



Monthly Themes

2026-2027 Academic Year



September

Geography/History:	Personal Family & History
Botany:	Introduction to the Plant World
Zoology:	Introduction to Animals
Sciences:	The Senses and Perception
Literature:	"The Kissing Hand" by Audrey Penn
Special Subjects/Events:	The Lifecycle of a Butterfly

October

Geography/History:	North America
Botany:	Roots
Zoology:	Animal Classification
Sciences:	Introduction to Seasons
Literature:	"We're Going on a Leaf Hunt" by Steve Metzger
Special Subjects/Events:	Continent Song/Fall Harvest/Pumpkin lifecycle

November

Geography/History:	USA
Botany:	Stems
Zoology:	Animal Classification
Sciences:	Weather Patterns
Literature:	"To Fill a Bucket" by Carol McCloud & Katherine Martin
Special Subjects/Events:	Pilgrims & Native Americans - Simple Thanksgiving History

December

Geography/History:	Europe
Botany:	Leaves
Zoology:	Animal Life Cycles
Sciences:	Natural Features and Environments
Literature:	"The Giving Tree" by Shel Silverstein
Special Subjects/Events:	Cultural Celebrations and Holidays

January

Geography/History:	Antarctica
Botany:	Flowers
Zoology:	Animal Life Cycles
Sciences:	States of Matter
Literature:	"The Mitten" by Jan Brett
Special Subjects/Events:	The Lifecycle of a Frog, MLK Jr. Day

February

Geography/History:	Africa
Botany:	Fruits
Zoology:	Animal Habitats
Sciences:	Sound and Gravity
Literature:	"Little Blue and Little Yellow" by Leo Lionni
Special Subjects/Events:	Black History Month, Valentine's Day, President's Day

March

Geography/History:	Asia
Botany:	Seeds
Zoology:	Animal Food Chain
Sciences:	Physics and Forces
Literature:	Dr. Seuss
Special Subjects/Events:	Read Across America, St. Patrick's Day

April

Geography/History:	Oceania
Botany:	Vegetables
Zoology:	Animal Adaptations
Sciences:	Environmental Science
Literature:	"Chicka Chicka Boom Boom" by Bill Martin Jr & John Archambault
Special Subjects/Events:	The Lifecycle of a Chicken, Earth Day

May

Geography/History:	South America
Botany:	Plant Groups & Habitats
Zoology:	Animal Categories
Sciences:	Space and Planets
Literature:	"The Very Hungry Caterpillar" by Eric Carle
Special Subjects/Events:	Teacher Appreciation Week

June

Geography/History:	California
Botany:	Ecology and Plant Life Cycles
Zoology:	Working Animals
Sciences:	Physics and Forces
Literature:	"The Little Red Hen" by Paul Galdone
Special Subjects/Events:	Food Tasting from Different Cultures