



# Coral Park Christian Academy

## 3rd Grade Curriculum

### 2017-2018

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## Language Arts

### Phonics and Reading

Review of all phonics rules  
Oral reading  
Reading comprehension

### Cursive Writing

Cursive writing formation  
¾-space high  
Creative writing

### Spelling and Poetry

Weekly word list with vocabulary  
Sentence dictation using spelling words  
Reinforcement activities  
Eight poems committed to memory

## Language

### *Writing Process*

Complete sentences  
Punctuation and capitalization rules  
Creative writing, friendly letters

### *Grammar*

Recognition of simple nouns, subjects, verbs, adjectives  
Word usage  
Forming plurals and common contractions  
Recognition of antonyms, homonyms, synonyms  
Dictionary skills

## History and Geography

Continents and oceans of the world  
Study of world geography  
States of the United States  
*Study of our American heritage through the lives of great people*  
Columbus  
John Smith  
Pocahontas  
Miles Standish  
Squanto  
William Penn  
Ben Franklin  
George Washington  
Thomas Jefferson  
Daniel Boone  
Noah Webster  
John Greenleaf Whittier  
Robert E. Lee  
Abraham Lincoln  
Clara Barton



U. S. Grant  
Louisa May Alcott  
Booker T. Washington  
George Washington Carver  
Laura Ingalls Wilder  
Billy Sunday  
Martin Luther King, Jr.

## **Science**

### *Plants*

Exploring the Plant World

### *Animals*

Exploring the World of Vertebrates

Exploring the World of Invertebrates

### *Health and Human Biology*

Wonderfully Made

### *Earth and Space*

Exploring the Ocean

Exploring the Weather

### *Conservation*

Exploring the Desert, the Ocean, the Pond, the Forest, the Farmer's Field

## **Health, Safety, Manners**

### *Health*

Posture, Exercise, Nutrition, Diet

Cleanliness, fighting disease

### *Safety*

Fire, Water safety

Home, Play safety

Street safety

First aid

### *Manners*

Hospitality

Proper introductions

Telephone manners

Courtesy and respect

## **Arithmetic**

Recognition of the place value of numbers

Addition facts and checking addition problems with carrying

Subtraction facts and checking subtraction problems with borrowing

Multiplication tables 0–12 and multiplication problems with carrying

How to show a multiplication fact six ways

Division tables 1–12 and working and checking a division problem

Terminology for four processes

English and metric measures

Telling time

Roman numerals 1–1,000

Using a ruler

Solving story problems with up to four steps

Recognizing and solving number sentences

Converting measures and solving measurement equations

Recognizing and working with greater than (>) and less than (<)

Counting money and solving money problems using the decimal point correctly

Solving problems containing parentheses

Fraction terminology and basic understanding of fractions

Averaging numbers

Reading a thermometer

Recognizing geometric shapes

Finding the unknown number in an equation



### **Bible**

Lessons such as Salvation Series, Parables, Samuel, David, Elijah, Elisha, Daniel, Ezra / Nehemiah, Esther (includes memory verses, hymns /choruses, and Bible doctrine)

### **Fine Arts**

Music

Music Theory/Flutophone

Art