

# Primary School Curriculum

## Core Subject Content and Skills:

- Introductory Bible Survey
- Language Arts (Reading, English)
- Mathematics
- Basic Writing
- Science (Earth)
- World History and Geography
- Social Studies (American)
- Fine Arts (Dance, Music, Art, Public Speaking, Choir, Drama)

## Interdisciplinary Themes:

- Global awareness
- Financial, Economic, Business, and Entrepreneurial literacy
- Civic literacy
- Health literacy
- Academic vocabulary
- Digital-Age literacy skills:
  - Online reading skills
  - Introduction to effective research on the Internet
  - Introduction to identify quality information on the web
  - Introduction to identifying bias in the media

## Effective Communication Skills:

- Connecting and working with others via electronic means
- National connections projects

## Learning and Innovation Skills:

- Critical thinking and problem solving: Introduction to engineering concepts and skills; design a school project
- Communication and collaboration: Introduction to web pages and Internet publications
- Creativity and innovation: digital video, photography, art, and music

## Life and Career Skills:

- Flexibility and adaptability

- Initiative and self-direction
- Social and cross-cultural skills
- Productivity and accountability
- Leadership and responsibility

Assessment:

- Performance assessments
- Portfolio assessment
- Assessments that require creative thoughts
- Student goal setting
- Student learning planning
- Student-led conferences