

2020 - 2021 St. James Episcopal School Curriculum Map

Third Grade

Quarter	Language Arts	Grammar/Writing	Math	Science	Social Studies
1 st	Review Depth & Complexity Fiction/nonfiction stories Literary terms Novel: <i>Ramona</i> <i>Quimby, Age 8</i> Spalding phonics/spelling	Review complete sentences, nouns, verbs, adjectives, commas, capitalization, apostrophes, end punctuation Identify 4 types of sentences Narrative writing	Numbers & Number Sense- Place value, rounding Computation Addition & Subtraction	Investigating Forces Forces & Motions Friction is a Force Predicting Motion Magnetism	World Geography Spatial Sense Geographical terms and Features Canada Important Rivers of the World
2 nd	Roman/Viking Fiction & Myths Literary Terms Novel: <i>The Cricket in Times Square</i> Spalding phonics/spelling Wordly Wise vocabulary	Pronouns Helping verbs Dictionary use Book reports/friendly letters	Numbers and Number Sense Bar & line graphs, probability for a single event Money Write amounts, make change, add & subtract amounts Computation Multiplication & division basic facts, multiply by 10, 100, & 1,000 Geometry	Life Cycles, Traits, Variations Organisms Have Life Cycles Organisms Have Traits Environment Affects Traits Advantages of Specific Variations	Ancient Rome Geography of the Mediterranean Region Background/The Empire The "Decline & Fall" of Rome Vikings
3 rd	Poetry Literary terms Novel: <i>Thanksgiving on Thursday</i> Spalding phonics/spelling Wordly Wise vocabulary	Adverbs Dictionary use Poetry	Fractions and decimals Computation Multiply & divide by 2-digit numbers Time	Weather and Climate Earth's Atmosphere Wind Weather & Climate Hazardous Weather	The Earliest Americans Native Americans Exploration of North America Spanish Exploration and Settlement Explorer Project
4 th	Fiction/nonfiction stories Literary terms Nonfiction: <i>A Day in the Life of a Pilgrim Boy/Girl</i> Spalding phonics/spelling Wordly wise vocabulary	Commas, apostrophes, Double negatives Descriptive writing	Number Sense Negative numbers Measurement Capacity, weight, area, linear measurement Money Divide and multiply	Habitats and Change Living things & environment Ecosystems How organisms & environments change	Thirteen Colonies Geography Southern Colonies New England Colonies Mid Atlantic Colonies Williamsburg Project