



First Grade S.E.E.K

2021-22 Curriculum Overview

Week 1

Introduction Activities:

- Introduction games, classroom rules, schedule, nature hike, facility tour, nature activity.

Week 2

Our Earth/ Our Home:

- Discover earth's history by looking at fossils, volcanos, glaciers, caves, oceans and various land formations. Students will make a fossil.

Week 3

Let's go Underground:

- Learn how caves are created and who lives there. Have you ever seen a bat?

Week 4

Wetlands and Wetland Wildlife:

- Discover the wonderful world of wetlands. Meet the only animal who can create a habitat.

Week 5

Forest and Friends:

- Explore the forest and the wildlife who live there. The featured animal this week is a Bear.

Week 6

Prairie Habitat and Wildlife:

- Discover what is a prairie and the animals who survive there. Birds are the featured animals this week.

Week 7

Creatures of the Night:

- They are in every habitat and out every night. We will learn about nocturnal animals. Who they are and what they do to survive.

Week 8

Taking Care of our Land:

- Learn about how we live in our environment. What do you eat and where does it come from. We will spend the day being a farmer or a rancher.

Week 9/10

It's all About Stewardship:

- How do we take care of the earth? Hike the Un-Nature Trail. Learn how to recycle and reuse.

Week 11

Our Earth/Our Home: (What have we learned?)

- The main topic today will be pollution. What is pollution and how it affects the land, wildlife and humans.

Week 12 Last Day:

- Graduation and a lot of fun activities. (It's a secret)

There will be a weekly letter sent to you with a detailed description of the concepts we learned and the activities we completed. Announcements or requests for science experiment items will be included as needed.