



Grace Episcopal Day School integrates varied teaching methods with traditional approaches to inspire learning and build confidence.

Teachers are given the freedom to teach in their own unique styles and children are encouraged to learn through relevant experiences and hands-on learning.

At Grace Episcopal Day School we celebrate the richness of life in a Christ-centered community, the seriousness of academic achievement, and the joy of childhood.



CURRICULUM GUIDE

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LANGUAGE ARTS

- Practice spelling words, vocabulary, and sight words
- Continue to develop writing concepts, sentence structure, and grammar usage
- Use a variety of writing styles to develop and refine the writing process
- Practice cursive writing
- Classify sentences and identify parts of speech
- Read a variety of genres and continue to develop comprehension strategies using novels and reading anthologies

MATHEMATICS

- Mastery and quick recall of basic addition and subtraction facts
- Use addition and subtraction facts for multi-digit problems with regrouping
- Quick recall of multiplication facts 0-12
- Develop knowledge of basic division with whole numbers
- Solve problems using basic fractions, units of measurement, patterns, graphs, and number lines
- Continue to develop knowledge of calendars, estimation, time and temperature
- Use multiple strategies to effectively solve multi-step word problems

VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

- Introduce the difference between realistic and abstract art
- Recognize and create texture and value in a piece of art
- Begin to recognize major and minor intervals
- Introduction to ukulele including strumming and one-string melody playing

TECHNOLOGY & STEM

- Use computer as a learning tool through internet research, digital painting and drawing, reading software, word processing, touch typing practice and slideshow presentations
- Continue to learn to code while developing patience, persistence, and problem solving abilities
- Learn the basics of circuitry using electronic building blocks

SCIENCE

- Plan and carry out investigations using the scientific method
- Explore Life Science including animal behaviors, adaptations, and their roles in the ecosystem
- Explore Earth Science including factors that can change an environment and weather
- Explore Physical Science including forms of energy and states of matter
- Explore the study of space and technology

SOCIAL STUDIES

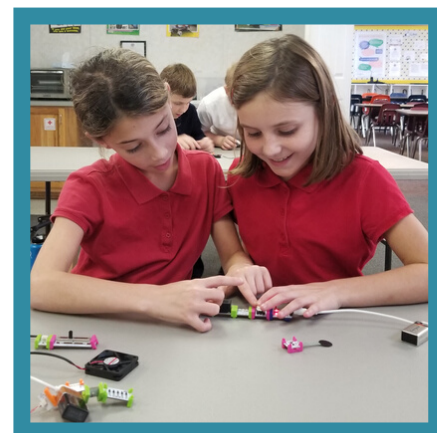
- Explore geography and map skills
- Investigate how people from around the world become part of our country
- Discover what makes a community diverse and how people are alike and different
- Analyze how a community works on a local and global scale

SPANISH

- Understand that knowing more than one language connects people and makes it possible to discover similarities and differences
- Practice numbers 1-31, months of the year, the date, the rooms in house/furnishings, descriptive adjectives, prepositions, clothing, alphabet letter names, school classes, and how to (politely) express our wants and needs

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

- Explore stories of the Old Testament focusing on specific people and their actions
- Look more broadly at Jesus' life among us, and the people he taught, preached to, and healed



Grace Episcopal Day School is a Christian-based, family oriented educational community dedicated to maximizing the potential of each student.