

YADKIN VALLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL



CURRICULUM: KINDERGARTEN

LANGUAGE ARTS and SOCIAL STUDIES

Letter Sounds and Shapes

Family

Emotions

Local Community

Stories and Poetry

Pre-Reading

- Correct Pronunciation
- Appropriate Story Read
- Express Ideas Orally
- Consonant Sounds
- Short Vowel Sounds
- Duplicate Picture-Word

Reading

- Blends
- Digraphs
- Long Vowel Patterns
- Other Vowel Patters

Class Nomenclature

General Word Study

Content Areas / Grammar

Developmental Writing

- Tracing Letters

Writing

- Moveable Alphabet, Sentences and Paragraphs
- Simple Sentences
- Short Stories
- Research
- Poetry
- Descriptions

MATH

Numbers

Greater Than and Less Than

Patter Recognition

Geometric Shapes

Length and Height

Sorting

Size Volume Relationships

Decimal System

Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division
Counting and Numbers (Tens, Teens and Hundreds)
Fractions

SCIENCE

Seasons
Weather
Plants and Animals
Senses
Ice Formations

ART

Performing Arts (Music, Dance and Drama)
Visual Arts (2-D and 3-D)

MOVEMENT

Daily Movement (such as games, martial arts, dance, yoga, hikes and walks downtown)

HEALTH

Basics of good health and care of self including nutrition, growth, hygiene, emotions and safety.

OTHER CONCEPTS COVERED INCLUDE:

Care of the Environment
Motor Skills and Control of Movement
Courtesy and Being a Good Citizen

BOOK LIST

Below is a list of possible books for your beginning reader. These are suggestions; the exact reading list would depend on teacher recommendations, child's ability and areas of interest.

Fairy Tales

Mother Goose

Curious George

Madeline

Millions of Cats

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom

Ferdinand

Swimmy

*Eric Carle collections