

Covenant Preschool Four Year Old PreK Curriculum

*Note: Topics in *italics* are covered only in the four day a week PreK class

*Note 2: All four year old students utilize Scholastic Weekly Readers in class

September	October	November
<p>Social Studies: School routines; Friends; Safety</p> <p>Science: Weather chart; Magnets; <i>Dehydration</i></p> <p>Language Arts: Letters & Phonics A, B, C; <i>Manuscript for letters A-C</i></p> <p>Math: Calendar; Review of basic shapes and oval, diamond, star & heart; Time concepts (before, after, always sometimes, never); Date of birth</p> <p>Spiritual: God Loves You; Story of Creation</p>	<p>Social Studies: Cultural Diversity; Community Helpers; Columbus Day; Geographic Concepts – city/state/country where you live; <i>My Community</i>; Halloween Safety</p> <p>Science: Season of Fall; Squirrels; Apples/Pumpkins</p> <p>Language Arts: Left to right progression in reading; Directional words; Same/different; Letters & Phonics D, E, F, G; <i>Manuscript for letters D-G</i></p> <p>Math: Review of basic shapes and oval, diamond, star & heart; Counting 0-10; Cardinal and Ordinal numbers; <i>memorizing a parent's phone number</i></p> <p>Spiritual: Story of Abraham & Sarah</p> <p>Special Events: Career Day, Firefighter's Visit; Amazing Apples (make your own apple cider) Day; Pumpkin Patch Party</p>	<p>Social Studies: Harvest time; First Thanksgiving; Pilgrims and Native Americans; Traditional Foods; <i>Election Day (if an election year)</i></p> <p>Science: Turkeys; Corn; Sink/Float experiment; Cooking Projects – making butter; making cornbread; making popcorn</p> <p>Language Arts: Same/different; Directional and Positional words; Letters & Phonics H, I, J; <i>Manuscript for letters H-J</i></p> <p>Math: Classification by color; Counting and Number Recognition 0-15; Cardinal and Ordinal numbers*; Complex shapes – pentagon, hexagon, octagon, crescent; <i>memorizing a parent's telephone number</i></p> <p>Spiritual: Being thankful; Helping those in need; Story of David & Goliath</p> <p>Special Events: Donuts with Dad; Community Service Project – Placemats</p> <p>*Scott Foresman PreK Math Curriculum, Unit 1, Chapters 1, 2, 3</p>
<p>December</p> <p>Social Studies: Christmas; Hanukkah and Kwanzaa; Christmas Around the World</p> <p>Science: Evergreen, holly, mistletoe; First Day of Winter</p> <p>Language Arts: Listening to a story for a purpose; Matching; Name Recognition; Letters & Phonics K, L, M; <i>Manuscript for letters K-M</i></p> <p>Math: Quantitative concepts; Review complex shapes; Spatial sense and geometric reasoning*; Number recognition & counting 0-20</p> <p>Spiritual: True meaning of Christmas; The Christmas Story; Jesus is God's Special Gift</p> <p>Special Events: Making Gingerbread Houses; Christmas Sing</p> <p>*Scott Foresman PreK Math Curriculum, Unit 3, Chapters 1 & 2</p>	<p>January</p> <p>Social Studies: New Year's Day; Martin Luther King Jr.</p> <p>Science: Color Paddles; Season of Winter; Snow/snowflakes; Temperature and thermometer; Hibernation; Migration; Freezing/Melting experiments; <i>Water – Absorption; Condensation; Evaporation</i></p> <p>Language Arts: Opposites; Fine Motor skills; Rhyming words; Letters & Phonics N, O, P & Q; <i>Manuscript for letters N-Q</i>; Name recognition</p> <p>Math: Numeral recognition and counting 0-20; Review of basic & complex shapes; Classification by size, weight, shape; Graphs – picture & bar; <i>memorizing a parent's phone number</i></p> <p>Spiritual: Story of Jesus' Miracles – Jesus helps & heals; Jesus feeds 5,000 people</p>	<p>February</p> <p>Social Studies: Valentine's Day; George Washington and Abraham Lincoln; Our Flag; Pledge of Allegiance</p> <p>Science: Five Senses; Groundhog Day; Shadows/flashlight experiment; Dental Health</p> <p>Language Arts: Fine Motor Skills; Story sequencing; Rhyming words; Letters & Phonics R, S, T, U; <i>Manuscript for letters R-U</i></p> <p>Math: Scales (weights/balancing); Small, little, medium, large & big; Numeral Recognition 0-25; Classification by size, weight, shape; Patterns*; <i>memorizing a parent's phone number</i></p> <p>Spiritual: Jesus' Miracles</p> <p>Special Events: Valentine's Day Party; Visit from a dentist</p> <p>*Scott Foresman PreK Math Curriculum, Unit 4, Chapters 1, 2, 3</p>

<p>March</p> <p>Social Studies: St. Patrick’s Day; <i>I’m Special</i></p> <p>Science: Life cycle of a chick (hatching live chicks from eggs); Season of spring; Wind; Planting of seeds; Parts of a plant; Human life cycle; Nutrition – Food Pyramid; Basic Anatomy of heart and lungs</p> <p>Language Arts: Full name recognition; Story sequencing; Letters & Phonics V, W, X; <i>Manuscript for letters V-X</i></p> <p>Math: Measurements – Length, capacity, cups, teaspoons, tablespoons, ruler, yardstick, tape measure*; Numeral recognition 0-25; Patterns; Draw simple geometric shapes</p> <p>Spiritual: Story of Paul & Silas</p> <p>Special Events: Dr. Seuss Day</p> <p>*Scott Foresman PreK Math Curriculum, Unit 6, Chapters 1, 2, 3</p>	<p>April</p> <p>Social Studies: Easter; Transportation</p> <p>Science: Growth of plants; Life cycle of a butterfly (cocoon to live butterflies); Human life cycle; Earth Day; <i>Arbor Day</i></p> <p>Language Arts: Printing first name (draw self); Kindergarten sight words; Full name recognition; Letters & Phonics Y & Z; <i>Manuscript for letters Y & Z</i></p> <p>Math: Numeral recognition 0-30; One to one correspondence*; Money</p> <p>Spiritual: Jesus’ Death and resurrection</p> <p>Special Events: Reptile Wonders Presentation</p> <p>*Scott Foresman PreK Math Curriculum, Unit 1, Chapters 4 &5</p>	<p>May</p> <p>Social Studies: Mother’s Day; Memorial Day; Kindergarten; <i>May Day</i></p> <p>Science: Life cycle of a butterfly continued (cocoon to live butterflies); Insects; <i>Solar System</i></p> <p>Language Arts: Printing first name; Kindergarten sight words; Random alphabet recognition; <i>Eric Carle Storybook Unit</i></p> <p>Math: Numeral Recognition 0-30; <i>Counting 0-30</i>; Arithmetic reasoning*</p> <p>Spiritual: Biblical Mothers</p> <p>Special Events: Mother’s Day Tea and Spring Sing</p> <p>*Scott Foresman PreK Math Curriculum, Unit 2, Chapters 1 &2</p>
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