



JR KINDERGARTEN

JW Edition SAMPLE

WEST BROOKE CURRICULUM
Ages 3-5 Preschool Curriculum

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Textbook List

Alphabet & Fine-Motor

Alphabet Book, Part I

Alphabet Book, Part II

Alphabet Flashcards

Bible ABC –PDF download

Dr. Seuss's ABC

My Very Own Scissors Book

Math

Counting with Numbers

Numbers & Colors Book

Bible ABC 123 & Colors—PDF Download

Skill Sharpeners Math Pre-K workbook

Literature & Poetry

The 20th Century Children's Book Treasury

Social Studies

Skill Sharpeners Geography

Little Critter Manners

Berenstain Bears Forget Their Manners

Science

Usborne Little Children's Nature Activity Book

Smart Start STEM

Usborne Young Beginners Night & Day Animals

Usborne Young Beginners Seasons

Usborne Young Beginners Seashore

Bible

Jw.org

My Bible Lessons Brochure

Other Items to Gather:

Pack of blank index cards (no lines) & Permanent Marker

A Printed Calendar for the year (weather stickers to add to the calendar would be nice)

Wall or Desk Chart of manuscript Alphabet

Wall or Desk Chart of numbers up to 20

Outdoor Thermometer

Household clock with hands

Construction paper

Safety scissors

Glue sticks

Old magazines for cutting out pictures

Common games: Candyland, Uno card game, Chutes and Ladders, Bingo, Checkers, Yahtzee, deck of cards, Go Fish Card game, Jenga, Connect Four, Rummikube, dice, dominoes, jump rope, hula hoop, ball

Introduction

Welcome to West Brooke Curriculum Jr Kindergarten! This program is for students ages 3.5-5 for preschool. This program will get your students recognizing the alphabet, numbers, colors, shapes, calendar, seasons, manners, and the five senses. You will read aloud some popular children's books, learn poems, and songs during your adventure this year and jump into some science and geography. When they are finished with this program, they will be ready to enter West Brooke Curriculum Kindergarten Ready to Read.

This introduction to school is a gentle two-day a week program which will give a foundation to build upon. By preparing your students for Kindergarten, they will be ready to learn to read. They will begin to learn to listen to stories being read aloud and responding to a few questions. They will build their memory retention and recall.

Be flexible, this program is designed to be two-days a week, but you can break it up into smaller parts for shorter periods of time throughout the week if you wish. Hopefully, these lesson plans will get your creative juices flowing and you may think of additional ideas to add into your curriculum. If you prefer, you may wish to read the scheduled story at bedtime. If you find your student is just not ready for formal instruction, set the program aside for a month or two and try again. We want you and your child to develop a love of learning.

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Week 6-Day 1 ---SAMPLE

Bible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✚ Read & Discuss the Daily Text ✚ My Bible Lessons > Show Kindness ✚ Music & Lyrics > Giving Makes you Happy; Love is the Key
Recitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Say the alphabet. There are 26 letters. There are uppercase & lowercase letters. • Count to 10. • I have 5 Senses: Sight, Hearing, Smell, Taste, and Touch.
Calendar	<p>Calendar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ What day is it? What month? What year? What is the date today? <p>Time</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ What time of day is it? What time is it? (look at a clock with hands) <p>Holidays</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Look at the calendar and discuss any upcoming holidays and simple reasons we do not celebrate them. ➤ Mark any upcoming theocratic events on the calendar and discuss how far away the events are
Alphabet & Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Letter Review A, D, C, and F ○ <i>Alphabet Book 1</i> - pp. 22-23
Show & Tell	Smell- what things can you smell? Foods? Bad odors? Good odors? Inside? Outside?
Math	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Review #s 1-5 ○ Introduce # 6 ○ <i>Counting with Numbers</i>- p. 16 ○ Use Flashcards to line up numbers in order 1-6 ○ Skill Sharpeners Math p. 22-23
Science	<p>Usborne Young Beginners- Review Fall (discuss pumpkins, feeding hay to animals)</p> <p>Little Children's Nature Activity Signs and clues pp. 4-5</p> <p>Smart Start STEM All Kinds of Rocks pp. 96-103</p>
Activity	Make a coconut tree scene on construction paper and add letter stickers.
Literature	<p><i>Chicka Chicka Boom Boom</i> by Martin (pp.15-22 of <i>20th Century Children's Book Treasury</i>)</p> <p>Dr. Seuss's ABC – A, D, C, F</p>
Music	Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Fan Reanimated Early 2018 Reuploaded Version 2 youtube.com
Poetry	Hey Diddle Diddle Nursery Rhyme - ChaCha's Funny Dream youtube.com
Game	Go Fish Card game or Jenga
Outdoor	Hula hoop or swing

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Week 6-Day 2--SAMPLE

Bible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✚ Read & Discuss the Daily Text ✚ Become Jehovah's Friend >Activity & video> Forgive Freely/ What Should You do? ✚ Song> Love All Sorts of People ✚ Activity & video> Memorize Bible Books (Part 1)
Recitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Say the alphabet. There are 26 letters. There are uppercase & lowercase letters. • Count to 10. • I have 5 Senses: Sight, Hearing, Smell, Taste, and Touch.
Calendar	<p>Calendar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ What day is it? What month? What year? What is the date today? <p>Time</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ What time of day is it? What time is it? (look at a clock with hands) <p>Weather</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ What is the weather like today? What is the temperature today? ➤ What season is it?
Alphabet & Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Letter Review A, D, C, and F ○ <i>Alphabet Book 1</i> - pp. 24-25 ○ <i>My Bible Alphabet Book</i>- Review A, D, C, and F
Show & Tell	Smell- make a smell tray with foods and other items, blindfold student, can he tell what the items are by smell?
Math	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Number 6 ○ <i>Counting with Numbers</i>- p. 17 ○ Numbers in the Bible- 6 ○ Skill Sharpeners Math p. 24-25
Geography PreK	Places on a Map pp. 28-31
Literature	<p><i>Alexander the Terrible</i> by Judith Viorst (pp. 86-87 of <i>20th Century Children's Book Treasury</i>)</p> <p>Ask: Have you ever had a Terrible, Horrible, No Good day? Can your attitude make a difference?</p>
Manners	<p>Pick up your toys when you are done—tripping hazard.</p> <p>Attitude—your outlook on things make a difference (<i>Alexander the Terrible</i> often has a bad attitude)</p> <p>Just because you have one bad day, doesn't mean all days will be bad.</p> <p>If you are having a bad day, don't take it out on others.</p> <p>Treat your parents & siblings with respect.</p>
Music	<p>Clean Up Song for Children - by ELF Learning youtube</p> <p>Become Jehovah's Friend>Lesson 8: Be Neat and Clean jw.org</p>
Outdoor	Clean up the yard

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