

K4-4th Grade Class Descriptions Ormond

If you have specific curriculum questions, please reach out to the named teacher privately.

K4 9:00AM-12:00PM

Teacher: Andraia Lee

I'm so excited to teach your children this year! Each week we will work on the following areas: phonics, reading, writing, math, and social studies. An example of our day will go as follows. Circle Time: Welcome/Greetings, calendar, letter of the day (as we progress in the year it will be sight word of the day), review our days of the week, months of the year, seasons, and counting. This will typically be followed with a worksheet that goes along with either our letter or sight word of the day as well as journal work. We will then work in our Letters and Sounds book and do small groups in which I will take one or two students at a time and work individually while the rest of the class has centers and stations set up throughout the room that will focus on our lesson.

Snack: Students will provide their own snack and I will read a book or they will watch a short video that correlates with our lesson. Wednesdays we will do a show n tell at this time.

Social Studies: Our main focus will be the following concepts: Becoming a good citizen, learning our Pledge of Allegiance, community helpers, States, Continents, and Countries around the World, the environment, culture, and religion of different people groups. Each day we will do one lesson in our books.

Math: We end each day with our math curriculum. We begin with large group activities in our books and on the white board followed with individual work and small group lessons as needed.

Goals. By the end of the year our class goal will be to know our alphabet, sounds, sight words with some reading, counting to 100 (by 1's, 5's and 10's) basic addition and subtraction.

Curriculum: TBD

Materials: Pencil box filled with 3 sharpened pencils with erasers, washable markers, pack of crayons, colored pencils, scissors, and glue stick. One pocket folder. Manuscript tablet for journal writing. Water bottle. Please make sure that everything is labeled with your child's name

K5 9:00AM-12:00PM

Teacher: Stephanie Sherry

During our three hours together on Tuesday and Thursday we will focus on Reading, Writing, Phonics, and Math. We will reinforce daily lessons by working in smaller groups at various center activities to instill cognitive skills, motor skills, and social skills. These will include many hands-on activities which allow students to enrich their learning, working with others in smaller groups, discover new skills, and sharing. Through weekly Show & Tell, students will build confidence speaking in front of a group. We will use various games to enhance our lessons and

keep learning fun. Various art projects will be included to allow for creativity and special mementos to remember their time in Kindergarten.

By the end of the school year students will know their alphabet, sounds, sight words, how to write letters, and numbers. They will understand counting, simple addition/subtraction, counting by 5's and 10's, and number order (before, between, and after).

Curriculum: Abeka K5 Numbers Skills book
Abeka K5 Letters and Sounds
Abeka Reading Program 1A "Fun with Pets"
Amazon - Learn to Read CVC Words Storybook
(Author Crystal Radke by Rockridge Press 2022)
Amazon - Letter and Number Tracing Book
(Activity Treasures)

Materials: Pencil box that closes well and is large enough to hold pencils, scissors, glue sticks, and crayons. A set of washable colored markers. Each student should have a backpack and insulated, unbreakable, and tight sealing water bottle/thermos. Students will also need a light snack each day.

1st-2nd Grade Reading 9:00AM-10:00AM

Teacher: Melissa Chadwell

This year's goal is to take students on a learning adventure and have fun while doing it! Students will learn to recognize rhyming words, opposite words, same-meaning words, compound words, and contractions. We will learn to become better readers through understanding vocabulary words and checking our comprehension along the way. We will also enjoy reading some fun chapter books throughout the school year.

Curriculum:

Materials:

1st-2nd Grade Math 10:00AM-11:00AM

Teacher: Nancy Trammell

Your child will learn ordinal numbers, addition facts through 13, three-digit addition with carrying, two-digit subtraction, place values, and so much more. The work-text is full of wonderful illustrations that make arithmetic fun while the tests and speed drills book will help your child retain important principles of arithmetic.

Curriculum: Exploring Creating with Mathematics: Apologia 1 Math textbook

Materials: Pencils, Eraser, Colored Pencils/Crayons

1st-2nd Grade Writing 11:00AM-12:00 PM

Teacher: Melissa Chadwell

This class is an introduction to writing where students will learn the foundations to become confident, creative, and expressive writers. Students will study how to model writing and will construct paragraphs and stories from these models. They will also be given the opportunity to read aloud their writing and meet a couple local authors who have written their own books!

Curriculum:

Materials:

1st-2nd Grade Science 1:00PM-2:00PM

Teacher: Ronnie Fedun

This elementary Astronomy science course explores the far reaches of the universe and points students to the God that created it. We will learn about the sun, planets, asteroid belt, dwarf planets, the Kuiper belt galaxies, nebulae, and even black holes as they reveal the marvel and might of our loving Creator.

Curriculum: Please note students will need both the text and the JUNIOR Notebooking journal. <https://www.rainbowresource.com/product/ECAASJ/Exploring-Creation-with-Astronomy-2nd-Edition-Advantage-Set-with-Junior-Notebooking-Journal.html?>

Materials:

1st-2nd Grade History 2:00PM-3:00PM

Teacher: Michele McLean

**O beautiful for spacious skies, For amber waves of grain, For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain!**

Students will journey through the 50 states, learning American geography and history.

Curriculum: Notgrass History 50 States textbook

Materials:

3rd-4th Grade Science 9:00AM-10:00AM

Teacher: Nancy Trammell

Your young explorer will begin by learning about the sun, the planets in our solar system, the stars, galaxies, and space travel. Their awareness of the beauty of the universe and its Creator will expand as they expand their studies to the far reaches of what we can see out in space.

Curriculum: Apologia Exploring Creation with Astronomy Textbook and Junior Notebook Journal (Junior Notebook Journal may not be available on Apologia's website)

Textbook:

<https://www.christianbook.com/apologia-exploring-creation-with-astronomy-textbook/jeannie-fulbright/9781940110585/pd/133436?event=ESRCQ>

Junior Notebook:

<https://www.christianbook.com/apologia-exploring-creation-astronomy-notebooking-journal/jeannie-fulbright/9781940110738/pd/133432?event=ESRCQ>

Materials: Pencils, Colored Pencils, Small 2 Pocket Folder, Loose Paper

3rd-4th Grade Reading 10:00AM-11:00AM

Teacher: Melissa Chadwell

Reading is an adventure! We will prepare our students for higher level thinking as we read through chapter books and focus on vocabulary, main ideas, and details in an organized and fun way! We will also continue to work on spelling lists to promote good reading AND writing.

Curriculum:

Materials:

3rd-4th Grade Math 11:00AM-12:00PM

Teacher: Nancy Trammell

Students in the 3rd grade math will cover whole numbers, fractions, decimals, dollars and cents, time, perimeter, area, temperature, the metric system, and bar and line graphs. Manipulative based learning aids will be used to help reinforce new concepts.

Curriculum: Teaching Textbooks Math 3

<https://www.teachingtextbooks.com/discs-and-books> (Purchase book and answer key only. Parents will keep the answer key.)

Materials: Pencils, Eraser, Ruler, Colored Pencils, Small 2 Pocket Folder, Loose Paper

4th Grade Math 11:00AM-12:00PM

Teacher: Renae Owen

Teaching Textbooks will be used for all the math classes. The hard copy of the textbook will be required for class. It is optional to purchase the 12 month subscription found online on the Teaching Textbooks website. It is extra online material for the lessons. The book should be purchased separately for use in class.

Curriculum: Teaching Textbooks - 4th Grade Math

Materials: Binder, loose leaf paper, pencils

3rd-4th Grade Writing 1:00PM-2:00PM

Teacher: Melissa Chadwell

Students will study how to model writing and will construct paragraphs and stories from these models. This class will also introduce students to the excitement of writing in different genres, including mysteries, science fiction, and nonfiction. Students will learn to plan, create, self-edit, and publish stories and reports.

Curriculum:

Materials:

3rd-4th Grade History 2:00PM-3:00PM

Teacher Nancy Trammell

Our Star-Spangled Story is a one-year course that is centered in God's Word and makes American history exciting. The lessons guide your child chronologically through the history of the United States, highlighting key events, people, and places.

Curriculum: Notgrass Our Star-Spangled Story Curriculum Package (Our Star-Spangled Story Part 1, Our Star-Spangled Story Part 2, Star-Spangled Rhythms and Rhymes, A Star-Spangled Timeline, and My Star-Spangled Student Workbook. It also comes with an answer key which the parent can keep.)

Package:

<https://notgrasshistory.com/collections/our-star-spangled-story/products/our-star-spangled-story-curriculum-package>

Materials: Pencil, Colored Pencils, Small 2 Pocket Folder, Loose Paper
