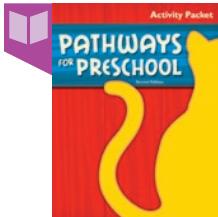
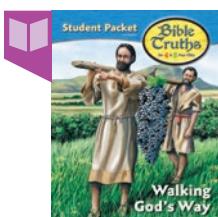


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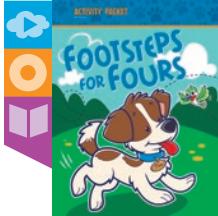
## Pathways for Preschool



## Bible Truths Walking God's Way 2nd Edition



## Footsteps for Fours 3rd Edition



### Circle Time: In the Big Red Barn

- Large group activity
- Language and vocabulary skills

### Prereading: A-B-C Time

- Print awareness
- Letter recognition
- Auditory discrimination

### Prereading: Colors Are Fun!

- Color recognition

### Prereading: Rhyme Time

- Language expression
- Auditory discrimination
- Dramatizations

### Listening and Literature: Once Upon a Time

- Tales in the Barnyard stories

- Read-aloud suggestions
- Listening skills and visual memory

### Premath: 1, 2, 3, Go!

- Counting and number recognition
- Sorting and sequencing

### Premath: Look Up, Look Down

- Opposites and positional words

### Premath: Show Me a Shape

- Shape recognition
- Large motor skill development
- Following directions
- Creative movement

### Environment: Let's Discover!

- Science and observation skills

- Hands-on learning

### Arts: Let's Create!

- Creative expression
- Hand-eye coordination

### Music: Sing with Me

- Singing and listening
- Moving and playing

### Motor: A Hop, Skip, and a Jump

- Social interaction

### Social: Happy Habits

- Manners, habits, and social training

### Cooking: Yummy in My Tummy

- Cooking and following directions
- Sensory and language experiences

### Bible Content

- Topical Bible study in 13 units
- Character traits based on Christ's perfect example
- Bible stories from Old and New Testaments illustrate character traits: obedience (David), courage (Esther), kindness (Elisha), responsibility (Joseph), thankfulness (Timothy), contentment (Paul),

generosity (the wise men), honesty (Paul's nephew), prayer (Elijah), forgiveness (Jesus), trust (Noah), respect (Josiah), and patience (Abraham).

### Character Emphasis

- Character traits emphasized in application stories show children their need of Christ as Savior and demonstrate ways to apply

biblical principles to personal-life situations.

### Bible Truths for Christian Growth

- 13 questions and answers correlated with Bible content

### Memory Verses

- 13 verses

### Prereading

- Language acquisition and development
- Recognition of alphabet letters
- Phonemic awareness of alphabet sounds /a/ to /z/
- Letter-sound recognition of medial short-vowel sounds; initial and final consonants
- Optional beginning reading strand for eager learners

### Listening and Literature

- Traditional literature; realistic and fanciful prose and poetry; nursery rhymes
- Vocabulary development and enrichment
- Auditory memory; sound by direction, pitch, tempo, and volume; rhyming words
- Listening questions to develop comprehension
- Dictation of group writing experiences; sentence completions; story sequencing

### Handwriting

- Correct posture, pencil hold, and paper placement
- Prewriting skills; finger tracing and pencil tracking of left-to-right, vertical, horizontal, diagonal, zig-zag, and curved lines
- Uppercase and lowercase PreCursive alphabet; numbers 0-12

### Mathematics

- Number recognition 0-20; counting to 100; shape recognition; pattern sequencing; color sequencing
- Calendar, clock, coins, measurement, dot patterns, number sets, number line, ordinals, fractions
- Position words

### Social Studies

- Concepts of God's plan for the child and his family
- Patriotism, patriotic symbols, holidays

- Community helpers, transportation

### Science

- Environment: seasonal changes of plants and animals; animal families and animal homes
- Hands-on: experiments, cooking, weather, space, and magnets

### Art

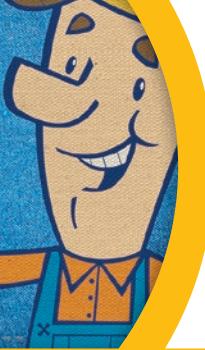
- Art suggestions and craft activities correlated with unit themes

### Motor

- Fine and gross motor development activities; games, action rhymes, and action songs

### Music

- Songs, rhymes, and musical games
- Additional music strand to complement lessons through movement, rhythm instruments, retelling of stories, games, and songs



# K5

## Focus on Fives

4th Edition



### LANGUAGE ARTS

#### Prereading

- Print awareness: left-to-right eye progression; visual discrimination; visual memory
- Reasoning; classifying; sequencing size and shape relationships
- Rhyming; awareness of author; picture reading
- Listening comprehension
- Comparing
- Following directions; perceiving concepts such as up/down, hard/soft
- Alphabet recognition: phonemic awareness

#### Phonics and Word Perception

- Units 1–3: Letter-sound association—consonants and short vowels; words with closed syllable phonograms (examples: *\_it, \_at*); plural words with *s* and *es*; compound words; possessive words
- Units 4–6: Letter-sound association—consonant blends and

digraphs, long vowels; *r*-influenced vowels; special vowel combinations; vowel patterns for long vowels (examples: *\_oke, \_o, \_oat*)

#### Early Reading Skills

- Comprehension
- Predicting outcomes; answering questions after silent reading; sequencing events; developing vocabulary
- Perceiving relationships; distinguishing reality from fantasy
- Matching words and pictures; matching sentences and pictures; reading short stories
- Oral communication and oral reading
- Discussion; action rhymes; pantomime; retelling stories; reading phonics stories orally

#### Composition

- Dictating sentence ideas for individual composition; completing sentence starters

### Handwriting

- Letter formation; principles of slant; alignment; spacing; pencil hold; posture

### RELATED ARTS

#### Art

- Drawing; painting; making crafts to match the unit themes of the lessons (examples: puppets, papier-mâché pig)

#### Motor Skills

- Encouraging fine-motor skills through prewriting activities, fingerplays, cooking and Learning Center activities, and student activity worksheets
- Developing gross-motor skills during simple games and group activities

#### Music

- Traditional and piggyback songs; music games

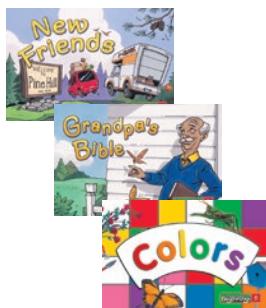
## Heritage Studies

- Geography: US landmarks; history: Native Americans, colonial life; culture: families, community helpers, Hispanic culture, Bible times, farming, American celebrations

## Science

- Appreciating God's creation
- Learning about birds, bugs, magnets, seasons, water, our bodies, weather, rocks, oceans, sun, moon, plants, and animals
- Experiencing hands-on activities

## Reading



#### Word Recognition

- Application of phonics concepts presented in K5 phonics lessons
- Readers 1–16—short vowels, single consonants
- Readers 17–34—short vowels, consonant blends and digraphs, long vowels, *r*-influenced vowels, special vowels
- Word families; high-frequency words; compound words; words with suffixes

#### Comprehension

- Picture reading
- Questioning to develop higher-order thinking skills
- Predict text; make inferences; draw conclusions; predict outcomes
- Compare; sequence events; follow directions

#### Vocabulary

- Meaning from context

#### Literature

- Read a variety of genres: family stories, informational articles,

fanciful animal stories, poetry, Bible accounts, and realistic fiction

- Distinguish reality from fantasy

#### Silent Reading

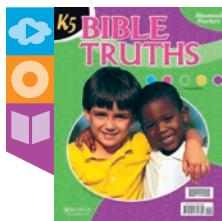
- Reading for specific information; reading for author's message

#### Oral Reading

- Communicate message of the author; communicate in a natural manner
- Portray a character
- Respond to punctuation: period, exclamation point, question mark, quotation marks

## Bible Truths

Updated 2nd Edition



### Bible Content

- Chronological and topical study of the Old and New Testaments
- Bible characters include Noah, Abraham, Joseph, Moses, Joshua through Jonah, and Christ.
- Topics include Creation, learning about the Bible, the life of Christ, prayer, and missions.
- Lessons for Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter

### Character Emphasis

- Character traits emphasized in application stories correlated with biblical content

### Catechism

- 50 questions correlated with biblical content

### Memory Verses

- 25 verses or passages

## K5 Bible

Exploring God's Word

1st Edition



### Bible Content

- Chronological study of the Old and New Testaments
- Bible characters include Adam and Eve, Noah, Abraham, Joseph, Moses, Joshua, Gideon, Samuel, David, Elijah, Jonah, Jesus, Peter, and Paul.
- Topics include learning about the Bible; Creation, the Fall, and Redemption; God's promises to Adam, Noah, Abraham, Moses, and David; judges, priests, kings,

and prophets; the captivity and return of Israel; the life of Christ; the early church; the new creation; prayer; and missions.

- Students will examine God's Word from Genesis to Revelation and discover what God is doing to redeem His fallen creation.
- Biblical content is related to the biblical worldview shaping themes of glory, law, kingdom, and forgiveness, and students apply these principles through

various biblical worldview shaping discussions and active learning strategies.

### Memory Verses

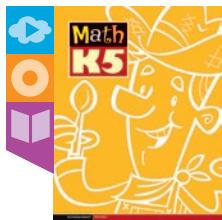
- 32 verses

### Songs

- 32 songs that correspond to the biblical content of each week's content focus

## Math

3rd Edition



### Numeration

- Identify 0-100
- Writing 0-100

### Number Sense

- Ordinals: first-sixth; first, next, last; before, after, between; patterns; place value: tens/ones

### Counting

- Count to 150 by 1s
- Count to 100 by 10s
- Count to 50 by 5s; count on

### Addition

- Sums to 10; equation; vertical form; money; oral word problems

### Subtraction

- Differences to 10; equation; vertical form; money; oral word problems; take-away; comparison

### Algebra Readiness

- Equation

### Fractions

- Equal parts; halves; thirds; fourths; halves of a set of objects

### Geometry

- Flat shapes: circle, square, triangle, rectangle; symmetry; same shape
- Solid figures: ball-shape (sphere), can-shape (cylinder), box-shape (rectangular solid, cube), cone-shape (cone)
- Spatial relationships: top, middle, bottom; left, right; over, under; inside, outside; on, off; front, back
- Patterns

### Estimation

- Numbers of objects
- Length: centimeter
- Weight: weighs more, weighs less
- Capacity: holds more, holds less

### Measurement

- Size: larger, smaller
- Length, height; longer, shorter; nonstandard units; inch; centimeter
- Weight: weighs more, weighs less; pound

- Capacity: holds more, holds less; cup, quart, gallon, liter
- Temperature: hot, cold
- Measuring tools: ruler, scale, thermometer, cup
- Time: to hour
- Calendar: days, weeks, months, year
- Money: penny, nickel, dime, quarter

### Problem Solving

- Oral word problems; graphs; probability

### Statistics and Graphs

- Pictograph; bar graph; tallies

### Calculators

- Number recognition, count up, count back; addition; subtraction

# Math

4th Edition



## Numeration

- Identify numbers 0–100
- Write numbers 0–100

## Number Sense

- Compose/decompose numbers
- Identify ordinal positions: first–tenth; first, next, last
- Determine order: before, after, between
- Find patterns in numeration
- Develop place value: tens and ones
- Identify teen numbers as 10 and some more

## Counting and Cardinality

- Count and make sets to 20
- Count to 100 by 1s and 10s
- Count on from any given number to 100
- Represent the quantity of a number using manipulatives or by drawing a picture.

## Whole Number Operations: Addition and Subtraction

- Sums to 10: join sets; count on; compose/decompose numbers
- Count back differences to 10; take apart; unknown part
- Represent addition/subtraction sentences with pictures (manipulatives, draw, act out)
- Write addition/subtraction sentences (equations)
- Solve word problems
- Tell a story for a number sentence
- Explain the sum or difference

## Algebra Readiness

- Understand part-whole relationship
- Correlate the relationship between addition and subtraction

## Equal Parts of a Whole (Fraction Concepts)

- Count equal parts in a whole
- Distinguish between equal parts and unequal parts
- Partition a whole into equal parts

## Geometry

- Describe attributes of plane shapes: circle, square, triangle, rectangle in various orientations
- Describe attributes of solid figures: ball shape (sphere), can shape (cylinder), box shape (rectangular solid, cube), cone shape (cone)
- Construct shapes with manipulatives
- Identify spatial relationships: top, middle, bottom; left, right; over, under; inside, outside; on, off; front, back
- Extend and construct patterns (color, shape, size)

## Estimation

- Number of objects
- Length: longer, shorter
- Weight: weighs more, weighs less
- Capacity: holds more, holds less
- Time: more time, less time

## Measurement and Data

- Sort and classify objects by attributes (number, color, size, shape)
- Compare measurable attributes; length (longer/shorter), height (taller/shorter), weight (heavier/lighter), capacity (more/less)
- Measure: nonstandard units and inches; more than one attribute
- Determine temperature: hot, cold
- Tell time: read and write time to the hour; daytime, nighttime; sequence events; more time, less time
- Read a calendar: days of the week; months of the year; yesterday, today, tomorrow; seasons
- Identify and count pennies

## Pictographs

- Solve word problems by using manipulatives, drawing pictures, or acting out situations
- Write and solve number sentences (equations)