# Skills List

# Language Arts:

- Write in a journal.
- Learn new sight words and vocabulary words.
- Decode words by breaking them into syllables.
- Develop listening comprehension and the ability to retell a story.
- Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
- Use word recognition skills and strategies to read and comprehend text.
- Demonstrate evidence of literal and inferential comprehension.
- Read orally with increased fluency and expression.
- Apply spelling concepts through written practice.
- Identify common and proper nouns.
- Identify the number of syllables in a word.
- Correctly use homophones.
- Learn a spelling rule: Drop a silent e on a root word before adding a vowel suffix.
- Memorize and recite a poem.
- Evaluate an oral presentation using a rubric.
- Write a cinquain and an acrostic.
- Read poetry, and identify figurative language.
- Add a suffix to a word.
- Write the correct present tense form of verbs.
- Add a given suffix to a word.
- Use word recognition skills and strategies to read and learn new information.
- Write a research report using a writing process.
- Use a chart to classify words.
- Understand the meaning of a prefix.
- Add a suffix to a word ending in the letter y.
- Apply spelling concepts through written practice.
- Write a research report using a writing process.
- Define words using a dictionary.
- Use comparative and superlative adjectives.
- Identify the present and past tense of a verb.
- Use correct subject-verb agreement.
- Write dictated words and sentences.
- Identify the simple subject and simple predicate in a sentence.
- Differentiate between a concrete and abstract noun.
- Use a chart to classify words.
- Identify the number of syllables in a word.
- Make compound words.
- Identify root words.
- Write a simple bibliography.
- Identify sentence types.
- Recognize the meaning of the unit vocabulary words.
- Analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of written work.
- Use literary devices and word relationships to write jokes.

#### Mathematics:

- Review and reinforce calendar skills.
- Create patterns.
- Skip count by different increments.
- Solve problems using a calendar.
- Learn multiplication facts: elevens and twelves.
- Multiply multi-digit numbers with regrouping.
- Learn the order of operations in math.
- Draw a horizontal and vertical line of symmetry.
- Add and subtract amounts of money.
- Recall subtraction, multiplication, and division facts.
- Write numbers in expanded form and word form.
- Create a line graph and a bar graph to record information and solve problems.
- Add a column of numbers with regrouping.
- Write dictated numbers.
- Apply the Associative Property and Commutative Property of Addition.
- Read and write numbers through hundred millions.
- Divide multi-digit numbers.
- Read and write decimal numbers.
- Use the Associative Property of Addition.
- Use a calculator to compute batting averages.
- Round decimal numbers to the nearest thousandth.
- Make a prediction about probability.
- Determine the range, mode, median, and mean of a set of data.
- Plot coordinates on a coordinate graph.
- Write a place value chart through hundred trillions.
- Write the range and mode of a set of data.
- Write a function rule.
- Write the place value of a given digit.
- Write a number in word form.
- Identify fact families.

### **Social Studies:**

- Recite pledges.
- Learn the basic rules and fielding positions of baseball.
- Learn about famous baseball players: Babe Ruth, Clayton Kershaw, Jackie Robinson, Alvin Dark, Willy Mays, Lou Gehrig, Ted Williams, Cal Ripken Jr., Albert Pujols, and Hank Aaron.
- Locate the Dominican Republic on a globe or world map.

#### Science:

- Make observations, and describe the weather.
- Learn the symptoms and effects of Lou Gehrig's disease.
- Use simple logic to develop a strategy.
- Learn about Down syndrome.
- Use a microscope to observe cells.
- Draw a diagram of a cell.

## Fine Arts:

- Sing one of the most-performed songs in America.
- Make a diorama.

# Physical Development and Fitness:

- Play a game of kickball using the rules of baseball.
- Measure reaction time.
- Develop eye-hand coordination: catching a ball with the non-dominant hand.
- Large motor development: throwing with accuracy, throwing for distance, hitting for distance
- Understand that it is best to warm up the muscles before trying to improve flexibility.
- Develop balance and body control.

# Character Development and Bible:

- Understand and apply scripture.
- Character trait development: perseverance, integrity, and a commitment to be and do our best