FHL Kindergarten FlexGrid 2025-26

Grade: Kindergarten Week #: 4	Labor DayMonday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
MORNING MEETING		Click for 9am daily morning meeting			
Recitation Please Stand		What letter do you add to a word to make it plural (more than one)? (s) Can you give an example?			
Math	NO SCHOOL	□ Saxon Lesson 9	□ Saxon Lesson 10	□ Saxon Lesson 11	□ Saxon Lesson 12
Weekly Focus: -creating an AB pattern -counting to 5 with one to one correspondence -identifying and naming shapes -placing an object on a real graph -identifying most and fewest on a graph -positional words and phrases	ENJOY!!				
Phonics		First Start Reading □ Book A Lesson 6 Optional: Watch lesson 6 video □ Book A Lesson 7	First Start Reading ☐ Book A Lesson 8 ☐ Optional: Watch lesson 8 video	Core Skills Phonics □ Phonics Book K pg. 7 □ Phonics Book 1 pg. 7	Core Skills Phonics □Phonics Book K pg. 8 □Phonics Book 1 pg. 8

	Optional: Watch lesson 7 video. Animal Alphabet Letter: N Discuss letter name/sound and color the animals		Common Words Add the word: "a", "an", and "red" Add the above word to your Common Words flashcards and practice reading the words. Practice reading previous words as well. Tip: A "common word" is a word that we need to know "quick as a snap." Kinders enjoy trying to say the word before a snap of a finger.	□ CVC Words man
(Begins Week 7) →	Fun in the Sun	Phonic Readers	Fun in the Sun	Phonic Readers
Phonogram Cards	☐ Practice the previously learned Phonogram Cards ☐ Introduce the sound for "d" ☐ Extension: if your child is ready to move on, feel free to continue working on the sounds in order, focusing on the sounds for the 26 letters of the alphabet	□ Practice the previously learned Phonogram Cards □ Introduce the two sounds for "g" (as in goat and giraffe) □ Extension: if your child is ready to move on, feel free to continue working on the sounds in order, focusing on the sounds for the 26 letters of the alphabet	□ Practice Phonogram Cards	□ Practice Phonogram Cards

Literature - Read-Aloud & Enrichment	□ Read Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? If you would like to read along with Mrs. Rose for an example click on this video.		□ Read Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? together. □Brown Bear Activity Print out the paper and have your child complete the sentence: "I see a!" Have them choose an animal from the story and write the color and animal name on the blank line and then have them color a picture of the animal. For example, "I see a white dog!" If your child needs help writing the words, I recommend you write the words first with a highlighter and then have them trace it.	
Journal NEW this WEEK Instructions for Journaling	Get your journal ready this week! This is where you will use the Primary Writing Journal to make entries each week Click the links below for examples or to purchase: -Amozon -Primary Journal from Walmart -Primary Writing Journal from Lakeshore I will give you a prompt most weeks.		If you would like to get started this week - Journal Prompt: Labor Day: We celebrate all of the people who work hard in our community. Take some time to discuss various community helpers (doctors, police, firefighters, farmers, dentists, mail carriers, etc.). What do you want to be when you grow up? Why do you think you would be good at this job? *Remember, your child does not write. They will dictate the words to you and then they will illustrate a picture.	
Handwriting	Beautiful Handwriting Journal: ☐ Phonogram: d for dog	Beautiful Handwriting Journal: Phonogram: g for goat Phonogram: g for giraffe Have your child practice writing their name with correct letter formation. Please make sure your child is holding their pencil correctly.		
Science	Week 4 Rocks and Minerals 1A	•		

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	Part 2, Lesson 1 of Exploring Nature with Anna Botsford Comstock (available here)			
	As directed in the lesson text:			
	 Adventure: Go out and collect, observe, and organize rocks 			
	Then journal : Students should record their adventures and observations in a nature journal. While they should be free to record what engaged their interest, we recommend the following journaling activities if you need some guidance. - Have the child choose two or three rocks that are most interesting and that have differing characteristics (such as different colors, textures, etc.). In the journal, draw a picture of each, and note the similarities and differences of each. Directions for this type of journaling activity can be found here .			
History (Optional)	Week 4 Week 5 Week 6 Week 7 Week 8			
Virtue:	September: Alertness			
Character	Memory Work: I am alert. I am aware of my surroundings, and am quick to notice and act. I give			
Training	my full attention to everything I do. "Too many know the last word about everything and the first word about nothing."			
	-Coach John Wooden			
Fine Arts (Optional)	 Artist: Georges Seurat Composer: Richard Wagner Artist and Composers of the Year 2025/26 International Dot Day - Dot Day Resources 			
Poetry	□ Poetry: Memorize- Little Wind (see below)			
	Listen to the Little Wind video to learn the poem and hand motions			
Art for the Week	☐ Using your art flashcards share and discuss the art piece of Mona Lisa by Leonardo (cards coming soon)			

Manner of the Week	□ Discuss the manner of the week. "Be respectful of parents, teachers, and adults". Point out and praise your child when you see him/her using the manner during the week.				
Other	□ Learn how to spell/recognize this week's color word. Orange Color Song	☐ Have your child practice cutting. You can simply give them scraps of paper to snip. Please check that they are holding their scissors correctly. Watch Scissor Skills Video		Color Word: Orange Orange Color Song Jack Hartman- Seasons	
Read for FUN!	□ read to/with your child for 30 min.	□ read to/with your child for 30 min.	□ read to/with your child for 30 min.	□ read to/with your child for 30 min.	□ read to/with your child for 30 min.
P.E.	□ Complete 100 of physical education minutes per week				

• Poem/Saying:

Little Wind

Little wind, blow on the hilltop; Little wind, blow on the plain, Little wind, blow up the sunshine, Little wind, blow off the rain.

Additional Information:

• Phonogram Cards: Each week we will focus on 1-3 new phonograms. On the Flexgrid I will list what phonograms to focus on and those will also be the phonograms that will be used in the Beautiful Handwriting and Word List Journal. Spend time each day going over the names and sounds for each card previously learned. Follow the directions on the back of each card having your child repeat as directed. If your child begins to master the phonograms, feel free to move on to the next card. Focus on learning the phonograms for the

26 letters of the alphabet before moving on to the letter combination phonograms. Here are two videos to help you learn how to teach the phonogram cards. Phonogram Video in the Classroom Phonogram Practice Video

- Common Word and CVC Flashcards: As we learn Common Words (also known as "sight words") in our First Start Reading curriculum, you will add them to your stack of cards. I recommend getting some index cards and have your child help you write the common word on each card. Use these cards to review regularly with your child. Mastering the common words will help your child become a better reader.
- Beautiful Handwriting Journal: (Both journals are in the 3-ring binder)
 - o Word List Journal Directions -this journal goes along with the phonograms that are taught each week
 - o <u>Virtue Journal Directions</u> this journal goes along with our monthly virtues
- What Your Kindergartener Needs to Know/Journals: Instructions for Journaling
- History and Science: Notebooking Instructions HERE