






CORE KNOWLEDGE® AT A GLANCE

	Kindergarten	First Grade	Second Grade	Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade	Sixth Grade
LANGUAGE ARTS/ English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening and Speaking • Reading • Writing • Language Conventions • Poetry • Fiction • Sayings and Phrases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening and speaking • Reading • Writing • Language Conventions • Poetry • Fiction • Sayings and Phrases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening and Speaking • Reading • Writing • Language Conventions • Poetry • Fiction • Sayings and Phrases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading and Writing • Poetry • Fiction • Sayings and Phrases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing, Grammar, and Usage • Poetry • Fiction • Speeches • Sayings and Phrases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing, Grammar, and Usage • Poetry • Fiction • Speeches • Sayings and Phrases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing, Grammar, and Usage • Poetry • Fiction and Drama • Sayings and Phrases
History and GEOGRAPHY 	<p>World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geography: spatial sense • Overview of the Seven Continents <p>American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geography • Native American Peoples, past and present • Early Exploration and Settlement • Presidents, past and present • Symbols and Figures 	<p>World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geography • Early world civilizations • Modern Civilization and Culture: Mexico <p>American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early People and Civilizations • Early Exploration and Settlement • From Colonies to Independence • The American Revolution • Early Exploration of American West • Symbols and Figures 	<p>World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geography • Early Asian Civilizations • Modern Japanese Civilization <p>American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geography • Native American Peoples, past and present • Early Exploration and Settlement • Presidents, past and present • Symbols and Figures 	<p>World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Geography • The Ancient Roman Civilization • The Vikings <p>American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Earliest Americans • Early Exploration of North America • The Thirteen Colonies: Life and Times before the Revolution 	<p>World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Geography (spatial sense; mountains) • Europe in Middle Ages • The Spread of Islam and the "Holy Wars" • Early and Medieval African Kingdoms • China: Dynasties and Conquerors <p>American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The American Revolution • Making a Constitutional Government • Early Presidents and Politics • Reformers • Symbols and Figures 	<p>World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Geography (spatial sense; lakes) • Early American Civilizations • European Exploration, Trade, and the Clash of Cultures • The Renaissance and the Reformation • England from the Golden Age to the Glorious Revolution • Russia: Early Growth and Expansion • Feudal Japan <p>American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Westward Expansion • The Civil War: causes, conflicts, consequences • Native Americans: cultures and conflicts • U.S. Geography 	<p>World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Geography (spatial sense; deserts) • Lasting Ideas from Ancient Civilizations • The Enlightenment • The French Revolution • Romanticism • Industrialism, Capitalism, and Socialism • Latin American Independence Movements <p>American</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Immigration, Industrialization, and Urbanization • Reform
Visual ARTS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Art • Sculpture • Looking at and talking about Art 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art from Long Ago • Elements of Art • Kinds of Pictures: portrait and still life 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Art • Sculpture • Kinds of Pictures: landscapes • Abstract Art • Architecture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Art • American Indian Art • Art of Ancient Rome and Byzantine Civilization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art of the Middle ages in Europe • Islamic Art and Architecture • Art of Africa • Art of China • Art of a New Nation: The United States 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art of the Renaissance • American Art: Nineteenth-Century United States • Art of Japan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art History: periods and schools (Classical; Gothic; Renaissance; Baroque; Rococo; Neoclassical; Romantic; Realistic)
Music 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Music • Listening and Understanding • Songs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Music • Listening and Understanding (composers; orchestra; opera; ballet; jazz) • Songs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Music • Listening and Understanding (orchestra; keyboards; composers) • Songs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Music • Listening and Understanding (orchestra; composers) • Songs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Music • Listening and Understanding (orchestra; vocal ranges composers) • Songs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Music • Listening and Understanding (composers; connections) • American Musical Traditions • Songs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Music • Classical Music: from Baroque to Romantic (Bach, Handel, Haydn, Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert, Chopin, Schuman)
MATH 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patterns and Classification • Numbers and Number Sense • Money • Computation • Measurement • Geometry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patterns and Classification • Numbers and Number Sense • Money • Computation • Measurement • Geometry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patterns and Classification • Numbers and Number Sense • Money • Computation • Measurement • Geometry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers and Number Sense • Fractions and Decimals • Money • Computation • Measurement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers and Number Sense • Fractions and Decimals • Money • Computation • Measurement • Geometry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers and Number Sense • Ratio and Percent • Fractions and Decimals • Computation • Measurement • Geometry • Probability and Statistics • Pre-Algebra 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers and Number Sense • Ratio, Percent, and Proportion • Fractions and Decimals • Computation • Measurement • Geometry • Probability and Statistics • Pre-Algebra
SCIENCE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plants and Plant Growth • Animals and their needs • Human Body (5 senses) • Introduction to Magnetism • Seasons and Weather • Taking care of the Earth • Science Biographies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Living things and their environments • Human body (body systems) • Matter • Properties of matter: measurement • Introduction to electricity • Astronomy • The Earth • Science Biographies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cycles in Nature (seasonal cycles; life cycles; water cycle) • Insects • Human Body (cells; digestive and excretory systems) • Magnetism • Simple Machines • Science Biographies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Classification of Animals • Human Body (muscular, skeletal, and nervous systems; vision and hearing) • Light and Optics • Sound • Ecology • Astronomy • Science Biographies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human body (circulatory and respiratory systems) • Chemistry: basic terms and concepts • Electricity • Geology: The Earth and its Changes • Meteorology • Science Biographies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Classifying Living Things • Cells: structures and processes • Plants: structures and processes • Life Cycles and Reproduction • Human Body (Endocrine and Reproductive systems) • Chemistry: Matter and Change • Science Biographies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plate Tectonics • Oceans • Astronomy: gravity, stars, and galaxies • Energy, Heat, and Energy Transfer • The Human body: Lymphatic and Immune Systems • Science Biographies