



SECOND GRADE CLASSROOM CURRICULUM

2ND GRADE COURSES

Bible, *Positive Action for Christ, Finding God's Promises*
Students are taught about God's gifts in creation and study the life of Moses.

Math, *A Beka Books, Arithmetic II*
Students strive to master basic math concepts such as addition and subtraction facts (1-18 families), multiplication tables, telling time, determining the temperature, and recognizing/counting coins and bills. Students also spend time determining story problems, working with place values, and number sequences (2,3,4,5,10,25,50), and determining greater than/less than.

English, *A Beka Books, Language II and Expert English*
Students are introduced to the parts of speech – nouns, verbs, prepositions, pronouns, and adjectives. In addition, alphabetical order and capitalization rules are studied, as well as, types of sentences and punctuation.

Spelling, *A Beka Books – Spelling and Poetry I*
Students memorize weekly spelling lists that help them enhance their spelling skills by use of phonetical rules. Students are able to complete in the annual Spelling Bee.

Reading, *A Beka Books – Numerous Books*
Reading in second grade emphasizes accuracy, expression, and comprehension. Students read material that deals with characteristics and principles found in Scripture to enable growth in a child's life.

History, *A Beka Books, Our America*
Students study our world – the continents, states and capitals, and the history of our great country from the Pilgrims to modern times.

Science, *A Beka Books – Enjoying God's World*
Students discover the unique design of their bodies as well as the world around them. Students study the animal and plant world in further detail.

Art, *A Beka Books – Art Projects I*
Students complete weekly art projects that strengthen their imagination and their ability to follow directions, cut, color, glue, etc.

Spanish, *Bob Jones University Press*
Students are taught to grasp the basics of Spanish. Students learn the colors, numbers 1-100, days of the week, months of the year, and body parts. Poetry and songs are included.

Music
Students receive daily instruction in music theory using visual aids, boom whackers, and melody bells.

Field Trip Opportunities
Student's have the opportunity to attend several field trips including, but not limited to Robert's Family Farm, the Louisville Zoo, Dawley Park, and the Radcliff Fire Department.