

TCA 3 Year Olds Preschool Scope and Sequence

<p><u>August/September</u> Theme: All About Me Literature: Nursery Rhymes Geography: Where do I live- Planet, Continent, Country, State Science: My body Emotions & Healthy Habits History: Patriotic Song: Yankee Doodle American Symbol: Being a Good Citizen</p>	<p><u>October</u> Theme: On the Farm/ Pumpkins Literature: Fall Theme Geography: 7 Continents Overview Science: Life on the Farm/ Farm Animals History: Patriotic Song: Grand Old Flag American Symbol: The American Flag</p>	<p><u>November</u> Theme: Seasons/Weather Literature: Thanksgiving Books Geography: North America Science: Weather during each season History: Patriotic Song: America the Beautiful American Symbol: Veteran's Day - The First Thanksgiving</p>
<p><u>December</u> Theme: Matter is Everything! Literature: Classic Children's Books Geography: Antarctica Science: Sink/Float States of Matter History: Patriotic Song: God Bless America</p>	<p><u>January</u> Theme: Community Helpers Literature: ABC Books Geography: South America Science: Jobs in our Community History: Patriotic Song: This Land is Your Land American Symbol: Our President The Whitehouse/Air Force One</p>	<p><u>February</u> Theme: Out of this World! Literature: Dr. Seuss Geography: Europe Science: Outer Space History: Patriotic Song: Star Spangled Banner American Symbol: Statue of Liberty</p>
<p><u>March</u> Theme: Amazing Animals Literature: Norman Bridwell Geography: Africa Science: Baby animals: Life Cycles History: American Symbol: Bald Eagles</p>	<p><u>April</u> Theme: Spring Time Literature: Lois Ehlert Geography: Asia Science: Plants and Bugs History: American Symbol: July 4th- Independence Day</p>	<p><u>May</u> Theme: Ocean Explorers Literature: Marcus Pfister Geography: Australia Science: At the Beach History: We Love Our Country! We Love Our Flag! We Love Our School!</p>

Handwriting /Spelling: The Riggs Institute; The Writing & Spelling Road to Reading and Thinking is used for instruction in handwriting and spelling.

- Correct letter formation using clock letters
- Practice writing first and last name
- Letter of the week

Reading: The emphasis in Preschool is on instruction in explicit phonics using The Riggs Institute; The Writing & Spelling Road to Reading and Thinking.

- Preschooler's learn the first 26 phonograms with correct letter formation.
- They start learning to decode simple English words.
- Students will also listen to several chapter books, Nursery Rhymes, Aesop's Fables, Fairy Tales, Tall Tales, and popular children's book authors.
- They memorize poems and selections from historical documents.
- They learn songs based on what they are studying to better retain new information

Math:

Number and operations- count with understanding; recognize "how many" in sets of objects; represent numbers in different ways

Algebra- Sort, classify order objects; Recognize, describe, and extend patterns

Geometry- Recognize and name shapes; Build and draw shapes; Compare and sort shapes

Measurement- Recognize the attributes of length and weight; Recognize the attributes of volume and area; Recognize the attributes of time

Data Analysis and Probability- Charts and graphs; Pose Questions; Gather data