



3rd Grade Packet






Exploring Countries & Cultures

CURRICULUM TO BE PURCHASED BY FAMILY:

COURSE	TITLE	COST	VENDOR
HUMANITIES:			
	<u>Countries & Cultures Teacher's Manual, 2nd Edition</u> Publisher: My Father's World	90.00	www.mfwbooks.com
	<u>Passport</u> Publisher: My Father's World	1.45	
	<u>Countries & Cultures Parent/Teacher Supplement</u> Publisher: My Father's World	7.95	
	<u>Countries & Cultures Student Sheets</u> Publisher: My Father's World	16.95	
	<u>Illustrated World Atlas</u> Author: Alisdair Rogers Publisher: Crabtree Publishing Company ISBN: 978-0778700401	14.95	
	<u>Rand McNally Classroom Atlas</u> Publisher: Rand McNally & Co. (2006)	10.95	
	<u>Ultimate Sticker Book: Flags of the World</u> Publisher: DK Publishing	4.95	
	<u>Maps Charts Graphs: Communities Level C</u> Author: Sally Allen ISBN: 9780813621340	7.15	
	<u>Geography Songs: Sing Around the World CD</u> Author: Larry Troxel Publisher: Audio Memory Publishing (2004) ISBN: 978-1883028138	22.95	
	<u>A Trip Around the World</u> Author: Leland Graham Publisher: Carson-Dellosa Publishing ISBN: 978-1594416507	11.75	
	<u>Another Trip Around the World</u> Author: Leland Graham Publisher: Carson-Dellosa Publishing ISBN: 978-1594416484	11.75	www.rainbowresource.com
	<u>Hero Tales</u> Author: Dave & Neta Jackson Publisher: Bethany House Publishers ISBN: 978-0764200786	10.95	
	<u>Window on the World</u> Author: Daphne Spraggett Publisher: Authentic ISBN: 978-1932805918	11.95	
	<u>A Reason for Spelling Level C Student Worktext</u> ISBN: 9780936785295	14.50	
Language Arts: 	<u>Daily Grams 3 Book</u> *reproducible within the family ISBN-13: 9780936981345	19.50	
	<u>Shurley English Homeschool workbook level 3</u> ISBN: 978-1-58561-041-9	10.95	
	<u>Shurley English Homeschool Introductory & Practice CD 3</u> ISBN: 978-1-58561-042-6	13.00	
	<u>Shurley English Homeschool Practice Booklet 3</u> ISBN: 978-1-58561-054-9	6.95	
Composition: 	<u>IEW Portable Walls</u> Direct link to product: www.excellenceinwriting.com/pw	7.00	www.excellenceinwriting.com








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READ ALOUDS: Many of these literature books may be found at the library.			
	S. America <u>Nate Saint: On a Wing and a Prayer</u> Author: Janet & Geoff Benge Publisher: YWAM	6.75	www.rainbowresource.com
	Africa <u>David Livingstone: Africa's Trailblazer</u> Author: Janet & Geoff Benge Publisher: YWAM	6.75	
	U.S. <u>Stone Fox</u> Author: John Reynolds Gardener ISBN: 9780064401326	3.95	
	Mexico <u>Hill of Fire</u> Author: Thomas P. Lewis ISBN: 9780064440400	2.95	
	Canada <u>Paddle to the Sea</u> Author: Holling C. Holling ISBN: 9780395292037	8.95	
	Antarctica <u>Mr. Popper's Penguins</u> Author: Richard and Florence Atwater ISBN: 9780316058438	5.25	
	Norway, France, & Germany <u>The Little Riders</u> Author: Margaretha Shemin ISBN: 9780688124991	4.35	
READERS: Many of these A Beka books may be found used for half of the price through www.amazon.com . Second edition or newer of A Beka readers is sufficient.			
A Beka Books: 	<u>Paths to Adventure</u> Code: 104213	~5.00	www.Abeka.com
	<u>Footprints</u> Code: 104248	~5.00	
	<u>Crossroads</u> Code: 104264	~5.00	
	<u>Worlds of Wonder</u> Code: 104361	~5.00	
SCIENCE:			
	<u>Living World Encyclopedia</u> Publisher: Usborne Books ISBN-13: 978-0794527846	11.50	www.rainbowresource.com
	Canson Field Sketchbook 7" x 10" 80 pages	10.40	www.amazon.com
MATH:			
	Math U See: <u>Gamma Student Kit</u> <u>Skip Count and Addition Songs</u> cd *1 per family	25.00 10.00*	www.mathusee.com
CURRICULUM PROVIDED BY LEGACY:			
Science:	<u>Amazing Biome Projects You Can Build Yourself</u>	~ Provided by Legacy	
Literature: China	<u>Li Lun: Lad of Courage</u>		
Literature: Brazil	Free online books: http://www.rainforest-alliance.org/kids/stories		
Art:	Weekly art classes are provided by Out of the Box		
OPTIONAL TOOLS:			
Humanities: 	Wall Map of the World	5.95	www.mfwbooks.com
	<u>Global Art</u> Author: MaryAnn Kohl ISBN: 978-0876591901	11.55	



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OPTIONAL TOOLS: (con't)			
	Math: Manipulative Blocks <i>*optional, recommended* 1 per family</i>	35.00	
	Math U See <u>Gamma Instruction Pack</u> * Note:The instruction pack includes answers. Parents are expected to correct student work completed at home. This level is multiplication, however, so it may not be needed.	40.00	www.mathusee.com
OPTIONAL STRETCH CURRICULUM: Optional curriculum that may be used to "stretch" your student.			
	Phonics: <u>Explode the Code</u> Workbooks #6 - 8 Author: Nancy Hall Publisher: Educators Publishing Service Each workbook contains eleven to fifteen lessons with approximately eight pages each. Simple directions are at the top of each page. Most children will be able to work independently after being introduced to a new concept. Book 6 covers ar, ir, er, ur, and diphthongs (ou, ow, au, aw, ew, ui, ue, ou, oi, oy), book 7 c and g followed by vowels, dge, mb, kn, wr, ear, ph, ei, eigh, silent t and h, and book 8 suffixes (ness, less, ous, ist, ity, ture, tion, ment, able, ible, sion, ance, ence, five, sive, ify, ize). If your child needs more practice in a particular book, there are 1/2 books in between each level. So, if your child had some difficulty in book 6, you could use book 6 1/2 before moving on to book 7.	6.50	www.Rainbow resource.com
	Grammar: <u>Easy Grammar 3 Workbook</u> ISBN: 9780936981482 This reproducible workbook provides complete coverage of parts of speech, types of sentences, capitalization, and punctuation. The workbook begins by having students learn a list of prepositions. Then, by identifying and crossing out prepositions and prepositional phrases, students can see the core of each sentence. Concepts are presented in small, understandable increments, followed by plenty of practice. The teacher book is a complete grammar course with ample, effective teaching strategies, workbook pages, and assessments all between two covers. It's convenient and takes <u>no teacher preparation time.</u>	10.95	
	Math: <u>Kumon Math Workbooks: (Grade 3, ages 7/8/9)</u> Telling time, geometry & measurement, money: dollars & cents, addition & subtraction, word problems, and multiplication are just a few of the workbooks available. These self-directed workbooks introduce concepts in small, incremental steps, allowing children to master them without confusion. The concepts are taught by discovery method. Single topic books, rather than mixed strands, help children concentrate just on addition, for example, before moving on to subtraction.	7.00	www.rainbow resource.com www.barnes andnoble.com
	<u>Math for the Gifted Student Grade 3</u> Publisher: Flash Kids Forward ISBN: 978-1411434356 Logic-based math activities aligned to national math standards and designed to encourage independent thinking and stimulate creativity.	6.50	www.rainbow resource.com
	<u>Guinness World Records Math Grade 3</u> ISBN: 9781936024025	12.50	

Books do not need to be ordered from the listed vendor.

3rd Grade Summer Reading List

Choose at least one book to read this summer from the “Countries and Cultures” list, and at least one book from the “General Reading” list.

Countries and Cultures

<p><u>Aladdin and Other Stories</u> Read Aloud Grade 1+ Read Alone Grade 5+</p>	<p>Smith, Phillip (ed) Middle East Approximately 12th Century</p>
<p><u>Ali and the Golden Eagle</u> Read Aloud Grade 3+ Read Alone Grade 5+</p>	<p>Grover, Wayne Saudi Arabia 1970's</p>
<p><u>Around the World in Eighty Days</u> Read Aloud Grade 3+ Read Alone Grade 5+</p>	<p>Verne, Jules World 1872</p>
<p><u>Born in the Year of Courage</u> Read Aloud Grade 2+ Read Alone Grade 4+</p>	<p>Crofford, Emily Japan/US 1850's</p>
<p><u>Call It Courage</u> Read Aloud Grade 2+ Read Alone Grade 4+</p>	<p>Sperry, Armstrong Polynesia Ancient</p>
<p><u>Daughter of the Mountains</u> Read Aloud Grade 3+ Read Alone Grade 4+</p>	<p>Rankin, Louise S. Tibet/India Modern</p>
<p><u>Genghis Kahn & The Mongol Horde</u> Read Aloud Grade 2+ Read Alone Grade 4+</p>	<p>Lamb, Harold Central Asia 1162-1227</p>
<p><u>Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes</u> Read Aloud Grade 2+ Read Alone Grade 4+</p>	<p>Coeer, Eleanor Japan 1900's</p>
<p><u>The Cat Who Went to Heaven</u> Read Aloud 2+ Read Alone 4+</p>	<p>Coatsworth, Elizabeth Japan Written 1930</p>
<p><u>The House of Sixty Fathers</u> Read Aloud 2+ Read Alone 5+</p>	<p>Dejong, Meindert China Second Sino-Japanese War (1937-1935)</p>

The Kite Fighters
Read Aloud 2+
Read Alone 4+

Park, Linda Sue
Korea
1473

Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze
Read Aloud 2+
Read Alone 4+

Lewis, Elizabeth Foreman
China
1920's

Om-kas-toe
Read Aloud 2-7
Read Alone 4-7

Thomasma, Kenneth
USA
Early 1700's

A Grain of Rice
Read Aloud K-5
Read Alone 3-5

Pittman, Helena Clare
China
15th Century

Family Under the Bridge
Read Aloud K-7
Read Alone 4-7

Carlson, Natalie Savage
France
Modern

The Hundred Dresses
Read Aloud K-6
Read Alone 3-6

Estes, Eleanor
USA
Modern

General Reading

Hank the Cowdog (any in the series)
Read Aloud 2-5
Read Alone 3-5

Erickson, John R.
USA
Modern

Henry Reed, Inc.
Read Aloud Grade 3+
Read Alone Grade 4-6

Robertson, Keith
USA
20th Century

Rascal
Read Aloud 1+
Read Alone 4+

North, Sterling
USA
1900's

Seabird
Read Aloud Grade 3-8
Read Alone Grade 5-8

Holling, Holling C.
USA/World
Covers about 200 years

The Incredible Journey
Read Aloud 1+
Read Alone 4-8

Brunford, Sheila
USA
20th Century

A Letter to Mr. Roosevelt
Read Aloud 1+
Read Aloud 3+

De Young, Coco C.
USA
1930's

Sarah, Plain and Tall
Read Aloud 1+
Read Alone 3+

MacLachlan, Patricia
USA
1800's

<u>Nate the Great</u> Read Aloud K-4 Read Alone 2-4	Weinman, Marjorie USA 20 th Century
<u>Red Sails to Capri</u> Read Aloud 1-4 Read Alone 3+	Weil, Ann Europe 1900's
<u>Strawberry Girl</u> Read Aloud 3+ Read Alone 4-7	Lenski, Lois USA 1930's
<u>Charlotte's Web</u> Read Aloud K+ Read Alone 3-7	White, E.B. USA Mid 20 th Century
<u>Henry Huggins</u> (any in the series) Read Aloud K+ Read Alone 3-6	Cleary, Beverly USA Modern
<u>Homer Price</u> Read Aloud 1+ Read alone 3-7	McCloskey, Robert USA 1950's
<u>Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle</u> Read Aloud K+ Read Alone 3-6	MacDonald, Betty USA Written in 1940's
<u>The Bravest Dog Ever: The True Story of Balto</u> Read Aloud K-3 Read Alone 1-3	Standiford, Natalie USA 1925
<u>Understood Betsy</u> Read Aloud 2-7 Read Alone 4-7	Canfield Dorothy USA Early 1900's
<u>Boxcar Children</u> (Any in the Series) Read Aloud K-6 Read Alone 3-6	Warner, Gertrude Chandler USA Modern
<u>Encyclopedia Brown</u> (any book in the series) Read Aloud 2-6 Read Alone 3-6	Sobol, Donald USA Modern