

# Grade 2

## Scope and Sequence



### Language Arts

#### Phonics and Reading

Review of vowels, consonants, blends, one and two vowel words, consonant blends  
Recognition and use of all phonics and 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

#### Spelling and Poetry

Weekly phonics-based word list  
Vocabulary words and definitions – second semester  
Weekly test  
Reinforcement activities  
Spelling glossary  
Seven poems committed to memory

#### Language

Proper use of capitalization  
Correct punctuation at the end of sentences  
Complete sentences, questions, and exclamations  
Words using suffixes, prefixed, abbreviations, compound words, rhyming  
Words, opposite words, same-meaning words, singular and plural,  
Writing of complete sentences, questions, exclamations, and short stories  
Singular possessive words and contractions  
Alphabetizing words and other dictionary skills  
Word usage rules  
Writing letters and thank-you notes  
Creative writing

### Arithmetic

Number recognition, counting, and writing 1-10,000 and beyond  
Greatest and least 1-1,000  
Counting and writing to hundred thousands, threes to 36, fours to 48  
Ordinal numbers, Roman numerals  
Addition facts through 18, column and four-digit addition with carrying  
Subtraction facts through 18, four-digit subtraction with borrowing  
Multiplication facts 0-5, Division facts 1-5  
Story problems, Estimation, Multiple combinations  
Rounding Numbers before and after by 1's, 2's, 3's, 4's, 5's, 10's  
Counting and combining coins and bills, Place value to thousands  
Telling time to the nearest minute, Calendars  
English and some metric measures  
Drawing and measuring lines to one-half inch  
Developing listening skills  
Making change, Reading a thermometer  
Unit fractions  
Reading pictographs, bar and line graphs

### History and Geography

#### America, Our Home

Our Flag  
Our Patriotic Holidays  
Our Songs

#### The People Who Built America

The Separatists	America's Pioneers
America's Indians	America's Cowboys
The Colonists	The New Americans

### Bible

Veritas Press Bible Curriculum Survey  
Genesis – Joshua  
Weekly memory verses

### Science

#### Energy and Matter

Enjoying the Air Around Us  
Enjoying Things That Move

#### Animals

Enjoying the Animal World

#### Plants

Enjoying the Plant World

#### Earth and Space

Enjoying our Earth and Sky

#### Conservation

Enjoying Things That Work Together

### Health, Safety & Manners

#### Health

Posture – Nutrition – Exercise – Rest – Cleanliness

#### Safety

At home and away from home  
On streets, playgrounds, water

#### Manners

Politeness – Kindness – Cheerfulness – Respect –  
Thoughtfulness – thankfulness – Patience – Table and  
telephone manners