

Whitefield Christian Schools: Elementary Curriculum Course Outline – Grade Five

Subject/Teacher	Textbook(s) and Publisher	Topics and Units Covered
Art	How to Teach Art to Children, <i>Evan-Moor Educational Publishers</i>	Elements of Art: Line, Colour, Shape, Texture Three-Dimensional Art Projects: Bridge, Pyramid, Soap Carving Variety of Art Materials: Pencil Crayon, Paint, Pastels Identify Personal Strengths and Areas of Improvement Compare Works of Art
Bible	Living in God’s Love: Bible Truths for Christian Schools, <i>BJU Press</i>	Hymns/Chorus, Memory Verses Units of Study Include: God’s Judgement and Grace, Building Godly Character, Christmas: God With Us, Obedience, Easter: Christ’s Saving Work, Be Ye Holy
French	<i>Visages 2, Addison-Wesley</i>	Oral Communication: Ask and respond to simple questions, oral presentation Reading: Read with expression, pronunciation and intonation Writing: Short sentences using learned vocabulary, use and spell vocabulary correctly Grammar: Pronouns, Verbs, Adjectives, Negatives, Prepositions, Question Words
Handwriting	Various	Correct Letter Formation Size, Shape, Slant
Language Arts: Grammar	<i>Language Power, Gage Publishers</i>	Synonyms, Antonyms, Homonyms, Eight Parts of Speech, Sentences, Capitalization Rules, Punctuation, Word Usage
Language Arts: Spelling/Vocabulary	American Education Publishing Building Spelling Skills <i>Evan-Moor Publishers</i>	Spelling Rules Meaning and Word Usage Synonyms, Antonyms Prefixes, Suffixes
Language Arts: Writing	Various	The Writing Process, Writing a Paragraph, Setting and Mood, Plot Development, Narratives, Persuasive, Writing, Personal Writing, Descriptive Writing, Expository Writing, Poems, Writing a Speech
Math	Arithmetic 5 A Beka Jump Math (U of T Press)	Number Sense Measurement Patterning and Algebra Probability and Data Management Geometry and Spatial Relations
Language Arts: Media Literacy	Various	Identify types of media Explore purpose and audience Video and Poster Reviews, Advertisements Create a graphic story

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Music	Various	Vocal Skills Recorder Rhythm Games Theory Sound Stories Theory
Physical Education	N/A	Introduction to personal fitness Introduction to organized sports
Reading: Comprehension	Pages in My Head – Reading 5, <i>BJU Press</i>	Silent and Oral Reading Short Stories, Poems, Plays Comprehension and Vocabulary Exercises Literature: Plot, Setting, Mood
Science	Grade 5 Science and Technology, <i>Johnson Publications</i>	Life Systems: Human Organ Systems Matter: Properties of and changes in matter Structure and Mechanisms: Forces acting on structures Earth and Space: Weather Energy Control: Conserving energy Sea Life
Social Studies	Canadian Government and Citizenship, <i>Nelson</i> Aspects of Citizenship and Government in Canada, <i>Johnson Publications</i> Old World History and Geography, <i>A Beka</i>	Government and Citizenship: Levels of Government, The Electoral Process, Immigration and Citizenship, Ancient Civilizations: Ancient Egypt, Ancient Greece and Ancient Rome
Computer	Various	Use of software to gather, chart, sort, graph, and manage data on a spreadsheet Use of scanner to import graphics/photos into a computer program Use of Flip cams to record interviews and presentations.