

Year Plan 2024-2025

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Grade 4

ELA

Students will be participating in a variety of themed units based on the ELA curriculum. Language Arts will also be incorporated in other subject areas. I will be implementing the Daily 5 reading and writing program which consists of:

- 1) Read to Self
- 2) Work on Writing
- 3) Word Work
- 4) Listen to Reading
- 5) Read to Someone

During the Daily 5 program the following will take place: Writing Power and Writing Power non-fiction program

- Literacy Place guided reading program
- Building Spelling Skills program
- Daily Language program
- Handwriting Without Tears
- Journals
- Poetry Studies
- Novel Studies
- Buddy Reading
- Writers Workshop

ICT and Art will also be incorporated into the ELA program.

Students will also participate in a home reading program

Math

Math will be taught through a variety of hands on teacher led, independent and group work activities. These activities may be paper pencil tasks, partner games, mental math challenges, problem solving questions and one-on-one teacher/student conferencing. I will be using different strategies and programs to instruct including:

- Smart board activities
- Power of Ten
- Daily Math Program
- Daily Problem Solving

- Hands on Manipulatives
- Math Makes Sense workbooks
- Mathletics computer program for use at school or home
- Daily 5 Math program including:
 - Math by Myself
 - Math with Someone
 - Math Technology
 - Math with the teacher
 - Math writing

Social Studies

I will be working through the Social Studies curriculum using the Hands on Social Studies Program. The curriculum clusters include the following and will be taught in this order: Geography of Canada, Living in Canada, Canada's North, Living in Manitoba and History of Manitoba. Language Arts, ICT and Art will be incorporated into these subject areas. I will also incorporate Aboriginal perspectives and using the seven teachings program in class. Living in Manitoba and History of Manitoba also connect with the francophone cultures piece in French class.

Science

I will be working through the Science Curriculum through the Hands on Science program. The clusters in Science are as follows; Habitats and Communities, Light, Sound and Rocks, Minerals and Erosion. Science includes many opportunities for students to work in groups in a variety of hands on activities giving opportunity for inquiry based learning. Language Arts, ICT and Art will be included in these Science units.

French

French is based on the Basic French Curriculum including Oral, Reading, Writing and French Culture. The French program primarily used this year is themed projects based on topics such as Ma Classe, Moi, Ma Famille, et les numero 0-100. Monthly booklets are also provided that are based on seasons and theme based vocabulary. There are also smartboard activities, French books, music, games and hands on activities that encourage students to communicate orally in simple conversations with their peers, as well as develop basic reading and writing skills.

- Reading A-Z Francais
- Lectures Junior Mon Ecole Activites
- Julie Powers songs
- Smartboard activities

Laptops and Ipads will be incorporated in all subject areas throughout the year for various projects.