

3rd Grade Curriculum Year at a Glance



	1 st Trimester			2 nd Trimester				3 rd Trimester			
Religion	8 weeks Jesus Gives Us the Church		8 Weeks We Are Members of the Church		8 Weeks The Church Leads Us in Worship		8 Weeks We Are Called to Discipleship		1 Week Family Life	3 Weeks My Rosary	
English/Writers Workshop	4 Weeks Nouns/ Personal Narratives	7 Weeks Verbs/ How-To Articles		5 Weeks Sentences/ Book Reports	4 Weeks Pronouns/ Personal Letters	4 Weeks Adjectives/ Descriptions	4 Weeks Adverbs and Conjunctions/ Persuasive Writing	4 Weeks Punctuation and Capitalization/ Creative Writing: Realistic Fiction		4 Weeks Diagramming/ Research Report	
Reading	11 Weeks Narratives		2 Weeks Mystery <i>Bunnicula</i>	4 Weeks Fantasy	10 Weeks Expository			2 Weeks Compare and Contrast <i>The Polar Express</i>	2 Weeks Drama	5 Weeks Fables, Folktales, Myths <i>Charlotte's Web</i>	
Spelling/Phonics	11 Weeks Vowel Diphthongs; Final Syllable –le, Suffixes; Consonant Patterns wr, kn, gn, st, mb; Syllable Pattern CV/VC; Homophones; Vowel Patterns au, augh, ou, ough; Vowel patterns ei, eigh; Suffixes; Vowel Sounds in moon and foot; Schwa			10 Weeks Vowel Digraphs; Syllables V/CV, VC/V; Consonant Digraphs; Contractions; Spellings of /j/, /s/, /k/; Irregular Plurals; Vowels: r-Controlled; Prefixes; Suffixes; Final Syllables			4 Weeks Compound Words; Words with spl, thr, squ, str, scr;	3 Weeks Prefixes;	5 Weeks Plurals –s, -es, -ies; Base words and Endings; Syllables VCCCV; Multisyllabic Words; Related Words		3 Weeks Short Vowels; Syllables VC/CV
Math	24 Weeks Whole Number Operations						4 Weeks Fractions	4 Weeks Measurement		4 Weeks Geometry	
Science	12 Weeks Adapting to Change				12 Weeks Observing Weather Patterns			12 Weeks How Things Move			
Social Studies	9 weeks Missouri's Land and People			7 weeks Government and Economy		10 weeks Growth and Change			6 weeks Readers to Leaders		4 weeks Missouri Today and Famous Missourians