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Fourth Grade

Spelling

Spelling & Phonemic Awareness/Phonics

- Auditory/visual discrimination; sound-letter association
- Beginning/ending sounds; rhyming words; word analysis

Spelling & Thinking/Word Sorting

- Sounds and letters correspondence; short vowels
- Long vowels; vowel digraphs and diphthongs; r-controlled vowels
- Consonants, clusters, and digraphs
- Structural patterns; plurals; unstressed endings; possessives; prefixes; roots, and suffixes
- Homophones; content words
- Contractions and compounds

Spelling & Vocabulary

- Word meaning, history, roots, structure, and word clues
- Words from other languages; word study
- Synonyms and antonyms

Spelling & Reading

- Context clues, classification, analogies, and other strategies

Spelling & Writing

- Expository, narrative, persuasive writing, and descriptive writing
- The writing process; graphic organizers; proofreading

Content Connections

- Language arts, science, social studies, fine arts, math, and health

Grammar, Usage & Mechanics

- Parts of speech

Dictionary & Thesaurus

- Alphabetical order, definitions, phonetic spellings, and guide words
- Parts of speech, inflected forms; syllabication
- Use of thesaurus/synonyms

Math

Numbers and Operations

Concepts of Whole Number Operations

Whole Number Computation

- Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, Division, Fractions and Decimals

Money

Measurement

- Calendar and Time

Temperature

Linear Measure

Weight (Mass)

Capacity (Volume)

Area, Perimeter, and Volume

Geometry

- Spatial Relationships, Geometric Shapes, and Symmetry

Patterns, Algebra, and Functions

- Patterns and Sequences, Readiness for Algebraic Reasoning, Relations and Functions:

Statistics, Data Analysis, and Probability

- Data and Statistics, Graphing, Probability

Problem Solving

- Developing Skills and Strategies for Problem Solving

Reading

Word Recognition

Vocabulary

Comprehension

Literature

Study Skills

Fluency

Composition

English

Parts of Speech

Sentence Structure

Mechanics

Usage

Writing Skills

Writing Projects

Study & Reference Skills

Listening & Speaking Skills

Science

General Science

Earth Science

Life Science

Physical Science

Social Studies (Heritage Studies)

Christian Worldview through history

Geography

World History

American History

Government

Economics

Culture

Social Studies

Bible

Building Life Castles