# 2020-2021 St. James Episcopal School Curriculum Map <br> Pre-Kindergarten 

| Quarter | Language Arts | Math /Writing | Science | Social Studies | Other |
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| $1^{\text {st }}$ | - Nursery Rhymes <br> - The Lion \& the Mouse <br> - The Gingerbread Man <br> - Alphabet song <br> - friends' names <br> - labels <br> Oral Language <br> - name basic shapes <br> - opposites (quantity \& size) <br> - quantity words <br> - listen to scene \& recreate <br> Print Awareness: Parts of a Book <br> Listening <br> - listen to fiction for 30 minutes <br> - listen to non-fiction for 15 minutes <br> Reading Comprehension <br> - Sequence 3-5 events from a story. <br> - Answer who, what, when, where, why questions. <br> - Use cover and illustration cues to locate books about certain topics. <br> Phonemic Awareness <br> - beginning sounds <br> - sounds of phonograms. <br> - letter names <br> - Blend compound words. <br> Writing <br> - Write first name. <br> - Use correct pencil grip. <br> - Trace shapes. <br> - Draw and use motifs. <br> - Write to communicate | Classifying \& Sorting <br> - Classify by color and shape. <br> - Label a shared characteristic of group of objects or pictures. <br> - Select picture according to description <br> - Classify by size, function, and other conceptual categories. <br> - represent objects and pictures on simple graphs <br> - compare the number of objects in different categories <br> - select picture according to description <br> - compare quantities of two groups <br> - Seriate at least three items by length, height, or size in ascending or descending order. | Scientific Reasoning Cycle <br> - reflect \& ask <br> - plan \& predict <br> - act \& observe <br> - report \& reflect <br> Understanding the Living <br> World <br> - sense organs \& body parts <br> - heart <br> - lungs <br> - human characteristics, needs and development <br> Understanding the Physical <br> World <br> - air <br> - seasons <br> weather | Orientation in Time <br> - Name birthday. <br> - Personal timeline <br> - Characteristics of Seasons <br> - Use temporal words. <br> Calendar Skills <br> - days of week <br> - yesterday/tomorrow <br> - holidays <br> - birthday <br> - weekend <br> Sequencing <br> - use schedule <br> - 3-5 events that have been experienced <br> Orientation in Space <br> - Complete simple mazes. <br> - Match symmetrical halves. <br> Map Skills <br> - points on a grid <br> - trace path on picture with landmarks <br> - mark location on a simple map <br> - mark path on a map <br> - name Corpus Christi, Texas and United States <br> - Identify a globe by name, indicating land and water <br> Copy/Reproduce <br> - a tower | Visual Arts <br> - matching images \& games <br> - Discuss Special Moment by Emilie Munier <br> - Create art in the style of Head of Man by Paul Klee <br> Music <br> - Listen to pairs of sounds and identify as same or different. <br> - Listen to pairs of sounds and identify as same or different. <br> - identify people by voice <br> - imitate clapping patterns <br> Bible <br> - The Story \& the Song <br> - The Beginning <br> - The Terrible Lie <br> - A New Beginning (Noah's Ark) <br> - Abraham <br> - The Forgiving Prince (Joseph) <br> - Moses <br> - Ten Commandments <br> - Joshua and the Battle of Jericho <br> Themes <br> - School <br> - Five Senses <br> - Body \& Emotions <br> - Exercise <br> - Nutrition |


|  |  |  |  | Autonomy <br> - know school personnel <br> - draw person <br> - identify emotions <br> - dressing self <br> Important People <br> - Betsy Ross <br> Sonia Sotomayor |  |
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| $2^{\text {nd }}$ | Continue Quarter 1 Objectives. <br> - Use telephone listing. <br> - Follow illustrated directions. <br> - Town Mouse, Country Mouse <br> - nursery rhymes <br> Oral Language <br> - memorize address, phone number and birthday <br> - offer and request assistance <br> - past and future tenses <br> - different points of view <br> - different possibilities <br> Reading Comprehension <br> - retell a story with characters, setting, plot, sequence, and ending <br> - provide appropriate ending to a story <br> - Read" or tell a story based on the illustrations of an unfamiliar book <br> Print Awareness <br> - directionality <br> Phonemic Awareness <br> - Blend compound words. <br> - Blend syllables. | Counting <br> - count to 30 <br> - Name quantity of set. <br> - count groups of objects <br> - count to answer "how many" one-to-one correspondence through 10 <br> - Given an oral number, create group. <br> - Construct a collection of objects so that it has the same number of objects in another group. <br> - one-to-one correspondence through 10 <br> - use $1^{\text {st }}-5^{\text {th }}$ <br> - Count on from a given number <br> - instant recognition through 5 <br> Numerals <br> - arrange \#1-6 sequentially <br> - Compare pairs of numerals. (TM: compare the number of objects in different categories) <br> - trace and write numerals <br> - relate numerals and quantities <br> - associate quantities and pictorial Touch Points and Touch Points | Scientific Reasoning Cycle <br> - reflect \& ask <br> - plan \& predict <br> - act \& observe <br> - report \& reflect <br> Tools <br> - cooking tools <br> - scissors <br> - stapler <br> - needle and thread <br> - nail \& hammer <br> - shovel \& trowel <br> - watering can \& hose <br> Understanding the Physical <br> World <br> - water <br> - seasons <br> - weather | $\underline{\text { Orientation in Time }}$ <br> - seasons <br> - family tree <br> Calendar Skills <br> - days of week <br> - yesterday/tomorrow <br> - holidays \& birthday <br> - identify a week, day $\&$ month <br> - weekend <br> Sequencing <br> - use schedule <br> - 3-5 events that have been experienced <br> - Sequence steps of a project <br> History <br> - match contemporary items with objects from the past <br> - Distinguish objects of more "recent past" from objects of "distant past." <br> - Consider photos of activities from past to present. <br> Autonomy <br> - Memorize birthday, address, and phone number. | Visual Arts <br> - Play Concentration <br> - Sew <br> - Cut <br> - Sculpt <br> - Create collective work of art. <br> - Discuss The Old Stage Coach by Johnson <br> - Create art in the style of Broadway Boogie Woogie by Mondrian <br> Music <br> - Listen to environmental sounds presented as a sound story and describe events. <br> - Imitate sequence of 3+ sounds made by more than one instrument. <br> - Sing a round for two or more groups. <br> Bible <br> - David <br> - The Servant Girl \& Naaman <br> - Daniel <br> - God's Messenger <br> - He's Here! <br> - The Light of the Whole World <br> - The King of All Kings <br> - Heaven Breaks Through |


|  | - Count syllables. <br> - Delete a word from a compound word. <br> - Determine if words rhyme. <br> - Write about cooking or an experiment. <br> Spalding penmanship | Comparing <br> - identify more or less <br> - compare quantities of two groups |  | - Choose a toy or activity independently for at least 20 minutes <br> - Complete an activity or project with a partner or group <br> Important People <br> - Pilgrims \& Native Americans | Themes <br> - nutrition <br> - friends \& family <br> - Thanksgiving <br> - Christmas <br> - communities |
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| $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Continue Quarter 1 \& 2 <br> Objectives. <br> - Nursery Rhymes <br> - Thumbelina <br> - Little Red Hen <br> - Why Flies Buzz <br> - Three Little Pigs <br> Oral Language <br> - Combine simple sentences using "but" and "or." <br> - Simple telephone conversation <br> - Describe future event or task. <br> - Give simple, multi-step directions. <br> Comprehension <br> - predict events in story <br> - provide appropriate ending to a story <br> Phonemic Awareness <br> - blend onset and rime (TX) <br> - Blend sounds into a CV or CVC word. <br> - Delete a syllable from a word. <br> - Indicate number of phonemes. <br> - Generate a rhyming word. | Counting <br> - count from a given number <br> - play a simple game with a pawn <br> - Compose and decompose numbers through 10 <br> Patterns <br> - 2-part patterns <br> Operations <br> - put together and take away <br> - represent addition and subtraction <br> - put together and take away <br> - Add or subtract problems represented by numerals 1 - 6. <br> - solve and create oral word problems <br> - divide ten objects into equal groups (TX) <br> Geometry <br> - model and compose simple shapes <br> - describe and compare 2-D objects <br> - use location words <br> - name shapes <br> - create shapes <br> - experiment with flips, slides, and turns <br> - knows square is a special | Scientific Reasoning Cycle <br> - reflect \& ask <br> - plan \& predict <br> - act \& observe <br> - report \& reflect <br> Tools <br> - cooking tools <br> - scissors <br> - stapler <br> - needle and thread <br> - nail \& hammer <br> - shovel \& trowel <br> - watering can $\&$ hose <br> Understanding the Physical World <br> - air <br> - seasons <br> - weather <br> Understanding the Living World <br> - animal characteristics, needs, and development <br> - plant characteristics, needs, and growth | Orientation in Time <br> - seasons <br> - temporal words <br> Calendar Skills <br> - continue Quarter 2 skills <br> Sequencing <br> - use schedule <br> - 3-5 events that have been experienced <br> - century-long timeline <br> Orientation in Space <br> Location Skills <br> - Situate self or others according to spatial terms. <br> -Follow or give directions to change locations <br> Copy/Reproduce <br> - color squares on a blank grid to reproduce design <br> Important People <br> - Martin Luther King, Jr. <br> - George Washington <br> - Abraham Lincoln <br> - Barack Obama <br> - Sally Ride <br> Autonomy <br> - board games <br> - multi-step directions | Visual Arts <br> - Discuss Noah's Ark by Hicks <br> - Create art in the style of Blue Hippo, The Snail by Matisse and Rhythm by Delauney <br> - describe own art-materials and techniques <br> - staple <br> Music <br> - Identify and associate sounds with objects and instruments. <br> - vocal or instrumental maintain beat with adult <br> Bible <br> - Jesus calls disciples. <br> - A Little Girl \& a Poor Frail Lady <br> - Lord's Prayer <br> - Captain of the Storm <br> - The Friend of Children <br> - Zaccheus <br> - Prodigal Son <br> - Washed with Tears <br> Themes <br> - Animals <br> - mammals <br> - reptiles |


|  | Writing <br> - Make up and tell a story. <br> - Use invented spelling. <br> Spalding penmanship | rectangle (TX-K) <br> - describe and compare 3-D shapes <br> - identify 3-D shapes <br> - model and compose 3-D shapes <br> Data \& Probability simple bar graphs |  | - Attempt to solve problems or conflicts using words. Describe and evaluate one's own work, identify and correct errors, and refine work. | - fish <br> - birds <br> - insects <br> - Plants, flowers, trees |
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| $4^{\text {th }}$ | Continue Quarter 1, 2 \& 3 Objectives. <br> - Nursery Rhymes <br> - Goldilocks \& the Three Bears <br> - How Turtle Cracked His Shell <br> Oral Language <br> - express personal opinion <br> - give directions for "how to" <br> Comprehension <br> - listen to a book with no or minimal illustrations for 15 minutes <br> Spalding penmanship | Counting <br> - Count forward and backward from 20 <br> - Read, write and represent whole numbers through 20 <br> - Find the number that is 1 less or 1 more <br> - Count to 100 by 1's and 10's and recognize patterns <br> Measurement <br> - Compare length, height, volume. <br> - use straight edge to compare length and height <br> - Use tool of measurement to compare length and height. <br> - Compare mass, temperature, large-small, wide-narrow, thick-thin. <br> Money <br> - Indicate that one dollar bill has more value <br> - Identify and count pennies. <br> - identify a quarter <br> Fractions <br> - Divide something in half. <br> - identify equal and unequal groups and parts | Scientific Reasoning Cycle <br> - reflect \& ask <br> - plan \& predict <br> - act \& observe <br> - report \& reflect <br> Tools <br> - cooking tools <br> - scissors <br> - stapler <br> - needle and thread <br> - nail \& hammer <br> - shovel \& trowel <br> - watering can \& hose <br> Understanding the Physical <br> World <br> - taking care of earth: conservation, reducing, reusing, recycling <br> - magnetism | Orientation in Time <br> - seasons <br> - temporal words <br> Calendar Skills <br> - continue Quarter 2 and 3 skills <br> Sequencing <br> - use schedule <br> Orientation in Space <br> Identify <br> - forest <br> - jungle <br> - desert <br> Copy/Reproduce <br> - color squares on a blank grid to reproduce design <br> - continue a linear friezelike pattern of symbols on a grid <br> Autonomy organize and plan what is needed to carry out a project | Visual Arts <br> - Create art in the style of People and Dog in Sun by Miro <br> Music <br> Move to music carrying out a sequence of choreographed steps or movements to music. <br> Bible <br> - The Servant King <br> - A Dark Night in the Garden <br> - The Sun Stops Shining <br> - God's Wonderful Surprise <br> - Going Home <br> - God Sends Help <br> - A New Way to See <br> - A Dream of Heaven <br> Themes <br> - Habitats <br> - forest <br> - pond <br> - desert <br> - ocean <br> - Easter |

Bold print indicates a standard that supplements the Core Knowledge Preschool, and may be from TEKS, Touch Point Math, Spalding or The Jesus Storybook Bible: Every Story Whispers His Name.

