

FOURTH GRADE

Bible Study

Study of the attributes of God Learning how to get to know God Celebration of Jesus' birth, death, and

resurrection

Study of the Fruits of the Spirit Old and New Testament heroes

Apply Biblical knowledge to their daily lives

Language Arts The parts of speech and sentence

structure

Dependent and independent clauses

Punctuation and capitalization

Skill days – phonics, syllabication, and root

words

Use of the 6 traits of writing: tall tale, personal

narrative, compare and contrast essay

Learn to create a poetry packet

Monthly book reports

Class reading of novels: <u>Island of the Blue</u>

Dolphins, Snow Treasure,

Abel's Island, and Owls in the Family

Math

Adding and subtracting Multiplying to 3 digits

Division to 2 digits

Division of 2 digits into 3 or more digits Fractions: adding, subtracting and

multiplying

Decimals, equations, metrics and English

measurement

Area, perimeter, geometry

Calculate the degrees of an angle Study of congruency and symmetry

Plot points on a grid

Study solid and plane figures

Science

Parts of ecosystems

Create a garden

Interaction of living things Dissection of owl pellets Food chains and food webs Energy and matter in ecosystems-solar energy

Analyze and study rocks and minerals Changes in the earth – biodegradable items Electricity and magnetism – closed and open

circuits

Create a habitat for California animals

Social Studies

Study of California Indians

The Spanish influence on California

The Bear Flag Revolt California Gold Rush

Growth and development in California

Develop geography skills Research Indians and missions

Study California ranches Create a California Mission

Modern California and its challenges

Enrichment

Spanish

Art

Music (2musical programs each year)

Library P.E.

Computers

Field trips:

Mission San Juan Capistrano

Rancho Buena Vista Old Town San Diego

Legoland STEM Robotics class