

KINDERGARTEN

A BIBLICAL APPROACH TO WHOLE CHILD EDUCATION

Curriculum			
Subject	Curriculum	Publisher	Special Notes
Bible	Purposeful Design	ACSI (Association of Christian Schools International)	Sequential Bible stories from the Old and New Testaments combined with character development and spiritual growth.
Language Arts	Journeys	HMH (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt)	Comprehensive, standards-based instruction in phonics, whole language, creative writing, reading, grammar, and handwriting. Instructional methods and differentiated materials for students at grade level, above grade level, below grade level, and English language learners.
Phonics	Abeka	Letters and Sounds	With intensive phonics, students are able to read a large number of words quickly and accurately. This improves reading fluency which then builds to reading comprehension. Since they're not struggling to read the words, they can devote time and energy to develop comprehension of the words they are reading.
Math	BJU	BJU	Systematic, sequential mathematics instruction involving the use of hands-on manipulatives. Builds a strong foundation in arithmetic, number sense, and mathematical language and reasoning.
Science	Teacher created	Meets and exceeds Colorado Standards	Taught from a Biblical perspective, with several opportunities for age appropriate deep study and project-based learning.
Social Studies	Teacher created	Meets and exceeds Colorado Model Content Standards	Instruction in geography, history, citizenship, social skills, holidays/seasons, and civics.