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School Year:	Introduced	Practice 1	Practice 2	Mastered
Social Studies				
Holidays, traditions, and customs				
Our American Heritage				
Different cultures at different times				
Family, school, neighborhood, community				
Farm and zoo				
Neighborhood helpers				
Jobs and careers				
Social skills and responsibilities				
Basic geography terms				
Making and reading a simple neighborhood map				
Science				
Grouping and classification				
Living and nonliving things				
Animals				
Pets				
Farm animals				
Zoo and circus animals				
Woodland animals				
Common birds				
Plant and animal habitats				
Seeds, bulbs, plants, flowers				
Weather and seasons				
Day and night				
Solids, liquids, gases				
Air and water				
Magnets				
Fire and temperature				
Sun, moon, stars, planets				
Simple machines				
Beginning experimentation				
Scientific method and scientific inquiry				
Health and Safety				
Personal hygiene				
Dental health				
Good eating habits				
Exercise and rest				
Diseases				
Common cold				

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Health and Safety				
Safety rules to and from school				
Language Arts				
Reading				
- Phonetic analysis				
- Structural analysis				
- Establishing sight vocabulary				
Reading informally: names, labels, signs				
Simple pantomimes and dramatic play				
Creating stories and poems				
Telling favorite stories				
Organizing ideas and impressions				
Enunciation and pronunciation				
Presenting information orally, in sequence and with clarity				
Book reports and critiques				
Discussion skills: taking part in group discussion				
Beginning dictionary skills: alphabetizing				
Beginning spelling				
Beginning grammar: nouns, verbs, adjectives				
Introduction to punctuation and capitalization				
Manuscript handwriting				
Handling books				
Using table of contents				
Development of a class newspaper				
Mathematics				
Counting and writing to 100				
Counting by 2's to 40				
Simple number patterns				
Beginning ordinal numbers				
Using 10 as a basic unit				
Simple properties of zero				
Simple properties of sets				
Beginning addition and subtraction facts				

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Mathematics				
Number-line use				
Place value and numeration				
Concepts of quantity and size				
Concepts of equality and inequality				
Concepts of ordinal and cardinal numbers				
Using 1/2 and 1/4 appropriately				
Estimation				
Geometric patterns and figures				
Basic customary and metric measurement				
Recognizing time: clock and calendar				
Value of penny, nickel, dime, quarter				
Solving simple word problems				
Basic probability and chance				
Basic chart and graph concepts				