

Faith Baptist Christian Academy

Scope & Sequence

Pre-School

	Two-year Olds	Three-Year-Olds
Language Arts	Language development and listening skills that include color words, shapes, animals, transportation, countries, community helpers, health, safety, manners, science	Recognition of name, sound, and picture for short vowels and consonants Formation of vowels and consonants in upper and lower case Language development and listening skills that include color words, shapes, animals, transportation, countries, community helpers, health, safety, manners, science
Numbers	Simple counting 1–25 Number concepts 1–10	Simple counting 1–30 Number concepts 1–15
Bible	Hymns/choruses Memory verses	Lessons such as Creation, Noah, Boy Samuel, Daniel, Boyhood of Jesus, Zacchaeus, Good Samaritan

K4 Four-Year-Old Kindergarten

Language Arts	Phonics and Reading Recognition of name, sound, and picture of long and short vowels and consonants Sounding of blends and one- and two-vowel words Reading of sentences and stories with one- and two-vowel words	Cursive Writing Formation of letters, blends, and words Writing of first name Poetry Twenty-eight poems and finger plays committed to memory Language Language development and listening skills that include color words, shapes, animals, transportation, countries, community helpers, health, safety, manners, science
Numbers	Number recognition and counting 1–100 Number concepts 1–20 Numbers before and after 1–20	Numbers largest and smallest 1–20 Addition facts <div style="text-align: center;"> $1 + 1$ $2 + 1$ $3 + 1$ $4 + 1$ $5 + 1$ $6 + 1$ $7 + 1$ $8 + 1$ </div>

Bible Lessons such as Creation, Noah, Boy Samuel, Daniel, Boyhood of Jesus, Zacchaeus, Good Samaritan
(includes memory verses and hymns/choruses)

K5 Five-Year-Old Kindergarten

Language	Phonics and Reading	Cursive Writing
Arts	Recognition of name, sound, and picture of long and short vowels and consonants Sounding of blends, one- and two-vowel words, and words with special sounds Beginning phonics rules and special sounds Reading of sentences and stories from twelve books containing one- and two-vowel words and special sounds	Letters, blends, words, and sentences Name Language Recognition of sentences by capital letters and periods Poetry Thirteen poems committed to memory
Science	<i>Plants</i> God's Plan for Seeds <i>Animals</i> God's Plan for Animals God's Plan for the Seashore	<i>Health and Human Biology</i> God's Plan for Me <i>Earth and Space</i> God's Plan for Weather God's Plan for Seasons
Arithmetic	Number recognition, counting, and writing 1–100 Number concepts 1–100 Numbers before and after 1–100 Numbers largest and smallest 1–100 Counting and writing by tens to 100 Counting and writing by fives to 100 Counting and writing by twos to 100 Number sequences by ones	Using number words 1–10 and first–tenth Value of coins and dollar bill Telling time Using the calendar Days of the week Addition facts through 10 One-step story problems in addition Beginning subtraction
Social Studies	Community Helpers Children of the World	America: Our Great Country (map studies, famous Americans and places)

Bible	Hymns/choruses Memory verses	Bible doctrine Lessons such as Salvation Series, Genesis, Life of Christ
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AK5 Advanced Five-Year-Old Kindergarten

Language	Phonics and Reading	Cursive Writing
Arts	Review of names and sounds of the letters, consonant-vowel blends, one- and two-vowel words Beginning phonics rules and special sounds Writing of blends from dictation Reading skills: speed, comprehension, and phrase reading	Writing letters, blends, words, and sentences Name Language Recognition and writing of sentences with capital letters and periods Poetry Thirteen poems committed to memory

Science	Plants God's Plan for Seeds Animals God's Plan for Animals God's Plan for the Seashore	Health and Human Biology God's Plan for Me Earth and Space God's Plan for Weather God's Plan for Seasons
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Arithmetic	Number recognition, counting, and writing 1–100 Number concepts 1–100 Numbers before and after 1–100 Numbers largest and smallest 1–100 Counting and writing by tens to 100 Counting and writing by fives to 100 Counting and writing by twos to 100 Number sequences by ones	Using number words 1–10 and first–tenth Value of coins and dollar bill Telling time Using the calendar Days of the week Addition facts through 10 One-step story problems in addition Beginning subtraction
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Social Studies	Community Helpers Children of the World	America: Our Great Country (map studies, famous Americans and places)
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Bible	Lessons such as Salvation Series, Genesis, Life of Christ (includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible doctrine)	
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1 First 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 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 Spelling and 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 short stories Creative writing
History and Geography	This Is My America My America's Flag, My America's Freedoms, Symbols of My America, Great People of America, My America Grows, My America Talks, My America Travels, My America Is Beautiful, My America Sings	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 Energy Discovering My Toys Animals Discovering Animals Discovering Insects	Plants Discovering Plants Seasons Discovering Seasons
Health, Safety, Manners	Health Eating good foods Exercising Rest	Safety At home and away from home On streets, playgrounds, water

	Posture Care of body, clothes, home	Manners At home, school, church, public
Arithmetic	Number recognition, counting, and writing 1–1,000 Greatest and least Counting and writing by tens, fives, twos, and threes Number sequences Ordinal numbers Addition facts through 13 and three-digit addition with carrying Subtraction facts through 13 and two-digit subtraction 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)	

2 Second Grade

Language	Phonics and Reading	Reinforcement activities
Arts	Review of vowels, consonants, blends, one- and two-vowel words, consonant blends Recognition and use of all phonics special sounds in reading Spelling rules: doubling consonants, dropping silent e, changing y to i Oral reading Cursive Writing Review of letter formation Guided creative writing Creative writing journal Daily seatwork practice in all academic areas Introduction to 3/4-space writing Spelling and Poetry Weekly phonics-based word list Vocabulary words and definitions second semester	Spelling glossary Seven poems committed to memory Language Capitalization of first word in a sentence, days of the week, months of the year, special holidays, people, and places Correct punctuation at the ends of sentences Complete sentences, questions, and exclamations Words using suffixes, prefixes, abbreviations, compound words, rhyming words, opposite words, same-meaning words, singular and plural words, singular possessive words, and contractions Alphabetizing words and other dictionary skills Word usage rules Writing of complete sentences, questions, exclamations, and short stories

	Weekly test	Writing letters and thank-you notes Creative writing
History and Geography	America, Our Home Our Flag Our Patriotic Holidays Our Songs	The People Who Built America The Separatists America's Indians The Colonists America's Pioneers America's Cowboys The New Americans Tomorrow's America
Science	Plants Enjoying the Plant World Animals Enjoying the Animal World Health and Human Biology Enjoying Myself and Others Earth and Space Enjoying the Stars and Planets Enjoying Planet Earth	Matter Enjoying the Air Around Us Energy Enjoying the Air Around Us Enjoying Things That Move Conservation Enjoying Things That Work Together
Health, Safety, Manners	Health Posture, Nutrition, Exercise, Rest, Cleanliness, Diseases Safety At home and away from home, On streets, Around water, During bad weather	Manners Politeness, Thoughtfulness, Kindness, Thankfulness, Cheerfulness, Patience, Respect, Table and Telephone Manners
Arithmetic	Number recognition, counting, and writing 1–10,000 and beyond Numbers greatest and least 1–1,000 Counting and writing to hundred thousands, threes to 36, fours to 48 Ordinal numbers Addition facts through 18, column addition, four-digit addition with carrying Subtraction facts through 18, four-digit subtraction with borrowing	Rounding Numbers before and after by ones, twos, threes, fours, fives, and tens Counting and combining coins and bills Telling time to the nearest minute English and some metric measures Drawing and measuring lines to one-half inch Developing listening skills Calendars Place value to thousands Unit fractions

Multiplication facts 0–5
Division facts 1–5
Story problems
Multiple combinations
Estimation

Making change
Reading a thermometer
Reading pictographs, bar graphs, and line graphs
Roman numerals

Bible Lessons such as Salvation Series, Life of Moses, Tabernacle, Joshua, Judges, Ruth, Jonah
(includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible doctrine)

3 Third Grade

Language Phonics and Reading
Arts Review of all phonics rules
Oral reading
Reading comprehension

Cursive Writing
Review of cursive writing formation 3/4-space high
Creative writing

Spelling and Poetry
Weekly phonics-based word list with vocabulary
Sentence dictation using spelling words
Reinforcement activities
Nine poems committed to memory

Language Writing Process
Complete sentences
Punctuation and capitalization rules
Creative writing, friendly letters

Grammar
Recognition of simple nouns, subjects, verbs, adjectives
Word usage
Forming plurals and common contractions
Recognition of antonyms, homonyms, synonyms
Dictionary skills

History and Geography Continents and oceans of the world
Study of world geography
States of the United States
Study of our American heritage through the lives of great people
Columbus
John Smith
Pocahontas
Miles Standish
Squanto
William Penn
Ben Franklin
George Washington

Thomas Jefferson
Daniel Boone
Noah Webster
John Greenleaf Whittier
Robert E. Lee
Abraham Lincoln
Clara Barton
U. S. Grant
Louisa May Alcott
Booker T. Washington
George Washington Carver
Laura Ingalls Wilder
Billy Sunday

Science Plants

Earth and Space
Exploring the Ocean

Exploring the Plant World

Animals
Exploring the World of Vertebrates
Exploring the World of Invertebrates

Health and Human Biology
Wonderfully Made

Exploring the Weather

Conservation
Exploring the Desert, the Ocean, the Pond, the Forest, the Farmer's Field

Health, Safety, Manners

Health
Posture, Exercise, Nutrition, Diet, Cleanliness, Fighting disease

Safety
Fire, Water safety, Home, Play safety, Street safety, First Aid

Manners
Hospitality
Proper introductions
Telephone manners
Courtesy and respect

Arithmetic

Recognition of the place value of numbers
Addition facts and checking addition problems with carrying
Subtraction facts and checking subtraction problems with borrowing
Multiplication tables 0–12 and multiplication problems with carrying
How to show a multiplication fact six ways
Division tables 1–12 and working and checking a division problem
Terminology for four processes
English and metric measures
Telling time
Roman numerals 1–1,000
Using a ruler

Solving story problems with up to four steps
Recognizing and solving number sentences
Converting measures and solving measurement equations
Recognizing and working with greater than (>) and less than (<)
Counting money and solving money problems using the decimal point correctly
Solving problems containing parentheses
Fraction terminology and basic understanding of fractions
Averaging numbers
Reading a thermometer
Recognizing geometric shapes
Finding the unknown number in an equation

Bible

Lessons such as Salvation Series, Parables, Samuel, David, Elijah, Elisha, Daniel, Ezra/Nehemiah, Esther
(includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible doctrine)

4 Fourth Grade

Language Arts

Reading and Literature
Oral reading

Language
Writing Process

Reading comprehension	Sentence structure, Kinds of sentences
Speed reading	Punctuation; Capitalization facts
Vocabulary building	Abbreviations, Possessive words
	Letters—business, friendly, post cards, thank-you notes
Penmanship	Gathering information
Review of cursive writing	Writing with details
formation through skill practice, word games, original composition,	Writing an encyclopedia report
and sentence dictation	Writing book reports
	Creative writing
	Dictionary skills
Spelling and Poetry	Grammar
Weekly word lists based on phonics and spelling	Recognizing and using all eight parts of speech
rules, challenging words, and vocabulary	Diagraming verbs, nouns, pronouns, adjectives, adverbs
Reinforcement activities	Correctly using troublesome words
Six poems committed to memory	

History and Geography

Map study	The French and Indian War
State history for six weeks	The American War for Independence
Eight documents memorized	Building a New Nation
The Years of Discovery	Our Nation Grows
The Years of Conquest	The Civil War
The First Americans	New Frontiers
The English Come to America	An Age of Progress
The New England Colonies	Beyond Our Boundaries
The Middle and Southern Colonies	The World Wars
A Picture of Colonial Life	Time for Freedom and Responsibility
The Great Awakening	

Science

Plants	Energy
Plants: Provision for Man and Beast	Energy: Sound and Hearing
Animals	Earth and Space
Insects: Miniature Marvels of Creation	Geology: Planet Earth
Birds: Winged Wonders	Oceanography: Wonders of the Sea
	Astronomy: Consider the Heavens
Matter	
Matter: Water, Air, and Weather	

Health

Physical Fitness	Personal Hygiene
Your Body Framework	A Winning Smile
The Muscle Builder	Your Body Cover
Your Breathing Machine	Keys to Good Grooming
	Interpersonal Relationships

A Healthier You

Arithmetic	Place value of whole numbers and decimals Mastery of fundamental operations Story problems Estimating answers English and metric measures Converting measures within the same system and solving measurement equations Roman numerals Addition, subtraction, and multiplication involving fractions Estimation Averaging	Factoring Divisibility rules Introduction to decimals Making change Reading a thermometer Solving equations using addition and subtraction axioms Graphs and scale drawing Basic geometric shapes Perimeter and area Using an English and metric ruler Time lapse
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Bible	Lessons such as Salvation Series, Genesis, Life of Christ, Paul (includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible doctrine)
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5 Fifth Grade

Language	Reading and Literature	Language
Arts	Oral reading	Writing Process
	Reading comprehension	Sentences and sentence parts
	Speed reading	Punctuation, capitalization, and quotation facts
	Vocabulary building	Synonyms, antonyms, homonyms
	Penmanship	Dictionary, thesaurus skills
	Review of cursive writing formation through skill practice, word exercises, original composition, and sentence dictation	Letters—business, friendly, post cards, thank-you notes
	Spelling and Poetry	Making an outline
	Weekly word lists on various categories and vocabulary study	Writing a library research paper
	Six poems committed to memory	Writing book reports
		Creative writing
		Grammar
		Recognizing and diagraming all eight parts of speech
		Recognizing and diagraming complements
		Word usage

History and Geography	Eight documents reviewed Geography facts: terms, rivers, capitals, mountains, climate, deserts Introduction to History and	Africa Long Ago Africa in Modern Times Ancient Greece: Home of Beauty Rome: Ruler of the Ancient World
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	Geography Fertile Crescent: Cradle of Civilization Ancient Middle East Middle East Today Countries of Central and Southern Asia Countries of the Far East Egypt: The Gift of the Nile	Christianity: The Greatest Force in History England and the British Isles Other Countries of Western Europe Countries of Eastern Europe “Land Down Under” and Beyond
Science	Animals Amazing Mammals A Variety of Vertebrates Energy Force and motion Electricity and magnetism Engines: steam, internal combustion, jet propulsion, rocket engines Light	Matter Water, Air, Weather Earth and Space Geology: Treasures of the Earth Oceanography: The Living Sea Astronomy: The Nine Planets, Stars, Moon, Sun Conservation: Preserving the Sea
Health	Circulatory System Life in the Blood Your Hardy Heart Pathways through Your Body Nutrition and Physical Fitness A Balanced Diet Daily Food Guide Maintaining Your Proper Weight Raising Your Rate of Metabolism Aerobic Endurance Muscular Strength and Flexibility	Digestive System Digestion Begins in the Mouth Through the Esophagus, Stomach, Small Intestine, Liver, Pancreas Absorbing Digested Foods Interpersonal Relationships Social Acceptance Mental Awareness Spiritual Warfare
Arithmetic	Place value of whole numbers and decimals Mastery of fundamental operations Story problems Problem-solving strategies Roman numerals Measuring to the quarter inch Calculating time Making change Rounding off whole numbers, money, decimals, and mixed numbers English and metric measures	Divisibility rules Probability Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division involving decimals Introduction to percents Reading a thermometer Negative temperature Converting from a Celsius scale to a Fahrenheit scale and from a Fahrenheit scale to a Celsius scale Solving algebraic equations Graphs and scale drawings Graphing ordered pairs

Converting measures within the same system and solving measurement equations
Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division involving fractions
Finding parts of a whole
Factoring

Reading schedules and charts
Basic geometric shapes
Perimeter and area
Squares and square roots
Estimation

Bible Lessons such as Salvation Series, Life of Moses, Tabernacle, Joshua, Judges, Ruth, Jonah, Samuel, David (includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible doctrine)

6 Sixth Grade

Language
Arts

Reading and Literature
Oral reading
Reading comprehension
Speed reading
Vocabulary building
Dictionary skills

Penmanship
Review of cursive writing formation
Practice penmanship through creative writing and word exercises

Spelling and Poetry
Weekly word lists by prefixes, suffixes, and root words
Vocabulary study from the word lists
Eight poems committed to memory
Dictionary skills

Language
Writing Process
Writing, comparison/contrasts, poetry, outlines, library research paper, narration, journal
Sentences and sentence parts
Fragments, run-ons
Punctuation and capitalization rules
Library skills
Student Writers' Handbook

Grammar
Recognizing, diagraming, and using all eight parts of speech

History and
Geography

Advanced map studies
Geography facts, including the 50 states
Eight documents reviewed
North America
Canada
United States
Mexico and Central America

South America: Continent of Natural Resources, Nations of South America
United States History: The Colonial Heritage,
New World's First Republic, U.S. in the Twentieth Century

Science

Plants

Earth and Space

Plentiful Plants
Animals
Observing Invertebrates

Our Fascinating Earth
God's Great Universe
Exploring Space

Chemistry
Matter and Chemistry (atoms, elements,
and compounds)

Health
Safety First
First Steps of First Aid
Your Changing Body
An Active Lifestyle
Your Body's Defenses
Your Communication System
Drugs—Use and Abuse
A Healthy Spirit

Anatomy
Endocrine System
Respiratory System
Muscular System
Skeletal System
Lymphatic System
Nervous System
Skin

Arithmetic
Place value of whole numbers and
decimals
Maintaining skills in fundamental
operations
Story problems/ Problem-solving
strategies
Roman numerals
Rounding off
English and metric measures
Converting measures within the
same system and solving
measurement equations
Adding, subtracting, and
multiplying measures
Prime factoring
Fundamental operations involving
fractions and decimals
Estimation
Ratios and proportion

Percent
Probability
Graphs and scale drawing/ Introduction to
statistics
Basic geometric shapes
Perimeter, area, and circumference
Bisecting angles
Reading thermometers
Converting Celsius to Fahrenheit and
Fahrenheit to Celsius
Equation solving/ Introduction to basic
algebra
Latitude, longitude, and time zones
Banking, finding interest, and installment
buying
Reading electric and gas meters

Bible
Lessons such as Salvation Series, Life of Christ, Parables, Elijah, Elisha, Daniel,
Ezra/ Nehemiah, Esther (includes memory verses, hymns/choruses, and Bible
doctrine)

7 Seventh Grade

Language
Arts
Grammar
Capitalization rules
Punctuation rules

Book reports
Research paper
Writing style

	<p>Kinds of sentences and diagraming Eight parts of speech and their uses Diagraming eight parts of speech Sentence structure</p> <p>Composition The writing process Outlining The library Summaries</p>	<p>Letter writing</p> <p>Vocabulary, Spelling, Poetry Vocabulary lessons Weekly spelling lessons Eight poems memorized</p> <p>Literature Reading for enjoyment stories and poems by such authors as Frost, Dickinson, Kipling, Bunyan, Alcott, Luther, Dickens, Defoe</p>
History and Geography	<p>The Beginning From Sumer to Canaan Down to Egypt Israel and Its Land According to His Will Greece: A Drama in Two Acts Rome before Christ Rome after Christ Early Church History Islam versus Christendom From Empire to Feudalism An Age of Darkness The Protestant Reformation Post-Reformation Europe</p>	<p>The English Nation An Age of Exploration The United States France in the Modern Age Science & Industry in the Modern Age The New World of Classics The British Empire World War I and the Rise of Communism Before and During World War II The Cold War Era Era of Change Eastern Hemisphere Geography Parliamentary procedure Current events</p>
Science	<p>Invitation to Science Plants: Provision for Life Your Wonderful Body Introduction to Physical Science The Amazing Atmosphere</p>	<p>Knowing the Weather The Science of Classification Through the Microscope Science and Creation Insects and Other Arthropods</p>
Health	<p>The New You: Social and Mental Health Personal Appearance: An Expression of the Real You</p>	<p>Drug Abuse: It's Deadly Spiritual Fitness: It's Your Choice</p>
Sex Education from the Bible	<p>Morality Dating and marriage Sins such as adultery, fornication, and homosexuality</p>	
Mathematics	<p>Maintaining skills in fundamental operations (see grades 4–6) Fractions and decimals</p>	<p>Basic geometric concepts Development and use of formulas Reading and constructing graphs</p>

Factoring
Problem-solving strategies
Factorial
Ratio and proportion
Application of percent
Personal finances
Metric system
Probability

Introduction to statistics
Introduction to algebra
Negative numbers
Powers and roots
Time zones, latitude, and longitude
Introduction to plane and solid geometry
Pythagorean rule
Sine, cosine, tangent

Bible Study series: Exodus, Life of Christ
(includes memory verses and hymns)

8 Eighth Grade

Language
Arts

Grammar
Capitalization rules
Punctuation rules
Kinds of sentences and diagraming
Eight parts of speech and their uses
Diagraming eight parts of speech
Sentence structure

Composition
Manuscript form
The writing process
The library
Outlining
Summaries
Book reports
Paragraphs
Descriptions

Research paper
Writing style

Vocabulary, Spelling, Poetry
Vocabulary lessons
Weekly spelling lessons
Nine poems memorized

Literature
Reading for enjoyment stories and poems
by such
authors as Stuart, Whittier, Longfellow,
Frost, Browning, Hawthorne, Sandburg

History

A New World to Explore
The First English Colonies
New Colonies
Life in Colonial America
Preparation for Independence
Home of the Brave
Land of the Free
From the Appalachians to the
Rockies
The Jacksonian Era
The Blessings of Technology
The Second Great Awakening and
Its Impact
Education and Culture
The Promise of the West

The Civil War and Reconstruction
The Age of Industry
The Gilded Age
Growing into Greatness
Into the Twentieth Century
The Rise of Big Government
A World at War
Time for Freedom and Responsibility
Troubled Times for America
Which Way, America?
Western Hemisphere Geography
Current events
National, State, and Local Government

Science	Consider the Heavens Man and the Universe Solid Matter in Motion Fluids in Motion Heat Molecules in Motion	Birds: Efficiency in Motion Science vs. Evolution Magnets and Magnetism Electrons and Electricity
Health	Physical Fitness: The Active Life Good Nutrition: Eating for Energy Disease: Today's Battle against It	Safety First: Then Basic Aid Spiritual Growth: A Personal Challenge Sex Education from the Bible (see seventh grade)
Mathematics	Pre-Algebra Maintaining skills in fundamental operations (see grades 4–7) Principles of mathematics English and metric measures Basic algebraic concepts Signed numbers Powers and roots Like and unlike terms Multiplying and dividing monomials Problem-solving strategies Word problems solved algebraically Reading and constructing graphs Graphical scale drawings	Statistics and probability Business math Earning income Banking Stocks and bonds Insurance Basic plane and solid geometric concepts Properties of geometric figures Constructing geometric figures Perimeter, area, surface area, and volume Pythagorean rule Sine, cosine, and tangent Scientific notation
Bible	Study series: Journeys of Paul, Joshua, Judges (includes memory verses and hymns)	