

Example Objectives for Sixth Grade

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English

1. Read often, read increasingly more difficult texts.
2. Improve spelling.
3. Discuss entymology and word histories with Father.
4. Increase knowledge of spoken and written English grammar, syntax, usage, and mechanics.
5. Continue to develop creative, narrative, and descriptive writing skills.

Math

1. Improve calculation speed in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division with whole numbers, fractions, decimals and money.
2. Study important mathematicians.

Social Studies

1. Continue exploration of regional historic sites and museums.
2. Focus on the Ancient Egypt and Jamestown.
3. Continue study about Great Britain.
4. Participate in regional History Day.

Science

1. Focus on Earth Science – geology and astronomy
2. Observe nature (to include: the night sky, the daytime sky, zoo animals, farm animals, birds and bird migration, insects, caterpillars, butterflies, fungi, trees, flowers etc.)
3. Keep a bird journal life list.

Health and Safety

1. Increase knowledge of the importance of proper nutrition, hygiene, and exercise to good health.
2. Increase knowledge of infectious diseases and how to avoid them.
3. Increase knowledge of bike and water safety.
4. Review fire safety at home and attend a fire department fire safety instruction class.

Art

1. Draw and illustrate often, across curriculum.

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2. Increase understanding of the elements of art and build art vocabulary.
3. Increase facility with a variety of art media.
4. Continue to do handicrafts (focus on knitting and weaving).

Music

1. Attend and participate in many musical performances with exposure to a variety of musical styles.
2. Practice singing for both worship and enjoyment.
3. Experience movement with music during ballet and highland dance class.

Physical Education

1. Participate regularly in active play, bike riding and a variety of neighborhood games and sports.
2. Understand the importance of exercise to good health.
3. Participate in Highland dance lessons, demonstrations and competitions.