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CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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Grade 2  
2021-2022

Welcome to the second grade! This year is certain to be a memorable year of learning and growth. This booklet outlines the scope of our learning for this year and the sequence in which we will be addressing each subject. You will be able to use this guide to follow our path throughout the year.

Our school follows the California state standards and the Core Knowledge standards. Social Studies deals primarily with U.S. history with a section on Asia at the end of the year. Science touches on life science, earth science and physical science. Math takes a unit by unit approach beginning with addition and subtraction and progresses through three-digit numbers, multiplication, and division. In Spelling, the activities each month will be chosen from the concepts listed for that month. In some subjects such as Reading and Writing, similar concepts are taught each month.

The writing process taught includes prewriting, rough draft, revising, editing, publishing, and proof-reading.

Our Bible curriculum is from Concordia and takes us from Creation and the Old Testament to Jesus' life, death, and resurrection. It concludes with the early church and the evangelistic work of Peter and Paul.

In addition to our academic curriculum, students can look forward to many exciting opportunities. They will participate in weekly chapels. Weekly job responsibilities will enable each child to feel s/he is a productive member of the class. Each student will have his or her own buddy in the 5th grade. Special classroom theme days will occur periodically throughout the year.

In addition to supplementary resources our standard textbooks will be:

- Science            Foss
- Reading           California Treasures (McGraw-Hill)
- Writing            Step Up to Writing
- Math                Sadlier
- Social Studies    Core Knowledge History
- Spelling           Rebecca Sitton/Treasures
- Art                  Arts Attack
- Bible                One in Christ

Please feel free to come in and look at these resources.

We look forward to an exciting and memorable year and welcome any feedback you have that might help your child excel. If you have any questions, please feel free to email, call, set up an appointment, or stop by after school for quick questions.

In Christ,

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### ***Spanish***

This year 2nd Grade will have a book/workbook. 2nd Grade will continue building up their Spanish vocabulary. They will learn numbers 0-40, colors, basic expressions, Tú and Usted, Days of the Week, Classroom Objects, Clothing, Food, Community, The body, The Family, Animals, The House, Adjectives, Commands, and the Alphabet.

We will use Spanish Bingo to reinforce vocabulary words and reading storybooks to reinforce what we are learning and to hear Spanish in action. We will learn some Spanish songs as well.

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### ***Music***

Students will build music fluency and musicianship through participation in a variety of dynamic music experiences including singing, playing instruments, listening, moving, analyzing, creating, and performing. Through these cross-curricular experiences, they will be exposed to a diverse repertoire of music reflecting various cultures and will become familiar with different families of musical instruments. They will learn basic elements of music including rhythm, melody, harmony, expression, form, and timbre, as well as build on key music skills such as reading and notating music.

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\*\*Please note that due to COVID 19 field trips and some in-class activities will be adjusted.

# September

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Pebbles</li><li>▪ Sand</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Silt</li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Read alouds</li><li>▪ Book report</li><li>▪ Phonics</li><li>▪ Literary elements</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Decoding strategies</li><li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li></ul>
<b>Writing / Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Journals</li><li>▪ Complete sentences</li><li>▪ Friendly letter</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Grammatical conventions</li><li>▪ Narrative Writing</li></ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Addition facts</li><li>▪ Subtraction facts</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Fact families</li></ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Constitution</li><li>▪ 13 colonies</li><li>▪ Geography of the Americas</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Cardinal map skills</li><li>▪ Map key</li></ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Short/long vowels</li><li>▪ Suffixes</li><li>▪ Contractions</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Consonant digraphs</li><li>▪ Diphthongs</li></ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Line variety</li><li>▪ Shape and form</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Drawing</li></ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Creation</li><li>▪ Fall</li><li>▪ Abraham</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Isaac</li><li>▪ Memory Work</li><li>▪ Getting Along</li></ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ No field trip this month</li></ul>	

# October

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Pebbles</li><li>▪ Sand</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Silt</li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Read alouds</li><li>▪ Text structure</li><li>▪ Phonics</li><li>▪ Decoding strategies</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li><li>▪ Literary elements</li><li>▪ Independent reading</li></ul>
<b>Writing / Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Journals</li><li>▪ Narrative Writing</li><li>▪ Paragraphs</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Grammatical conventions</li><li>▪ Parts of speech</li></ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Place Value</li><li>▪ Adding 2-Digit Numbers<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Regrouping</li></ul></li></ul>	
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Constitution</li><li>▪ Geography of the Americas</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Immigration</li><li>▪ Map Skills</li></ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Compound words</li><li>▪ Phonograms</li><li>▪ Base words</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Long vowels</li><li>▪ Silent letters</li><li>▪ R-controlled vowels</li></ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Contour line</li><li>▪ Drawing</li></ul>	
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Jacob</li><li>▪ Joseph</li><li>▪ Moses</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Exodus</li><li>▪ Ten Commandments</li><li>▪ Memory Work</li></ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Math Science Nucleus</li></ul>	

# November

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Balance &amp; Motion</li> </ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Read alouds</li> <li>▪ Book Report</li> <li>▪ Phonics</li> <li>▪ Decoding strategies</li> <li>▪ Phonics</li> <li>▪ Literary elements</li> <li>▪ Comprehension Strategies</li> </ul>
<b>Writing/ Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Journals</li> <li>▪ Paragraphs</li> <li>▪ Narrative Writing</li> <li>▪ Writing Process</li> <li>▪ Grammatical Conventions</li> </ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Adding 2-Digit Numbers               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Regrouping</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ Subtracting 2-Digit Numbers               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Regrouping</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ War of 1812               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ American flag</li> <li>○ National anthem</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ James Madison</li> <li>▪ Old Ironsides</li> <li>▪ Andrew Jackson</li> </ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Long vowels</li> <li>▪ Homophones</li> <li>▪ Contractions</li> <li>▪ Suffixes</li> <li>▪ Y at end of words</li> <li>▪ Short vowels</li> </ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Color Wheel</li> <li>▪ Media Exploration</li> <li>▪ Drawing</li> <li>▪ Texture &amp; pattern</li> </ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Judges</li> <li>▪ Kings</li> <li>▪ Prophets</li> <li>▪ Memory work</li> </ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No Field trip this month</li> </ul>

# December

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Balance &amp; Motion</li> </ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Phonics – mixed reviews</li> <li>▪ Decoding strategies</li> <li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li> <li>▪ Literary elements</li> <li>▪ Read aloud</li> </ul>
<b>Writing/ Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Journals</li> <li>▪ Paragraphs</li> <li>▪ Writing Process</li> <li>▪ Nouns and Verbs</li> <li>▪ Grammatical conventions               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ capitalization</li> <li>○ usage</li> <li>○ punctuation</li> <li>○ spelling</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Measurement               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Standard</li> <li>○ Metric</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ War of 1812</li> </ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Long vowels</li> <li>▪ Homographs</li> <li>▪ Antonyms</li> <li>▪ Suffixes</li> <li>▪ R-controlled vowels</li> <li>▪ Short vowels</li> </ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Shape and Form</li> <li>▪ Drawing</li> </ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Advent prophecies</li> <li>▪ Jesus Birth</li> <li>▪ Christmas Program</li> <li>▪ Memory</li> </ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Nursing Home</li> </ul>

# January

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Balance &amp; Motion</li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Phonics</li><li>▪ Decoding strategies</li><li>▪ Literary elements</li><li>▪ Read alouds</li><li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li></ul>
<b>Writing/ Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Journals</li><li>▪ Expository</li><li>▪ Writing process</li><li>▪ Persuasive paragraph</li><li>▪ Sentence structure</li><li>▪ Grammatical conventions</li><li>▪ Cursive</li></ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Measurement</li><li>▪ Place value to the thousands</li></ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Americans move west<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Pioneers</li><li>○ Oregon Trail</li><li>○ Gold Rush</li><li>○ Transportation</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Silent letters</li><li>▪ Short/long vowels</li><li>▪ Synonyms</li><li>▪ (K) ending words</li><li>▪ Compound words</li><li>▪ Base words</li></ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Shape and Form</li><li>▪ Texture and pattern</li></ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Wisemen</li><li>▪ Prophets</li><li>▪ Kings</li><li>▪ Memory Work</li></ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Tech Museum</li></ul>



# February

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Balance &amp; Motion</li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Phonics</li><li>▪ Decoding strategies</li><li>▪ Literary elements</li><li>▪ Read alouds</li><li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li><li>▪ Book Report</li></ul>
<b>Writing / Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Journals</li><li>▪ Expository</li><li>▪ Writing process</li><li>▪ Grammatical conventions</li><li>▪ Cursive</li></ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Numbers and Patterns to 1,000<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Place value</li><li>○ Regrouping</li><li>○ Comparing &amp; ordering 3 digit numbers</li></ul></li><li>▪ Adding three digit numbers</li><li>▪ Subtracting three digit numbers</li></ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Civil War</li><li>▪ Americans move west</li><li>▪ Railroad</li><li>▪ Native Americans</li><li>▪ Pony Express</li></ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Long Vowels</li><li>▪ Homophones</li><li>▪ Phonograms</li><li>▪ Prefixes/suffixes</li><li>▪ Consonants digraphs</li><li>▪ Contractions</li></ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Media exploration</li><li>▪ Self-expression</li><li>▪ Shape and form</li></ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Jesus' Baptism</li><li>▪ Jesus' Miracles</li><li>▪ Memory Work</li></ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ History Park San Jose</li></ul>

# March

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Insects &amp; Plants</li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Phonics</li><li>▪ Decoding strategies</li><li>▪ Literary elements</li><li>▪ Read alouds</li><li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li><li>▪ Independent reading</li></ul>
<b>Writing / Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Journals</li><li>▪ Insect report</li><li>▪ Narrative writing</li><li>▪ Cursive</li><li>▪ Writing process</li><li>▪ Grammatical conventions</li></ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Multiplication</li><li>▪ Division</li></ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Civil War<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Slavery</li><li>▪ Harriet Tubman</li><li>▪ Clara Barton</li></ul></li><li>▪ Abraham Lincoln</li><li>▪ North/South Grant &amp; Lee</li></ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Phonograms</li><li>▪ Prefixes/suffixes</li><li>▪ Silent letters</li><li>▪ Contractions</li><li>▪ Short &amp; long vowels</li></ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Space</li><li>▪ Color</li></ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Lazarus</li><li>▪ Jesus' Ministry</li><li>▪ Memory Work</li></ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ No Field Trip this month</li></ul>

# April

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Digestive Tract</li> <li>▪ Nutrition</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Insects &amp; Plants</li> </ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Book report</li> <li>▪ Phonics</li> <li>▪ Decoding strategies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li> <li>▪ Literary elements</li> <li>▪ Read alouds</li> </ul>
<b>Writing / Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Journals</li> <li>▪ Friendly Letter</li> <li>▪ Cursive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Writing process</li> <li>▪ Grammatical conventions</li> </ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Graphing</li> <li>▪ Money               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Counting coins</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Using coins</li> <li>○ Comparing Amounts</li> <li>○ Making Change</li> </ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ancient Greece               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Greek Anthology</li> <li>▪ Greek City/State</li> <li>▪ Olympics</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Persian Wars</li> <li>▪ Greek Thinkers</li> <li>▪ Alexander the Great</li> </ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Short &amp; long vowels</li> <li>▪ Double letters</li> <li>▪ Prefixes/suffixes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Possessives</li> <li>▪ Plurals</li> <li>▪ Diphthongs</li> </ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Artist and aesthetics</li> <li>▪ Shape and form</li> </ul>	
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Jesus' Resurrection</li> <li>▪ Great Commission</li> <li>▪ Pentecost</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ascension</li> <li>▪ Memory Work</li> </ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Coyote Hills</li> </ul>	

# May

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Insects &amp; Plants</li><li>▪ Nutrition</li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Phonics – mixed review</li><li>▪ Decoding strategies</li><li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li><li>▪ Literary elements</li><li>▪ Read alouds</li></ul>
<b>Writing / Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Journals</li><li>▪ Writing process</li><li>▪ Expository</li><li>▪ Grammatical conventions</li><li>▪ Cursive</li></ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Time</li><li>▪ Geometry</li></ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ China</li><li>▪ Japan</li><li>▪ India</li></ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Compound words</li><li>▪ Irregular spellings</li><li>▪ Short &amp; long vowels</li><li>▪ Prefixes/suffixes</li><li>▪ Homophones</li><li>▪ Contractions</li></ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Texture &amp; Pattern</li><li>▪ Self-expression</li><li>▪ Media exploration</li></ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Evangelism<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Peter</li><li>○ Paul</li></ul></li><li>▪ Memory Work</li></ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ No Field Trip this month</li></ul>

# June

<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Review</li></ul>
<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Phonics – mixed review</li><li>▪ Decoding strategies</li><li>▪ Comprehension strategies</li><li>▪ Literary elements</li><li>▪ Read alouds, shared, guided, buddy, and independent reading</li></ul>
<b>Writing / Grammar</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Cursive</li><li>▪ Review</li></ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Fractions</li></ul>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Asia review</li><li>▪ Asia party</li></ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Review</li></ul>
<b>Art</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Asian art</li></ul>
<b>Bible</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Review</li></ul>
<b>Field Trips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Camping (Family Event)</li></ul>