# Faith Lutheran School 4th Grade Highlights

#### Mission Statement

Raising up families and followers of Jesus Christ

# Religion

- Bible Replay Curriculum:
- Uses a musical connection for every lesson
- Has a workbook students will use to dig deeper into God's Word
- Uses technology to make connections to biblical truths

## Reading

- Macmillan McGraw-Hill Wonders is a common core, state aligned curriculum
- The program continues students' verbal, visual, and written development in reading
- Phonics, spelling, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension development
- Practice books offer the students experience in many reading strategies
- Balance of writing skills and grammar, and mastering the use of speech

#### Math

- *Savvas enVision Mathematics* 2.0 is a common core, state aligned curriculum covers the following topics:
- Generalize Place Value Understanding
- Fluently add and subtract multi-digit whole numbers
- Use strategies and and properties to multiply 1-digit and 2-digit numbers
- Use Strategies and Properties to Divide by 1-Digit Numbers
- Use Operations with Whole Numbers to Solve Problems
- Factors and Multiples
- Equivalent Fractions and Ordering Fractions
- Addition and Subtraction of fractions
- Extend Multiplication Concepts to Fractions
- Represent and Interpret Data on Line Plots
- Understand and Compare Decimals
- Find Equivalence in Units of Measure
- Generate and Analyze Patterns
- Understand Concepts of Angles
- Lines, Angles, and Shapes

#### Science

*Mystery Science* is used to provide students hands on learning while the investigate the following concepts:

- Human Machine
- The Birth of Rocks
- Waves of Sound

• Energizing Everything

### **Social Studies**

- *Savvas* curriculum provides rich, comprehensive content addressing U.S. geography, history, government, and economy; then moves on to regions throughout the United States of America
- Spring focuses on studying the state of Washington through hands-on activities and simulations bringing Washington state history to life
- Map making, projects, and writing activities help the students explore Washington

At the end of the year, each student researches one city in Washington state and presents their findings during an event called *City Fair* 

#### Experiences

- Piano instruction as extracurricular activity
- Choir/music/recorder instruction (winter and spring program)
- Presentations (Google Slides)
- National Lutheran Schools Week
- Field day
- Field trips
- P.E. instruction
- Kindergarten buddies
- School-wide assemblies
- Science/international/Art fair rotation
- Weekly chapel
- Service projects
- City Fair (social studies)
- Health
- Olympia Junior Program

# Sample Schedule

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:15-8:45 am	Unpack, Wash Hands, Turn in Work, Complete Morning Work, Announcements, and Devotions				
8:45-9:45 am	Science/Social Studies				
9:45-10:00 am	Snack/Spelling				
10:00-10:15 am	Recess				
10:15-11:25 am	Language Arts				
11:25-11:30 am	Wash hands and get ready for lunch				
11:30-11:50 am	Lunch				
11:50-12:20 pm	Lunch Recess				
12:20-12:35 pm	D.E.A.R (Drop Everything And Read)				
12:35-1:35 pm	Math				
1:35- 2:20 pm	P.E	Religion	P.E.	Religion	Art
2:25-3:00 pm	Religion	WA State History	Chapel	WA State History	Fun Friday