

First Grade

Month	Religion	Language Arts		Social Studies	Science	Math	Projects / Events
		Reading	English				
August	Scripture	Smart Start (review) <i>Pam and Sam</i> <i>I Can, Too!</i> short a	Capitalization Punctuation Word order Personal narrative	Geography	Senses Science Tools Safety	Number line Comparing numbers Calendar	
September	Church Community The Mass	<i>How You Grew</i> <i>Flip</i> <i>Soccer</i> short i, consonant blends	Statements Questions Exclamations Writing sentences	Citizenship	Living Things Environments	Addition and subtraction facts through 10	
October	God Baptism	<i>Animal Moms and Dads</i> <i>Little Red Hen</i> <i>On the Map</i> <i>The Pigs, The Wolf, and the Mud</i> short e,o,u; s/r blends; contractions	Nouns How-to sentences	Map and Globe Skills	Plants Animals	Geometry Fractions	
November	God Made Us Holy We Give Thanks to God	<i>Beth and the Band</i> <i>On My Way to School</i> <i>Smile Mike! A Play</i> digraphs th, sh, ng; short e, o, u; consonant digraphs; blends; soft c and g, -dge; long a (a e); long i (i e)	Capitalization Present-tense verbs Persuasive writing	American Symbols	Matter Solids Liquids Gases	Numbers through 100 Place value	
December	Advent Christmas	<i>Masks! Masks! Masks!</i> <i>Rose Robot Cleans Up</i> <i>Kids Have Fun!</i> silent letters kn, gn, wr; digraphs ch, -tch, wh, ph; three-letter blends; long o (o e), u (u e), e (e e)	Past-tense and future-tense verbs Contractions	American Holidays and Heroes	Energy Electricity Heat Light Sound	Ordinal numbers	Hour of Code Gingerbread Community
January	Jesus The Eucharist	<i>Drake's Tail</i> <i>Gram and Me</i> <i>Cesar Chavez</i> long a (ai, ay); long e (e, ee, ea, ie); long o (o, oa, ow, oe)	Inflectional endings Two-syllable words	Communities of the Past	Earth and Sky Landforms and Bodies of Water Rocks and Soil Natural Resources	Time Money	100th Day
February	Forgiveness	<i>The Kite (from Days with Frog and Toad)</i> <i>Animal Teams</i> <i>Kitten's First Full Moon</i> long i (i, y, igh, ie); long e (e, ey); long o; long a; r-controlled vowels (er, ir, ur)	Commas Apostrophes Adverbs Adjectives Writing poetry	Transportation	The Sun Day and Night	Addition and subtraction facts through 18	
March	Lent Saints Holy People	<i>Meet Ben Franklin</i> <i>Stormy Weather</i> <i>Happy Fall!</i> r-controlled vowels (ar, or, oar, ore); vowel digraph ea as short e (bread); vowel diphthongs (ou, ow); (oi, oy)	Abbreviations Adjectives Synonyms and Antonyms Prefixes Prepositions Prepositional phrases	Cultures	Weather Water Cycle Seasons	Measurement Temperature	
April	Holy Week Easter	<i>A Tiger Cub Grows Up</i> <i>Olivia</i> <i>Whistle for Willie</i> <i>Cool Jobs</i> diphthongs (ou, oi); r-controlled vowels (or, ar); vowel diphthongs (oo) vowel digraphs (a, au, aw, augh)	Possessives Subjects and Predicates Pronouns Commas in letter writing Write a personal letter	Jobs	Movement Forces Magnets Gravity	Two-digit addition	Grandparents' Day
May	Holy Spirit Pentecost	Statements, Questions, Exclamations Writing sentences	Compound words	Goods and Services	Experimentation	Two-digit subtraction	Class Virtue Mass Field Day Grant's Farm / Whitecliff Park