



BANNER CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
FOURTH GRADE CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

BIBLE:

- man's relationship to God (sin nature and its consequences)
- God Incarnate
- salvation through faith
- the Holy Spirit
- the Body of Christ
- responsibilities of all believers, evangelism, stewardship
- eternity
- Christ's return
- Final Judgment

Purposeful Design (text)

MATH:

- place value, regrouping, comparing numbers, expanded form
- measuring in customary and metric units
- volume, area and perimeter
- word problems
- finding missing numbers
- fractions, decimals, percentages, mixed numbers, adding and subtracting fractions
- multiplication facts and division
- congruent figures, polygons, symmetry, geometric solids
- graphing, coordinate grids
- averages, mean, mode, and median
- money
- estimating, rounding, probability

Saxon Math (text)



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ENGLISH/READING/SPELLING:

- sentence types
- the stages of the writing process
- practicing good speaking and listening skills
- basic parts of grammar
- friendly letters, business letters
- reference skills
- compare/contrast essays, research papers
- Novel studies, tall tales, poetry, learning how to make inferences, discussion of different genres, author's purpose, questioning strategies, book reviews, and making connections to texts
- weekly spelling lessons

English/Reading: Bob Jones (text) and various novel studies

Spelling: Purposeful Design (text)

SCIENCE:

- God's creation by studying the moon, water and oceans
- weathering and erosion
- living things, insects, plants
- earth's resources
- force, machines, electricity, magnetism and light.

Bob Jones (text)



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SOCIAL STUDIES:

It's Virginia History year!

- Virginia's regions and resources, climate and wildlife
- history from colonial times, through the Revolutionary and Civil Wars, into the 20th century, WWI and WWII.
- famous Virginians
- map skills
- regions of the US
- states and their capitals.

Scott Foresman (text)

RESOURCES: Lower School students participate in 7 resource classes each week which include:

- Art
- Computer
- Drama
- Library
- Music
- PE
- Spanish