

2020-2021 Outline

September 2020	October 2020	November 2020
<p>UNIT #1: Super Senses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are My Senses? • Sight and Sound • Touching to Learn • Tasting - What Is Safe to Taste? • Smells - Good and Bad • Sensory Body Parts • Opposites: Hot/Cold • Character Education Focus: Kindness • STEM: Using Senses to Learn <p>UNIT #2: Taking Care of Me</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eating Healthy Foods • Getting Plenty of Rest • Why is Exercise Important? • Feelings & Emotional Wellness • Healthy Teeth Are Happy Teeth • Doctors & Nurses Keep Me Healthy • Police Officers & Firefighters Keep Me Safe • Opposites: Safe/Dangerous • Character Education Focus: Respect • STEM: Stress and the Body 	<p>UNIT #1: Let's Harvest!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Foods Are Harvested? • Farm Tools & Equipment • Tractors & Wagons • What Grains Are Harvested? • Baskets and Boxes • Packing and Shipping Foods • Farmer's Market Fun • Opposites: Fresh/Stale • Character Education Focus: Responsibility • STEM: Keeping Foods Fresh <p>UNIT #2: Kitchen Kaboodle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kitchen Appliances and How They Work • Kitchen Tools • Baking and Cooking • Washing and Cleaning Up • Fresh, Packaged and Frozen Foods • Safety in the Kitchen • Opposites: Clean/Dirty • Character Education Focus: Kindness • STEM: Keeping Foods Fresh 	<p>UNIT #1: Exploring Colors & Shapes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary & Secondary Colors • Mixing and Creating New Colors • 2-Dimensional Shapes • 3-Dimensional Shapes • Exploring Colors in Nature • How Do Artists Use Color? • Opposites: Black/White • Character Education Focus: Honesty • STEM: Mixing Colors <p>UNIT 2: Pretty Patterns</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a Pattern? • Types of Patterns • Polka Dots and Stripes • Animals That Have Patterns on Their Bodies • Patterns on Fabrics • Musical Patterns • Patterns in Words (advanced) • Opposites: First/Last • Character Education Focus: Respect • STEM: Animals & Camouflage
<p>December 2020</p> <p>UNIT #1: 1, 2, 3 ... Count with Me</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Are Numerals? • Counting & Ordination • Numerals in Our World • How Do Adults Use Numerals? • Graphing • Matching Numerals to Sets • Opposites: Few/Many • Character Education Focus: Honesty • STEM: Gathering Data <p>UNIT #2: Magnificent Music</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Musical Instruments • Different Types of Music • Tempo & Rhythm • Music & Dance around the World • Expressing Feelings through Music & Dance • Opposites: Fast/Slow • Character Education Focus: Kindness • STEM: How Do Instruments Work? 	<p>January 2021</p> <p>UNIT #1: What Should I Wear?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clothes I Wear • Clothes Workers Wear • Types of Clothing • Choosing Clothing to Match the Weather • Buttons, Snaps, Zippers • Caring for Clothing • Places People Buy Clothing & Shoes • Opposites: On/Off • Character Education: Responsibility • STEM: How Do Fasteners Work? <p>UNIT #2: Spoons, Plates & Cups</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types and Sizes of Cups & Plates • What is Volume? • Foods You Eat with a Spoon or on a Plate • Using Cups and Spoons in New Ways • Special Cups and Spoons (for cooking) • Opposites: Curved/Straight • Character Education Focus: Honesty • STEM: Why Are Spoons Important? 	<p>February 2021</p> <p>UNIT #1: Building Fun</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People Who Build Things • Machines and Tools Used for Building • Building Materials • Types of Buildings • Safety When Building • Opposites: Hard/Soft • Character Education Focus: Responsibility • STEM: Building a Strong Foundation <p>UNIT #2: ABCs for You & Me</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning about Letters & Words • Letters & Words in Our World • Places You Can Find Letters & Words • Exploring Writing Tools • Different Languages • Why Do People Read & Write? • Opposites: Many/Few • Character Education Focus: Respect • STEM: Learning about Printing

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March 2021	April 2021	May 2021
<p>UNIT #1: Hands Can. Feet Can.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Can My Hands Do? • What Can My Feet Do? • Counting Fingers & Toes • Do Animals Have Hands & Feet? • Tools for Helping People with Mobility Challenges • Opposites: Hold/Release • Character Education Focus: Responsibility • STEM: Solving Mobility Challenges <p>UNIT #2: Messy & Fun!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art Can Be Messy • Dirt + Water = Mud • Messy Jobs • Washing Hands • Cleaning Up • Messy Foods • Opposites: Wet/Dry • Character Education Focus: Honesty • STEM: Tools & Techniques for Cleaning Up 	<p>UNIT #1: Over It. Under It.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traveling Over, Under & Through • Bridges • Tunnels • Obstacle Courses • Opposites: Over/Under • Character Education Focus: Kindness • STEM: Building Bridges & Tunnels <p>UNIT #2: Perfect Pets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a Pet? • Why Do People Have Pets? • Veterinarians Take Care of Pets • Cats & Dogs • Rabbits, Guinea Pigs, Hamsters & Mice • Caring for Pets • Opposites: Asleep/Awake • Character Education Focus: Responsibility • STEM: Caring for Living Things 	<p>UNIT #1: Let's Climb!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safe Climbing Places • What Body Parts Do You Use When Climbing? • Animals That Climb • Jobs That Involve Climbing • Ladders Are Used for Climbing • Opposites: High/Low • Character Education Focus: Respect • STEM: The Law of Gravity <p>UNIT #2: What is Up There?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Animals That Fly • Insects That Fly • Machines That Fly • If I Could Fly... • Making Things That Fly • Games That Involve Making Things Fly • Opposites: Up/Down • Character Education Focus: Kindness • STEM: How Do Airplanes Fly?
June 2021	July 2021	August 2021
<p>UNIT #1: Fantastic Farm Life</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a Farm? • Animals That Live on the Farm • Caring For Farm Animals • Planting and Caring for Crops • Barns and Silos • Opposites: Big/Little • Character Education Focus: Responsibility • STEM: Planting Seeds <p>UNIT #2: A Home for a...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Different Types of Homes • Homes for Pets • Homes Animals Build • Unique Homes (houseboat, treehouse) • Families • Building Materials for Homes • Opposites: In/Out • Character Education Focus: Respect • STEM: How Do Animals Build Their Homes? 	<p>UNIT #1: Exploring the Forest</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Animals Live in the Forest? • Types of Trees in the Forest • Mountains and Valleys • Rivers, Lakes, Ponds & Streams • What Do Forest Animals Eat? • Opposites: Loud/Quiet • Character Education Focus: Respect • STEM: Natural Water Sources <p>UNIT #2: Off to the Beach</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What Is an Ocean? • Waves and Currents • Animals That Live on the Beach • Animals That Live in the Ocean • Taking Care of the Ocean • Beach Safety & Lifeguards • Boats & Ships Sail on the Ocean • Opposites: Sink/Float • Character Education Focus: Kindness • STEM: Exploring Waves 	<p>UNIT #1: When the Sun Goes Down...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nighttime Activities • Preparing for Bed • Stars, the Moon and Planets • Nocturnal Animals • Nighttime Safety • Opposites: Dark/Light • Character Education Focus: Honesty • STEM: Earth's Rotation <p>UNIT #2: Adventures with Friends</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a Friend? • All Friends Are Different • Playing with Friends • Being a Good Friend • Who Are My Friends? • Favorite Friend Activities • Opposites: Near/Far • Character Education Focus: Respect • STEM: The Diversity of Friends

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