

Lansing Christian School 3rd Grade Curriculum Map


3rd Grade Curriculum Primary curriculum materials	Quarter 1						Quarter 2				
	August		September		October		November		December	January	
	Mathematics <i>Math Expressions - Houghton Mifflin Harcourt</i>	Multiplication and Division 0-5, 9, and 10				Multiplication and Division 6, 7, 8; Multiply with 10s				Multidigit Addition, Subtraction, and Multiplication	
Reading <i>Wonders by McGraw Hill - Updates In Progress for 24-25</i>	Strong Reading Habits				Character Study; Read-aloud: <i>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory</i> by Roald Dahl				Series Books; Read-aloud from <i>The Chronicles of Narnia</i> by C.S. Lewis		
Writing <i>Wonders by McGraw Hill - Updates In Progress for 24-25</i>	Personal Narrative; Read-aloud: <i>Because of Winn Dixie</i> by Kate DiCamillo								Opinion Essay		
Handwriting Without Tears	Building throughout the year: Cursive writing										
Bible <i>Deep Roots - Defendable Faith Institute</i>	Creation		Creation and the Fall Abraham		Sodom and Gomorrah Inductive Bible study		Abraham and Isaac Jacob and Rachel		The Burning Bush		The Feasts Wilderness Wanderings
Science <i>elevateScience by Savvas - Updates in Progress for 24-25</i>	Engineering				Forces		Motion				Life Cycles
Social Studies <i>Studies Weekly</i>	Michigan History - Exploration, early settlements, Michigan statehood, important events; Read-aloud: <i>Freedom Crossing</i> by Margaret Goff Clark								Geography themes, map skills, regions		
Spanish	Spanish Basics & Hispanic Heritage Month					Prepare for Christmas Program			Clothing, Weather & School-Wide Verse		
PE	Warm-up Activities and Soccer Skills		Soccer Gameplay and Football Skills		Football Gameplay and Frisbee Skills		Frisbee Games and Volleyball Skills		Volleyball Gameplay and Basketball Skills		Basketball Gameplay
Music	Ukulele Chord Basics				Ukulele Strumming Patterns				Christmas performance: - singing technique - Christmas songs - performance etiquette		Ukulele chapels & performances: - worship vs. performance
Art	Self Portrait: Paper Collage				Van Gogh Flowers: Oil Pastels		Clay Nativity scene Piece		Number Creations		Warm and Cool Tree Grid
Technology	Typing						Google Docs				Digital Presentations



The LCS curriculum aligns with established state or national standards in each subject area, including Next Generation Science Standards, Michigan Social Studies Standards, Christian Schools International Bible Standards, and Common Core State Standards in Mathematics and English Language Arts.

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	Quarter 3			Quarter 4		
	January	February	March	April	May	June
Mathematics <i>Math Expressions - Houghton Mifflin Harcourt</i>	Multidigit Addition, Subtraction, and Multiplication	Fractions, Time, and Data	Measurement and Fractions	Word Problems	Geometry	
Reading <i>Wonders by McGraw Hill - Updates In Progress for 24-25</i>	Informational Reading		Research Clubs		Poetry	
Writing <i>Wonders by McGraw Hill - Updates In Progress for 24-25</i>	Informational Report		Literary Essay		Poetry	
Handwriting Without Tears	Building throughout the year: Cursive writing					
Bible <i>Deep Roots - Defendable Faith Institute</i>	Balaam and his Donkey Rahab	Life of Saul David and Goliath	Easter Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego	Daniel in the Lion's Den	A Student of Christ	The Family of God
Science <i>elevateScience by Savvas - Updates in Progress for 24-25</i>	Life Cycles	Organisms and Their Environments	Fossils		Climate	
Social Studies <i>Studies Weekly</i>	Inquiry - Analyzing sources, taking action	Economics - Wants and needs, principles of Economics, Michigan's economy		Civics and Government - Structure, national symbols		
Spanish	Clothing, Weather & School-Wide Verse		Prepare for Creative Arts Night		Prepare for 4th Grade Learning & Review - Beginning to End	
PE	Basketball Gameplay and Hockey Skills	Hockey skills and Hockey Gameplay	Paddle Games	Kickball/Baseball/Softball Skills and gameplay	Invasion Games	Review
Music	Ukulele Tab notation			12 bar blues - improvisation on blues scale - history		
Art	Warm and Cool Tree Grid	Pointillism Butterflies	Monet Bridge and Lilies	Bug design: "How much more does God care about you?"	Piet Mondrian-inspired Painting	Henri Rousseau: Tiger in the Jungle Collage
Technology	Digital Presentations	Digital Citizenship	Coding			

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