



Flatirons Academy Elementary Curriculum Overview

	K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	Beginning Grammar Level (Pre-Polly Stage)			Grammar Level (Poll-Parrot Stage)		
Bible	Genesis - Death of Moses	Joshua - Malachi	Survey of the New Testament	Genesis - Death of Moses	Rise and Fall of Israel - Prophets	New Testament
Reading	Saxon Phonics and Spelling; Accelerated Reader	Saxon Phonics and Spelling; Literature - see FA literature list; Accelerated Reader	Literature - see FA literature list; Accelerated Reader	Literature - see FA literature list; Accelerated Reader	Literature - see FA literature list; Accelerated Reader	Literature - see FA literature list; Accelerated Reader
Spelling	Saxon Spelling	Orton-Gillingham Spelling	Traditional Spelling: A Phonetic Approach (Book 2)	The Grammar of Spelling - 3	The Grammar of Spelling - 4	The Grammar of Spelling - 5
English	Copybook	Copybook	Shurley English - 2	Shurley English - 3	Shurley English - 4	Shurley English - 5
Handwriting	Manuscript	Manuscript; New American Cursive	New American Cursive	New American Cursive	New American Cursive	New American Cursive
Composition	Excellence in Writing	Excellence in Writing	Excellence in Writing; Imitation in Writing - <i>Aesop's Fables</i>	Excellence in Writing; Imitation in Writing - <i>Fairy Tales</i>	Excellence in Writing; Writing Trails - <i>American History</i>	Excellence in Writing; Imitation in Writing - <i>Greek Heroes & Greek Myths</i>
Math	Abeka Math	Abeka Math	Abeka Math	Abeka Math	Abeka Math	Abeka Math
History & Geography	<i>The Story of the World</i> (first 1/2 of book 1)	<i>The Story of the World</i> (second 1/2 of book 1)	<i>The Story of the World</i> (book 2)	<i>The Story of the World</i> (book 3)	<i>The Story of the World</i> (first 1/2 of book 4); <i>Colorado History</i>	<i>The Story of the World</i> (second 1/2 of book 4); <i>Current Events</i>
Science	Elemental Science: Classic Series - Exploring Science	Elemental Science: Classic Series - Intro to Science	Elemental Science: Classic Series - Biology for the Grammar Stage	Elemental Science: Classic Series - Earth Science & Astronomy for the Grammar Stage	Elemental Science: Classic Series - Chemistry for the Grammar Stage	Elemental Science: Classic Series - Physics for the Grammar Stage
Latin	N/A	N/A	Sing-Song Latin	Prima Latina	Latina Christiana	First Form Latin
Art	Drawing with Children / Monart					
Artist Study	Monet & Cezanne	Hokusai & Van Gogh	O'Keefe & Michelangelo	"Grandma" Moses & Gauguin	Homer & Rousseau	Seurat & Hopper
P.E.	Various activities requiring cooperation, teamwork, and sportsmanship will be stressed. Physical fitness, health, and nutrition topics as well as learning individual and team play in athletic activities will be emphasized.					
Mission Partner	Sister Carmen (Local)	Urban Mosaic (Mexico)	Meals on Wheels (Local)	Musana (Uganda)	Open Door Missions (Local)	Sozo International (Afghanistan)
Music	Elementary Music	Elementary Music	Elementary Music	Elementary Music / Keyboards	Elementary Music / Keyboards	Band
Composer Study	Prokofiev & Beethoven	Saint-Saens & Gershwin	Tchaikovsky & Vivaldi	Brahms & Bach	Chopin & Debussy	Dvorak & Sousa