





Guide to Kindergarten Curriculum Ada Elementary 2022-2023



<u>English Language Arts</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>Math</u>
<p>Recognize and name all upper and lower case letters of the alphabet</p> <p>Demonstrate an understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds</p> <p>With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story</p> <p>Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences</p> <p>Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding</p> <p>Write a letter or letters for most consonant and vowel sounds</p> <p>Express own ideas through pictures and writing</p>	<p>Kindergarten units include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Weather & Climate,● Pushes & Pulls, and● Plants & Animals Live Here. <hr/> <p><u>Social Studies</u></p> <p>Kindergartners will examine fundamental concepts in history, geography, civics, and citizenship through the lens of myself and others.</p> 	<p>Count to 110 by ones and tens</p> <p>Read and write numbers from 0-30</p> <p>One to one correspondence to 20</p> <p>Fluently add and subtract within 5</p> <p>Sort objects into given categories</p> <p>Identify basic 2D shapes</p> 

Things You Need to Know About Kindergarten!

A guide for parents *and* students

Birthdays

We will make your child's birthday special in many ways. **Your child is welcome to bring in a non-edible treat to share with classmates.** In lieu of a non-edible treat, feel free to donate a game or book for our classroom!



Communication

We believe home/school communication is vitally important. Please do not hesitate to email us with questions, concerns, or to set up a time to talk. Also, we will use email to send out updates and reminders periodically.

Please call the front office at 493-8940 with dismissal changes.

Snacks

Please send two healthy snacks with your child every day. **Due to classroom allergies, please do not bring snacks containing peanut/nut products.** Your child should also bring a labeled water bottle to use each day.



Friday Folders

Your child will bring home a folder containing notes and classwork each Friday. Help your child be responsible in giving you what is inside. Please return the empty folder every Monday.

Clothing

Please dress your child according to weather conditions. Keep in mind that children should be dressed so they may learn and play in a relaxed fashion.

Please provide your child with an extra set of clothing in a labeled zip-lock bag to store in his/her locker.

Your child will need a pair of velcro, non-marking tennis shoes that can be kept in his/her locker.

Field Trips

**Subject to change*

We usually do a couple of field trips in Kindergarten each year- we will keep you updated on field trips as we know more!

Volunteer Opportunities

We love volunteers and creating positive relationships with families.

- Junior Achievement
- Centers (workshop)
- Field Trips
- Classroom Parties
- Friday Folders

Homework

Throughout the year, your child may receive "homework" opportunities. Examples include:

- Literacy Homelinks
- Math Homelinks
- Reading Bags
- Research Project

The most important thing you can do is to read **to your child**, encourage reading **by your child**, and read **with your child**.