

Core Knowledge Calendar
Kindergarten

Month	Social Studies	Science	Art	Music
September	Geography (Geographic features) and Continents overview	The Five Senses - Apples and Pumpkins Seasons - Fall	Elements of Art Color- Rainbow & ROY G. BIV	Through participation, become familiar with some basic elements of music. - Recognize a steady beat; begin to play a steady beat. - Sing unaccompanied, accompanied, and in unison. Listening and understanding Grieg, "Morning" Songs: Are You Sleeping?; Row, Row, Row Your Boat
October	Christopher Columbus	The Five Senses - Apples and Pumpkins	Elements of Art Color- Color Wheel	Elements of Music - Steady beat - Sing a varied repertoire - Move responsively to music. Listening

				Rodgers: "March of the Siamese Children" Songs: This Old Man
November	United States Native Americans - The Wampanoag Veteran's Day Pilgrims	Weather Patterns	Elements of Art Color- Warm and Cool Colors	Listening and understanding Recognize the following instruments by sight and sound: guitar, piano, trumpet, flute, violin, drum. "March of the Toys" from Babes in Toyland
December	The 7 Continents Asia	Needs of Plants ` Seasons - Winter	Elements of Art Lines	Elements of Music - Discriminate between fast and slow, high and low, loud and soft. - Recognize that some phrases are the same, some different. L&U - The orchestra Tchaikovsky's <i>Nutcracker Suite</i> Songs Jingle Bells

January	The 7 Continents Africa North America South America	Needs of Animals	Elements of Art Shapes	Elements of Music • Fast and slow • Loud and soft Songs: Auld Lang Syne (4th grade) L&U • Recognize the instrument: violin
February	The 7 Continents Antarctica Presidents	Pushes and Pulls	Elements of Art Texture	Elements of Music • Fast and slow • Loud and soft • High and low L&U • Recognize the instrument: drum
March	Europe	Season - Spring	Art History & Using Our Elements- Vincent Van Gogh Sunflowers	Elements of Music • Participate in play party activities • Short and long sounds Songs A ram sam sam
April	Australia	Changing Environments	Art History & Using Our Elements- Henri Matisse Paper Cuts	Elements of Music • Fast and slow • Loud and soft • High and low L&U • Recognize the instrument: flute

				Grieg: "Morning" and "In the Hall of the Mountain King" Ella Fitzgerald, "A Tisket, A Tasket"
May	Continents wrap up 4th of July	Care of the earth	Art History & Using Our Elements- Mondrian, Shapes, and Primary Colors	Elements of Music ● Move responsively to music Listening and understanding Saint-Saëns: <i>Carnival of the Animals</i>
June		Season - Summer	Art History & Using Our Elements- Picasso & Portraits	Elements of Music ● Play party activities ● Sing a varied repertoire ● Move responsively to music. ● Call and response