

### LANGUAGE ARTS

#### Reading and Literature

- Oral reading
- Reading comprehension
- Speed reading
- Vocabulary building

### PENMANSHIP

- Review of cursive writing formation through skill practice, word games, original composition, and sentence dictation

### SPELLING AND POETRY

- Weekly word lists based on phonics and spelling rules, challenging words, and vocabulary
- Reinforcement activities
- Six poems committed to memory

### LANGUAGE

- Writing Process
- Sentence structure, Kinds of sentences,
- Punctuation, Capitalization facts, words
- Letters—business, friendly, post cards, thank-you notes
- Gathering information
- Writing with details
- Writing an encyclopedia report
- Writing book reports
- Creative writing
- Dictionary skills
- Grammar
- Recognizing and using all eight parts of speech
- Diagramming verbs, nouns, pronouns, adjectives, adverbs
- Correctly using troublesome words

### HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY

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

### SCIENCE

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

### HEALTH

- Physical Fitness
- Your Body Framework
- The Muscle Builder
- Your Breathing Machine
- Personal Hygiene
- A Winning Smile
- Your Body Cover
- 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

### BIBLE

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

### FINE ARTS

- Music
- Music Theory/ Art