from home
- > On streets, playgrounds, water

Manners

➤ At home, school, church, public

Arithmetic

- Number recognition, counting, and writing 1-1000
- > Greatest and least
- Counting and writing by tens, fives, twos, and threes
- > Number sequences
- Ordinal numbers
- ➤ Addition facts through 13 and threedigit addition with carrying
- ➤ Subtractions facts through 13 and two-digit subtractions
- > Story problems
- Numbers before and after by ones, twos, tens
- > Between numbers

- > Counting and combining coins
- > Telling time to the nearest five minutes
- ➤ Recognizing odd and even numbers
- > English and some metric measures
- ➤ Place value in ones, tens, and hundreds
- Unit fractions
- > Reading a thermometer
- ➤ Using a ruler
- > Multiple combinations
- > Concept of multiplication
- Calendars
- > Reading pictographs and bar graphs
- > Developing listening skills
- > Roman numerals

Bible

Lessons such as Salvation Series, Genesis, Life of Christ, Paul (includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible doctrine)