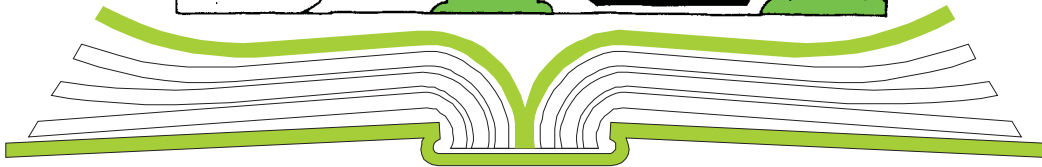


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7. that sometimes are ungraded, allowing quick learning students to progress rapidly, and slower students to not feel they are behind their grade level.

NOTE: You probably know that boys learn in a different manner than girls. They generally also think differently. There are even differences between children of the same gender! With that in mind, you might be tempted, or even encouraged by others, to provide totally different teaching/learning materials for each child. It really is not necessary nor wise financially to do so. Learn to wield your tools to meet the needs of each of your children by tweaking how you use them and adding little extras that will appeal to and entice each child. Add some up and moving action for some children, quiet instruction for others, and lots of opportunity for everyone to just play!

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#2117CA - Positive commands are important, but the breaking of negative commands is what destroys homes and lives. (63 minutes)

How to Bless Your Children and Others

#2273 - Teaches the importance of blessings and how to bless your children.

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#2275 - In Proverbs 6 God chose the analogy of a lamp and it's light to picture how parents are to function as a team in parenting. Just as the wick and the lamp will not function independently, so a father and mother are to demonstrate oneness in the teaching and discipline of their children.

How to Help Weak Children Become Strong

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How to Train Children to Refuse Evil and Choose Good

#2106 - Since a child is going to follow spiritual appetites or worldly appetites, it is vitally important that those appetites be properly chosen, cultured and controlled. (57 minutes)

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(59 minutes)

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Why Satan Wants the 1st Born

(56 minutes)

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#2118 - A wife asked, "What can I do to help my husband with his anger?" An older son asked, "What do I do when my father gets angry? How am I supposed to respond?" Learn seven steps to help you respond correctly to an angry person. Ladies, there are principals and messages in here for you too for dealing with your anger!

What Impatience Does

#2130 - Impatience leads to anger and cuts you off from many blessings. Gives 7 steps to patience. (63 minutes)

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Rick Boyer

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#S617 - \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Author: Scott Turansky and Joanne Miller (256 pgs)
Anger has a positive side and can help parents identify problems that need attention in their children. This book helps parents view their anger constructively, using it to lead them to practical solutions for each of the seven most common problems that parents see in their kids. These solutions not only help children change their hearts, but also foster positive character qualities that will enable them to relate to God in a healthy way. Includes questions for discussion and special activities to do with your children.

Hints on Child Training

#S615 - \$10.27 CAD / \$8.97USD

Author: H. Clay Trumball (Paperback, 193 pages)
This book has been helping parents like you...for more than 100 years. Much has changed over the last hundred years, but some things never change. Children will always need to be loved and disciplined. They will always need to be taught responsibility, courtesy, self-control, and good habits leading to godly character. In 1890, Elisabeth Elliot's great-grandfather wrote his child-training "hints" at age 60 after raising eight children of his own.

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Author: Christine Field

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Parenting from the Heart

#7535 - \$14.97CAD / \$12.97USD

Author: Marilyn Boyer

(Paperback, 164 pages)

This book is chock full of practical parenting advice and ideas from a Mom who has had 14 children ranging in age from six to thirty. Some chapter titles include "So Now You're a Mommy!", "Gotta Love Those Toddlers", "Building a Sense of Destiny in Your Child", "Building a Heart of Obedience", "Character Counts", "Guard Their Hearts", "Turning Problems into Projects", "Keeping the Peace", "Keep it Simple-Home Education at it's Best", "Building Patriot's Hearts", "Give Them Your Heart" and many, many more.

Say Goodbye to Whining, Complaining, and Bad Attitudes in You and Your Kids!

#S613 - \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Author: Scott Turansky and Joanne Miller

(240 pages)

What if honour and respect were the primary dynamics in your household? Would your days look any different? Dr. Scott Turansky and Joanne Miller offer a thorough, complete program for establishing honour between all family members as a basis of family life. Even if honour seems a long way off in your household, you will find practical suggestions here to bring that goal just a little closer – suggestions for children and adults of all ages. Honour is the biblical value that will bring about good behaviour. It's more than just changing what kids do; it's changing the deeper issues of the heart that triggered the behaviour. (Paperback)

Shepherding a Child's Heart

#S603 - \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Author: Ted Tripp

(paperback, 215 pages)

The ultimate goal of child training is to have your child living to please God, not man. Ted Tripp builds a solid, Biblical argument for getting to the heart of your child's behaviour and gives guidance for achieving the ultimate goal. The application questions at the end of each chapter will help you to understand your role as a parent in leading a child into a relationship with God. Learn how to use the Bible to instruct children to be obedient to God and to love wisdom.

TRAINING FOR PARENTS

Shepherding A Child's Heart Parent Handbook

Author: Ted Tripp #S605 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD
Designed to use alongside of *Shepherding A Child's Heart*, it will lead you into a deeper understanding of the biblical concepts that are spelled out. It does more than just rehearse the material in the book. (Paperback, 143 pages)

HOMESCHOOLING BOOKS

You want to get off on the right foot? Not sure how to get started, what the options are, where to get curriculum? START on your home education journey by benefiting from Maxine McLellan's 20 years of home education experience as shared in...

...The Home Schooling Toolbox 5th Edition

#1001 - \$19.97CAD / \$18.97USD

Author: Maxine McLellan (spiral bound)

A comprehensive, unbiased manual for Christian home educating families. This book will help you get started in home education with Biblical foundations and practical advice. Over 100 pages of important information, encouragement, practical tips, curriculum summaries, suppliers and services addresses, and more to help your family succeed. For beginners and veterans. From a Canadian perspective but valuable for Americans as well. Updated March 2010.

The Educational Information & Address

Booklet #1007 - \$3.50CAD / \$3.37USD

Editors: Maxine McLellan; Andrea McLellan

This booklet, in its **15th edition**, will give you over 300 addresses and web sites for curriculum and more from across Canada and the United States. It contains an introduction to home education, education law summaries by HSLDA of Canada, and provincial contact people/major resource groups. A one-stop booklet for your address needs. This booklet is an inexpensive tool to hand on to others. It is available to groups at special discount prices. **Get Your Copy of "The Little Red Book" Today!**

Hands-On Dad

#7533 Book \$11.47 CAD / \$9.97USD

#7533CD CDs . . \$20.97*CAD / \$20.97USD

Author: Rick Boyer (Paperback, 154 pages)

The Father's role in Christian home education. Rick shares seven Biblical functions for the father and shows how they apply in home education. These important and practical insights can set both Mom and Dad free to be their best for their children.

Help for the Harried Homeschooler

#R503 - \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Author: Christine Fields (Paperback, 288 pages)

Lots of practical help and encouragement in these pages, even if you do not feel harried! Between trying to meet their children's educational needs, fulfill their roles as spouse and parent, and acknowledge their own individual goals, home schooling parents struggle to accomplish all that must be done. Christine Fields offers sound advice for parents who want to achieve success while finding balance in their lives.

Homeschooling the Challenging Child

#R504 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Christine Fields (Paperback, 256 pages)

Homeschooling the Challenging Child addresses diagnosing and strategies for working with disabilities, attention disorders, personality differences, and learning styles. Also discusses discipline measures, tips for dealing with stress, grief and discouragement, and developing study programs for challenging children. There is information to help parents obtain professional help, support groups, and other such resources. Very practical in its focus.

The Socialization Trap (paperback)

Author: Rick Boyer #7534 - \$10.27CAD / \$8.97USD

Most home educators reject school for their children partly because of the damage done to them by the pressures of the age-peer social group. Yet many parents try to replace lost "social contact" by placing their children in a variety of age-graded activities that re-create the peer pressure all over again. This book tells why you don't need to! The answer you need to the constant question, "What about socialization?"

What About Their Peer Relationships?

#1116 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.57USD

Author: Paul E. White, PhD

This home schooling father is a licenced psychologist who specializes in working with children & families. He answers questions about the social development of home schooled children and discusses social skills, socialization and practical issues. It answers questions such as: Don't my children need to be with other children in order to learn how to relate to others?

See page 80 for a listing of many helpful and informative websites our family has developed to aid you, our valued customer. Don't see what you want in this catalogue? One of our sites probably has it!. Or call us at 1-519-925-9721.

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Need encouragement or a chuckle? Visit us online
<http://www.joycenter.on.ca/blog>

CREATIVE ORGANIZATIONAL HELPS

Day of Delight #9010 - \$6.27CAD / \$5.47USD
By: Doorposts (spiral bound)
Dozens of creative ideas to help make Sunday a day of rest and celebration for the whole family by preparing for Sunday or the Sabbath throughout the week.

Family Buried Alive... Help on the Way!
(subtitled: **Organizing for Success**)

#1008 - \$19.97CAD / \$18.97USD
Author: Maxine McLellan (150+ pages)
Trying to figure out how to organize your life and home? This book will help you unbury yourself from the mountains in your life. It will give practical steps of organization and explain why being organized is important to every area of life. Learn the reasons for, and the tricks and tips of organizing your home, your schedule, and your family. This is not a book just to read, but to work through as you chart your route to success. Contains Biblical principles and lots of humour. Train your family to be an effective team! This book makes an excellent wedding shower gift or a "going to college" send off gift. Don't just settle for the status quo when you could have excellence.

Organizing for Success Charts

#1014 - \$6.47*CAD / \$6.27USD
Author: Maxine McLellan
18 pages of reproducible charts for housework, chore assignments, packing lists, time analysis, home school record keeping, and more. All of these charts are referred to in "Family Buried Alive ... Help on the Way!"

Lesson Planner & Student Record

Designed by Connie Lacelle in 2005, this planner is adaptable for all types of curriculum. Instructions, notes, and sample pages give ideas for customizing this system. You need one planner per child per year.

Each planner contains pages for: Achievement, Attendance, Resources, Reference Details, Time Spent Per Subject/Per Month, Unit Title Pages, General Preparations pages, Preparation Checklist pages, Daily Log pages, Weekly Log masters, 1 and 5-Day Lesson Planning Goal Sheet masters.

Ready to Use Set #2000 - \$29.97*CAD / \$28.77USD
contains: daily log sheets for 200 days, and planning pages for approximately ten months of instruction as above.

Reproducible Set #2001 - \$6.97*CAD / \$8.07USD
Grants you permission to produce unlimited copies only for your own family. Please do not share with the support group or friends! Contains one master for each type of record page as noted above.

LEARNING STYLES, PERSONALITY TYPES, AND GIFTS

Gifted Children at Home

#J3660 - \$28.67CAD / \$24.97USD
Authors: Janice Baker, Kathleen Julicher, and Maggie Hogan (paperback)
Are you searching out the best possible options for educating your gifted student? Written by three Christian moms who have chosen to home educate their intellectually gifted children, this book will not only guide you through those perplexing doubts and questions but also wholly encourage you with discerning and dependable answers. The goal of this book is to provide the information and resources that will enable you to make important educational decisions with confidence and success. Topics extensively covered include: assessment; characteristics and learning styles; curriculum considerations; techniques; acceleration/skipping; and more. (NOTE: Our product reviewer said she found many ideas she could use with average children, making this an excellent book for just about anyone! She gave it a 5 star rating.)

Discover Your Children's Gifts

#S508 - \$26.47CAD / \$22.97USD
Author: Don & Katie Fortune
Did you know that your children's behaviour patterns and personality traits are influenced by their motivational gifts? This book will help you recognize and develop your children's gifts. Based on Proverbs 22:6 and Romans 12:6-8, this fun, eye-opening workbook gives clear direction for identifying your children's personality gifts and helping them reach their God-given potential. (Paperback, 296 pages)

Talkers, Watchers, & Doers: Unlocking Your Child's Unique Learning Style

#S503 - \$14.97CAD / \$12.97USD
Author: Cheri Fuller (paperback, 169 pages)
Your child has learning fingerprints. That is, he or she has a certain way of seeing things, of learning facts, of processing information - as unique to your child as his or her fingerprints. Do you know the best way to help your child learn and succeed? By understanding your child's basic learning style and intelligence gifts, you can craft and tailor a learning environment to specially suit your child's needs. These practical suggestions and creative tips will change the way you approach your child's education, whether they attend school or are home educated.

CURRICULUM RECOMMENDATIONS

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Confused? Not sure just what you need to purchase for curriculum? Let us help you wade through the many options! We have been helping people just like you since 1985 as a family & 1993 as a business!

Our Personal Educational Philosophy:

- to build each individual, whether child or adult, spiritually and in Godly character
- learning and growth are life-long processes.
- to train children in life skills, physically, and mentally in that we teach them to think and be creative, and academically by laying strong foundations in math and English. This goes beyond filling their heads with facts and "school work."
- to provide needed time for play and ministry

Academic resources:

- need to give great results
- not have a lot of repetitive busy work
- need to be easy to use with a minimum of pre-planning (if any!)
- be adaptable to any learning or teaching style.

We specialize in resources for building spiritual and character development.

Our Resources:

1. help you to educate your child spiritually (at the heart level), academically, and sometimes, physically
2. complement each other
3. are easy to use and effective
4. take little or no preparation time and require a minimum of teaching time
5. many are "ungraded" - meaning you can teach several ages of children together - saving you time!
6. are often advanced so your child learns more, more quickly, thus saving you money down the road
7. Don't let the low prices have you thinking these are not complete curriculums. They ARE COMPLETE! We have looked hard and long to find dynamic, effective resources at prices you can afford.

Important Notes:

1. Each item we sell is thoroughly explained and often with sample pages in our catalogue cd and on our web sites at <http://www.joycenter.on.ca>
<http://www.pathwayreaders.com>
2. We often sell "package deals" at a discount
3. All items are available for individual purchase
4. Sample lessons, pages of books, sound-bites are on our website and more are being added regularly.

What Style of Curriculum to use: We recommend purchasing resources (tools) the teaching parent will feel comfortable with. If you try to find resources in every subject specifically for each child's learning style, you will soon be swamped with stuff that you don't get the hang of using before you are on to something else for the next child! Adapt your tool to your individual children and their unique learning styles. The resources we carry lend themselves well to being adapted by teacher and learner! Learn to use your tools and, like using a butter knife for spreading butter, opening a jar, screwing a screw, prying off a paint can lid, punching a hole, cutting bread, propping up a window, and curling a ribbon, be creative!

Getting Started: We recommend starting out with just math, English, and thinking skills instruction until the child is about age ten or eleven. Fill the rest of your day with lessons in practical life skills, spiritual and character development, art and music. With strong foundations in these areas your child will be ready to tackle any other subject later on and will face life with Biblical wisdom and Godly character. Add science and social studies as there is interest, if the child is older, or if your School Board insists.

Using ungraded and graded curriculum: Few children are solidly working at one specific artificial "grade" level so the ungraded materials are excellent and can be used with a range of ages. Consider the "graded" resources we sell as "levels" to go through at your child's speed – whether that be slower or faster than others, much like playing a piano. Start with one or two resources at a time and gradually add new studies to your basics.

Working Together for Your Success

1. CALL US at 519-925-9721 Monday through Friday if you have ANY questions, can't figure something out, or a resource just doesn't seem to be working for you. We just might have the solution to your problem, or, at the very least, we can help point you in the right direction! Don't be embarrassed. Don't quit – just ask! We'll come along side and help you in any way we can because we have "been there too!"

2. REMEMBER, even parents have a learning style and curve. Sometimes it takes time to get used to a resource or a new way of teaching your child. Be patient – you are learning too!! Whether you are home schooling or are doing after school enrichment or remedial help programs with your children, call us if you need encouragement.

3. CALL US and join the ranks of those who regularly keep us posted as to their successes – we want to rejoice with you!

CURRICULUM RECOMMENDATIONS

4. LET US KNOW about items you think we should consider. It would be terrific to hear from you.

Finding Recommended Resources: Consult our "Index" pages for location of each product suggested.

♥ "The heart of education is the education of the heart!" ♥

These suggestions are not all inclusive, nor do you have to purchase everything in the lists! Call us at 519-925-9721, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. (Eastern Time Zone) and we can help you sort through the choices.

LANGUAGE ARTS:

Phonics, Reading, Spelling, Grammar

Starting at age four or five and going to 8th Grade:

1. **Christ Centered Curriculum** - Teaches the *WHY and HOW* of Reading and Phonics. (Any age child just learning to read).
2. **Pathway Readers** - Teaches *reading comprehension* and reinforces phonics and *spelling*. (Grades 1 to 8)
3. **Climbing to Good English** - Teaches *using* the English Language including *grammar, writing skills*, and more. (Grades 1 to 8)
4. **Phonics Drill Reader** - Teaches *spelling*

MATH:

Realizing different people need entirely different approaches to teaching math, we provide something to suit your style, including graded and ungraded approaches, and traditional and unique presentations. Not sure what is "you?" – call us and we will help you to figure that out.

1. **Christ-Centered Curriculum Math** - Teach the why and how of math basics based on Scriptures. (Ages 3 to 6)
2. **Professor B Mathematics** - Teach understanding, how, and simplicity in math. Use with CCC Math, after it, or on its own. (**Prof. B Math** is Ungraded, Covers grades K to 7 with textbook or computer cd. **Prof. B Algebra** is for Gr. 6-10 or after Prof. B. Level 3)
3. **Spunky Math** - Teach real life applications using a traditional approach. (Grades 1-2)
4. **Study Time Math** - Teach practical math with Biblical examples and real life applications using a traditional approach. (Grades 3 to 8)
5. **Math Detective** - Teach analytical thinking. (Supplemental program for Grades 3 to 8)

6. **Life of Fred Math** - Teaches analytical thinking, practical, and higher level math in a story format . This is unlike any other program you have ever seen! (**Grades 6 through university.**)

NOTE: MATH CHOICES

We feel strongly that Professor B Math is an excellent, economical, ungraded approach, teaching math skills to a solid 7th grade level within 3-5 years, beginning with children as young as 5 or 6 or older. **Christ-Centered Curriculum Math** is excellent for ages 4-6. We realize many people want a graded, traditional approach in the early years, so we offer you **Spunky Math** for grades 1 & 2, and **Study Time Math** for grades 3-8. They are traditional approaches with practical life applications, no "busy work," and a simple, solid, no-fuss approach. Use Christ-Centered Curriculum, Spunky, or Study Time on their own or as supplements to Professor B to cover areas such as geometry, charts, graphs, money, temperatures.

Advanced Math – Life of Fred Math – again, this is NOT a traditional approach but is excellent for making math fun and relevant. Use either Professor B for algebra or Life of Fred, which also has books for Fractions, Decimals & Percents, Biology, Geometry, Trigonometry, Calculus, Statistics & Linear Algebra. Life of Fred prepares the student for third year university math! (Physics & Economics math are coming.)

THREE-YEAR-OLDS

Plan to spend 20 to 30 minutes in total per day in laid-back academic math and reading instruction.

Basics:

- Christ-Centered Curriculum Phonics Flashcards Set
- CCC Teaching 3's Character, Phonics, and Math
- Christ-Centered Curriculum Math Flash Cards
- Christ-Centered Curriculum 1-100 number chart
- Alphabet Felt Set (precut or uncut) and felt board
- Beginning Counting Set - Pre-cut or uncut felt set
- Let's Read Pictures - one of our favourites!

Additional Options:

- Alphabet & Number Tracing Masters
- A Guide to Teaching Printing With Character
- See "Additional Resources for Children up to Age 6"

Not sure where to start? You need
THE HOME SCHOOLING TOOLBOX

This book will answer questions about getting started, choosing a curriculum, finding suppliers, teaching older children and younger ones at the same time, and much, much more! (See the index for page location)

CURRICULUM RECOMMENDATIONS

FOUR-YEAR-OLDS

Plan to spend about 45 to 60 minutes in total per day (spread out over 10 to 15 minute periods) in laid-back math, reading and other instruction.

Basics:

- Christ-Centered Curriculum Teacher's Phonics Kit
- Christ-Centered Curr. 118 Phonics Flashcards set
- Christ-Centered Curriculum Student Phonics Kit A
- Christ-Centered Curriculum Teacher's Math Kit
- Christ-Centered Curriculum Math Teaching Aids Kit
- Preschool ABC Kit - Rod & Staff (in our catalogue)
- "Printing With Character" or "My Character Printing"
- Critical Thinking Press: Hands-on Primary Book
- Let's Read Pictures - one of our favourites!

Additional Options

- Alphabet Felt Letters and felt board
- Alphabet & Number Tracing Masters

FIVE AND SIX-YEAR-OLDS

Plan to spend about 60 minutes for fives and 90 to 120 minutes for sixes in total per day in some organized academic math, grammar, spelling and reading instruction, spread out over many small increments. (Not all subjects every day!)

Basics for five and six-year-olds:

- Christ-Centered Curriculum Teacher's Phonics Kit
- Christ-Centered Curr. 118 Phonics Flashcards set
- Christ-Centered Curriculum Student Phonics Kit B
- Beginning to Read Language Arts Kit (on its own or with the CCC Phonics)
- Language Arts Kit - 1st Grade (once student begins the second book of CCC Level B)
- Christ-Centered Curriculum Teacher's Math Kit
- Christ-Centered Curriculum Math Teaching Aids Kit
- Professor B Level 1 (after or in place of CCC Math)
- "Telling Time" book
- Critical Thinking Press: Hands-on Primary Book
- "Printing With Character" or "My Character Printing"
- Let's Read Pictures - one of our favourites!

Additional Options:

- How to Draw Books and/or Art with Design and Plan
- Joy•Notes Music course
- Music Maker Lap Harp - or - Melody Lap Harp

Remember: ♥ "The heart of education is the education of the heart!" ♥ Don't just focus on academics! A well-rounded education includes spiritual and character instruction, as well as music, art, and life skills instruction.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR CHILDREN UP TO AGE 6

See our Resources for Building Lives - general catalogue for many of these resources:

- CDs: #504 Songs of Virtue. In addition, any of the cassettes and CD's we sell for children.
- Animal Stories CD
- Verses and Hymns for the Very Young Cassette
- Your Story Hour sets
- Character: The charts by Doorpost Publishing
- Music: a Lap Harp - Learning to make melody in your heart enhances academic ability!
- The "Preschool A-B-C Series." These books teach PreK to Gr. 1 pre-reading skills and concepts including colours, sequencing, following instructions & more.
- Leading Little Ones to God - excellent!
- Let's Read Pictures - one of our favourites!
- Little Jewel Books
- Logic/Attribute Blocks
- Cube-a-Links
- Indispensable Recipes for Crafts and Projects – full of terrific ideas for use with all ages!
- Picture Proverbs DVDs

GRADE 2

Plan to spend about 1.5 to 2 hours in total per day in some organized academic math, grammar, spelling, and reading instruction and practice, spread out over small increments of time. (Not all subjects every day.)

Basics:

If the child does not yet know how to read or has already been using the CCC but needs to complete level C, which will take him/her to at least a fourth grade reading level (even to 7th or 8th grade ability):

- Christ Centered Curriculum Teacher's Phonics Kit
- Christ Centered Curr. 118 Phonics Flashcards set
- Christ Centered curriculum Student Kit B or C

If the child is already reading:

- Language Arts Kit for Grade 2 with Pathway & Climbing to Good English
- Professor B Level 1 (or Level 2 if finished Level 1)
- and/or Spunky Math for grade 2
- Building Thinking Skills Book 1
- Phonics Drill Reader for teaching spelling
- Sequential Spelling - www.sequential-spelling.com

Additional Options:

- "Telling Time" book

CURRICULUM RECOMMENDATIONS

GRADE 3

Plan to spend about 2 hours in total per day in math, grammar, spelling, and reading instruction and practice, spread out over small increments of time.

Basics

- Language Arts Kit for Grade 3 with Pathway & Climbing to Good English. If they have not had grammar instruction, consider going through Climbing to Good English Level 2 quickly to lay a foundation for Level 3.
- for spelling: Phonics Drill Reader and/or Word Roots
- Professor B Math Level 1 or 2 (Use Level 3 if finished earlier levels)
- and/or Study Time Math, Grade 3
- Building Thinking Skills Book 1

Options:

- Math Detective Beginning
- Reading Detective Beginning
- The Master's Music Piano and Recorder courses
- Science Detective Beginning
- Healthy Happy Habits

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR CHILDREN UP TO GRADE 3

See our Resources for Building Lives – General Catalogue for any non-curriculum resources:

- Any of the cassettes and CD's we sell for children.
- Character: Charts and Books by Doorpost Publishing
- Activity Books
- Little Jewel Books, Thornton Burgess books, Living Forest, Little Susie books
- Indispensable Recipes for Crafts and Projects – full of neat ideas for use with all ages!
- “Manners Made Easy” is an excellent book for training in manners that aren't so common any more! All from a Biblical perspective!
- “Life Skills for Kids” is terrific for training any child from about seven through the teen years to be able to eventually live on their own without mom or dad doing everything for them. It covers skills you might never have thought of actually teaching your child.
- Leading Little Ones to God
- Logic/Attribute Blocks
- Cube-a-link Cubes - excellent for math and critical thinking skills
- How to Draw Books and/or Art with Design and Plan
- Lap Harps - music instruction boosts grades
- Joy Notes Music Program
- Picture Proverbs DVDs

NOTE: The reading instruction, English, and math curriculums we sell are black and white. We have found that colourful pictures, while appealing, can be very distracting and draw the child's attention away from the skill being taught. There are lots of other opportunities to enjoy bright and colourful books. In fact, we have a good selection of them for you to choose from!

Consult the Index and Table of Contents in this catalogue to locate all of the recommended curriculum items.

GRADE 4

Plan to spend about 2 hours in total per day in some organized academic math and reading instruction and practice, spread out over small increments of time.

- Language Arts Kit Grade 3 or 4 or a mix of the two. Contains Pathway Readers/Climbing to Good English
- Phonics Drill Reader and/or Word Roots or Sequential Spelling for spelling
- Professor B Math Level 2 or 3
- and/or Study Time Math for 4th grade
- Building Thinking Skills Book 1 or 2
- Math Detective Beginning
- Reading Detective Book Beginning
- Good Growth Guide (health curriculum)
- For History: “Mystery of History” - any volume
- For Science: choose a “Christian Kids Explore” book
- Science Detective Beginning

GRADE 5

- Language Arts Kit Grade 4 or 5 or a mix of the two. Contains Pathway Readers/Climbing to Good English
- Spelling: Phonics Drill Reader and/or Word Roots
- Math: Professor B Math Level 2 or 3 or Algebra Book 1, and/or Study Time Math for 5th grade, or Life of Fred
- Building Thinking Skills Book 1 or 2
- Math Detective Beginning or A1
- Reading Detective Book Beginning or A1
- The Body's Building Blocks (health curriculum)
- For History: “Mystery of History” - any volume
- For Science: choose a “Christian Kids Explore” book
- Science Detective A1

GRADE 6

- Language Arts Kit Grade 5 or 6 or a mix of the two grades with Pathway Readers & Climbing to Good English
- Reading Detective Book Beginning, A:1 or B:1

CURRICULUM RECOMMENDATIONS

- Spelling: Phonics Drill Reader and/or Word Roots or Sequential Spelling
- Professor B Math Level 3 or Algebra Book 1
 - and/or Study Time Math 6th grade
 - or Life of Fred Math at an appropriate level of skill
- Building Thinking Skills Book 2
- The Body's Building Blocks (health curriculum)
- For History: "Mystery of History" - any volume
- For Science: choose a "Christian Kids Explore" book
- Science Detective A1

GRADE 7

- Language Arts Kit Grade 6 or 7 or a mix of two. Contains Pathway Readers/Climbing to Good English
- Spelling: Phonics Drill Reader and/or Word Roots
 - or Sequential Spelling
- Professor B Math Level 3 or Algebra Book 1 or 2
 - and/or Study Time Math 7th grade
 - or Life of Fred Math at appropriate level of skill
- Building Thinking Skills Book 3 Verbal
- Building Thinking Skills Book 3 Figural
- Critical Thinking Book 1 and 2
- Reading Detective Book A:1 or B:1
- Mankind Marvellously Made (health curriculum)
- For History: Mystery of History - any volume
- For Science: choose a "Christian Kids Explore" book

GRADE 8

- Language Arts Kit Grade 7 or 8 or a mix of two. Contains Pathway Readers/Climbing to Good English
- Spelling: Phonics Drill Reader and/or Word Roots
 - or Sequential Spelling
- Professor B Algebra Book 1 or 2
 - and/or Study Time Math 8th grade or
 - or Life of Fred Math at appropriate level of skill
- Building Thinking Skills Book 3 Verbal
- Building Thinking Skills Book 3 Figural
- Critical Thinking Book 1 and 2
- Reading Detective Book B:1 or Rx
- Mankind Marvellously Made (health curriculum)
- For History: Mystery of History - any volume
- For Science: choose a "Christian Kids Explore" book

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR CHILDREN UP TO GRADE 8

See our Resources for Building Lives - general catalogue for any non-curriculum resources:

- Any of the cassettes and CD's we sell
- Character: charts and books by Doorposts - especially Plants Grown Up and Polished Cornerstones
- Thornton Burgess books, Classic Novels, LightBearer Biographies, Christian Focus biographies

- Dr. Davis Betrothal Series; Youth Series
- Indispensable Recipes for Crafts and Projects – full of terrific ideas for use with all ages - even adults!
- "Manners Made Easy" and "Manners Made Easy for Teens" are excellent for training in manners.
- "Life Skills for Kids" is terrific for training any child from about seven through the teen years to be able to eventually live on their own without mom or dad doing everything for them.
- Books listed under "Books for Young Ladies"
- Books listed under "Books for Young Men"
- Proverbs Books and Cassettes
- Picture Proverbs DVDs
- Art with Design and Plan
- Joy•Notes Music Course
- The Master's Music Piano and Recorder courses
- Melody Lap Harp or Music Maker Lap Harp

HIGH SCHOOL

- A review of Climbing to Good English, Level 8 prepares a student for first year college English
- Professor B Algebra Books 1, 2, and 3
- Life of Fred Mathematics - Fractions, Geometry, Algebra, Calculus, Trigonometry, Statistics
- Building Thinking Skills Book 3 Figural
- Building Thinking Skills Book 3 Verbal
- Any of Dr. Davis' messages
- Classic novels, Christian Focus biographies
- novels, biographies, other general reading books
- Picture Proverbs DVDs
- Scripture Song CDs
- Life Skills for Kids
- Tantrix Discovery Game

HISTORY & SCIENCE

Make History and Science come alive! In addition to the fine curriculums we suggest: The Mystery of History; Christian Kids Explore Science; we strongly recommend that you expose your children to other great books. We offer excellent biographies, adventures and other novels that carry strong history, science and/or geography themes. Many of these books are wonderful for reading as a family.

ATTENTION! CLEARANCE ITEMS AVAILABLE!

Check out
<http://www.joycenter.on.ca>
for **clearance items**.

We have a wide selection of titles and resources from a company that went out of business, plus items we no longer carry.

BIBLE CURRICULUM & SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

BIBLE CURRICULUM AND SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

Besides fostering spiritual development, memorization of God's Word enhances learning as you **build academic knowledge on a solid foundation of Biblical wisdom and understanding.**

Train the spirit of the child, not just the mind.

Be sure to make scripture memorization and meditation on God's Word a primary part of your curriculum, not an add-on only.

SCRIPTURE CDs

You and your little ones will soon be quoting scriptures and singing beloved hymns as you play these tapes while they sleep, sing, play, or ride in the car. All Scripture passages from KJV unless otherwise indicated. No rock or rap music on any of the tapes containing music.

SCRIPTURE and CHARACTER CDs

Animal Stories CD By: Mikrut's Music
#405 - \$14.97*CAD / \$12.97USD

Teach your children character qualities from the lives of animals. Contains 10 different animal stories, each with a corresponding Scripture passage put to music and a well-known children's hymn.

Lead Me to God CD By: Mikrut's Music
#7605 - \$6.97*CAD / \$6.97USD

Jesus said, "Let the little children come unto Me for of such is the Kingdom of heaven." These Scripture songs lead children in a very simple way to an understanding of the plan of salvation. This is a great CD to use in Sunday School to present the Gospel message of Jesus Christ to children. Predominantly KJV.

Kingdom Songs #7651 - \$17.27*CAD / \$14.97USD

Kingdom Songs will help you and your children learn the major events and personalities from the Biblical books of I and II Samuel, I and II Kings, and I and II Chronicles. These are Biblical accounts set to music, not word for word Scriptures. The songs are singable, appealing, and Biblically accurate. Listen, sing along, and grow in your understanding and appreciation of God's hand on history and His dealings with His covenant people! The Kingdom Songs CD is 45 minutes long and comes with a 48-page booklet which includes complete lyrics, Biblical references, study questions, reproducible maps, puzzles, and colouring pages, and tips for using the songs with your children.

The Lord's Prayer CD By: Mikrut's Music
#7606 - \$6.97*CAD / \$6.97USD

This is truly a unique and beautiful version of The Lord's Prayer. It has 6 Scripture songs, which are lovely and simple to learn.

Simple Scripture Songs By: Mikrut's Music
#7601 - Volume 1 \$6.97*CAD / \$6.97USD
#7602 - Volume 2 \$6.97*CAD / \$6.97USD
#7603 - Volume 3 \$6.97*CAD / \$6.97USD

Simple, meaning mostly keyboard and piano with a children's choir. Some people say that these are their favourite CDs. You will be thrilled with how quickly your children memorize Phillipians 2:5-11 or the entire Lord's Prayer, as well as many other Scriptures. Predominantly KJV.

Sing the Word by Fred & Sarah Cooper
#7655 - Volume 1 + book \$14.97*CAD / \$12.97USD
#7656 - Volume 2 \$11.47*CAD / \$ 9.97USD

Scripture memory for long passages. Here's an easy way to memorize entire chapters and long passages of the Bible. When you attach the words to the music, you will be able to remember the passage. Since these songs are **word-for-word from the King James Version**, the music is in a classical church music style. CD includes voice and orchestra. It then repeats all the songs with orchestral accompaniment only. Passages are taken from the Old and New Testaments. Volume 1 comes with a book.

Songs of Virtue CD By: Mikrut's Music
#504C - \$14.97*CAD / \$12.97USD

This delightful CD, arranged and produced by Ed and Kim Mikrut, contains forty-two questions on these topics: God, the Word, Creation, Sin, Salvation, and Christian Living. Children answer the questions by singing applicable Scriptures (KJV). The CD is free of denominational issues such as modes of Baptism, eschatology, gifts of the Spirit, etc. If you're serious about your children memorizing Scripture, "Songs of Virtue" is a must! 20 Hymns and over 40 KJV Scriptures set to music for all ages. A tremendous way to help children memorize. Over 100 minutes!

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- <http://www.joycenter.on.ca>

We also have many products under the "Clearance" section of this site.

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A wonderful store site we designed for you.

BIBLE CURRICULUM & SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

LEARNING PARENT SCRIPTURE CASSETTES AND CDs

Uncle Rick is Rick Boyer of The Learning Parent and home schooling father of fourteen children.

Proverbs Memory Tapes

#7506CA Cassette: \$11.97*CAD / \$11.97USD

#7506CD CD: \$11.97*CAD / \$11.97USD

Uncle Rick reads the entire book of Proverbs on two sixty-minute cassettes. Play these for your children at nap time and bed time. You'll be amazed at how quickly even the very little ones begin to memorize the simple truths of this great book! (2 cassettes/CDs)

Uncle Rick Reads Matthew (3 cassettes/CDs)

#7505CA Cassette: \$14.97*CAD / \$14.97USD

#7505CD CD: \$19.97*CAD / \$19.97USD

The Book of Matthew read for children, with clarifying comments to help them internalize the Scriptures.

Uncle Rick Reads His Favorite Psalms

#7502CA Cassette: \$19.97*CAD / \$19.97USD

#7502CD CD: \$21.97*CAD / \$21.97USD

Selected Psalms read for children with comments and character lessons. (4 cassettes/CDs)

Uncle Rick Reads The Proverbs

#7501CA Cassette: \$21.97*CAD / \$21.97USD

#7501CD CD: \$29.97*CAD / \$29.97USD

By: The Learning Parent (ages 3-12)

A five hour, five cassette/CD series. Rick Boyer reads the book of Proverbs just as he reads it to his own children - complete with comments, colourful example stories, and simple explanations of unusual words in the text. If your child doesn't like nap time, let Uncle Rick read him to sleep!

Uncle Rick Tells Bible Stories

Uncle Rick draws character lessons from these wonderful old stories in Scripture. (2 cass/CDs each)

Volume 1 - Creation through the flood

#7503CA Cassette: \$11.97*CAD / \$11.97USD

#7503CD CD: \$11.97*CAD / \$11.97USD

Volume 2 - Tower of Babel to Isaac

#7504CA Cassette: \$11.97*CAD / \$11.97USD

#7504CD CD: \$11.97*CAD / \$11.97USD

See the **Learning Parent** pages earlier in this catalogue for seminars by Rick & Marilyn Boyer.

See also the **Dr. S.M. Davis** pages for excellent spiritual training resources.

VAILLANT RECORDINGS

Are you looking for KJV Bible music that will elevate your thoughts to the courts of heaven? Scripture Songs that will give you and your children great peace and joy? Folk Bible songs that you and the family will love and memorize for a lifetime of blessing! Then you have come to the right place. (No rock/rap)

Scripture Songs Songbook

#V5006 - \$13.47CAD / \$12.97USD

This song book has large print with the words to all the songs on Scripture Songs Volumes I through V. It contains simple guitar chords and is designed to open completely flat. There is **NO musical notation** for the melody line or for any piano pieces.

CD - \$14.97*CAD / \$12.97USD
Cassette - \$9.97*CAD / \$9.97USD

To order cassettes add "CA" to the # (ie #V5001CA)

**Sample audio clips are available for all
Vaillant Recording titles on our website.**

#V5001 Scripture Songs I CD

This KJV Bible music offers 28 Bible promises which each family member can enjoy. The music is simple which gives emphasis to the Bible passages sung. Features female lead vocals and guitar.

#V5002 Scripture Songs II CD

Much like Scripture Songs I, this children's Christian music has many Bible promises which give encouragement and hope throughout the day. Female lead vocals, flute and guitar.

#V5003 Scripture Songs III CD

God's promises of deliverance for his children are beautifully sung with female lead vocals, classical guitar; grand piano and light orchestration. Bible memorization made easy.

#V5004 Scripture Songs IV CD

Worship God with this holy, sacred, spiritual music. The sowing of the gospel seed and its affect on the heart is the focus of this recording. Features all Bible passages with female lead vocals, classical guitar, grand piano, 12-string guitar and light orchestration.

#V5005 Scripture Songs V CD

God's amazing gift of "salvation through faith" is beautifully magnified in song. Praise and worship God with this beautiful gospel music. If you enjoyed the rest of the "Scripture Song" series you will want this one.

BIBLE CURRICULUM & SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

God's Splendid Books

#V5007 - \$23.37*CAD / \$19.97USD

By: Abundant Life Specialties

This DVD combines two of God's wonderful books: The Bible and the book of nature. Vaillant Recordings scripture songs and Abundant Life Specialties nature scenes blend together to uplift the mind and calm the soul. Approximate running time: 38 minutes

Additional VAILLANT RECORDINGS are available in our Resources for Building Lives catalogue.

YOUR STORY HOUR - BIBLE COMES ALIVE

Your Story Hour® stories are taken from the Bible. All dramas are non-doctrinal, interfaith presentations. Poetic licence is taken to fill in missing details and conversation to bring characters to life to the listener.

\$51.77*CAD / \$44.97USD each

Each album contains 12 tapes or CDs and is approximately 12 hours in length. 24-27 stories per album.

#YSH-A1 - **Album #1 - Bible Comes Alive Series**

#YSH-A2 - **Album #2 - Bible Comes Alive Series**

#YSH-A3 - **Album #3 - Bible Comes Alive Series**

#YSH-A4 - **Album #4 - Bible Comes Alive Series**

#YSH-A5 - **Album #5 - Bible Comes Alive Series**

See Pages 72 & 73 for detailed descriptions

BIBLE FELT SETS By Little Folk Visuals

Deluxe Bible Set (felt) - uncut

Each set includes everything needed for 175 Bible lessons. Bring your Bible lessons to life for your own children or a children's class at church. Some of the lessons included: Story of Jesus, Adam & Eve, Christmas, Easter, Noah's Ark, Jesus Blessing the Children, Second Coming. The characters are **realistic** in style. (I thoroughly enjoy using my set! Maxine M.)

Each set includes: 600 realistic looking figures, three mounted backgrounds (water/sky, indoor, solid purple), four overlay scenes (meadow, shoreline, desert, throne room), filing system, teacher's manual with 175 lessons. The felt pieces in these sets are exceptionally high quality with sharp detail & vivid colours.

Two sizes available:

#430 **Small Size** \$225.37*CAD / \$195.97USD

- 6½" figures
- use with groups of up to 10 (16"X24" backgrounds)

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- 12½" figures
- use with groups of 10+ (32"X48" backgrounds)

The All-In-One Complete Bible Package

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- 600 figures (plus many additional accessories)
- five mounted backgrounds (water/sky, meadow/sky, indoor, solid purple, prison scene)
- eight overlay scenes with additional accessories (meadow, shoreline, desert, throne room, city walls, cobblestone, cave, vendors and weapons)
- filing system (four file boxes with velour insert sheets)

Also includes the following additional resources:

- Books of The Bible
- Creation Circles (small)
- Christian Armour
- The Two Ways (salvation presentation)
- The Tabernacle (with lesson guide)
- Fruit of the Spirit
- two different soft Bible story books

Two sizes available: (background sizes as above)

#452 **Small Size** - 6½" figures - Save 10%

\$461.77*CAD / \$401.47USD

(Retail: \$513.07CAD / \$446.15USD)

- use with groups of up to 10

#453 **Large Size** - 12½" figures - Save 10%

\$689.47*CAD / \$599.57USD

(Retail: \$766.07CAD / \$666.15USD)

- use with groups of 10+

Smaller Bible sets and individual backgrounds available. Call for details.

Additional items you will want to consider from our catalogue for use with the Bible Felt Sets:

- Leading Little Ones to God (book)
- Your Story Hour - Bible Comes Alive Series
- The Uncle Rick Reads . . . (Bible stories on cd)

Of course, **the Bible felts sets are excellent for a child to create their own imaginative stories.**

Be sure to let your church children's workers, family and friends know about these terrific resources!

In this age of technology - Bible Felts are still timeless and enjoyed by children & adults alike.

BIBLE CURRICULUM & SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

PROVERBS RESOURCES

All Scriptures are from the King James Version unless otherwise noted.

God's Book of Wisdom (paperback)
(425 pages) #F2003 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Belinda Buckland

Wouldn't it be great if you had a secret book to tell you everything you needed to know about the future? God's Word - the Bible - is just this sort of Book. God wants you to know about the best way to live. He wants you to obey Him and follow in His ways. The book of Proverbs is a wonderful part of the Bible that has loads of wisdom and handy tips for life survival. This book is a one-year devotional book based on Proverbs. It can be used with your favourite Bible translation. The only quoted Scripture is one verse from the NIV on the overview page for each week.

Hidden Treasures: Digging into the Book of Proverbs with Your Family

(Doorposts) #9026 - \$25.27CAD / \$21.97USD

Contains many different topical studies, Charts, Chapter-by-chapter notes and study suggestions, Special activity and object lesson ideas, and more.

Proverbs People, Book 1 (ages 8-12)

#7525 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

By: The Learning Parent

A big workbook full of short-answer questions, stories, fun quizzes, application questions, and colouring pages teaching the character types in Proverbs. Book 1 teaches the following characters: Slothful/ Diligent; Righteous/Wicked; The Five Fools; The Prudent Man; The Wise Man; Liar/ Faithful Witness. (Paperback)

Proverbs People, Book 2 (ages 8-12)

#7526 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

By: The Learning Parent (spiral bound)

Teaches the following character types: Virtuous Woman vs. Contentious Woman; Talebearer; Proud vs. Humble; Fearful vs. Trusting; Content vs. Covetous; Cruel vs. Merciful; Flatterer vs. Honest. It's just like Proverbs People, Book 1, but with new topics!

Proverbs People Books 1 and 2 can be used orally to teach groups of children.

Proverbs Memory Tapes

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Virtuous Woman Bible Study Guide

(Doorposts) #9019 - \$6.87CAD / \$5.97USD

Bible study guides on "an overview of Proverbs 31:10-31," "The Law of Kindness," "The Bread of Idleness," and "Reaching Forth our Hands to the Needy."

Young Lady of Valor

(Doorposts) #9018 - \$3.47CAD / \$2.97USD

All the text from Proverbs 31:10-31, accompanied by Doorposts-style illustrations. Designed to colour.

Picture Proverbs DVDs For ages 2 to 102+

Picture Proverbs is the book of Proverbs (KJV), and also Psalm 23, 1 Cor. 13, and the life of Christ narrated verse by verse with over 1000 pictures that communicate the meaning of the verses. Add in dramatic background music and sound effects and everyone will be saying, "Can we watch some more?"

Picture Proverbs DVD - Volume 1

#2301 - \$17.97*CAD / \$17.97USD

Volume 1 includes Proverbs chapters 1-16.

Picture Proverbs DVD - Volume 2

#2302 - \$17.97*CAD / \$17.97USD

Volume 2 includes Proverbs chapters 17-31, Psalm 23, 1 Cor. 13, and the life of Christ passages.

Picture Proverbs Screen Saver

#2303 - \$17.97*CAD / \$17.97USD

This is a CD that will automatically load into your computer that will allow all the verses from the Picture Proverbs collection to function as a screen-saver on any computer. On day one of the month, all the verses from chapter one will come up. On day two, all the verses from chapter two will appear, etc. There are 31 different chapters covering all 31 days of the month!

Picture Proverbs Deluxe Set

#2304 - \$50.47*CAD / \$50.47USD

This set contains:

- Picture Proverbs Volume 1 DVD
- Picture Proverbs Volume 2 DVD
- Picture Proverbs Screen Saver CD
- How to Get or Give Wise Counsel - sermon DVD

BIBLE CURRICULUM / TEACHING AIDS/ INCENTIVES

BIBLE STUDIES AND DEVOTIONALS

\$2.97*CAD / \$2.87USD Each

Leading Little Ones to God (PreK-Gr 5)
#S604 - \$22.97CAD / \$19.97USD

Author: Marian M Schoolland

Using simple, conversational language, this classic volume discusses such matters as the nature of God, sin, salvation, the Christian life, the church, prayer, and the Second Coming. Widely used by teachers and parents. NOTE: We had so many moms share with us how they had lead their little ones to the Lord as they read through this tremendous book with their children that we just HAD to offer it to you!

Candlelight Bedtime Stories

#3701 - \$18.97CAD / \$18.27USD

Author: Mrs. Cleon Martin (Ages 6 to 14)

Written for children, but enjoyed equally by adults, these 180 captivating short devotional stories are conservative, with Bible-based values. With settings in the homes and schools of Old Order Mennonites or Amish, the characters learn simple lessons about the Christian life, faith, interpersonal relationships, and the development of Godly character qualities. Read-alone for ages 8-11, but young and old will enjoy these skilfully told stories that will challenge and encourage each one. (Hardcover, 353 pages)

More Candlelight Bedtime Stories

#3702 - \$18.97CAD / \$18.27USD

Author: Mrs. Cleon Martin (Ages 6 to 14)

Written for children, but enjoyed equally by adults, these captivating stories are conservative, with Bible-based values. This book of 185 short, devotional stories is the second of two volumes. Together with the first volume, *Candlelight Bedtime Stories*, there are a total of 365 stories - one for each day of the year. (Hardcover, 362 pages)

**For more Bible Study and Devotional Titles,
see our Full or General Catalogue.**

TEACHING AIDS AND REWARDS

Everyone enjoys receiving rewards for a job well done, or encouragement to keep going. Use these post-cards, stickers, bookmarks, certificates, and posters regularly and you will be richly rewarded yourself with the renewed enthusiasm of your children!

PLACE MATS

Look and Learn Place Mats

These learning Place Mats are full-colour on one side and black outline on the other so the child can mark on the laminated surface with wipe-off markers

Geography:

#A116 Canada Map

#A117 World Map

43 cm X 28cm / 11" X 17"

Arithmetic:

#A120 Multiplication

#A121 Division

#A122 Addition

#A123 Subtraction

BOOKMARKS

Beautiful and inspirational bookmarks! Bookworms of all ages will enjoy these colourful, heavy card-stock bookmarks. An inexpensive gift that makes a great learning and witnessing tool. These bookmarks are great for individual awards, class prizes, incentives, birthday gifts, and more! Size: 2"X6" - 5cm X 15cm

1 to 4 - \$0.25*CAD / \$0.25USD each

5 + - \$0.20*CAD / \$0.20USD each

#J3212 - The B-I-B-L-E

#J3211 - Books of the Bible

#J3204 - The Fruit of the Spirit

#J3215 - In the Beginning (Gen. 1:1)

#J3203 - The Names of God

#J3213 - The Plan of Salvation

#J3218 - Smile, God Loves You #2

#J3210 - Smile, God Loves You

#J3214 - This is the Day (Psalm 118:24, NIV)

#J3217 - Ten Commandments (NIV)

#J3209 - Ten Commandments (KJV)

#J3216 - The 23rd Psalm (KJV)

#J3201 - The 23rd Psalm (NIV)

#J3205 - Trust in the Lord (NIV)

Set of 14 bookmarks listed above

#J3200 - \$2.47*CAD / \$2.47USD

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is the education of the heart!**♥

**Choose your resources wisely as they
will impact lives for a lifetime and
even for eternity!**

CHARACTER & SPIRITUAL TRAINING

CERTIFICATES

Certificates are a great way to recognize the hard work your child has done. These 8½" X 5½" brightly coloured certificates will give your child a visual reminder of their accomplishments. Most certificates, have a scripture verse on it and places for the child's name, the date, and a signature. These certificates are all out of print and available while supplies last.

1 to 4 - \$0.25*CAD / \$0.25USD each
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- #J3261 - **Congratulations**
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- #J3265 - **I Know my Bible Verse** (realistic)
- #J3266 - **I Was an Angel Today** (cutesy)
- #J3267 - **Great Participation** (NIV)
- #J3268 - **Shining Star** (shaped certificate)
- #J3264 - **You Really Shine!** (cutesy)

Set of Eight Certificates

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Contains one each of the above certificates.

CHARACTER TRAINING

To train only the mind, and not the spirit and character, is to do your child a great injustice. In fact, the truth be known, the superior order of training should be:

1. **Spiritual** - training in Biblical principles and issues of the heart
2. **Character** - this includes manners & etiquette!
3. **Mental** - academics

MANNERS AND ETIQUETTE

If Everybody Did (Ages 2-6)

#M619 - \$9.17CAD / \$7.97USD

Author: Jo Ann Stover (Paperback, 45 pages)

They will giggle. They will wiggle. They'll be having so much fun. They will want to mind their manners when this clever book is done! Take your child on a hilarious sightseeing tour of what the world would be like if everybody did things such as jumping in the mud, slamming the door, squeezing the cat, or eating all the fudge! Black line drawing illustrations.

★ indicates new products

* PST/HST payable in some provinces

Prices subject to change.

A Little Book of Manners

#S960 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Emilie Barnes (Ages 4 to 12)

This easy to read book introduces little girls to basic good manners, explaining the "whys" as well as the "hows" and stressing a loving attitude over simply following rules. Written from the perspective of Emilie, a little girl who is learning Christian values along with good manners in a wide variety of applications. Enjoy the short quotations and some brief, fun "Do you know statements" about manners ("Do you know why people shake hands?") as well as great illustrations by Michal Sparks. (Hardcover, 32 pages)

A Little Book of Manners for Boys

#S961 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Bob and Emilie Barnes (ages 4-12)

The authors instruct little boys in the importance of godly conduct and good manners. Topics covered include common courtesy, appropriate and inappropriate language and behaviour, good sportsmanship, table manners, respectfulness, and good grooming and hygiene. The special little boys in your life will learn about good sportsmanship, table manners, and appropriate language create happy times. Lively illustrations will captivate your favourite little gentleman in the making. (Hardcover, 32 pages)

Manners Made Easy

#M101 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

Author: June Hines Moore (paperback, 72 pages)

This workbook/guide will equip you to effectively teach the timeless principles of good manners. Students will gain self-confidence and better interpersonal skills, as well as respect and consideration for others. Some topics are: proper introductions, telephone manners, table manners, writing thank-you notes, and more. A Scripture-based learning activity is incorporated at the end of each chapter, so students understand the deeper reasons behind learning and practising good manners. All student pages are easily reproducible, and the answers are included on the teacher's pages.

Manners Made Easy for Teens: 10 Steps to a Life of Confidence, Poise, and Respect

#M102 - \$14.97CAD / \$12.97USD

Author: June Hines Moore (104 pages, paperback)

Think all teenagers are awkward, immature, and self-involved? Well, of course not, but especially not after etiquette teacher June Hines Moore gets their attention. She expertly guides young people through a variety of key social interactions, from dating to job interviews. Included in the student/teacher process of this book are various interactive role-playing exercises, quizzes, demonstrations, tips, and Q&A sessions. (Note: The girls are primarily dressed in pants.)

CHARACTER & SPIRITUAL TRAINING

A Smart Girl's Guide to Manners: The Secrets to Grace, Confidence, and Being Your Best

(Gr. 3-7) #S956 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

By: AmericanGirl Library (Paperback, 120 pages)

This book covers the basic etiquette areas, including cell phone and table manners, host and guest duties, and such occasions as weddings and family gatherings. The text is sprinkled with lots of colourful illustrations and quizzes geared to letting readers assess their own behaviour. Especially well done is the section on writing nicely worded thank-you notes.

They Didn't Use Their Heads (Ages 4-8)

#M620 - \$9.17CAD / \$7.97USD

Author: Jo Ann Stover (Paperback, 45 pages)

This rhyming tale centres on the misadventures of some little children and at the same time makes an unforgettable case for good behaviour. This book teaches consequence as well as morality; it then shows an alternate solution to a bad or thoughtless decision. It does all of these things in a very child friendly manner in a way that children can relate to and understand very easily. Black line drawing illustrations. (See also: "If Everybody Did")

BOOKS FOR YOUNG MEN

Boyhood and Beyond: Practical Wisdom For Becoming a Man #S958 - \$12.57CAD / \$10.97USD

Author: Bob Schultz (Ages 10-18)

Boys who are on the road to becoming men of honour, courage, and faith will greatly benefit from the heartfelt encouragement and sound advice offered in this book. Wisdom and common sense are gleaned from short chapters covering topics such as authority, inventiveness, and honesty as well as learning to overcome things like fear, laziness, and temptation. Boys will be motivated to build their lives on a foundation of strong moral principles and to become the men God wants them to be. This "life" book is designed to be read and lived out in a boy's life, thus becoming one of his building blocks to godly character, and ultimately manhood. Read alone, or in a group. Discussion questions included. *5 star rating!* (Paperback, 219 pgs)

Created for Work: Practical Insights for Young Men #S959 - \$12.57CAD / \$10.97USD

Author: Bob Schultz (paperback, 181 pages)

All young men should be on the road to developing a healthy attitude toward work. Honest productive work is the backbone of strong families and blessed nations. Bob Schultz applies his engaging homespun wisdom, with stories from real life, to teach young men (and boys) what it means to be good workers. Questions at the end of each chapter make this book an excellent

read-aloud book for a father and son or for group discussion. While geared to boys, girls will enjoy and learn a lot as well. *5 star rating!* (Ages 10 -18)

★ Practical Happiness: A Young Man's Guide to a Contented Life

#S965 - \$12.57CAD / \$10.97USD

Author: Bob Schultz (paperback, 223 pages)

Practical Happiness offers young men counsel as to how they can find the path that leads to inner joy and lasting contentment. Through short captivating stories, Bob Schultz has crafted a book to lead young men toward a life of contentment that can be found only by seeking the heart of God. Young men will learn that happiness is not found in what they have, where they go or their next exciting adventure, but rather in their attitude and response to life, especially when things aren't going "their" way. This book will light a fire in the hearts of young men, leading them to a life of personal fulfilment as they draw closer to God. (Ages 12+)

God's Wisdom for Little Boys (PreK- Gr 3)

#M616 - \$18.37CAD / \$15.97USD

Author: Elizabeth George (Hardcover, 48 pages)

This wonderful collection of teachings from Proverbs comes to life for boys. Memorable rhymes play alongside watercolour illustrations for a charming presentation of truths by which to live. A beautifully illustrated, pass down to the grandchildren type of book!

His Mighty Warrior (Ages 4-8)

#S963 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

How do you captivate the heart of a boy? With words from a loving God about the courageous man of honour he will one day be. He dreams of imaginary castles, knights, and daring adventures—but he is already the child of a real King, and a part of a real kingdom! In an beautifully illustrated, two-way conversation between that King and his warrior-child, this offers the truth about what it really means to grow up strong, brave and true. (Hardcover, 128 pages)

Lintball Leo's Not-So-Stupid Questions About Your Body - For Boys Only

(Ages 8-12) #S957 - \$9.17CAD / \$7.97USD

Author: Dr. Walt Larimore (paperback, 123 pages)

Finally, everything you wanted to know about your body, but you've just been too chicken to ask. This book is the first book for boys that gives honest answers to real questions about your body from a Biblical perspective. With information about everything from steroid use to body parts, there is not a question Lintball Leo hasn't heard. These are not questions some adult made up, but they're real questions asked by real boys just like you. You want to know the truth? This book gives you the facts!

CHARACTER & SPIRITUAL TRAINING

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#S961 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Bob and Emilie Barnes (ages 4-12)
The authors instruct little boys in the importance of godly conduct and good manners. Topics covered include common courtesy, appropriate and inappropriate language and behaviour, good sportsmanship, table manners, respectfulness, and good grooming and hygiene. The special little boys in your life will learn about good sportsmanship, table manners, and appropriate language create happy times. Lively illustrations will captivate your favourite little gentleman in the making. (Hardcover, 32 pages)

A Little Boy After God's Own Heart

#S717 - \$18.37CAD / \$15.97USD

Author: Jim & Elizabeth George (Hardcover, 32 pgs)
Biblical truths in fun rhymes for little guys. This book offers growing boys encouragement to show God's love, honour their parents, practice patience, demonstrate the Golden Rule, and be faithful, obedient boys. The combination of charming paintings and easy-to-learn lessons will guide boys toward the heart of God and toward a life of godliness that shows in their words, actions, and spirit.

A Little Hero in the Making: Good Manners for the Young and Brave at Heart

#S720 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Emilie Barnes (Ages 4 to 8)
The lessons presented in this book encourage young boys to develop the character and strength of a hero. The engaging illustrations inspire little ones to discover the super powers of manners as they: help at home; explore their world; eat like a champion; become a great playmate; show their brave heart. Each turn of the page reveals how small actions can lead to kindness of heroic proportions. (Hardcover, 32 pages)

The Squire and the Scroll (Ages 4-11)

#S706 Without CD . \$15.17CAD / \$12.97USD

★#S706CD With CD \$18.37CAD / \$15.97USD

Author: Jennie Bishop (Hardcover, 36 pages)

This captivating adventure follows a young squire who travels a long, dangerous road beside his brave knight, on a quest for their king. The action builds until the final face-off with the monstrous, evil dragon. Only then does the squire learn of the secret beyond the cave that ends in a joyous celebration for the entire kingdom. Children will gain valuable insight as they learn, along with the young squire, what it means to face the dangers of temptation, and what it takes to guard one's heart from all that is impure. Recommended for boys but girls enjoy it as well. Excellent as a symbolic gift for a 12th or 13th birthday.

Life Lessons From The Squire and the Scroll

#S715 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

Author: Jennie Bishop (paperback, 65 pages)
This easy-to-use devotional covers biblical teachings on purity, integrity, and God's plan for relationships in a nonthreatening and age-appropriate way. These life lessons are packed with wisdom from God's Word, truths that young men need to know as they navigate the paths that lead to an adult life of integrity and honour. You and your son can build a godly heritage with these short, practical, life-changing studies and activities that can be personalized for any age. An optional *Squires of the Lantern Ceremony* is included.

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Squire and the Scroll Gift Set

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Compiled as a companion to the "The King's Daughter..." These stories were originally compiled in 1877 and were updated, and for the first time illustrated, in 1910. We bring to you an original reprint of the 1910 stories with over 100 illustrations. You will find these stories character building at its best. (224 pages)

- See also:**
- Plants Grown Up (by Doorposts)
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BOOKS FOR YOUNG LADIES

The Care & Keeping of You: The Body Book for Girls

#S955 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

By: AmericanGirl Library (Gr. 4-7)

This "head-to-toe" guide answers all your questions, from hair care to healthy eating, bad breath to bras, periods to pimples, and everything in between. With tips, how-to's, and facts from the experts, here's the book more than one million girls have turned to for straightforward advice. Informative & age-appropriate, this full-colour guide answers all the questions preteen girls have about their bodies. This book addresses issues of basic health and hygiene, not issues regarding human sexuality. *Our reviewer and her daughter gave this a 5+ star rating.* (Paperback, 104 pages)

Beautiful Girlhood (Age 11+)

#S950 - \$10.27CAD / \$8.97USD

Author: Karen Andreola (paperback, 208 pages)

The 33 chapters in this book give direction to a girl on the journey to young woman-hood. Mother and daughter could draw closer as they read and discuss the chapters on such topics as: ideals, ambitions choosing a life work, a pure heart, watch your tongue, a sunny disposition and much more. The qualities discussed are the essence of being a lady-like, godly woman. Andreola has "updated" Mabel Hale's.

The Companion Guide to Beautiful Girlhood

#975 - \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Authors: Noonan & Zach (paperback, 138 pages)

This book will guide you and your daughter (ages 9-14) through the 32 character training lessons from Beautiful Girlhood. Each chapter has thought provoking questions for reflection and discussion, Bible activities, life applications, and inspiring quotations for thinking and journaling. Use this flexible tool while teaching your daughter important life lessons. Look together at the value of good books, choosing one's life work and ideals.

★ Beyond Beautiful Girlhood and Companion Guide

#S952 - \$19.47CAD / \$16.97USD

Author: Shelley Noonan (paperback, 240 pages)

The next step in the Beautiful Girlhood series! Is your daughter prepared for life? Have you taught her how to manage a home, life, and spirit? Mothers, you know the transition from carefree girlhood to the daybreak of womanhood can be the most frightening and exciting of times for your daughter! This book has often been described as a "glorified home economics" course because of the Biblical manner in which it deals with the transition. A 7-21 week journey for young women and their mothers to travel together! (Ages 13 - 18)

Did I Kiss Marriage Goodbye (Age 18+)

#S951 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Carolyn McCulley (paperback, 224 pages)

"Carolyn continually shows our need to examine ourselves and to depend on Christ who alone can meet all of our needs. She challenges us to trust God and keep the eternal perspective in view, while still dealing with the questions and worries single women have. Several chapters show how we can develop the characteristics of the Proverbs 31 woman which are of great benefit to any woman, married or single. ...Because Carolyn is in her forties, she talks about things that a younger reader may not even think to bring up because they haven't experienced them yet. ... Carolyn has an open, candid, yet humorous style of writing." (Review by Miss Miranda VanEssen, 4 stars)

God's Wisdom For Little Girls (PreK- Gr 3)

#M615 - \$18.37CAD / \$15.97USD

Author: Elizabeth George (Hardcover, 48 pages)

Share with the little girl in your life the virtues and character qualities of being God's child in this delightful rhyming adaptation of Proverbs 31. Bestselling author Elizabeth George draws from the wisdom of the Bible's book of Proverbs to encourage young girls to apply the positive traits and qualities illustrated in each verse. A beautifully illustrated, pass down to the grandchildren type of book! ♣

His Little Princess: Treasured Letters from Your King

(hardcover, 128 pages)

#S962 - \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Every little girl dreams of being a princess. For the one who trusts in God, the Word heralds a most beautiful truth: She is the chosen daughter of the King of all kings. She is a true princess! Here is a majestic gift for that special young one in your life--personal letters written from her King. Each day a new letter will inspire her to live and act like the radiant princess she is!

A Little Book of Manners: Courtesy & Kindness for Young Ladies

#S960 - \$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD

Author: Emilie Barnes (Ages 4 to 12)

This easy to read book introduces little girls to basic good manners, explaining the "whys" as well as the "hows" and stressing a loving attitude over simply following rules. Written from the perspective of Emilie, a little girl who is learning Christian values along with good manners in a wide variety of applications. Enjoy the short quotations and some brief, fun "Do you know statements" about manners ("Do you know why people shake hands?") as well as great illustrations by Michal Sparks. (Hardcover, 32 pages)

♣Contains illustrations of girls dressed in pants

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A Little Girl After God's Own Heart

#S716 - \$18.37CAD / \$15.97USD

Author: Elizabeth George (Ages 4-8)

This picture book was written especially for Christian little girls, listing positive qualities to strive for in one's heart. Love, Joy and Peace, Patience, Kindness and Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self-Control are all extolled as precious virtues to cultivate in God's eyes, as revealed in quotes from holy scripture. The beautiful, full-colour illustrations reveal the adoration and wonder of the artist, in this gift book meant to be cherished as an uplifting source of inspiration for young ladies. (hardcover, 32 pages)

The Princess and the Kiss: A story of God's Gift of Purity

#S705 Without CD . \$15.17CAD / \$12.97USD

★#S705CD With CD . . . \$18.37CAD / \$15.97USD

Author: Jennie Bishop (Hardcover, 32 pages)

A loving king and queen present their daughter with a gift from God – her first kiss – to keep or to give away. The wise girl waits for the man who is worthy of her precious gift. Where is he and how will she ever find him? The surprising answer in this marvellous parable will touch the heart of parent and child alike. The Princess and the Kiss beautifully portrays the ageless message that "love ... comes from a pure heart and a good conscience and a sincere faith" (1 Timothy 1:5 NIV). This book teaches the importance and beauty of saving themselves for marriage. Reading level: ages 4 -11. Recommended for all ages.

Life Lessons from The Princess and the Kiss

#S714 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

Author: Jennie Bishop (paperback, 58 pages)

Picking up where "Princess and the Kiss" left off, this easy-to-use devotional covers biblical teaching on purity, relationships and God's plans for marriage (or singleness) with your child in a non-threatening and age-appropriate way. You and your daughter can build a godly heritage with these short, practical, life-changing studies and activities that can be personalized for any age. *Princess Ceremony* guide is included.

Princess Prayer Box Necklace

#S705W - \$22.97*CAD / \$19.97USD

The Princess Prayer Box Necklace is a precious gift to present to your little princess. It symbolizes God's gift of purity. It is also representative of a parent's love, desire, and prayer for their princess to choose a path of purity and to keep her "kiss" safe. The symbols on each side of this beautiful Prayer Box will help your princess remember key life lessons. It will also be a wonderful reminder of your love, support, and prayers every time she wears it. The pendant is displayed on an 18" round chain made of quality sterling silver.

The Princess and the Kiss Gift Set

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The King's Daughter & Other Stories for Girls

Book: #B2501 \$7.97 CAD / 6.97USD

CDs: #B4503CD \$17.27*CAD / 14.97USD

Over 40 character-building stories and 100 illustrations. One mother said, "I have literally spent thousands of dollars on educational and character building materials...and none have been as encouraging, nor as influential as your old time-stories." (244 pages)

★ Saving My First Kiss

#S964 - \$12.57CAD / \$10.97USD

Author: Lisa Velthouse

If you are dating or wish you were, Saving My First Kiss will help you look at romance in light of God's will for your life. Its focus is on building character and becoming more like Jesus. In this book, Lisa shows how your focus should be on finding your identity in Christ before you try to find love and acceptance in relationships. Lisa says, "I am working to become the woman that I want to be--the kind of woman whom the man of my dreams will fall madly in love with." Find out how you can do this too. (Paperback, 176 pages)

The Three Weavers Plus Companion Guide

#977 - \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Authors: Robert and Shelley Noonan

This book invites fathers to bravely assume their God given responsibility to protect their daughter's purity for marriage while cultivating a close, loving relationship that will influence future generations. It is intended to be a tool for fathers to mentor their daughters between the ages of 9-16 years. Uses Bible study, discussion, journaling, and finally, the purchase and presentation of an appropriate piece of jewellery that will represent a pledge of purity by the daughter and your love and support as her father. (Paperback, 136 pages.)

The True Princess

#S718 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

Author: Angela Elwell Hunt (ages 4-young teen)

How to Be a True Princess in Jesus' Eyes. Every little girl dreams of someday becoming a princess with lovely things, but a true princess is recognized by her servant's heart. Meet a beautiful young daughter of the King who still has much to learn about serving Him. Follow along as she blossoms into a true princess in the eyes of her Father. Help your little princess understand that being a princess is about what's in her heart. (Hardcover, 32 pages)

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(spiral bound) #9008 - \$20.67CAD / \$17.97USD
In-depth series of almost 200 questions, suggested Bible study topics, and other projects to aid a woman in reaching the mature godly womanhood to which God has called her. For personal or group use.

Beauty and the Pig

#9023 - \$19.47CAD / \$16.97USD

Learn how to use various Bible study methods as you discover what Scripture says about beauty and discretion. Beauty and the Pig is the Bible study portion of the Goldie Doll kit. Bible studies are appropriate for personal study, family devotions, girls' clubs, or mother/daughter Bible study groups. Although primarily directed to girls and young women, studies also contain supplementary questions for young men. Includes 10 Bible studies with ideas for 32 more.

The Blessing Chart

#9002 Wall Chart \$7.47*CAD / \$6.47USD

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This chart is designed to help you acknowledge and reward godly attitudes and behaviour, in a way that is patterned after Scripture. The Blessing Chart is available as a 16"X22" black and white wall chart that you colour yourself and as an 8½"X11" laminated, full-colour chart. Both styles come with a booklet containing many ideas for creative rewards.

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Help teach your children to follow Scriptural instructions when responding to those who have wronged or offended them. This book and chart set outlines steps for an offended person to follow, steps to encourage the offender to confess and forsake his sin, Scripture-based guidelines for parents, examples from lives in the Bible, what to do with a false witness, and how to discipline a child who takes pleasure in getting another child in trouble. With a 16"X22" wall chart to colour, or with an 8½"X11" laminated, full-colour chart.

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For This Is Right: A Practical Application of the Fifth Commandment for Young People

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This book of evaluation questions and Scripture explores the meaning and practical application of the Fifth Commandment, "Honour thy father and thy mother." (Ex. 20:12). This is a simple command, but it encompasses more than we often realize! It takes discipline and training for children to learn to honour and obey their parents as God requires. It will give direction to this training process by keeping you and your children grounded in God's Word. Easily used for independent or group study, parent-child study, in discipline situations, and in counselling. (134 Pages)

Goldie Doll Patterns

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In the style of the traditional "topsy-turvy" doll, 12-inch-tall Goldie has two personalities! Turn her one way and she's a pretty young lady. Flip her over and she becomes a pig with a gold ring in her nose. Includes patterns and instructions. Use with the study guide "Beauty and the Pig."

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Be armed with Scripture for working with the easily distracted or "less than diligent" child. This chart covers a wide range of areas of laziness, plus a Bible verse for each problem, for easy reference when they're driving you crazy! Covers the following topics: serving God, gratefulness, honesty, humility, perseverance, obedience, thoroughness, responsibility, initiative, consideration, and redeeming time. Available as a 16"X22" black and white wall chart you can colour yourself and as a 8½"X11" full-colour laminated chart.

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Hidden Treasures: Digging into the Book of Proverbs with Your Family

#9026 - \$25.27CAD / \$21.97USD

Get ready for a treasure hunt! Hidden Treasures contains 90 illustrated proverbs for you to identify. This book contains a wealth of material for your family worship times. Contains: many different topical studies, charts, chapter-by-chapter notes and study suggestions, special activity and object lesson ideas, and a resource list of other commentaries, books, and audio to help you dig even more out of Proverbs.

Honour Your Father and Mother: The Fifth Commandment for Little Ones

#9029 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

Help teach your little ones to obey! Simple drawings combine with questions and Bible verses to teach young children the meaning of the 5th Commandment. Patterned after "For This is Right," this book is designed for smaller children with simple questions to help them evaluate their obedience. Each question is followed up by a Bible verse that instructs the child in that area of obedience. Simple, reproducible line drawings aid children's understanding and are suitable for colouring. (Spiral bound, 80 pages)

If Then Chart

#9005 Wall Chart \$6.87*CAD / \$5.97USD

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This 3 column chart is designed to help you be more consistent in disciplining your children. Lists common areas of misbehaviour illustrated with a simple cartoon and gives a Scripture verse related to each sin. Instruction sheet included. Available as a 16"X22" black and white wall chart that you can colour yourself and as a 8½"X11" full-colour laminated chart. Both charts come with an instruction sheet offering suggestions for consequences.

Mighty Acts of God

#9011 - \$6.87CAD / \$5.97USD

A collection of ideas to inspire some simple drama times in your family. Ideas for easy costumes, simple props, fun meals, and suggestions for over 50 different Bible Stories.

★ The Put On Chart

#9037 Wall Chart \$13.17*CAD / \$11.47USD

#9038 Laminated Chart \$13.17*CAD / \$11.47USD

Does anyone in your household ever have trouble being patient? How about compassionate? Or forgiving? As much as we love the members of our own family, it seems like home is where our ability to truly love is put to the greatest test. The "Put-On Chart" and its companion study book are designed to help your family "put on" the character qualities of God's children. Based on Colossians 3:12-14.

Prepare Thy Work

#9035 - \$25.27CAD / \$21.97USD

Packed with Bible studies, evaluation questions, counsel from godly men, practical projects, and helpful resources, Prepare Thy Work helps young men properly order their lives and goals – preparing for their callings first, and then pursuing courtship and marriage. (Scripture quotations are from the King James and English Standard versions.)

Ruby Doll Patterns #9014 - \$6.87CAD / \$5.97USD

The sewing patterns for making "Ruby," the Proverbs 31 woman, her husband, and their family of children.

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#9015 - \$6.27*CAD / \$5.47USD

A chart to simplify chore assignments in your household. Divided into 20 sections, you can list up to 40 of your most frequent chores. There are 56 cartoon illustrations that you can colour, cut, and glue next to each chore listing.

Stewardship Street

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Discusses 7 different suggested budget categories for children, gives patterns and instructions for making a "street" of savings boxes out of milk cartons. Also includes patterns for making memory verse visuals and a record-keeping form.

Study Forms on CD

#9027 - \$17.27*CAD / \$14.97USD

Many of the projects and studies in Plants Grown Up and Polished Cornerstones require copies of the forms included in the books. This CD places over 160 charts at your fingertips for quick lesson preparation. All study forms from both books are included on this one disk. Designed for Windows/PC. Requires a web browser and Adobe Acrobat.

Virtuous Woman Bible Study Guide

(Doorposts) #9019 - \$6.87CAD / \$5.97USD

Bible study guides on "an overview of Proverbs 31:10-31," "The Law of Kindness," "The Bread of Idleness," and "Reaching Forth our Hands to the Needy."

Young Lady of Valor

(Doorposts) #9018 - \$3.47CAD / \$2.97USD

All the text from Proverbs 31:10-31, accompanied by Doorposts-style illustrations. Designed to colour.

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For Instruction in Righteousness

A Topical Bible Reference Manual for Parents!

#9001 - \$37.97CAD / \$32.97USD

Over 300 pages, coil-bound. A wealth of material for parents' Bible study, family worship, character training, unit studies, and Bible study for older children.

This book can help you use the Bible every time you discipline your children and for preventing sin before it happens! It includes hundreds of verses on over 50 different areas of sin.

Each chapter includes the following listings:

- General information and commandments
- What happens, or should happen, to the person who sins in this way, and specific suggestions for discipline based on these verses
- What this sinful person or action is likened to in Scripture, and ideas for instructive objects lessons based on these verses
- How God blesses those who resist the temptation to sin in this way, and creative ideas for rewards and encouragement for children who show progress in overcoming this sin
- Bible stories illustrating the consequences of this sin
- Bible stories illustrating the blessings of obeying God in this area
- Verses to memorize

The introduction discusses the responsibilities of parents, Scripture as our authority in discipline, and Scripture's example of teaching through stories, objects lessons, songs, and memorials. It also explains examples of discipline situations and how to use the topical information when disciplining your children.

Topics Include:

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Polished Cornerstones

Projects for Daughters on the Path to Womanhood

Book #9007 - \$55.17CAD / \$47.97USD

Memory Verse Bk #9007M - \$6.97CAD / \$5.97USD

Raising daughters can be a challenging task! How will we ever teach them everything they need to know? Polished Cornerstones can help! This 497-page spiral-bound book will help you focus on the skills and attitudes your daughters need to develop.

- This book offers 100s of different ideas for Bible study projects, reading material, and practical, everyday activities to help your daughters to live godly lives.
- Polished Cornerstones is a tool that allows you to be flexible, picking and choosing from a variety of projects to meet each daughter's unique needs.
- Projects in each chapter are listed according to difficulty level so that you can start work in each area with very young girls, and continue to disciple your daughters with increasingly more challenging assignments.
- Each project is also labelled with the school subjects it relates to so that homeschoolers can incorporate projects into their academic school day.
- Each chapter includes evaluation questions for parents and daughters. These help pinpoint weak areas, stimulate discussion, and lead to more specific prayer with and for your daughters.
- Includes many charts and forms to encourage family and independent Bible study. Your daughter will learn how to be a student of the Word.
- Includes sample lesson plans and step-by-step instructions
- Reproducible forms mean that one copy of this book will serve for all your daughters (and maybe even a few granddaughters!).

Chapters include:

- A Godly Woman • A Reliable Woman • An Honest Woman
- A Loyal Woman • An Attentive Woman • A Loving Woman
- A Submissive Woman • A Humble Woman • A Pure Woman
- A Patient Woman • A Devoted Woman • A Diligent Woman
- A Skilful Woman • A Thrifty Woman • A Wise Manager
- An Organized Woman • A Studious Woman • A Prayerful Woman
- A Determined Woman • A Hospitable Woman • A Merciful Woman
- A Just Woman • A Prudent Woman • A Gracious Woman
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Plants Grown Up

Projects for Sons on the Road to Manhood

Book #9006 - \$55.17CAD / \$47.97USD
Memory Verse Bk #9006M \$5.77CAD / \$4.97USD

Do you ever wonder if you're doing the right things to prepare your son for godly manhood? Plants Grown Up can help! This 500-page, spiral-bound book offers hundreds of different ideas for Bible study projects, reading material, and practical, everyday activities to help prepare your son for godly manhood (and to help him live a godly life as a young man).

Plants Grown Up is designed for boys from the time they can memorize a Bible verse until the day they get married! One copy provides material to keep a house full of boys busy growing up all through their youth.

- Each chapter offers a variety of projects for you to choose from for each of your unique sons.
- Projects are listed according to difficulty level so you can start work in each area with very young boys, and continue to disciple your sons with increasingly challenging assignments.
- Each project is labelled with the school subjects it relates to so home schoolers can incorporate projects into their academics
- Each chapter includes evaluation questions for parents and sons. These help pinpoint weak areas, stimulate discussion, and lead to more specific daily prayer for your sons.
- Includes charts and forms to encourage Bible study.

Chapters include: "Add to your faith VIRTUE"

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BROTHERLY KINDNESS • Developing Godly Relationships

• Protecting the Young and Weak • Showing Hospitality • Providing for Others

CHARITY • Giving to Those in Need • Communicating in a Godly Way • Serving with a Cheerful Heart • Giving Up Our Own Desires • Showing Patience & Forgiveness • Sharing the Gospel • Loving a Wife

★Sports & Picnic Enclosure

Arena Soccer - 14' backyard sports fun arena.
#1510 - \$599.97*CAD / \$599.97USD

Arena Soccer is the ultimate aid for developing soccer skills, providing children with a safe place to develop skills. Fully enclosed arena allows more touches with the ball & improves reaction time & eye/foot coordination. Also use for ball hockey, t-ball, and other games. It keeps pets from interfering and the ball from going where it shouldn't. Use for picnics or as a big playpen. The screened roof protects against ultra violet rays.

VIKAN Trampolines

Reduce stress, increase energy, improve your health, and have fun at the same time!

Don't risk injury on a cheap trampoline that is poorly constructed with cheap materials! Durable, professional grade **Vikan trampolines** are designed to withstand Canadian and Northern US winters without being covered and be virtually maintenance free for typically 15+ years. The one piece, all-weather polypropylene beds are ultra-violet ray treated, are waterproof, have a textured surface to prevent slipping, and allow light to shine through so your grass stays green! On a sturdy foundation of wide-span steel legs, these round trampolines provide a safe, uniform bounce with a minimum of side-to-side pitching while working the jumper towards the centre of the mat. It has no pins, bolts, or motors to break, requires no licences, makes no noise or pollution, and uses no fuel.

ALBERTA CUSTOMERS: Trampolines are covered as an allowable home education expense.

8' Trampoline (Was \$699.00CAD)
#1500 - \$499.97*CAD / \$499.97USD

- about knee high off the ground
- great for children or as an aerobic exercise surface for adults – not recommended for high bouncing for those over 120 lbs.

14' Trampoline (Was \$1399.00CAD)
#1501 - \$999.97*CAD / \$999.97USD

- about 3' off the ground - great for any size person (under 400 lbs) and any style of jumping

42" Rebounder
#1502 - \$199.97*CAD / \$199.97USD

- for those who do not have room for a full size trampoline. Firmer bouncing surface - better for adults than children. **Call for children's rebounder info.**

For other sizes and enclosures plus pictures see www.bouncingforhealth.com

★ BARRON'S PAINLESS SERIES

Barron's popular "Painless Series " of supplemental study guides for middle school and high school students offer a lighthearted, often humorous approach to their subjects, transforming details that might once have seemed boring or difficult into a series of interesting and mentally challenging ideas. Even adults can benefit from these handy guides containing step-by-step instructions, easy to understand language, real life examples and with lots of humour.

Most titles in the series feature many fun-to-solve "Brain Tickler" problems with answers at the end of each chapter. (Paperback) 200-300 pages each

See: <http://www.joycenter.on.ca> for more comprehensive descriptions of each volume.

\$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD each

Guides for Using the English Language:**#S6580 - Painless English For Speakers of Other Languages**

For students growing up in families where English is not the first language, it presents an informal and user-friendly course in all elements of American English grammar usage.

#S6581 - Painless Grammar

Learn parts of speech and punctuation rules with lots of humour, down-to-earth examples of correct usage, and funny cartoon illustrations. Look at some wacky words and see how they are often misused.

#S6582 - Painless Poetry

The author explains how poets use words imaginatively in rhymed, metered & free verse & points the way toward composing and reading poems of all kinds with examples from Homer through today.

#S6583 - Painless Reading Comprehension

Reluctant readers learn to read with ease, and to comprehend what you are reading--painlessly. Most important, you'll discover how to transform a once-painful task into a pleasurable experience.

#S6584 - Painless Spelling

Here's the book that makes learning correct spelling entirely painless. It covers everything you need . Just as important, you will discover that you have had fun learning!

#S6585 - Painless Vocabulary

If you think that developing a large vocabulary means dreary and painful memorizing of hundreds of words, this book has good news for you. Think again! Enjoy yourself while you learn!

#S6599 - Painless Writing

You dread writing class assignments? This entertaining & instructive book is filled with ideas on how you can express your thoughts clearly, enliven your writing with vivid images, & avoid the dull passive voice.

Guides for Math**#S6586 - Painless Algebra**

Learn terms & potential pitfalls in algebraic calculation & use problem solving fun activities with a painless approach to understanding and graphing linear equations, solving systems of linear inequalities, and graphing quadratic equations.

#S6587 - Painless Geometry

Discover the relationships that exist between parallel and perpendicular lines and analysing the characteristics of distinct shapes such as circles, quadrilaterals, and triangles. Also learn how principles of geometry can help you solve many real-world problems.

#S6588 - Painless Fractions

Taking a light-hearted approach to numbers and their parts, the author, shows how to add, subtract, multiply, and divide fractions, demonstrates how to convert them into decimals and percentages.

#S6589 - Painless Math Word Problems

Discover interesting ways to see patterns in math word problems. Find solutions using decimals and fractions, and compare rates, and work with proportions and percents. Learn easy problem-solving strategies in statistics, probability & the fundamentals of algebra.

Miscellaneous Guides**#S6590 - Painless Life Science**

Learn to classify living things, from bacteria and viruses to plants and animals. Learn fascinating facts about cells, parts of the plant, animals, human body systems, genetics, and more.

#S6591 - Painless Speaking

Learn how to speak effectively anywhere and in front of anyone and enjoy yourself while learning! Learn to find your own unique voice for the art of conversation and techniques for reading aloud from fiction and nonfiction texts. You'll also get detailed instruction in public speaking, from composing and preparing to practising, delivering, and evaluation.

#S6592 - Painless Study Techniques

Having difficulty studying for classroom assignments and tests? Learn user-friendly ideas for group learning projects, tips on knowing how to read different kinds of books from math to literature, advice on organizing your ideas for essay assignments, and much more. You will discover how to make study time the best time for developing exciting new ideas.

CRITICAL THINKING

Critical Thinking Press Books

Core Curriculum Resources

The Goal:

⇒ Hook your children on thinking and problem solving!

The Results:

- ⇒ Superior Academic Performance.
- ⇒ Better Test Performance
- ⇒ Lifelong Learning
- ⇒ Success and Happiness

Critical Thinking books can help you build your children's thinking skills for better academic performance.

CRITICAL THINKING PRESS (CTP) BOOKS ENCOURAGE:

• **Superior Academic Performance** - Good thinkers and problem solvers get good grades.

• **Better Test Performance** - From elementary school to graduate school more and more tests focus on how well your children think and less on how much they have memorized. These products will help your children excel at all these tests.

• **Lifelong Learning** - Give your children better thinking and problem solving skills for life! Children who enjoy problem solving and thinking have an excellent chance of becoming successful lifelong learners.

• **THEY WORK!** We used some of these terrific books from July 2001 to June 2005 with two girls who had many significant learning challenges. WOW! What a difference we saw in their thinking, reasoning and verbal skills, not to speak of their academic progress. These would be good for most children.

• **SPECIAL NEEDS CHILD?** Call us at 519-925-9721 for specific recommendations to address specific learning challenges.

FREQUENCY: Designed to be used 2-3 times per week, 15-20 minutes, but our girls wanted to do the activities every day!

NOTE: Grade and age levels are suggestions only. Often older children will benefit from lower level books to build their thinking foundations. The teacher guides

are essential for some books and are certainly handy in all cases for the busy parent, and particularly for the parent who needs to learn some of the concepts themselves. It also helps in solving disputes between the child who "knows it all" and the parent who is convinced they have the correct answer!

CTP BUILDING THINKING SKILLS

BUILDING THINKING SKILLS

Each **reproducible workbook** consists of activities organized into related figural and verbal units covering describing shapes, describing things, similarities/differences, sequence, analogies and classifications. Within these units, students will practice a skill set not found in any other single activity book. Help your child improve their reasoning, problem-solving, reading, vocabulary, logic, communication and figural/ spatial skills and lay a solid foundation for better academic performance, higher test scores.

Building Thinking Skills Workbooks:

Provides highly effective verbal and nonverbal reasoning activities to develop and improve analysis, vocabulary, reading, math, logic, and figural-spatial skills, as well as visual and auditory processing. This exceptional product provides a solid foundation for academic excellence and success on any assessment test. Instructions and solutions are included.

Instruction/Answer Guides:

Includes objectives, answers, and focus questions that reinforce analytical skills as students think through concepts. This instruction/answer guide is completely **optional** as answers are included in the student book. The teaching guide helps enhance the material and provides extra support for the teacher.

Building Thinking Skills Level 1 (Gr. 2-3)

#CT5241 **Workbook** \$34.97 CAD / \$29.97USD

#CT5209 **Guide on CD** \$23.37*CAD / \$19.97USD

Interlinking cubes, attribute blocks, and pattern blocks recommended but not required. Instructions and solutions are included. (370pgs)

Building Thinking Skills Level 2 (Gr. 4-6)

#CT5242 **Workbook** \$34.97 CAD / \$29.97USD

#CT5210 **Guide on CD** \$15.17*CAD / \$19.97USD

Building Thinking Skills Level 3 Verbal

#CT5244 **Workbook** \$34.97 CAD / \$29.97USD

#CT5212 **Guide on CD** \$23.37*CAD / \$19.97USD

(Gr. 7-12, 378 pages)

Building Thinking Skills Level 3 Figural

#CT5243 **Workbook** \$34.97 CAD / \$29.97USD

#CT5211 **Guide on CD** \$23.37*CAD / \$19.97USD

(Gr. 7-12, 280 pages)

CRITICAL THINKING

Hands-On Thinking Skills (Gr. K to 1)

#CT5225 - \$31.57CAD / \$26.97USD

Students have fun building manipulative relationships on each activity page using attribute blocks, pattern blocks, or interlocking cubes (sold separately). Activities and units are sequentially developed to keep students' interest level high. Verbal analysis is encouraged to maximize synthesis of verbal and spatial skills and to build vocabulary. Uses Cube-a-Links extensively. Attribute blocks and pattern blocks optional.

NOTE: We can special order most Critical Thinking Press materials that are not in our catalogue or on our website.

CRITICAL THINKING - Gr. 7-12 (CTP)

CRITICAL THINKING (Gr. 7-12+) Problem Solving, Reasoning, Logic, & Arguments

Critical Thinking teaches students to think logically, present well-developed arguments, and see through unsupported arguments.

Easy-to-understand explanations of concepts are followed by examples and real-life, often humorous, discussion problems. Students learn to identify sufficient and insufficient evidence, valid and invalid claims and arguments, fact and opinion, generalizations, inferences, deductions, emotional arguments, & more.

The Instruction/Answer Guides include goals, teaching suggestions, and answers. No previous background in logic is required to teach these activities.

#CT1202 **Book 1 Guide** \$10.47CAD / \$ 8.97USD

#CT1201 **Book 1 Student** \$26.87CAD / \$22.97USD

#CT1204 **Book 2 Guide** \$10.47CAD / \$ 8.97USD

#CT1203 **Book 2 Student** \$29.27CAD / \$24.97USD

REBINDING SERVICES: To facilitate having a book lie open flat on a table, we can cut the spine off of almost any paperback book and bind it with a plastic comb binding for \$3.00 per book.

CLEARANCE ITEMS

We have a selection of clearance items including books, curriculum resources, toys, games and more on our website clearance page. Be sure to snap these up at: <http://www.joycenter.on.ca> In the store section you will find "Clearance" as the last item in the "Product Categories" list in the left side column.

BUILDING THINKING SKILLS (BTS) ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

For descriptions of each item and for additional accessories see page 63.

Cube-A-Link Cubes – Used with Hands-on Building Thinking Skills and BTS Level 1.

#E131 - \$10.97*CAD / \$10.57USD

Plastic Pattern Blocks Set – Used with Hands-on Building Thinking Skills and BTS Level 1.

#E101 - \$15.87*CAD / \$13.97USD

Magnetic Attribute Block Logic Set

#E121 - \$17.67*CAD / \$14.97USD

Used with Hands-on Building Thinking Skills and BTS Level 1.

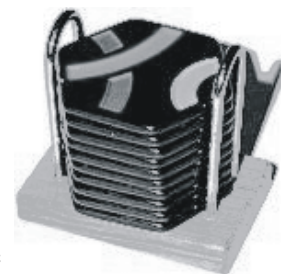
Tangrams #E110 - \$1.47*CAD / \$1.37USD per set

TANTRIX

Tantrix Discovery Puzzle (Ages 6 to adult)

#Z9041 - \$5.97*CAD / \$5.47USD

The 10 six-sided Tantrix tiles numbered 1-10 have to be pieced together to form continuous coloured paths. Keep adding tiles and forming loops if you can. This puzzle keeps on going no matter how many additional packs of 10 tiles are added into play. This addictive game of strategy from New Zealand improves spacial and thinking skills. It is a good introduction to Tantrix. Comes with a chrome stand for setting it on your coffee table to entertain guests.



Tantrix Discovery Game Pack (ages 8+)

#Z9042 - \$21.97*CAD / \$19.97USD

The Tantrix Discovery Game Pack is bursting with challenging solitaire puzzles and strategy games for 2-4 players. 56 numbered and colour coded tiles invite players to enter the twisted Tantrix world where loops, lines, or forms must be created. Skilful moves and a competitive spirit are your only entrance fee. Includes 56 tiles, instruction booklet and travel bag. Enter world wide competitions on the web at www.tantrix.com



MUSIC AND ART

MASTER'S MUSIC COURSES

The Master's Music Courses are specially designed to meet the needs of every Christian wishing to study music.

- consist entirely of Christian hymns, choruses, and songs
- music theory and techniques are carefully and logically introduced
- include fingering charts and chord symbols for accompanying instruments
- do not contain any rock or rap music

Accompaniment CDs

- split track stereo recording
- parts can be played with or without orchestration
- excellent enhancement to the music program
- encourages more practice and progress
- recommended but not required for courses
- contain all the hymns used in the book it corresponds with

The Master's Piano Course

- step-by-step instructions
- logical approach starting with the right hand
- includes scales and triads

Younger Beginners

#4004 Piano Primer - \$9.97CAD / \$9.57USD

Older Beginners

#4005 Piano Book 1 - \$9.97CAD / \$9.57USD

The Master's Pan Flute Method

#4016 Course Book \$7.97CAD / \$7.67USD

- written for the 12-Tube Pan Flute
- teaches Key of C with notes from Low A to High E (12 diatonic notes) using 28 hymns
- includes chord symbols for accompanying instruments

The Master's Recorder Course

Each book is designed for use with soprano recorders and includes fingering charts and chord symbols for accompanying instruments. The recorder is a super versatile instrument used in both beginning music programs as well as in the most prestigious concert halls of the world. A predecessor to the modern flute but much easier to play, recorder musicians play solos and in duets, quartets, and church ensembles.

Recorder Course Book 1

#4001 Book 1 \$9.97CAD / \$9.57USD

#4011 Tests 1 \$2.97CAD / \$2.87USD

#4009 Book 1 and 2 CD \$14.47*CAD / \$13.97USD

All hymns, choruses and songs have been presented in a logical sequence, utilizing each technique or note learned. Book One consists of 6 Duets, 1 quartet, 32 hymns. German and Baroque fingering are CLEARLY SHOWN where applicable, and cord symbols are provided for any accompanying instruments.

Recorder Course Book 2

#4002 Book 2 \$9.97CAD / \$9.57USD

#4012 Tests 2 \$2.97CAD / \$2.87USD

#4009 Book 1 and 2 CD \$14.47*CAD / \$13.97USD

Book 2 continues from where the first book leaves off. It includes several techniques that were not covered in the first book (e.g. slurs, six-eight time, etc.). It also covers all major key signatures up to and including 4 sharps and 4 flats, while reinforcing each key with hymns that are introduced in order of difficulty. Also covered are enharmonic notes, minor keys, and modulation. The total musical range studied is from middle C up to high G. Just as in the first book, both German and Baroque fingerings are shown clearly wherever the difference exists. This book also includes eight four-part arrangements which can be used from the midway point of Book One.

Alto Recorder Course

#4014 Book \$16.67CAD / \$15.97USD

This course takes the two books written for the soprano recorder and combines them into one book written for the alto recorder. German and Baroque fingering are CLEARLY SHOWN where applicable, and cord symbols are provided for any accompanying instruments. It teaches both hymnal and traditional music reading using 69 hymns.

"Much of what is said in the arts cannot be said in another way. To withhold artistic means of understanding is as much of a malpractice as to withhold mathematics."

Howard Gardner, Harvard's Graduate School of Education

Current studies link art education with higher performance in academic subjects.

"The 1987, 1988, and 1989 profiles of high school students who take art courses tend to have higher scores on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) than those who do not." SAT Scores Found to Correlate with Art Study." Soundpost, vol. 18, 1990, p. 21

Can you afford to neglect art and music instruction?

LAP HARP

A stringed instrument suitable for ages 4 - adults

Lap Harps let everyone, regardless of musical experience, play beautiful music by simply sliding a song sheet under the strings and plucking the string above each printed note. It's that easy! More than a toy, this instrument can be a stepping stone in developing a love for music. Graduate beyond the song cards and create your own music!

The ease of play, combined with renowned quality construction, is what make the Music Maker and the Melody Harp favourite instruments. Made of quality hardwood to give exceptional tonal qualities.

Each harp comes with a tuning wrench, pick, extra string, lifetime string replacement, twelve songs and comes pre-tuned. 13"x8"x2" trapezoid shaped instrument. The primary difference between the two harps is the key it is tuned to and the selection of song packets available.

The Music Maker Lap Harp

#MM2001 - \$39.97*CAD / \$38.97USD

The Music Maker Lap Harp is tuned to the key of G.

The Melody Lap Harp

#MH3001 - \$39.97*CAD / \$38.97USD

The Melody Harp is tuned to the key of C.

Lap Harp Case

#MM2002R Red Case \$15.97*CAD / \$13.97USD

#MM2002B Black Case \$15.97*CAD / \$13.97USD

Holds and protects the Music Maker or the Melody Lap Harps and music. Sturdy canvas case.

Tuning Pitch Pipe

#MH3036 - \$24.57*CAD / \$20.97USD

Make tuning your instrument simple. Our tuning pitch pipe is the perfect accessory for tuning your lap harp. Chromatic A-440, 13 key Pitch Pipe includes case.

Replacement Tuner - Regular

#MM2040 - \$3.47*CAD / \$2.97USD

Lost the tuner that came with your lap harp? This inexpensive tuning bar will do the trick.

Heavy Duty Tuner

#MM2041 - \$6.87*CAD / \$5.97USD

A must for anyone who does an appreciable amount of tuning. Nickel plated metal. Strong and long-wearing.

Replacement Wire/String

#MM2042 - \$1.17*CAD / \$0.97USD

This is for those who don't want to worry about sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to get a replacement for a broken string.

Lap Harp Song Sheet Packets

Each song sheet packet includes twelve songs and lyrics (where applicable). None of these songs are included in the songs that come with the Lap Harp.

For a complete listing of song titles in each packet, please consult our websites at www.joycenter.on.ca or www.lap-harp.com

\$5.27*CAD / \$4.97USD per packet

Music Maker Lap Harp (Key of G)

- #MM2009 - Children's Favourites #1
- #MM2010 - Children's Favourites #2
- #MM2011 - Children's Favourites #3
- #MM2004 - Christmas #1
- #MM2005 - Christmas #2
- #MM2003 - Classical
- #MM2021 - Country and Western
- #MM2022 - Cowboy Songs
- #MM2013 - Disney #1
- #MM2014 - Disney #2
- #MM2024 - Disney 3
- #MM2006 - Favourite Hymns
- #MM2015 - International Songs
- #MM2008 - Introduction to Music
- #MM2025 - Irish Songs
- #MM2017 - Jewish Songs
- #MM2026 - Lullabies
- #MM2018 - More Fun Songs
- #MM2027 - More Fun Songs #2
- #MM2019 - Old Time Favourites #1
- #MM2020 - Old Time Favourites #2
- #MM2028 - Patriotic Songs
- #MM2016 - Romantic Songs
- #MM2012 - Russian Folk Songs
- #MM2029 - Spanish Songs
- #MM2007 - Toddler Tunes

Melody Lap Harp (Key of C)

- #MH3004 - Christmas #1
- #MH3005 - Christmas #2
- #MH3008 - Manuscript Packet
- #MH3009 - Children's Songs #1
- #MH3010 - Children's Songs #2
- #MH3019 - Folk Songs #1
- #MH3020 - Folk Songs #2

NOTE: Did you realize we have many **health and personal care products to help everyone, even your pets**, enjoy a healthy life? Be sure to see the health section at the beginning of this catalogue or at:

<http://www.hereforhealth.com>

<http://www.joycenter.on.ca>

<http://www.dogandcatviews.com>

MUSIC AND ART

JOY • NOTES MUSIC

QUESTIONS:

1. You have heard that the study of music and art enhances academic learning but are not sure you can fit it into your schedule?
2. You can't read a note of music yourself? Or perhaps you can, but you would not dream of trying to teach your child music?
3. You have always wanted to learn a musical instrument but figured you just are not "musical enough?"
4. Your child wants to take music lessons but you are not sure you can afford the time or the money?
5. Not sure you or they will "stick with it?"

THE ANSWER: Let Joy•Notes come to your rescue!

Joyce Piper, Joy•Notes' founder, believes that the world of music is within the reach of anyone who desires it. Music speaks to the spirit. This course delivers the tools to discover and achieve musicianship - regardless of the age of the student.

The musical language skills gained through the Joy•Notes course provide the foundation for all instruments, including the voice. The ability to read and understand the musical language opens up a rewarding and beautiful appreciation for God's gift of music.

By learning the language of music with a piano keyboard, the student has the added benefit of "seeing" the music in "black and white."

Beginning with the first lesson, the student will:

1. learn to hear, see, and feel music simultaneously
2. learn to see patterns in music notation
3. learn that the staff lines are simply a visual picture of music in any form and on any instrument and they will learn how to understand those "pictures"
4. be taught the skill of understanding musical language such that they will be able to go on to play any musical instrument, including the vocal chords
5. learn to play both hands together
6. be taught in such a way that they will not get hung up on "note names" or confusing counting instructions
7. will learn proper hand and finger positions for piano
8. will lay the foundation for quicker learning at higher levels once they graduate from the Joy•Notes course.

Joy•Notes simplifies the teaching and this step-by-step method literally takes the student, and you as the teaching parent if that is the case, by the hand

COST EFFECTIVE! Typically music lessons cost \$18 to \$20 for a half hour in a studio. For less than the cost of eight lessons you can receive up to two years of lessons!

Course Content

The Joy•Notes course covers approximately two years of instruction, depending on the amount of time spent in practice. The student will be ready for grade two conservatory lessons, or to learn with any other types of lessons or private study.

Program includes the following materials:

- three workbooks
- Curriculum Guide - easy enough for even the musically challenged to understand but impressive enough for the skilled musician to appreciate!
- Teaching Guide on 2 CDs - Joyce Piper covers each concept in the course (takes you by the hand!)
- Joy•Notes Patterns - 5 note pattern cards, keyboard staff templates, and 8 note pattern cards.

Joy•Notes Full Package

#4031 - \$149.97*CAD / \$143.97USD

Contains: Primer, Book 1, Book 2, Curriculum Guide, two Teaching Guide CDs, Joy Notes Patterns

Additional Student Package

#4032 - \$59.97CAD / \$57.47USD

Includes Primer, Book 1, and Book 2 workbooks

ART RESOURCES

Fun With Paper Folding/Origami

#D606 - \$2.97CAD / \$2.67USD

Easy-to-follow instructions for over 40 different pieces: sailboat, rooster, battleship, pagoda, bird, frog, airplane, cradle, Japanese lantern and many more. Crystal-clear text and more than 275 diagrams showing each stage in the paper folding process. Specially written to anticipate beginners' difficulties.

Indispensable Recipes for Crafts and Projects

#1004 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.77USD

Compiled by: Maxine McLellan

42 recipes for modelling mediums, papier mache, gingerbread, paint stretchers, and many more unique ideas & recipes that have been tried and used with success! Use with all ages – preschool to adults. Save time with this book. No more searching for that recipe you know you cut out of a magazine years ago!

Studies have shown that the mastery of art and music concepts enhances academic ability.

Christ-Centered Curriculum[™]

Dare to Develop Young Children Spiritually and Morally!

**Even a child
is known
by his actions.**

*How do you want your child
to be known?*

Christ-Centered Curriculum will give you the tools you need to instill godly character and spiritual maturity in your young children while teaching them phonics and math. Watch your family grow in wisdom and stature and in favour with God and men.

- Are you concerned about your child's spiritual growth?
- Are you unsure that you have the skills necessary to prepare your child for life - both spiritually and academically?
- Are you short on time and trying to choose between a solid academic foundation and a solid spiritual foundation?
- Do you have multiple children and struggle to balance teaching with taking care of young ones?
- Are you wanting easy to use, effective lessons for teaching phonics and reading?
- Are you willing to follow easy-to-use lessons to help your child develop spiritually and morally?

Christ-Centered Curriculum provides incredible lessons that enable you to develop children spiritually and morally in only 30 minutes per day while teaching phonics!

These simple, easy-to-use lessons are so saturated with Scripture and its principles that it clearly stands out from other phonics programs. Christ-Centered Curriculum is more than just a phonics program. This program enables you to follow the Scriptural directive to "add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge." (2 Peter 1:5) You will be teaching your child's spirit first (Prov. 1:7) and will then be able to rejoice when you see God enlighten his academic knowledge as rapidly as his individual, God-given capabilities allow (Psalm 94:10). His Word is so "living and powerful" that many parents have told that the Scriptures in the lessons have addressed something that just happened in their family. You will find that the lessons are so saturated with truths of Scripture you will learn and grow spiritually along with your child.

- Why should you teach your child to read?
- Why not just let it happen?
- Does it really matter what I use to teach phonics?
- Won't the cheap books from the dollar store do the same thing?

Would you leave your child to learn road safety on their own? Would you trust a stranger you did not know to babysit your child just because they charge less? Do you not take care to teach your child how to be safe and aware of their physical surroundings? Why should you do any less for their academic and spiritual life?

The premise for teaching your young children to read is based on the verse, "And all thy children shall be taught of the Lord; and great shall be the peace of thy children." (Isaiah 54:13) **Capturing young minds captures the future.** God expects us to protect our children's minds (Col. 2:8) and hearts through passing on the faith (Ps. 78:5-7). All curriculum is inherently religious because a world view, or way of looking at things in the world around us, is at the very core. Therefore, beginning in a child's highly formative years, it is crucial that the curriculums used pass on a thoroughly Biblical world view. Christ-Centered Curriculum Phonics and Math does not simply tack on some Bible verses to ordinary secular (without God) materials. As fundamental skills are being taught, the content, saturated with truths of Scripture, trains both a child's mind and heart – as well as the teacher's – to view everything from God's perspective.

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Thank you for your wonderful work in equipping and assisting teachers and parents to raise up a new generation of believers in Jesus Christ. We have been blessed to see the fruit coming forth in our two children by using the Christ-Centered Curriculum.
Bartlesville, OK

CHRIST CENTERED CURRICULUM

Yes, YOU Too Can teach Phonics (and Math) With Ease!

Step-by-step lesson plans make teaching Bible, phonics, reading, and math a cinch. There is virtually no lesson planning. Our materials have been simplified so that even the novice can feel confident, and thus achieve great results! An older child could easily teach the younger children! Lessons involve listening and visual skills, and development of large and small muscles and fine motor skills. Drills reinforce the learning processes.

Proven Tips, Tools and Tactics To Develop Children Spiritually, Morally, and Academically

We believe the curriculum has proven itself to be effective for early childhood and beyond. For over two decades, Christian schools and home educators using our full program have been blessed with tremendous results – high spiritual, moral and academic development of Christ's lambs. It teaches reading using a strong phonetic approach and provides excellent beginning arithmetic materials.

From the contents of the lessons guides through to the last visual aid, it is permeated with God's Word. There are **comprehensive manuals** for the phonics lessons, student **workbooks**, beautifully illustrated **phonics cards**, an audio **instruction tape**, sturdy **drill charts** of every description to cover every area of phonics, and **readers**.

You Need Christ Centered Curriculum Because It...

- is completely saturated with God's Word
- builds academic knowledge on a base of wisdom
- teaches foundational skills for developing character
- teaches Biblical principles
- teaches how God uses the information/skills taught
- teaches how God communicates through words
- teaches why proficiency in these skills pleases God
- does not talk down to a child, but raises the child up
- teaches beyond the concrete to the abstract
- gently stretches the child
- teaches the parent(s) often as much as the children!
- lays foundations in Scriptural principles and character
- is academically excellent
- uses proven and easy-to-use methods and tools
- causes children to learn without realizing they are
- uses melodic music with no rock beat or rap
- uses teaching strategies that appeal to the auditory, visual, kinesthetic, and tactile learning styles
- prepares a child to be reading at an advanced level

Yes, these easy-to-use lessons will help you to develop your child spiritually, morally, and academically in less than 30 minutes per day!

When properly taught, the CCC™ will not burden children down nor stifle creativity. There is no limit to the structure and character that can be built on a strong foundation. Isn't that what home education is all about?!

Christ-Centered Curriculum is a wise investment in the educational and spiritual foundations of your family.

God has used Christ-Centered Curriculum material in many wonderful ways It is not just my children who have benefited from the Christ-Centered Curriculum. The Lord used it to change my life as well. As I taught my children I noticed that my world view was changing! Praise the Lord! In addition to my world view, my work ethic was also changed. I thank [God] for leading me to your curriculum and I pray you will be encouraged to continue doing the work He has prepared you to do." Orange, CA

About Grade Levels

This is an ungraded curriculum. Start where you need to start for each individual person. While it is recommended, you do not need to complete each level in one academic year. Take the time you need!

Teach each child according to their own abilities. Do not hold a younger child back just because he might surpass an older sibling. Teach them that God gives each one differing abilities and time tables for learning. We are not in a race or competition. As we help each other, we work together as a team.

Do not refer to these books by grade, but by level. If your six-year-old begins with Level B, do not say the books are used by kindergarteners. If your ten-year-old would benefit from Level C, do not tell him he is using a book that some six-year-olds are using. The truth is, on completion of Level C, most children have decoding and reading at high grade levels and can be placed into at least grade four of most graded curriculums. That level is recommended due to emotional development. Older children, on completion of Level C, should complete diagnostic tests for proper placement in the curriculum of choice.

Beginning to Read Program

The Christ-Centered "Beginning-to-Read Program" is designed for children who need to learn:

- How to recognize and print the alphabet.
- How to know what sounds vowels/consonants make.
- How to blend consonant and vowel sounds together.
- How to read and spell one- and two-vowel words.
- How to read simple phrases and sentences.

The Beginning to Read Program consists of two levels.

LEVEL A is designed for four-year-olds or those who are developmentally delayed and need a slower start. If taught properly, a child who has completed Level A can commonly read at a 1st grade level in one year.

LEVEL B is designed for those five or older who can not read to a 2nd Grade level and for those who have finished Level A. A child **does not** need to complete Level A before starting Level B. Within one year, if taught properly, a child who has completed Level B is usually reading at a 2nd to 3rd grade level or even higher. Primarily the reading level depends on the amount of reading practice the child does.

Advanced Phonics Program

The Advanced Phonics Program is specifically designed for children who need to learn:

- How to identify the different types of syllables.
- How to divide a word into syllables, and where an accent (the stress) is generally placed.
- How to read paragraphs smoothly, with expression, from one line to the next.
- How to read and understand frequently used prefixes and suffixes – especially pronunciation of prefixes in accented and unaccented syllables.

Reading comprehension is developed through:

- (1) Clear pronunciation of words
- (2) Grouping words together to sound like talking
- (3) Using proper voice inflection [the rise and fall of the voice when speaking], and
- (4) Observance of punctuation marks.

The Advanced Phonics Program, **LEVEL C**, is designed for a child who has completed Level B and is an independent reader. It can also be used with an older child who lacks a strong phonics foundation.

"The longer I use CCC, the more I appreciate it. Listening to some of my friends' problems with other curriculums, I am thankful the Lord led me to CCP. Thank you!"
Parent in Ripley, MS

AGE RECOMMENDATIONS

I'm Convinced! Where do I start?

THREE-YEAR-OLD CHILD: (Orally)

For a three-year-old, purchase the following items:

- Teaching 3s Character, Phonics, and Math (#101)
- Phonics Flashcards 118 card set (#325)
- Math Teaching Aids (#018)
- Alphabet & Number Tracing Masters (#335)

All teaching for a three-year-old is done orally. There is no workbook recommended. You should spend no more than 5 to 10 minutes a day on phonics and the same on math when your child is this age. For some children, you can double the time.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD CHILD: (Level A)

For a four-year-old, purchase the following items:

- Teacher's Phonics Kit (#010)
- Phonics Flashcards 118 card set (#325)
- Student Phonics Kit A (#012)
- Mathematics Kit (#011)
- Mathematics Teaching Aids Kit (#018)

Use Student A kit for fours (or fives requiring a much slower pace). Note: A five-year-old just starting out does not have to do Level A before starting Level B.

You should spend no more than 10 to 15 minutes per day on phonics and the same on math when your child is this age. You can double the time for some children.

AGE FIVE or OLDER (Level B)

For children five or six years of age and for any older student who is a not an independent reader purchase:

- Teacher's Phonics Kit (#010)
- Phonics Flashcards 118 card set (#325)
- Student Phonics Kit B (#013)
- Mathematics Kit (#011)
- Mathematics Teaching Aids Kit (#018)

DO NOT use Program A with a five or six-year-old as this will place undue delay in your child's academic advancement, unless he is not eager to learn yet.

Use Student Kit B with five-year-olds, beginning 1st graders (children who have not been previously schooled), and older students needing a review or to lay solid foundations. You may find Level B will be easily grasped by the older child, thus boosting self-esteem and confidence while preparing them for Level C, making it a worthwhile investment.

For a five or six-year-old, spend up to 20 minutes per day in phonics and the same in math. Spend up to 30 minutes per day per subject with an older student. For some children you can double the time.

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AGE SIX or OLDER (Level C)

For those finished Level B, independent readers, and those needing phonics remediation purchase:

- Student Phonics Kit C (#014)
- items: #307, #315, #321, #328S

Level C can also be used for an older child, teen, or adult who is an independent reader but needs some "beefing up" on phonics and grammar. Begins with a review of vowels for the first ten lessons then moves along very quickly in advancing difficulty.

Summary of What You NEED!

(see AGE recommendations
on previous page for specifics)

Ideally, purchase:

- Teacher's Phonics Kit #010
- Phonics Flashcards 118 card set #0325
- Mathematics Kit (includes one set of student workbooks) #011
- Mathematics Teaching Aids Kit #018
- one Student Phonics Kit for the first child at each level (ie: A, B, C)
- additional math and phonics workbooks for subsequent children

Math and phonics are in separate kits to allow for greater flexibility in purchasing.

Customizing the Program:

Phonics: If you cannot afford the Teacher Phonics Kit, the four Phonics Lessons for Flashcards books break the curriculum into four parts. Gradually purchase the Lesson Guides and the corresponding workbooks plus the charts book (#328S) and Phonics Flash Cards set (#325).

Math: purchase the individual components of the Math Kit as you can.

Save 8%

by purchasing complete kits

Save an additional 5%

by buying 3 or more kits

(Phonics and Math Kits can be combined for the extra discount. Math Kits are listed later in the catalogue.)

After purchasing any kit, purchase only replacement workbooks for younger children as needed.

CCC TEACHER'S PHONICS KIT

#010 - \$111.17CAD / \$96.37USD (discounted price)
(Retail Value: \$120.81CAD / \$104.73USD)

This kit includes all the instruction books required to teach children from age 3 and up how to read and spell using the Christ-Centered Curriculum. The younger age levels will not use every item at first, but taking advantage of the discount is wise stewardship.

Teacher's Phonics Kit Includes

- #301 Phonics Lessons for Cards 1-31
- #307 Phonics Lessons for Cards 32-66
- #315 Phonics Lessons for Cards 67-93
- #328S Phonics Charts & Visual Aids Binder
- #335 Alphabet/No.'s Tracing Sheets
- #340 Phonics Drill Reader
- #306 Creation: GOD MADE ME
- #312 The Fall: GOD LOVES ME
- #318 The Flood: GOD SAVES ME

You will also need to purchase (required item):

Phonics Flashcards (118 card set)
#325 - \$32.97*CAD / \$27.97USD

Optional Item:

Alphabet Wall Cards (26 card set)
#324 - \$12.57*CAD / \$10.97USD

BEGINNING TO READ

STUDENT PHONICS KIT A

#012 - \$43.97CAD / \$36.67USD (discounted price)
(Retail Value: \$47.88CAD / \$39.88USD)

For Four-year-olds

Student Phonics Kit A Includes:

- # 302 A:1 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 303 Phonics Workbook A:1
- # 308 A:2 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 309 Phonics Workbook A:2

To enable your child to put into practice what has been learned academically with Christ-Centered Curriculum, we recommend adding our Language Arts kits which include Pathway Readers and Climbing to Good English. (Listed elsewhere in this catalogue.)

***BEGINNING TO READ
STUDENT PHONICS KIT B***

#013 - \$65.97CAD / \$60.57USD (discounted price)
(Retail Value: \$71.82CAD / \$65.82USD)

For five and six-year-olds and those who do not yet read confidently at a 3rd grade level.

Student Phonics Kit B Includes:

- # 304 B:1 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 305 Phonics Workbook B:1
- # 310 B:2 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 311 Phonics Workbook B:2
- # 316 B:3 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 317 Phonics Workbook B:3

Remedial Reading: In lieu of full Teacher Kit, order the following individual items: #301, 307, 315, 325 and Kit #013. Purchase charts #327 and 328S. Follow with Student Program C and #321.

***ADVANCED PHONICS
STUDENT PHONICS KIT C***

#014 - \$91.37CAD / \$83.57USD (discounted price)
(Retail Value: \$99.29CAD / \$90.79USD)

For those who have completed Level B, to improve independent reader's spelling, grammar, and syllabifications skills, and for advanced phonics remediation.

Student Program C Kit Includes:

- # 321 Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 94-118
- # 313 C:1 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 314 C:1 Phonics Workbook
- # 319 C:2 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 320 C:2 Phonics Workbook
- # 322 C:3 Instructions/Answer Key
- # 323 C:3 Phonics Workbook

Dynamic Trio: Zero in on phonics, grammar, and reading the first few years. Use Christ-Centered Curriculum (CCC), Climbing to Good English (CGE), Pathway Readers and workbooks together!

– at Level B2 add: Pathway Gr.1 readers & workbooks for reading comprehension & reinforcement of phonics
– at Level B 2 OR B3 add CGE Gr. 1 for reinforcement of CCC grammar skills and other language arts skills.

See the Critical Thinking Skills section for curriculum that will aid in developing thinking and observing skills.

REGARDING OUR "DYNAMIC TRIO:"

"I am thrilled to say that I have two young ladies now who are reading. Holly (almost 8 yrs) is reading straight from an adult Bible, and Dana (6 yrs) is starting to read 5 and 6 letter words. **I have used CCC** and am totally thrilled with it. As this is my second year teaching it, I am becoming accustomed to how to use it. I have also used **Climbing to Good English** and am totally thrilled with that too. It is such a good reinforcement and something they can work at on their own. I am also using the **Pathway Readers**, and Holly has finished her second book. If I had to grade them on their work I would give them marks in the high 90's!

I understand that this is not because I have gifted children, but because of the amazing resources I have, my commitment to teach it thoroughly, and most of all because it puts Christ in the centre."

Debra D., 2003

DESCRIPTIONS OF EACH ITEM

Items in the Teacher's Phonics Kit

#301 Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 1 - 31
\$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

These step-by-step daily phonics lessons correspond with Phonics Flashcards 1-31. Each lesson shows how to teach beginning phonics: vowels, consonants, blends, and one syllable words. Included are pacing schedules, phonics drills. Use orally with 3 year olds and with Phonics Workbooks A:1 and B:1.

#307 Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 32-66
\$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

These step-by-step daily phonics lessons correspond with Phonics Flashcards 32-66. These lessons cover: ending consonant blends, consonant digraphs, consonant blends plus nouns, pronouns, and adjectives. Included are pacing schedules, phonics drills. Use with Workbooks A:2, B:2, and C:1.

#315 Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 67 - 93
\$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

These step-by-step daily phonics lessons correspond with Phonics Flashcards 67-93. These lessons cover: two-syllable root words; compound words; suffixes s, es, ed, ing; vowel digraphs; modified vowels; diphthongs; plus the who, doing, and what of sentences. Included are pacing schedules, phonics drills. Use with Phonics Workbooks B:3 and C:2.

#335 Alphabet & Numbers Tracing Sheets
\$6.87CAD / \$5.97USD

Reproducible (or laminatable) alphabet and numbers sheets for extra penmanship practice.

See Quick Find price list on page 42

CHRIST CENTERED CURRICULUM

#340 Christ-Centered Phonics Drill Reader

\$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

Word lists are categorized by phonetic rule. Includes the 1,000 words used in 90% of all reading materials. Presents the scriptural account of creation, the Fall, the Flood, the Law, and grace. Daily practice increases reading speed and spelling skills dramatically.

#328S Christ-Centered Phonics Charts &

Visual Aids #328S - \$33.27CAD / \$28.97USD

Binder contains 8½ X 11" charts providing drill practice on: short/long vowels; modified vowels/ diphthongs; "One and Two Vowel Rule Breakers"; short vowels blended with a single, double, or triple consonant at the beginning; and practice reading/ spelling the top 100 words used in 50% of written materials. Includes Noah's Vowel Song, Vowel Lane Houses, Letter Blend Word Chart, Jacob's Phonics Ladder, & Phonics CD.

#306 Creation: GOD MADE ME (First reader)

\$2.27CAD / \$1.97USD

Practice initial consonant blends, short vowel one-syllable words, phrases, and a few sentences.

#312 The Fall: GOD LOVES ME (Second reader)

\$2.27CAD / \$1.97USD

Practice ending consonant blends, consonant digraphs, consonant blends, phrases and sentences.

#318 The Flood: GOD SAVES ME (Third reader)

\$2.27CAD / \$1.97USD

Practice two-syllable root words; compound words; suffixes s, es, ed, ing; vowel digraphs; modified vowels; diphthongs; sentences and short paragraphs.

Phonics Charts & Visual Aids Binder

#300 Phonics CD \$9.97*CAD / \$9.97USD

This tape offers practice on the correct sounds for Phonics Flashcards 1- 118. We recommend that you practice saying the sounds prior to teaching the phonics lessons. It may be used with the student.

#326 Noah's Vowel Song \$4.57*CAD / \$3.97USD

Use this delightfully illustrated song to practice the short vowel sounds.

#327 Vowel Lane Houses \$4.57*CAD / \$3.97USD

These **laminated** small vowel houses are used with the Vowel Lane Spelling

#329 Jacob's Phonics Ladder

\$5.77*CAD / \$4.97USD

This **laminated** visual aid helps to teach children how to read blends plus one and two-syllable words.

#330 Letter/Blend/Word Search

\$5.77*CAD / \$4.97USD

This **laminated** visual aid is used to teach visual discrimination of letters, blends, and words.

NOT Included in a Kit But Required

#325 Phonics Flashcards Set (118 cards)

(Vital!) \$32.97*CAD / \$27.97USD

This gorgeous, colourfully illustrated 118 card set (7 X 9) corresponds with Phonics Lessons for 1-31, 32-66, 67-93, 94-118. Each card has a Bible verse upon which its artwork and spiritual application are based. Includes applicable phonics and spelling rules.

Items in the Student Phonics Kit A

Note: The Instruction and Answer Keys are required.

Phonics A:1

#302 A:1 Instr./Ans. Key . . \$10.97CAD / \$8.97USD

#303 A:1 Workbook . . . \$12.97CAD / \$10.97USD

Use after completing the daily lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 1-31**. Workbook exercises include phonics, spelling and manuscript penmanship practice on short vowels, consonants and blends.

Phonics A:2

#308 A:2 Instr./Ans. Key . . \$10.97CAD / \$8.97USD

#309 A:2 Workbook . . . \$12.97CAD / \$10.97USD

Use after completing the daily lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 32- 66**. Workbook exercises include phonics, spelling and manuscript penmanship practice on ending consonant blends, consonant digraphs and blends.

Items in the Student Phonics Kit B

Note: The Instruction and Answer Key are required.

Phonics B:1

#304 B:1 Instr./Ans. Key . \$10.97CAD / \$ 9.97USD

#305 B:1 Workbook . . . \$12.97CAD / \$11.97USD

Use after completing the daily lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 1 - 31**. Workbook exercises include phonics, spelling and manuscript penmanship practice on short vowels, consonants, blends and one-syllable words.

Phonics B:2

#310 B:2 Instr./Ans. Key . \$10.97CAD / \$ 9.97USD

#311 B:2 Workbook . . . \$12.97CAD / \$11.97USD

Use after completing the daily lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 32 - 66**. Workbook exercises include phonics, spelling and manuscript penmanship practice on ending consonants blends consonant digraphs, and blends.

See beginning of Christ-Centered Curriculum section for DISCOUNTED FULL KIT pricing.

CHRIST CENTERED CURRICULUM

Phonics B:3

#316 **B:3 Instr./ Ans Key** . \$10.97CAD / \$ 9.97USD

#317 **B:3 Workbook** \$12.97CAD / \$11.97USD

Use after completing the daily lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 67- 93**. Workbook exercises include phonics, spelling, manuscript practice; compound words; suffixes; vowel digraphs; modified vowels; diphthongs.

Items in the Student Phonics Kit C

#321 **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 94-118**

\$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

These step-by-step daily phonics lessons correspond with Phonics Flashcards 94-118. Lessons cover: vowel and consonant variants, silent letters, simple prefixes/suffixes, syllabication, accent rules, & dictionary skills.

Note: The Instruction and Answer Keys are required.

Phonics C:1

#313 **C:1 Instr./ Ans. Key** \$10.97CAD / \$10.97USD

#314 **C:1 Workbook** \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Use after completing the daily lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 32 - 66**. Workbook exercises include phonics, vocabulary development, spelling, and manuscript penmanship practice on vowel/ consonants (review), ending consonant blends, consonant digraphs, and consonant blends.

Phonics C:2

#319 **C:2 Instr./Ans. Key** . \$10.97CAD / \$10.97USD

#320 **C:2 Workbook** \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Use after completing the daily lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 67-93**. Includes exercises for phonics, vocabulary development, and spelling practice: two syllable root words; compound words; suffixes; vowel digraphs; modified vowels; diphthongs; plus grammar exercises. Cursive writing is introduced.

Phonics C:3

#322 **C:3 Instr./Ans. Key** . \$10.97CAD / \$10.97USD

#323 **C:3 Workbook** \$15.97CAD / \$13.97USD

Use after completing the day's lesson in **Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 94-118**. Workbook exercises include phonics, vocabulary development and spelling practice: vowel and consonant variants, silent letters, prefixes/ suffixes, grammar exercises, plus dictionary skills. Also includes cursive writing.

Additional Resources

#333 **Rubber Pencil Grips** \$0.97*CAD / \$0.79USD

#504CD **Songs of Virtue CD**

\$14.97*CAD / \$12.97USD

#405 **Christ-Centered Animal Stories CD**

\$14.97*CAD / \$12.97USD

#324 **Alphabet Wall Cards** \$12.57*CAD / \$10.97USD

This set of colourful Aa - Zz cards (7X9) contains spiritual rhymes based upon the principle used in *The New England Primer*. Picture on front, blank on back.

MATHEMATICS KIT

#011 - \$85.37CAD / \$77.17USD (discounted price)

(Retail Value: \$93.22CAD / \$83.82USD)

The Christ-Centered math program for use with four to six-year-olds incorporates a multi-sensory approach to teaching through the use of math manipulatives, workbook activities, plus good old fashioned math drills. It is a systematic "here a little, there a little, line upon line" method of teaching. The spiritual thrust shows the beautiful relationship between God and numbers, with character development in mind.

This kit includes all the instruction books and workbooks required to teach math to children age 3 and up to a grade 3 level. Includes workbooks for one child.

NOTE: Level B prepares for entry directly into third grade math. Use Professor B Level I along with Math A/B or directly after.

Mathematics Kit Includes:

- #400 Math Lessons Guide A
- #401a Math A Instr./Ans. Key
- #401 Math Student Workbook A
- #402 Math Lessons Guide B
- #403a Math B Instr./Ans. Key
- #403 Math Student Workbook B

MATHEMATICS TEACHING AIDS KIT

#018 - \$55.57*CAD / \$47.37USD

(Retail Value: \$60.44CAD / \$51.53USD)

The resources included in this kit are invaluable for teaching math to children age 3 and up to a mid-grade 3 level. The younger age levels will not use every item at first, but taking advantage of the discount is wise stewardship.

Math Teaching Aids Kit Includes:

- #404 Math Flashcards
- #408 0-20 Number Words Chart
- #409 Teacher 0-20 Number Line
- #411 0-100 Numbers Chart
- #412N 1-10 Addition Families Charts
- #412NX Teen Speed Drill Charts
- #413 Base 10/Teen Addition Charts
- #414 1-18 Addition/Sub. Charts
- #422 Place Value Mat

For a **complete description of the Christ-Centered Curriculum Mathematics** see index for page number or visit our website.

CHRIST CENTERED CURRICULUM

A FEW QUESTIONS and ANSWERS ON CHRIST-CENTERED CURRICULUM

Q1: My child NEEDS colour. Your books are all black and white. They look boring. Why do you not spice them up a bit and add colour to the workbooks?

A1: The main reason is that colour is distracting when a child is being taught to read. Their eyes are drawn to the pictures and away from the words. Having line drawings also allows the hands-on child the opportunity to colour the pictures after completing the workbook page. All of the charts and flashcards are bright and colourful. Add colourful stickers to the workbooks as rewards or just for a splash of colour if you want it! We have many stickers to chose from.

Q2: What Scripture translation is used?

A2: The King James Version is used throughout the materials. If you prefer to use another translation, it is quite easy to do so.

Q3: Are there pictures of Jesus in the curriculum?

A3: No.

Q4: Can I photocopy the workbooks?

A4: No. These books are not reproducible. To photocopy them would be a violation of copyright laws.

Q5a: Do you ever sell used materials?

Q5b: I am finished with the curriculum. Can you sell my used lesson materials for me?

A5: We do not have the space to sell used materials but we can sometimes put people who have CCC to sell in contact with those who are looking to buy.

CCC American Price List

Prices subject to change if necessary. We accept Cheques, VISA, MasterCard and money orders.

010	Teacher's Phonics Kit	\$96.37USD
325	Phonics Flashcards Set (118 cards)	\$ 27.97USD
011	Mathematics Kit	\$77.17USD
018	Math Teaching Aids Kit	\$47.37USD
012	Student Program A	\$36.67USD
013	Student Program B	\$60.57USD
014	Student Program C	\$83.57USD

CCC is COST EFFECTIVE & NOT EXPENSIVE when you realize you get more than just "teach your child how to read with 118 flashcards!" Be sure to read the introductory information at the beginning of this section.

Christ-Centered Foundations:

100	Never Too Early book	\$12.97USD
405	Animal Stories CD	\$12.97USD
504c	Songs of Virtue CD	\$12.97USD

Christ-Centered Phonics:

NOTE: The Instr./Ans. (Instruction/ Answer) Key is needed in order to use the Phonics Workbook

101	Teaching Threes...	\$ 4.97USD
300	Phonics Cassette	\$ 9.97USD
301	Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 1-31	\$ 15.97USD
302	A:1 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 8.97USD
303	A:1 Phonics Workbook	\$ 10.97USD
304	B:1 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 9.97USD
305	B:1 Phonics Workbook	\$ 11.97USD
306	Creation: GOD MADE ME Reader	\$ 1.97USD
307	Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 32-66	\$ 15.97USD
308	A:2 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 8.97USD
309	A:2 Phonics Workbook	\$ 10.97USD
310	B:2 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 9.97USD
311	B:2 Phonics Workbook	\$ 11.97USD
312	The Fall: GOD LOVES ME Reader	\$ 1.97USD
313	C:1 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 10.97USD
314	C:1 Phonics Workbook	\$ 13.7USD
315	Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 67-93	\$ 15.97USD
316	B:3 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 9.97USD
317	B:3 Phonics Workbook	\$ 11.97USD
318	The Flood: GOD SAVES ME Reader	\$ 1.97USD
319	C:2 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 10.97USD
320	C:2 Phonics Workbook	\$ 13.97USD
321	Phonics Lessons for Flashcards 94-118	\$ 15.97USD
322	C:3 Phonics Instr./Ans. Key	\$ 10.97USD
323	C:3 Phonics Workbook	\$ 13.97USD

Visual Aids for Phonics Lessons:

324	Alphabet Wall Cards	\$ 10.97USD
325	Phonics Flashcards Set (118 cards)	\$ 27.97USD
326	Noah's Vowel Song	\$ 3.97USD
327	Vowel Lane Houses	\$ 3.97USD
328S	Phonics Drill Charts & Visual Aids	\$ 28.97USD
329	Jacob's Phonics Ladder	\$ 4.97USD
330	Letter/Blend/Word Search	\$ 4.97USD

Additional Materials:

333	Rubber Pencil Grips	\$ 0.79USD
335	Alphabet & Numbers Tracing Sheets	\$ 5.97USD
340	Christ-Centered Phonics Drill Reader	\$15.97USD

Christ-Centered Math:

400	<u>Math Lessons Guide A</u>	\$15.97USD
401	Math Workbook A	\$14.97USD
401a	Math A Instr./Ans. Key	\$10.97USD
402	<u>Math Lessons Guide B</u>	\$15.97USD
403	Math Workbook B	\$14.97USD
403a	Math B Instr./Ans. Key	\$10.97USD

Visual Aids for Math Lessons Guides:

404	Math Flashcards	\$16.97USD
408	0-20 Number Words Chart	\$ 3.47USD
409	Teacher 0-20 Number Line	\$ 1.97USD
411	0-100 Numbers Chart	\$ 3.97USD
412n	1-10 Addition Charts	\$ 6.97USD
412nx	Teen Speed Drill Charts	\$ 4.47USD
413	Base 10/Teen Addition Cht	\$ 4.47USD
414	1-18 Addition/Sub. Charts	\$ 4.47USD
417	Beginners Flannelgraph Counting Set	\$19.97USD
422	Place Value Mat	\$ 4.77USD
E419	Place Value Sticks	\$ 3.37USD
E131	Cube-A-Link Cubes	\$10.57USD

**PRESCHOOL A-B-C
SERIES**

by Rod & Staff

This series provides the answer to the preschooler's question "What can I do?" Workbooks give practice in colouring, cutting, pasting, learning numbers, recognizing letters, and following directions with exercises for the development of visual, auditory, mental, motor, and oral skills. Each book includes instructions for parents and discussion ideas.

Bible Stories to Read

#7193 - \$6.77CAD / \$5.77USD

This 135-page storybook has pictures, oral questions to ask, and Bible memory selections. 60 simply-told Bible stories for the parent to read to the child before he colours the picture in *Bible Pictures to Color*.

**Preschool ABC Books:
\$3.27CAD / \$2.79USD each**

Set of 7 Preschool Workbooks
#7190 - \$20.87CAD / \$17.77USD

Set of 7 Preschool Workbooks and "Bible Stories to Read"
#7191 - \$26.67CAD / \$22.77USD

Seven 64-page books in the series:

#7192 - Adventures with Books

Teaches following simple directions, 8 basic colours, how to colour correctly, and 3 basic shapes, along with a few familiar concepts, such as up-down, big-small, and left-right.

#7194 Bible Pictures to Color

A colouring book with 60 pictures that illustrate the stories in *Bible Stories to Read*.

#7195 Counting With Numbers

Teaches the child to identify, write, and know the meanings of the numbers 1-10. It teaches number sequence and simple math related words, such as more, less, empty, full, first, and last.

#7196 Do It Carefully

Introduces discriminating between different shapes, letters, and words; writing letters, and hearing several initial consonant sounds. Some exercises are included to develop thinking skills.

#7197 Everywhere We Go

Reviews skills taught previously, such as colours, shapes, letters, and numbers, while encouraging personal responsibility and courtesy. The child will learn about children in different lands & hear some new consonant sounds.

#7198 Finding the Answers

Develops thinking skills through hearing rhyming words, identifying sequence, making comparisons & associations, and understanding sentences and short stories.

#7189 Going On Eagerly

Exercises in this book include using eight colors, four basic shapes, writing and counting 0 to 10, identifying sequence, drawing missing parts and simple pictures while learning about the polar region.

LITTLE JEWEL BOOKS

by Rod & Staff Publishers

■ Each paperback book contains an appealing story or story-poem written to little children to teach lessons that will influence our little ones to love God. They are worthwhile for the enjoyment and instruction of children. Illustrated with beautiful, full-page pictures on every page. Heavy, flexible, full-colour covers.

■ These short books will give your young child additional practice in reading, and will allow your child to be able to say, "I read a whole book all by myself!" (These are not phonetically controlled books.)

■ For Preschool to Age 7

■ One to eight lines of text per page.

1-4 Books - \$3.27CAD / \$2.77USD each
5-9 Books - \$2.97CAD / \$2.47USD each
10+ Books - \$2.77CAD / \$2.37USD each

LEVEL 1 SET – up to 50 lines of text

(Includes all Level 1 titles)

#7150 - \$41.67CAD / \$35.57USD

#7134 **God Gives Us Work** - Written in poetic style, listing chores each family member can do to glorify God.

#7135 **God Loves Me** - A list of everyday blessings we can perceive with our five senses. 28 pgs.

#7106 **God's Gifts** – A list in rhyme of wonderful gifts from God. 24 pages

#7101 **God's Happy Family** – Poetic verse about family activities. 24 pages

#7133 **God's Jewels** – Lists endearing things that babies do to help us see the blessings of these gifts of God. 24 pages

#7112 **God's Wonderful Trees** – Story-poem about the wonderful benefits and gifts the Lord has given us in trees. 24 pgs.

#7113 **God's Wonderful Water** – Tells and shows the many forms, sources, and uses of God's gift of water. 24 pages

#7129 **Happy Seasons** – Join Kevin, David, and Rose for a poetic trip through their seasonal activities.

#7107 **Helping Mother** – Poetry about the things a child can do for Mother. 32 pages

#7144 **Learning My Numbers** – Counting from 1 to 12, your child will learn much more than just their numbers. 24 pages

#7119 **My Blue Book of God's Different Things** – Poetry about the ways that God's creatures eat and live.

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- #7118 **My Green Book of God's Different Things** – Poetry about the ways that God's creatures live and move. 32 pages
- #7121 **The Twins' Picnic** – Stanley and Susie have their very own picnic. 24 pages
- #7108 **This is Mohan** – A poetic visit with a little boy of India. 24 pages
- #7109 **Three Happy Days** – Three little poem stories.

LEVEL 2 SET A – 50 to 100 lines of text

(Includes 10 Level 2 titles)

#7151A - \$27.67CAD / \$23.67 USD

- #7117 **ABC Book of God's Creatures** – Lists some of God's many creatures. 32 pgs.
- #7111 **Anthony Gets Ready for Church** – A little boy's difficulties as he gets washed and dressed for church. 24 pages
- #7122 **Berries, Berries, Berries** – Children plan tasty things to do with three kinds of berries that God created. 32 pages
- #7116 **Birthday Friend** – Going to visit Widow Eva on her birthday. 32 pages
- #7124 **Learning Our Letters** – An interesting rhyme with each letter makes the alphabet fun. 32 pages
- #7103 **The Lost Milk Jar** – The problem and solution on an errand of bringing home a jar of milk.
- #7110 **My Counting Nature Walk** – Count the many different kinds of animals and plants God has made, and learn what is special about each one. 24 pages
- #7114 **My Thank-you Book** – Teaches thankfulness for the loving things parents and others do for children. 24 pages
- #7105 **Talking With My Hands** – Mae cannot hear, because God made her that way. But she can see, taste, smell, and feel. 24 pages
- #7120 **Outside My Window** – A child looks out the window at the birds and the flowers and thinks about God's care. Story poem. 32 pages

LEVEL 2 SET B – 50 to 100 lines of text

(Includes 9 Level 2 titles)

#7151B - \$24.87CAD / \$21.27 USD

- #7143 **A Boy to Help** – Five-year-old John learns the joy of giving up his own wishes and helping his parents.
- #7142 **A Surprise for Tommy** – Poem of how Tommy's family cheers him up while his broken leg is recovering. 24 pages.
- #7136 **Baking Day** – Mother's faithful little helper helps bake cookies and prepare a meal for their thankful family. 32 pages.
- #7125 ★ **God Gave Us Fathers and Mothers** – A description of the many things Christian fathers and mothers do for their families. 24 pages.
- #7127 **Golden Deeds** – James and his mother compile a "Good Deeds List" of things a boy his size can do.
- #7141 **Just Four** – 4-year-old Mary Ann wants to go to school but learns to be content helping Mother at home. 32 pages.

- #7139 **Morning on the Farm** – Poems about a number of farm animals ending with a poem of thankfulness.
- #7145 **My First ABC Book** – These adorable pictures and easy-to-understand poetry will delight your little one as they learn their letters. 24 pages.
- #7138 **Why Do I Cry?** – A list of things that make a child sad and how he may become happy by selfless actions. 24 pages

LEVEL 3 SET – over 100 lines of text

(Includes all Level 3 titles)

#7152 - \$27.67CAD / \$23.67USD

- #7137 **A Letter for Titus** – Randy needs to learn to forgive even when it hurts. 24 pages
- #7126 **David's New Ball** – All things work out for good, even though David faces the loss of his new ball.
- #7140 **Elsie Waits Patiently** – Elsie learns patience as she waits for her preschool books to arrive.
- #7115 **God Controls the Storm** – Join Iris, a young girl of Guatemala, as she experiences a tropical rainstorm. 24 pages
- #7128 **Happy Helpers** – Cheryl and Susan learn the meaning of "Many hands make light work."
- #7102 **Little Jewel Bird** – The adventure of finding and caring for a baby hummingbird. 32 pages
- #7123 **Molly Helps Mother** – God answers Molly's prayer that she may be helpful during Mother's illness.
- #7104 **Two Surprises** – Emy Lou surprises Mother, and Mother surprises Emy. 24 pgs.
- #7131 **A Truck and a Tricycle** – After a hard lesson, Samuel learns carefulness and consideration for others. 24 pages
- #7132 **Peter's Sailboat** – Written in poetic form, Peter thanks God for helping him find the boat he had made. 32 pages

LOFTIER LEARNING

Loftier Learning Program of Reading

#V1001 - \$189.97CAD / \$189.97USD

Loftier Learning was developed by reading therapist Bonnie Wilde to **assist children with dyslexia and reading lag** learn to read. Student statistics have shown a consistent rate of improvement – one to four grades by completing the twenty-one lessons in this course. You can repeat some or all of the lessons for a continuing climb in ability. A lesson can be completed in about an hour and a quarter. This four-step program impacts word attack, fluency, vocabulary, and spelling. It is suitable for all ages.

The kit includes: a lesson manual, flashcards, coloured transparent overlays, and standardized word attack tests for pre & post testing. You can add readers for more reading practice. Pathway Readers are a great choice.

***PRINTING, SPELLING, and
READING RESOURCES***

Alphabet Felt Letters - Uncut

#427 - \$6.97*CAD / \$6.97USD

Printed in brilliant colours on heavy quality felt for lasting durability in the hands of many children! 134 pieces - one each of all upper & lower case letters + extras of frequently used letters, 2 each of numbers 1-10, and math & punctuation symbols. Available in red, yellow and blue. 2" tall. We recommend purchasing two sets in different colours for contrast in illustrating syllabication, spelling oddities, and vowel sounds. Helpful for dyslexics, visual and hands-on learners.

Alphabet Felt Letters - Upper & Lower**Case PreCut** #439 - \$23.37*CAD / \$19.97USD

This felt set contains 178 2.5" colour-coded figures. Consonants are blue and vowels are red to help with teaching phonics and decoding skills. It contains four sets of lower case letters, two sets of upper case letters, and six sets of accent strips.

Felt Board #442SB - \$21.97*CAD / \$18.97USD

This sturdy, 16"X24" flannel covered board is designed for use with the alphabet felt letters (#427 & #439) and the felt Beginning Counting Set (#417).

**A Guide To Teaching
Printing With Character**

Authors: Maxine McLellan & Andrea McLellan

#1003 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.77USD

For teaching a simplified method of printing, do not miss this 37 page booklet of information & instructions.

This method is designed to minimize common problems in printing (such as letter reversals), memory joggers guide a child to proper, sequential letter formation.

**Learn Godly character qualities
through printing each letter.**

This method of printing is NOT the traditional "stick and ball" method. Your child will learn a natural and consistent way to correctly form each letter. Mastery of two letters and a few simple rules will give your child a solid foundation for printing and cursive writing.

Printing With Character Workbook

#1009 - Workbook: \$5.97CAD / \$5.77USD

#1010 - Printing Kit #1: \$9.57CAD / \$9.27USD

Save 20% (Includes Guide #1003 & workbook #1009)

Author: Andrea McLellan

A practice workbook designed for use with "A Guide to Teaching Printing With Character," but will stand on its own. Each letter introduces character qualities which need to be developed in a child's life. Illustrated with humorous style pictures to colour.

My Character Printing Workbook

#1015 - Workbook: \$5.97CAD / \$5.77USD

#1016 - Printing Kit #2: \$9.57CAD / \$9.27USD

(Includes Guide #1003 see above, & wkbk. #1015)

Author: Andrea McLellan

A practice workbook designed for use with "A Guide to Teaching Printing With Character," but will stand on its own. Exactly the same as the "Printing With Character Workbook" above, but illustrated with more serious, realistic style pictures to colour.

Alphabet & Numbers Tracing Sheets

#335 - \$6.87CAD / \$5.97USD

These reproducible alphabet/numbers sheets can be used with any curriculum. Excellent for penmanship practice. Can be used as extra practice sheets with the printing workbooks. Included in CCC Phonics Kit.

Stetro Rubber Pencil Grips

#333 - \$0.97*CAD / \$0.79USD

These pencil grips will help train your child to hold a pencil properly and thus avoid poor habits which are difficult to undo. Suitable for left or right-hand use.

My Keepsake Book (Author: Andrea McLellan)

#1011 - \$8.97CAD / \$8.57USD

Illustrated with nostalgic line drawings, there is a KJV Scripture verse and a character quality definition for each letter of the alphabet, and prose selections for your child to copy. It showcases the hard work your child has done in learning how to neatly print or to write in a cursive style. There is space to record how the child has demonstrated the Scripture or character quality in their life. It can also be used as a family devotional guide as you study each character quality.

Let's Read Pictures

#3499 - \$12.47CAD / \$10.97USD

This book is excellent for toddlers and children who are not yet reading, or for children who need practice in conversation, observation skills, and sequencing of events. Bright, colourful water-colour style pictures are arranged in a story sequence. You discuss the pictures with the child and then ask the questions printed on each page. 63 extra large size pages (11" X 12.5"). This book will help your child to develop vocabulary, sequencing and thinking skills, left-to-right progression, visual and auditory discrimination, classification and organization skills, and sentence forming.

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Syllabication Chart

#1020 - \$2.77*CAD / \$2.77USD

A sturdy laminated handy reference chart for the wall or ring binder. Lists 10 syllabication rules with examples. This chart is exceptionally helpful with any language arts curriculum and especially when using the Level 3 and beyond of Climbing to Good English.

Vowel Sounds Chart

#1019 - \$ 2.77*CAD / \$2.77USD

A sturdy laminated reference chart for the wall or ring binder with examples of 24 vowel and "th" sounds and pronunciation symbols. This chart is very helpful with any language arts curriculum and especially when using CGE and Pathway workbooks for Levels 1 to 3.

SPELLING INSTRUCTION

Phonics Drill Reader

Ages 5 through adult.

#340 - \$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

Word lists (100 words per page) are categorized by phonetic sounds. Includes the 1,000 words used in 90% of all reading materials and 89 phonics rules and their exceptions. Presents the scriptural account of creation, the Fall, the Flood, the Law, and grace. Daily practice increases reading speed and spelling skills. Includes study of suffixes, prefixes and a comprehensive "Christian" vocabulary list.

Sequential Spelling – see page 54

WORD ROOTS

Word Roots – Learning the Building Blocks of Better Spelling and Vocabulary

Empowers students with unlimited vocabulary, preparing them for testing and higher education!

Word Roots teaches your child the meanings of Latin and Greek prefixes, roots, and suffixes commonly used in English. Learning word elements dramatically improves spelling and the ability to decode unfamiliar words. Word Roots will add hundreds of words to your students' vocabulary and greater depth to their thinking and writing. The books include a pretest/posttest, answers, and a dictionary of words derived from Latin or Latin/Greek roots. (Reproducible workbook)

\$17.27CAD / \$14.97USD each

#CT3709 **Word Roots Beginning** (Grades 3-4)

#CT3701 **Word Roots A1** (Grades 5-12)

#CT3705 **Word Roots A2** (Grades 5-12)

\$19.47CAD / \$16.97USD each

#CT3702 **Word Roots B1** (Grades 7-12)

#CT3706 **Word Roots B2** (Grades 7-12)

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

1. You, as the parent, need to invest in tools for your own learning and also for your needs as the teacher(s) of your children. In particular, see pages 7 and 8 and the Dr. Davis resources. Be sure that your needs are calculated into the budget.
2. Be sure to read our age based Curriculum Recommendations (see pages 8-13)
3. We are here to serve. If you have a question, concern, or are confused about what you need, call, and we will talk about your needs and give suggestions. We will not try to talk you into anything just to make a sale! We want you to be successful.

A testimonial from a family experiencing that

♥ **The heart of education
is the education of the heart!**♥

"I just wanted to let you know how much we are enjoying the materials that we received from you. By the end of the first week of doing CCC Phonics and Math and reading the beginning of Leading Little Ones to God, both our children received Jesus as their Saviour. Because the materials were so thorough we knew they had an excellent understanding of what they were deciding to do. We have also been reading the Thornton Burgess series and in one of the books it was talking about the two voices inside. I was able to explain to the boys about the sin nature and the voice of our conscience. My eldest boy Caleb (51/2yrs) was able to recognise this when we dropped off a little child we had been minding. We went inside and there was an awful show on the television. He withstood it for a few moments and tugged me on the sleeve asking if we could go quickly. We left and as we did he said to me "Mum my sinful nature was saying 'go ahead watch it - it's o.k.' but my conscience said 'No, don't do it - go.'" Wow, I was amazed at such a clear understanding and pure application. He has always been very sensitive in this regard but now he is able to understand what is happening and articulate that. ... Samuel is doing wonderfully well too. He loves the work so much he cries when we are finishing our Math lessons, not starting them - which is so encouraging. My husband is so thrilled he said that it is very different to what he experienced as a boy in school. What treasure - to have a love of learning. So....yes we are overjoyed at the materials we have purchased from you. At any point in the day or evening I can put my hand on something that will fill their minds and spirits with life. What a blessed Mummy I am! Thank you!! God Bless, Beth W. and family.

***PATHWAY READERS AND
COMPREHENSION WORKBOOKS***

- All stories, poems and reading selections encourage Godly character and moral values
- Utilize a strong phonics approach in early grades
- Vocabulary building lessons in all grades
- Build good reading comprehension skills
- Some grammar in all grades
- Can be used on their own with their companion workbooks as a comprehensive phonics and literature program or to supplement your chosen curriculum
- No fanciful "fluff" or "fantasy"
- Hardcover readers, paperback answer keys and student workbooks
- Teacher guides/Answer keys are helpful. Children can also be taught to mark their own work. Some of the guides contain teaching ideas and tips.

AVAILABLE IN GRADED LANGUAGE ARTS KITS

1st Grade

Learning Through Sounds (LTS)

- #3039 LTS Workbook 1 . . . \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3040 LTS Workbook 2 . . . \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3500 LTS Teacher \$8.97CAD / \$7.47USD

Helping Ourselves Workbook

- #3042 \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Before We Read (BWR) & First Steps (FS)

- #3038 BWR Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3007 BWR/FS Teacher . . \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD
- #3001 FS Pre-primer \$8.97CAD / \$7.97USD
- #3002 FS Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3007 BWR/FS Teacher . . \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Days Go By (DGB) & More Days Go By (MDGB)

- #3003 DGB Reader \$8.97CAD / \$7.97USD
- #3004 DGB Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3005 MDGB Reader \$8.97CAD / \$7.97USD
- #3006 MDGB Workbook . . . \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3008 DGB/MDGB Teacher \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

2nd Grade

Busy Times (BT) & More Busy Times (MBT)

- #3015 BT/MBT Teacher . . \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD
- #3009 BT Reader \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
- #3010 BT Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3011 MBT Reader \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
- #3012 MBT Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Climbing Higher (CH)

- #3013 CH Reader \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
- #3016 CH Teacher \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD
- #3014 CH Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Grade 1 Beginning to Read

- "Learning Through Sounds" workbook series teaches phonics, colours, matching skills, early reading readiness skills and can be used with bright kindergarteners
- Teacher guides include answers and ideas for using the curriculum effectively and are important to have.

Grades 1-3

- old fashioned stories of family life on an Amish farm are wholesome and delightful
- workbooks include phonics instruction, vocabulary work, reading comprehension
- as the child's reading ability improves, the books encourage independent learning

Grades 4-8

- short stories, portions from classic literature, poems
- workbooks include assignments developing reading comprehension skills

For descriptions of each book look under "Graded Language Arts Program" on pages 49-53.

3rd Grade

New Friends (NF) & More New Friends (MNF)

- #3017 NF Reader \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
- #3018 NF Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3019 NF Teacher \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD
- #3020 MNF Reader \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
- #3021 MNF Workbook \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3022 MNF Teacher \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

4th Grade - Building Our Lives (BOL)

- #3023 BOL Reader \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
- #3024 BOL Workbook . . . \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3025 BOL Teacher \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

5th Grade - Living Together (LT)

- #3026 LT Reader \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
- #3027 LT Workbook \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3028 LT Teacher \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

6th Grade - Step By Step (SBS)

- #3029 SBS Reader \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
- #3030 SBS Workbook . . . \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3031 SBS Teacher \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

7th Grade - Seeking True Values (STV)

- #3032 STV Reader \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
- #3033 STV Workbook \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3034 STV Teacher \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

8th Grade - Our Heritage (OH)

- #3035 OH Reader \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
- #3036 OH Workbook \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3037 OH Teacher \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

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Climbing to Good English (CGE)

Comprehensive Grammar and Writing Skills Curriculum for Grades 1-8

- **Christian values** - solid instruction in language arts, research and writing skills without frills and fluff.
- **Economical** – Climbing to Good English packs a lot of value into very inexpensively priced teacher guides and student workbooks.
- **Comprehensive and advanced** - The books should be considered more as “levels.” Many children in older grades would benefit from beginning with Level 3 if they have not had a good foundation in grammar.
- **Designed for all student abilities** – The workbooks fit both slow and fast pupils. Each page has plenty of work for the average student.
- **3 to 5 lessons per week** – Levels 1-3 each have five lessons per week. Levels 4-8 have three lessons per week. Optional extra practice pages are available for use on the other two days, as practice work for those needing it, or as extra work for faster students.
- **Easy-to-use teacher guides** – “A book is only as good as the teacher who teaches it.” Though a teacher’s edition can’t substitute for the teacher, it certainly can help by suggesting ways of presenting lessons, giving ideas for drill and extra work, and saving time by giving the answers. Review work, tests, and suggested grading methods are also given.
- **Dual grade teaching guides for Levels 5/6 and 7/8** – To help parents save time by making it possible to teach two grades levels in one session, two grades are combined into each hardbound teacher guide. Both grades study the same concepts at the same time. However, sixth and eighth grades are generally on a harder level and often have more work than the fifth and seventh grades. How this can be done is easy to understand if you consider how the skill subjects such as arithmetic, reading, and English are taught. It is very much like building a wall. Each course has the same kind of blocks and mortar, but is on a higher level than the one before.
- **Encourages independent learning** – The pupils are expected to help themselves do much of the work independently without much teacher help. The older a pupil becomes, the more he is expected to do this.
- **Complete and thorough** – Starting with a phonics review and introduction to basic parts of speech and writing skills in grade one, CGE takes the student through to advanced language arts skills in grade eight.

• **College/University preparation:** people have reported testing out of first year college/university introductory English courses based on proficiency gained with mastery of Climbing to Good English. Use 8th level as a highschool refresher course.

• **Writing skills** – all writing skills are covered, including letters, research and note taking, report and essay writing, summarizing, and proofreading skills.

#3501	CGE Workbook 1	...	\$6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
#3502	CGE Workbook 2	...	\$6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
#3503	CGE Teacher 2	...	\$11.97CAD / \$9.97USD
#3497	LTS Gr. 2 Workbook		\$3.97CAD / \$3.27USD
#3496	LTS Gr. 2 Teacher	..	\$8.97CAD / \$7.97USD
#3504	CGE Workbook 3	...	\$6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
#3505	CGE Teacher 3	...	\$11.97CAD / \$9.97USD
#3506	Respelling Flashcards		\$6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
#3507	CGE Workbook 4	...	\$6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
#3508	CGE Practice 4	...	\$3.27CAD / \$2.97USD
#3509	CGE Teacher 4	...	\$11.97CAD / \$9.97USD
#3510	CGE Workbook 5	...	\$8.97CAD / \$8.47USD
#3511	CGE Practice 5	...	\$5.97CAD / \$4.97USD
#3512	CGE Workbook 6	...	\$8.97CAD / \$8.47USD
#3513	CGE Practice 6	...	\$5.97CAD / \$4.97USD
#3514	CGE Teacher 5/6	..	\$25.97CAD / \$21.97USD
#3515	CGE Workbook 7	..	\$10.97CAD / \$10.47USD
#3516	CGE Practice 7	...	\$7.47CAD / \$6.47USD
#3517	CGE Workbook 8	..	\$10.97CAD / \$10.47USD
#3518	CGE Practice 8	...	\$7.47CAD / \$6.47USD
#3519	CGE Teacher 7/8	..	\$25.97CAD / \$21.97USD

REGARDING CLIMBING TO GOOD ENGLISH:

CGE is easy to use and thorough but not as intense as . . . about grammatical constructs. . . It is simply much more practical in scope—lots of letter-writing, paragraphing, correct usage, mechanics--as opposed to lots of grammar terminology and repetitious exercises. Enough instruction and examples are provided that these workbooks require little teaching time from the parent. They are designed for a one-room school, which is very helpful when one has a quiverful to teach.

Deborah, 2002

I found this language series [Climbing to Good English] to be both challenging and interesting. The skills are taught in a natural progression, with easily understood explanations. The series has a thorough method of reinforcement with practice sheets, reviews, and tests. All in all, it's a series that serves students well.

Valerie Brown, retired 6th grade school English teacher

We are finishing our CGE 8 and loved it. So easy to use with tests and writing assignments built right in. This course is as comprehensive as anything I've seen, including the high school level. . . . With a few supplements to the writing portions, I see no reason why I couldn't have my soon to be ninth grader either do the same book again, or use the seventh grade edition for new material. . . . She loved this English! I have a folder full of English assignments from Henry Ford Community College in Michigan. The writing assignments and sentence work sheets are no more difficult than what my daughter has done with your Climbing to Good English Level 8. S. Owen, 2003

PATHWAY WORKING WITH WORDS

Working With Words (WWW)

- workbooks for grades 5-8
- vocabulary development and spelling exercises. Older children would benefit from starting with the Grade 5 workbook
- comprehensive enough that even adults benefit from using them
- can be used with the Pathway Readers, Climbing to Good English, or on their own as a vocabulary development and spelling program

- #3101 **WWW Workbook 5** \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3102 **WWW Teacher 5** \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.87USD
- #3103 **WWW Workbook 6** \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.57USD
- #3104 **WWW Teacher 6** \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.87USD
- #3105 **WWW Workbook 7** \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3106 **WWW Teacher 7** \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD
- #3107 **WWW Workbook 8** \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD
- #3108 **WWW Teacher 8** \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

GRADED LANGUAGE ARTS KITS

Additional Items for use with the Language Arts Kits or on their own.

SPELLING - "Phonics Drill Reader"

#340 - \$18.67CAD / \$15.97USD

Word lists (100 words per page) are categorized by phonetic sounds. Includes the 1,000 words used in 90% of all reading materials and 89 phonics rules and their exceptions. Daily practice increases reading speed and spelling skills dramatically. Ages 5 to adult.

#3506 **Respelling Flashcards** \$6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
Used with Grades 2-4 CGE Workbooks

Let's Read Pictures Book

#3499 - \$12.47CAD / \$10.97USD

See description in the Reading and Spelling section.

*What if there was
an English curriculum that:*

- contained Christian values
- was economical
- was designed for all student ability levels
- required only 3 to 5 lessons per week
- had easy-to-use teacher guides/answer keys
- requires no parent preparation time
- was complete and thorough
- and encouraged independent learning

Would you be interested?

Climbing to Good English and Pathway Readers and Workbooks are all this and more.

Now you can guide your child through the maze of the English language without feeling trapped yourself. **Climbing to Good English and Pathway Readers** are simple enough to be used by people for whom English is a second language yet challenging enough to keep the most avid English instructor interested.

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE - LANGUAGE ARTS KITS

– The Pathway Reader series, the Pathway Working With Words vocabulary development workbooks and the Climbing to Good English curriculum are listed individually on the previous pages. These fine resources have been assembled for your convenience as graded kits in the pages that follow.

Not sure which books your child needs to match their reading level?

Visit <http://www.joycenter.on.ca> There is a placement test for the Pathway Readers on our website on the Pathway page(s). This test will work for up to the end of third grade and will automatically tell you what reader you need to begin with. "Climbing to Good English" sample lessons, and the Tables of Contents for each book gives you an overview of what is covered.

So, your child is all over the map and not at one specific grade level for academic skills? Call us and we will help you make wise choices when purchasing "mixed grade" materials.

KEY WORDS TO REMEMBER:

INEXPENSIVE, THOROUGH, EASY-TO-USE!

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NOTE: All items not identified as Climbing to Good English (CGE) are Pathway Books

See previous pages for full description of Pathway and Climbing to Good English and how you can use them for a dynamic language arts program.
Purchase as kits or individual items.

Beginning to Read Kit

#3200 - \$38.47CAD / \$33.67USD

Contains: Learning Through Sounds 1 and 2 workbooks and teacher, Helping Ourselves workbook, Before We Read workbook and Teacher, and Let's Read Pictures.

(See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Pathway Learning Through Sounds Workbook 1

(80 pages) #3039 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

- instruction on basic phonics sounds

Pathway Learning Through Sounds - Workbook 2

(88 pages) #3040 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

- instruction on consonant blends, long vowels, consonant and vowel digraphs, and some diphthongs

Learning Through Sounds Teacher

(117 pages) #3041 - \$ 8.97CAD / \$7.47USD

- has ideas for games, activities, and extra work
- detailed instructions, plus ideas for extra seat work
- shows copies of the textbook and workbook pages

Pathway Helping Ourselves Workbook

(88 pages) #3042 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

- there are two pages for each letter of the alphabet
- almost every other page is a cut-and-paste exercise
- no teacher's manual available

Pathway Before We Read Workbook

(64 pages) #3038 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

- no instructions in the workbook
- an average preschooler can do the initial lessons

Pathway Before We Read / First Steps Teacher

(96 pages) #3007 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

- has ideas for games, activities, and extra work
- detailed instructions, plus ideas for extra seat work
- shows copies of the textbook and workbook pages

Let's Read Pictures

(63 pages) #3499 - \$12.47CAD / \$10.97USD

- develop vocabulary, sequencing and thinking skills, left-to-right progression, visual and auditory discrimination, classification and organization skills, and sentence forming.
- large pages with water-colour style illustrations

Integrating: Christ-Centered Curriculum (CCC), Climbing to Good English (CGE), and Pathway Readers and Comprehension

– at CCC Level B2: add grade one Pathway readers/workbooks for reading comprehension skill development and reinforcement of phonics skills taught

– at CCC Level B2 OR B3 add CGE Grade 1 for reinforcement of CCC grammar and other language arts skills.

1st Grade Language Arts Kit

#3201 - \$55.47CAD / \$49.97USD

Contains: First Steps, Days Go By, and More Days Go By readers, workbooks, and teacher manuals, Climbing to Good English Level 1 workbook, and vowel sounds chart. (See below for descriptions.)

Teacher's Guides in Grade 1:

- have ideas for games, activities, and extra work
- detailed instructions, plus ideas for extra seat work
- show copies of the textbook and workbook pages

Workbooks:

- "Working with Words" introduces all the new words
- "Thinking about the Story" helps to improve reading and oral comprehension
- designed to train children to work independently

Pathway First Steps Preprimer

(140 pages) #3001 - \$8.97CAD / \$7.97USD

- 18 easy-to-read stories and illustrations that will capture your student's attention. Some stories start with an adult-read section to grab interest and continue with first grade level reading ability, encouraging student participation.

Pathway First Steps Workbook

(40 pages) #3002 \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway Before We Read / First Steps Teacher

(96 pages) #3007 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Pathway Days Go By Reader

(158 pages) #3003 - \$8.97CAD / \$7.97USD

- 23 stories that relate true-to-life incidents which could happen to any child

Pathway Days Go By Workbook

(80 pages) #3004 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway More Days Go By Reader

(170 pages) #3005 - \$8.97CAD / \$7.97USD

- 25 stories that relate true-to-life incidents your students will be able to identify with

Pathway More Days Go By Workbook

(88 pages) #3006 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway Days Go By / More Days Go By Teacher

(64 pages) #3008 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 1

#3501 - \$6.97CAD / \$6.47USD

- one page is provided for each day of school
- instructions are right on the pupil's page.
- no special teacher's edition.

Vowel Sounds Chart #1019 - \$2.77*CAD / \$2.77USD

- sturdy laminated reference chart with examples of 24 vowel and "th" sounds and pronunciation symbols.

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2nd Grade Language Arts Kit

#3202 - \$83.37CAD / \$73.07USD

Contains: Busy Times, More Busy Times, and Climbing Higher readers, workbooks, and teacher manuals, Climbing to Good English teacher and workbook, Learning Through Sounds Gr 2 workbook & teacher, and vowel sounds chart. (See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Teacher's Guides in Grade 2:

- show filled in copies of the student workbook pages

Pathway Workbooks:

- "Working with Words" introduces all the new words
- "Thinking about the Story" helps to improve reading and oral comprehension
- designed to train children to work independently
- covers some phonics review, syllabication, and spelling

Pathway Busy Times / More Busy Times Teacher

(180 pages) #3015 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Pathway Busy Times Reader

(249 pages) #3009 - \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
24 stories about the interesting times Peter, Andrew, Rachel, and their parents have living on the farm. Share in their family adventures, fun, and lessons learned.

Pathway Busy Times Workbook

(88 pages) #3010 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway More Busy Times Reader

(288 pages) #3011 - \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
24 stories detailing the adventures and lessons learned of the children and their families on the farm.

Pathway More Busy Times Workbook

(88 pages) #3012 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway Climbing Higher Reader

(248 pages) #3013 - \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
The 19 stories that fill this book relate true-to-life incidents which could happen to any child. Stories teach lessons in virtues and character.

Pathway Climbing Higher Teacher

(80 pages) #3016 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Pathway Climbing Higher Workbook

(80 pages) #3014 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 2

(174 pages) #3502 - \$ 6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
Combines phonics with language skills and grammar. The first 29 pages are review of grade one. From there on English is taught with some phonics review.

Climbing to Good English Teacher Edition 2

(174 pages) #3503 - \$11.97CAD / \$9.97USD

CGE Learning Through Sounds Gr. 2

#3497 - \$ 3.97CAD / \$3.27USD

CGE Learning Through Sounds Gr. 2 Teacher

#3496 - \$ 8.97CAD / \$7.97USD

Vowel Sounds Chart #1019 - \$ 2.77CAD / \$2.77USD

3rd Grade Language Arts Kit

#3203 - \$58.07CAD / \$51.17USD

Contains: New Friends and More New Friends readers, workbooks, and teachers, Climbing to Good English workbook and teacher, and syllabication chart. (See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Teacher's Guides in Grade 3:

- show filled in copies of the student workbook pages

Pathway Workbooks:

- designed to train the children to work independently
- at least three workbook pages per story
- "Working with Words, " introduces the new words
- "Learning through Sounds" -additional phonics/spelling rules
- "Thinking about the Story"- reading comprehension
- includes tests for the end of each unit

Pathway New Friends Reader

(284 pages) #3017 - \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
36 stories and poems that teach virtue while telling about the adventures of various farming families.

Pathway New Friends Workbook

(96 pages) #3018 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway New Friends Teacher

(96 pages) #3019 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Pathway More New Friends Reader

(288 pages) #3020 - \$10.47CAD / \$8.97USD
36 more stories and poems

Pathway More New Friends Workbook

(96 pages) #3021 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway More New Friends Teacher

(96 pages) #3022 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 3

(206 pages) #3504 - \$ 6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
Reviews all the language skills, grammar, and phonics taught in CGE Level 2 for reinforcement and then builds on them with extensions and new concepts.

Climbing to Good English Teacher Edition 3

(206 pages) #3505 - \$11.97CAD / \$9.97USD

Syllabication Chart

#1020 - \$ 2.77CAD / \$2.77USD

Recommendations:

Spelling - The Phonics Drill Reader (#340) is an excellent addition for phonics reinforcement and teaching spelling. Use for Grades 1 through 8.

Printing - The Printing with Character Kits (#1010 & #1016) teach a simple, proven method of printing that leads easily into cursive and is helpful for eliminating letter reversals.

Felt Letters (#439 and #427) - Excellent for hands-on and visual learners. Good for teaching syllabication.

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4th Grade Language Arts Kit

#3204 - \$41.27CAD / \$36.37USD

Contains: Building Our Lives reader, workbook, and teacher, and Climbing to Good English teacher, workbook, and practice sheets.

(See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Pathway Building Our Lives Reader

(496 pages) #3023 - \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
43 great character building stories and poems about people and animals.

Pathway Building Our Lives Workbook

(88 pages) #3024 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway Building Our Lives Teacher

(88 pages) #3025 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 4

(170 pages) #3507 - \$ 6.97CAD / \$6.47USD
Rules for capitalization, punctuation, proper sentences, parts of speech, and correct use of words and terms are all taught with lots of writing assignments given for practice.

Climbing to Good English Practice Sheets 4

(170 pages) #3508 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.97USD

Climbing to Good English Teacher Edition 4

#3509 - \$11.97CAD / \$9.97USD

NOTE Regarding CGE Grades 5 and 6:

There is one hardcover teacher manual covering both grades 5 and 6. This indispensable book contains grading ideas, additional assignments, ideas for explaining concepts, and a grammar handbook.

6th Grade Language Arts Kit

#3206 - \$43.17CAD / \$38.57USD

Contains: Step By Step reader, workbook, and teacher, Working with Words workbook and teacher, and Climbing to Good English workbook and practice sheets. See * below.

Climbing to Good English Gr. 5/6 Teacher's

Manual #3514 - \$25.97CAD / \$21.97USD
* This 331 page hardcover textbook is not included in the Grade 6 Language Art kit. **Purchase separately.**

(See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Pathway Step By Step Reader

(413 pages) #3029 - \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
84 stories and poems including allegory, poetry, and many stories that deal with godly virtues such as honesty, encouragement, and more.

Pathway Step By Step Workbook

(80 pages) #3030 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

5th Grade Language Arts Kit

#3205 - \$43.17CAD / \$38.57USD

Contains: Living Together reader, workbook, and teacher, Working with Words workbook and teacher, and Climbing to Good English workbook and practice sheets. See * below.

Climbing to Good English Gr. 5/6 Teacher's

Manual #3514 - \$25.97CAD / \$21.97USD
* This 331 page hardcover textbook is not included in the Grade 5 Language Art kit. **Purchase separately.**

(See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Pathway Living Together Reader

(527 pages) #3026 - \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
48 stories and poems that teach lessons in virtues as demonstrated in the lives of people of faith.

Pathway Living Together Workbook

(80 pages) #3027 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway Living Together Teacher

(80 pages) #3028 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Pathway Working With Words - Workbook 5

(96 pages) #3101 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway Working With Words - Teacher 5

(96 pages) #3102 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 5

(234 pages) #3510 - \$8.97CAD / \$8.47USD
Composition lessons which encompasses listening, reading, evaluation, taking notes, organizing, building vocabulary, explaining, writing, editing, and rewriting, followed with lessons on grammar, mechanics and word usage.

Climbing to Good English Practice Sheets 5

(70 practice lessons) #3511 - \$5.97CAD / \$4.97USD

Grade 6 continued...

Pathway Step By Step Teacher

(80 pages) #3031 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Pathway Working With Words - Workbook 6

(96 pages) #3103 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Pathway Working With Words - Teacher 6

(96 pages) #3104 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 6

(248 pages) #3512 - \$8.97CAD / \$8.47USD
Each unit begins with a composition lesson which encompasses listening, reading, evaluation, taking notes, organizing, building vocabulary, explaining, writing, editing, and rewriting, followed with lessons on grammar, mechanics and word usage.

Climbing to Good English Practice Sheets 6

(70 practice lessons) #3513 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$4.97USD

7th Grade Language Arts Kit

#3207 - \$46.47CAD / \$41.87USD

Contains: Seeking True Values reader, workbook, and teacher, Working with Words workbook and teacher, and Climbing to Good English workbook and practice sheets. *

Climbing to Good English Gr. 7/8 Teacher's

Manual #3519 - \$25.97CAD / \$21.97USD

* This 390 page hardcover book is not included in the Grade 8 Language Arts kit. **Purchase separately.**

(See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Seeking True Values Reader

(462 pages) #3032 - \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
112 stories and poems relating interesting, thought provoking situations and characters that teach lessons in virtues.

Seeking True Values Workbook

(87 pages) #3033 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Seeking True Values Teacher

(87 pages) #3034 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Working With Words - Workbook 7

(96 pages) #3105 - \$3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Working With Words - Teacher 7

(96 pages) #3106 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 7

(278 pages) #3515 - \$10.97CAD / \$10.47USD
After a few review lessons, the basic grammar is reinforced and new concepts added. The emphasis on composition is strengthened, since effective writing is our major goal in teaching English.

Climbing to Good English Practice Sheets 7

(67 practice lessons) #3516 - \$ 7.47CAD / \$6.47USD

8th Grade Language Arts Kit

#3208 - \$46.47CAD / \$41.87USD

Contains: Our Heritage reader, workbook, and teacher, Working with Words workbook and teacher, and Climbing to Good English workbook and practice sheets. See * below.

Climbing to Good English Gr. 7/8 Teacher's

Manual #3519 - \$25.97CAD / \$21.97USD

* This 390 page hardcover book is not included in the Grade 8 Language Arts kit. **Purchase separately.**

(See below for descriptions and individual purchase.)

Our Heritage Reader

(476 pages) #3035 - \$11.97CAD / \$10.47USD
119 stories and poems that teach lessons in virtues through thought provoking situations and interesting characters.

Our Heritage Workbook

(80 pages) #3036 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Our Heritage Teacher

(80 pages) #3037 - \$ 5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Working With Words - Workbook 8

(96 pages) #3107 - \$ 3.27CAD / \$2.87USD

Working With Words - Teacher 8

(96 pages) #3108 - \$5.97CAD / \$5.47USD

Climbing to Good English Workbook 8

(286 pages) #3517 - \$10.97CAD / \$10.47USD
After a few review lessons, the basic grammar is reinforced and new concepts added. The emphasis on composition is strengthened, since effective writing is our major goal in teaching English.

Climbing to Good English Practice Sheets 8

(67 practice lessons) #3518 - \$7.47CAD / \$6.47USD

NOTE Regarding Climbing to Good English Grades 7 and 8:

There is one hardcover teacher manual covering both grades 7 and 8. This indispensable book contains grading ideas, additional assignments, and an excellent grammar handbook you will use for years to come. Grade 8 CGE is comparable to a solid 12th grade grammar program.

- See the next page for felt letters, and resources for **teaching printing skills and spelling.**
- **have a dyslexic child?** See the books regarding **dyslexia and the "Loftier Learning Program"** in our Table of Contents

For Pathway and CGE samples see:

<http://www.pathwayreaders.com>

<http://www.climbingtogooodenglish.com>

"The Pathway readers are well done and so interesting. This series has been done for children learning English as a second language. The stories in the first three grades are centred around a family's farming life. I appreciated so much the good values they teach.

"I am finishing my 3rd year with Climbing to Good English which is excellent for English grammar. On my part, I have tried many things... finding the content of English books either insignificant or too advanced. This one is very good and is easy to use with one page per day. In the more advanced levels they refer to the Bible. I am really pleased and so satisfied with my English now. Even my older boy, who was more advanced, I started back in Level 2 so he would have a better foundation in English. It teaches how to write from grade one on, starting with simple sentences, and then it moves on to paragraphs, stories, book reports, and much more." GINETTE GAUCHER, 2004 (ESL)

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★ **SEQUENTIAL SPELLING**

For detailed information about this curriculum, visit <http://www.sequential-spelling.com>

So, you think spelling is hard and boring and there is nothing much anyone can do to make it "un-boring"? Think Again!! Sequential Spelling's approach is quick and easy to use. In fact, if you choose the DVD version of the program, you, as the parent or teacher will have very little to do. Let the children learn on their own, quickly and accurately! Teach spelling in under 15 minutes per day. (2nd Grade through Highschool)

What is Sequential Spelling?

Sequential Spelling is an incredibly inexpensive, comprehensive, effective, and versatile spelling program available in two formats. This program comes in print and on self-instructional DVDs.

Who can use Sequential Spelling?

It can be used with anyone who wants to learn to spell - from the gifted to the learning challenged. It even works with people who have dyslexia. You can very easily tailor it to suit your situation. It is very effective for students who are not succeeding with the standard themed list approach or learning spelling rules.

Sequential Spelling works for teaching spelling to children as young as five (seven is recommended) through to adults. It is recommended that students have a basic phonemic awareness and word attack skills before starting. Younger students who have gone through a solid phonics instruction program and are reading well can use Sequential Spelling. While it is recommended that most students start at level 1, there is a rough placement test available that you can have your student do.

How Is Sequential Spelling Different from Traditional Spelling?

- * Each "lesson" is really a test with a new test given every day.
- * Word lists are based on research word difficulty and on word families - not on themed word lists.
- * Students correct their own mistakes after every word; the teacher shows the correct spelling on the board and the student corrects it if necessary.
- * Students do not have to study or memorize rules. They learn as they are tested.
- * By the end of a lesson, students can spell every word in that word family. They can do this because they have learned how to break down the sounds and find the patterns without learning abstract rules and memorizing exceptions.
- * Sequential Spelling is very effective for dyslexics, even when traditional programs will not work.
- * Students build confidence and self-esteem.

What are the features of Sequential Spelling?

- * uses an ungraded, mastery approach.
- * teaches using word families.
- * consists of 180 - 25 word lessons per level
- * word lists build over the course of approximately four days from easy to advanced words.
- * teaches over 4,000 words per level
- * is flexible and easily customized.
- * improves handwriting as the same letter patterns are practiced multiple times.
- * requires no teacher preparation time.

How Does a Sequential Spelling Lesson Work?

Every lesson is actually a test. There is no studying involved. The student is not shown the words before the test and asked to study them. If you have a student who does not like tests, simply call it a lesson. The author believes that tests should be a learning device rather than a method of evaluation.

Sequential Spelling is completely different from almost all other spelling curriculums. It teaches using word families. Using this method allows students learn to see the patterns in the words they are spelling. (in - pin - spin - spins - spinning)

1. Instructor dictates a word then uses it in a sentence.
2. Student writes the word in his notebook.
3. Instructor writes the correct spelling of the word on a white marker or chalk board, or on paper.
4. Student corrects any mistakes right away.
5. Instructor then gives the next word.

★ **\$22.97CAD / \$19.97USD each**

Set of All Seven Levels: \$154.97CAD / \$134.97USD

- #K7001 - Level 1 Guide and Student Response Book
- #K7002 - Level 2 Guide and Student Response Book
- #K7003 - Level 3 Guide and Student Response Book
- #K7004 - Level 4 Guide and Student Response Book
- #K7005 - Level 5 Guide and Student Response Book
- #K7006 - Level 6 Guide and Student Response Book
- #K7007 - Level 7 Guide and Student Response Book

★ Student Response Book

#K7008 - \$11.47CAD / \$9.97USD

★ Sequential Spelling on DVD

Want to use the Sequential Spelling method but are short on teaching time? Get it on DVD and the student can teach themselves. While it includes all of the words in the Guide Book, it is recommended (but not necessary) that you purchase a Guide book as a reference. Does not include a Student Response Book.

★ **\$45.97*CAD / \$39.97USD each**

#K7001DVD - Level One on DVD

#K7002DVD - Level Two on DVD

READING DETECTIVE BOOKS

Reading Detective By Critical Thinking Press
Improves Reading Comprehension skills with 50 **reproducible**, high interest activities. Includes reading for generalization, inference, relevance and more. Stories include fiction covering mystery, humour, history, and adventure, and non-fiction covering earth sciences, geography, history and more, all written in a variety of styles. Children read critically and provide evidence for their answers. Book includes answers, detailed explanations of evidence, and a glossary of terms. **(NOTE: A reproduced edition can only be purchased if you own/ purchase an original book.)**

- Reading Detective BEGINNING** - Grades 3-4
#CT1506 - \$27.57CAD / \$23.97USD
- Reading Detective A1** - Grades 5-6
#CT1507 - \$27.57CAD / \$23.97USD
- Reading Detective B1** - Grades 7-8
#CT1508 - \$27.57CAD / \$23.97USD
- Reading Detective RX** - Grades 9+
#CT1511 - \$27.57CAD / \$23.97USD
- Reproduced Edition** (Specify which level)
\$12.97CAD / \$12.47USD

BOOKS FOR YOUNG READERS

THE ADVENTURES OF... by Thornton Burgess

First published in 1913, these books have been completely reset in large easy-to-read type with illustrations by Thea Kliros based on Harrison Cady's charming originals. The stories are about entertaining adventures among "the lesser folk in fur and feathers," created by a beloved storyteller and conservationist, Thornton Burgess. Our son particularly loved these books as a child and well into his teen years – reading them over and over again.

The animals in these stories talk.

Individual Titles - Paperback
1 - 4 - \$2.97CAD / \$2.87USD each
5+ - \$2.47CAD / \$2.37USD each

- Thornton Burgess Set #1** (#D501 to #D510)
#D451 - \$24.70CAD / \$23.70USD
- #D501 **Bobby Raccoon** (Gr 4-7)
Bobby discovers life can have many surprises when he loses his home, makes new friends, finds a new home.
- #D502 **Buster Bear** (Gr 4-7)
Animals are frightened when Buster moves into the area, until he gets into trouble and they realize he is not very different from them.

- #D503 **Chatterer the Red Squirrel** (Gr 4-7)
Bushy-tailed mischief-maker learns that curiosity, carelessness and mistrust can lead to a heap of troubles.
- #D504 **Danny Meadow Mouse** (Gr 4-7)
Danny Meadow Mouse, a timid but quick mouse, spends much of his time avoiding pesky predators.
- #D505 **Grandfather Frog** (PreK-3)
Grandfather Frog leaps forth to see the world only to tumble into the pitfalls of greed, boastfulness and carelessness.
- #D506 **Jerry Muskrat** (PreK-3)
When the Smiling Pool and Laughing Brook dry up one day, Jerry sets out to find the cause.
- #D507 **Jimmy Skunk** (PreK-3)
Jimmy Skunk repays Peter Rabbit for a practical joke and he and Unc' Billy Possum go hunting for eggs in Farmer Brown's hen-house.
- #D508 **Johnny Chuck** (Gr 4-7)
Spring has arrived and Johnny Chuck goes wandering, gets in a fight, and sets up housekeeping with Polly Chuck
- #D509 **Old Man Coyote** (Gr 4-7)
Old Man Coyote frightens the forest folk and becomes an opponent to Old Granny Fox.
- #D510 **Old Mr. Toad** (Gr 4-7)
Peter Rabbit and the other woodland animals discover that they have misjudged Old Mr. Toad.

Thornton Burgess Set #2

#D452 - \$24.70CAD / \$23.70USD

- #D511 **Paddy the Beaver** (PreK-3)
Paddy's kindness wins over scolding Sammy Jay, and they work to outsmart Old Man Coyote.
- #D512 **Peter Cottontail** (Gr 4-7)
Unhappy with his name and his house, Peter learns to appreciate himself and his world.
- #D513 **Poor Mrs. Quack** (PreK-3)
Driven from her home by hunters, Mrs. Quack finds refuge in the Forest.
- #D514 **Prickly Porky** (Gr 4-7)
A strange-looking animal makes new friends among the forest folk and meadow people.
- #D515 **Reddy Fox** (Gr 4-7)
Despite his grandmother's efforts to teach him to behave, Reddy Fox always seems to get into trouble.
- #D516 **Blacky the Crow** (Gr 4-7)
Blacky considers stealing eggs from Hooty the owl, helps protect Dusty the wood duck, and more.
- #D517 **Buster Bear's Twins** (PreK-3)
A pair of bear cubs share a series of adventures with the other inhabitants of the Green Forest.
- #D518 **Lightfoot the Deer** (Gr 4-7)
Lightfoot encounters animal friends Peter Rabbit, Sammy Jay, Paddy the Beaver and others.

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#D519 **Mrs. Peter Rabbit** (Gr 4-7)
When Peter convinces Miss Fuzzy Tail to marry him and he finds true happiness and learns responsibility.

#D523 **Happy Jack** (Gr 4-7)
Happy Jack Squirrel finds himself trying every trick he knows to get away from nasty Shadow the Weasel.

Thornton Burgess Set #3

#D453 - \$14.77CAD / \$14.17USD

#D521 **Old Mother West Wind** (Gr 4-7)
Adventures of Peter Rabbit, Johnny Chuck, Reddy Fox, and their friends in the fields, woods, and streams.

#D524 **Mother West Wind's Neighbors** (PreK-3)
Fifteen fables from the world of the Green Forest.

#D525 **Mother West Wind's Animal Friends** (Gr 4-7)
When a mysterious stranger comes to live in the Green Forest, its regular inhabitants become curious and alarmed.

#D526 **Unc' Billy Possum** (Gr 4-7)
When Unc' Billy Possum learns how easy it is to get into trouble, it takes some doin' to get out of his predicament.

#D527 **Sammy Jay** (Gr 4-7)
Sammy Jay thinks he's a very fine gentleman but he often does things he shouldn't do.

#D528 **Whitefoot the Wood Mouse** (PreK-3)
The happy little chap finds a perfect spot in Farmer Brown's barn, where he meets a friendly stranger, tumbles into a life-threatening situation, and learns the meaning of "trust."

THE SUSIE & JOHNNY SERIES

Author: J. C. Brumfield

"Susie and Johnny" books are ideal for boys and girls from 8 to 12, full of exciting adventure and soundly Scriptural in the truths they impart. Each book contains a strong evangelistic message. They also show how children and adults can live out and share their Christian faith in day to day life.

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- #B3106 - **Mystery at Midnight**
- #B3107 - **Butch on Trial**
- #B3108 - **Jungle Drums**
- #B3109 - **One Little Lie**
- #B3110 - **The Other Boy**

MILLER FAMILY BOOKS

These volumes of stories teach Christian values in a way children can relate to. Learn about trust, faith, courage, common sense, prudence, health, safety, manners, consequences of actions and much more. Be challenged and encouraged, laugh and cry as you read! Many children want these books to be read to them over and over again, or they read them for themselves. All are paperback with many stories in each volume. Perfect for bedtime reading.

For: ages 4 - 8 (older children enjoy them too!)

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Did you know?

We can order for you many books not listed in our catalogue. Just give us the title(s) and we will check with our suppliers!

IMPORTANT REMINDER:

Educate the heart, not just the mind!

That goes for all adults as well, not just children. We have carefully chosen resources to help you in this regard.

Check our resources from:

Dr. S.M. Davis, The Learning Parent, Doorpost Publishing, and the many Spiritual and Character Development titles and the unique audio/visual resources we carry.

**CHRIST-CENTERED CURRICULUM
BEGINNING MATHEMATICS**

Incredible lessons that you can use to develop godly character in your children and teach them math in just 20 minutes a day!

These simple, easy to use lessons are so saturated with Scripture and its principles that it clearly stands out from other math programs. Christ-Centered Curriculum Math is more than just math. This program enables you to follow the Scriptural directive to “add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge.” (2 Peter 1:5) You will be teaching your child’s spirit first (Prov. 1:7) and will then be able to rejoice when you see God enlighten his academic knowledge as rapidly as his individual, God-given capabilities allow.

Every math concept is taught from its roots in Scripture using a proven, multi-sensory teaching methodology to ensure every child is successful. It does not matter whether your child is a visual, auditory, or “hands-on” learner - this program will teach with his learning style.

Each new skill builds upon previous instruction. The spiritual thrust, which has a strong emphasis upon building godly character, shows the beautiful relationship between God and His number system. This is a very unique and exciting program – both spiritually and academically!

The Christ-Centered Curriculum Beginning Math Program is perfect for children who are just starting out in their math instruction. Using proven tips, tools, and tactics to learn math and develop godly character, your 4 to 6-year-olds will learn: Before/after; Greater than/less than; Numeration; Missing numbers; Word problems; Place Value (1’s, 10’s, and 100’s places); 2 and 3 digit addition/subtraction; Fractions (1/2, 1/3, 1/4); Time; Money.

NOTE: Level B prepares for entry directly into grade three math. Use Professor B Level I along with Math A/B or directly after.

Math Level A

Teach your child beginning number concepts while he learns about how God created the universe. Your child will learn about the importance of developing godly character as you study the 1-10 animal number families together. These scripture-filled lessons introduce: number concepts 1-20, counting to 100 by 1’s, 5’s, 10’s and 2’s plus addition/subtraction combinations through 10. Included is a suggested daily pacing, character training tips, basic skills (before/after, greater than/less than, numeration, missing numbers in sequence), and word problems.

Math Level B

This workbook is especially rich in spiritual truths! As your child studies place value, he will learn that just as God designed a dwelling place for Himself among men (the tabernacle), He designed a dwelling place for numbers. The study of fractions focuses on giving our “whole” selves to Christ – not just “part.” As your child learns about time, he will learn what God has to say about how to he should use his time. The study of money has its roots in the barter system in the days of Abraham, weights and measures, and finally coinage in the Old and New Testaments. Instruction on money focuses on what God has to say about true “treasure.”

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CCC MATHEMATICS KIT

#011 - \$85.37CAD / \$77.17USD (discounted price)
(Retail Value: \$92.82CAD / \$83.82USD)

Kit includes all the instruction books and workbooks required to teach math to children age 3 and up to a mid-grade 3 level. Includes workbooks for one child.

Mathematics Kit Includes:

- #400 Math Lessons Guide A
- #401a Math A Instruction/Answer Key
- #401 Math Student Workbook A
- #402 Math Lessons Guide B
- #403a Math B Instruction/Answer Key
- #403 Math Student Workbook B

CCC MATH TEACHING AIDS KIT

#018 - \$55.57*CAD / \$47.37USD (discounted price)
(Retail Value: \$60.44CAD / \$51.53USD)

The resources included in this kit are invaluable for teaching math to children age 3 and up to a mid-grade 3 level. You will not use every item at first, but taking advantage of the discount is wise stewardship.

Math Teaching Aids Kit Includes:

- #404 Math Flashcards
- #408 0-20 Number Words Chart
- #409 Teacher 0-20 Number Line
- #411 0-100 Numbers Chart
- #412N 1-10 Addition Families Charts
- #412NX Teen Speed Drill Charts
- #413 Base 10/Teen Addition Charts
- #414 1-18 Addition/Sub. Charts
- #422 Place Value Mat

Other Recommended Items Not Included in Kit:

- #E131 Cube-a-Link Cubes
- #417 Beginning Counting Set (made of felt)

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Items in the Mathematics Kit

Math Lessons Guide: Level A

#400 - \$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

These daily lessons provide step-by-step "how to" guidance for teaching number concepts through 20 plus addition/ subtraction combinations through 10. The lessons include schedules for daily math drills and related workbook pages that reinforce daily instruction.

Math Workbook: Level A

#401 - \$16.97CAD / \$14.97USD

This wonderful book teaches about creation and builds character as children learn number concepts 1-10 plus the addition/subtraction facts through 10. Includes 0-10 Student Number Line.

Math Level A Instruction/Answer Key

#401a - \$10.97CAD / \$10.97USD

After completing the daily lesson in **Math Lessons Guide: Level A**, use this text to provide the Christ-centered and academic instructions necessary to complete the Level A Math Workbook.

Math Lessons Guide: Level B

#402 - \$18.47CAD / \$15.97USD

These daily lessons provide basic "how to's" for teaching place value, fractions, time, money, and the 11-18 addition/ subtraction families. The lessons include schedules for daily math drills and related workbook pages that reinforce daily instruction.

Math Workbook: Level B

#403 - \$16.97CAD / \$14.97USD

A Biblical view of math continues in this book with place value, fractions, time, money, and the 11 - 18 addition/ subtraction families. Includes 0-20 Student Number Line.

Math Level B Instruction/Answer Key

#403a - \$10.97CAD / \$10.97USD

After completing the daily lesson in **Math Lessons Guide: Level A**, use this text to provide the Christ-centered and academic instructions necessary to complete the Level A Math Workbook.

Items in Mathematics

Teaching Aids Kit

Math Flashcards Set

#404 - \$19.87*CAD / \$16.97USD

Through animal families, this beautifully illustrated 7"X 9" set develops godly character while teaching about God's number families. Teaches number concepts 1-10, the Scriptural meanings of colours and numbers, plus addition/ subtraction up to 10.

0 - 20 Number Words chart

#408 - \$4.07*CAD / \$3.47USD

Used to teach number words/numerals for 1-20.

Teacher 0 - 20 Number Line (Laminated)

#409 - \$2.27*CAD / \$1.97USD

Use this 0-20 number line in addition to the 0-10 Number Line (animals) from the Math Flashcards set.

0 - 100 Numbers Chart

#411 - \$4.67*CAD / \$3.97USD

This is a tool to teach number recognition through 100 plus counting by 1, 10, 5, 2, etc.

1-10 Animal Addition Families Charts

#412N - \$8.17*CAD / \$6.97USD

Two laminated charts, printed on both sides, include all of the 1-10 number families. Provides a faster method of drilling the 1-10 addition/subtraction combinations.

Teen Combinations Drill Charts

#412NX - \$5.27*CAD / \$4.47USD

This laminated chart, printed on both sides, is an extension of the wonderful teaching technique for the "1-10 Animal Addition Families Charts."

Base 10/Teen Addition Charts

#413 - \$5.27*CAD / \$4.47USD

These show the 11-18 complete addition families.

1-18 Addition/Subtraction Charts

#414 - \$5.27*CAD / \$4.47USD

This set contains addition/ subtraction combinations for 1 - 18 plus a Base 10 chart. (10+1, 10+2, 10+3, etc.; 19-9, 18-8, 17-7, etc.)

Place Value Mat #422 - \$5.57*CAD / \$4.77USD

Helps children to organize when working with base ten materials

Items Recommended but Not in Kits

Beginner Counting Set (Precut)

#417 - \$25.27*CAD / \$21.97USD

- 132 precut felt pieces
- 10 each of 10 figures - 2 ½" snowman, pumpkin, dog, cat, duck, ladybug etc.
- two each of 0-10, 10 math symbols

Cube-A-Link Cubes

#E131 - \$10.97* CAD / \$10.47USD

100 interlinking cubes in 10 colours

Curriculum Recommendations - see pages 10-14.

**What do
Scientists,
ENGINEERS, *Doctors,*
Computers, and
Your Child
have in common?**

**They all need
a solid understanding
of mathematics.**

Professor B Mathematics

Unleash the awesome power of your children's "fearfully and wonderfully made" mental computers.

So, You Want To...

- rescue your children from fear and failure in mathematics?
- provide explanations which actually make sense?
- eliminate excessive memorization and rote learning?
- show them how to use their minds to learn concepts & skills?
- understand how to activate the same competence for the learning of stories and one's native language, in order that they will learn mathematics just as effectively?
- use an internationally recognized mathematics method?
- stimulate and activate your children's natural capacities for mastery of mathematics?

Why have your child take eight years to complete kindergarten to 7th grade math when they need only THREE or FOUR years?

Professor B Math:

- stimulates and activates children's natural capacities for mastery of mathematics
- ensures a huge reduction of mental tension
- teaches math as a contextual story that makes sense
- enables rapid and thorough understanding
- eliminates remediation and rote learning
- allows sustained mastery of skills
- uses "mental gymnastics" games and fingers as manipulatives
- allows children to progress at their own speed - as quickly or slowly as needed
- easy to use - virtually no teacher preparation time needed

FOUNDATIONS: Professor B Math is founded on Biblical principles. It does not, however, refer to Scripture or Biblical principles directly.

TELLS THE TRUTH simply in all arithmetic computations without confusing, often time consuming and meaningless steps of procedure and terminology.

COST EFFECTIVE AND NOW AVAILABLE IN THREE DIFFERENT FORMATS:

Well documented studies around the world have proven the effectiveness of PBM. It condenses the arithmetical content, traditionally spread over seven to eight years of expensive textbook and workbook materials into three texts or CDs, three workbooks, and a charts book.

CONSIDER THESE POINTS:

- Each child is "fearfully and wonderfully made" with mental computers of awesome power.
- Just as one's brain was designed by our Lord to assimilate and retain the content of a story, it will similarly retain the content of arithmetic if it is presented as a contextual, developmental flow (a continuing story).
- Arithmetic can be presented as a sequence of developmental steps on a ladder where mastery at previous rungs provides readiness for the next connection.
- Arithmetic can be effectively taught as an upward, progressive climbing of the ladder without gaps rather than as spiral review.
- Facilitating children's mastery of arithmetic is incredibly simpler when approached from the perspective of the Lord's wisdom, order, and design.
- "Master 'seventh grade math' by third to fourth grade. Because our methods activate the same gifts children have used for learning and retaining stories, learning math at this accelerated pace (by means of connections and truth-telling) is incredibly easier than the snail's pace of 'slow motion math' (with its disconnections and untruths)."

WHERE TO START: Students just beginning math will start with Level 1. Older students weak in addition/subtraction skills might benefit from a quick review of Level 1 so that they can "unlearn" improper or faulty ways of approaching math.

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PLACEMENT TEST: Request a placement test to determine if an older child could skip Level 1 and go directly to Level 2. This test is available online at <http://www.joycenter.on.ca/prof1.htm>

ATTENTION: Christ-Centered Curriculum users - follow Math Level B with Professor B's Level 1.

GEOMETRY: Professor B Math does not cover geometry. For an excellent highschool level geometry program we recommend **Life of Fred Geometry**.

VISUAL AND HANDS ON LEARNERS:

Professor B teaches to all learning styles but does not use manipulatives. If you have a child who is a strong hands-on or visual learner, it is very easy to adapt the program to use manipulatives. We particularly recommend the Cube-A-Links Cubes, Beginner Counting Set & Place Value Counting Sticks. See our **Math Manipulatives** section.

Rounding out the Mathematical experience:

To introduce additional concepts not covered in Professor B Mathematics, see the graded recommendations lists in this catalogue. The recommended resources will help you to cover telling time, money, geometry, pre-algebra concepts, graphing, drawing pictures to illustrate problem solving, and more.

BOARD OF EDUCATION STANDARDS:

Professor B Mathematics is an ungraded program and because of the way it is structured, you will not follow a traditional track in teaching math. For instance, typical standards have a child into about grade four or five before they use figures in the trillions. Prof. B Level 1 has a kindergarten child reading numbers in the trillions and a second grader can be adding/subtracting numbers in the trillions. We expect a child to actually learn how to perform computations and not rely on calculators as most curriculums teach reliance on! Upon completion of Prof. B Level 3, a child will have more than met the requirements of any provincial or state standards for a seventh grade level in the understanding of addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, decimals, percentages, prime factorization, and least and highest common factors. Even if you take 1½ to 2 years per level (10 months is the recommended time frame), starting in kindergarten or grade one, the child will be well underway to completing highschool algebra with Professor B Algebra before finishing grade seven!

EXCITING ANNOUNCEMENT: FORMAT #3 - INTERNET BASED INSTRUCTION is so new we had no details when the catalogue went to print. It will be online for a nominal monthly fee per level per family as of May, 2009. Call for details.

"Since using Prof. B Math, I have gained more confidence and enjoyment in working with both my own children (from K to highschool algebra), as well as with other students needing remediation. Prof. B has a unique and efficient method for teaching both facts and concepts which includes the use of his clever Power Learning Charts. I have also found it inspiring to see Prof. B, the master teacher, in action on his videos. Highly recommended!"

Esther Greenfield, XYZ Tutoring, Consulting

PROFESSOR B MATHEMATICS

restructures the traditionally disconnected, fragmented content of arithmetic and informs parents how to consistently tell the truth simply in all the operations on whole numbers, fractions and decimals from basic to advanced levels of skill.

NOW AVAILABLE IN THREE GREAT FORMATS:

- 1. MATHEMATICS POWER LEARNING FOR CHILDREN**
- 2. INSTANT MASTER TEACHER**
- 3. INTERNET BASED INSTRUCTION**

(See our announcement in the previous column)

1. MATHEMATICS POWER LEARNING FOR CHILDREN

• **3 Textbooks** for use by the instructor each have 150 to 160 pages. They contain clear, easy to follow instructions for presenting every lesson and concept. No teacher preparation is needed other than to glance over the lesson before you start. Even older children can teach younger children using these texts.

• **Workbooks:** offer many unique practice exercises that make it possible for children to achieve the mastery which represents readiness for the next level. No endless pages of the same question. 131 to 144 pages each. **Purchase one workbook of each level per child. They are NOT reproducible.**

• **Charts Book:** contains detailed instructions for speed practice, very quickly learning to count from one to one hundred and beyond; doubling numbers mentally; acquiring strong skills in column addition; and maintaining mastery of the multiplication facts. Required and indispensable for teaching curriculum.

Format #1:
Professor B Mathematics Power Learning for Children

Complete Kit - Save 10%
#8011 - \$138.87CAD / \$119.47USD
 (retail: \$154.27CAD / \$132.70USD)

Includes 1 each of : #8001 through #8010 - all books for Levels 1-3 (workbooks for one student) Purchase extra workbooks for each additional student.

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 (retail: \$169.05*CAD/ \$144.85USD)
 Includes 1 each of all five training videos.

PROFESSOR B TRAINING DVDs

- Do you suffer from a math phobia?
- Not sure you can teach math?
- Do you lack confidence?
- Are you reluctant to teach math because you are weak in this area?
- Are you a visual, hands-on, or auditory learner?

Professor B Training DVDs to the rescue!!

Professor Barrett will personally teach you with these videos. His instructions will give you confidence that, YES, you can do it, no matter how you learn best! Each video gives a step-by-step tutorial for using this excellent curriculum. Older children would also benefit from the videos. They DO NOT replace the Texts that must be used with the Power Learning format. They also provide additional teaching ideas.

- Optional but Helpful -

PROFESSOR B DVDs

(5% discount given when you purchase one or more videos with any Professor B Power Learning Kit)

- #8020 Level 1 DVD \$29.17*CAD / \$24.97USD
- #8021 Level 2 DVD #1 . . \$34.97*CAD / \$29.97USD
- #8022 Level 2 DVD #2 . . \$34.97*CAD / \$29.97USD
- #8023 Level 3 DVD #3 . . \$34.97*CAD / \$29.97USD
- #8024 Level 3 DVD #4 . . \$34.97*CAD / \$29.97USD

- or -

purchase all five training DVDs together in the DVD Upgrade Kit and Save 10%

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Save 5% by Buying Kits, or purchase individual items as needed, such as extra workbooks.

POWER LEARNING – LEVEL 1 (PreK-Gr.2 & remedial for older students)

Original number sense activities and approaches to addition/subtraction facts, reading very large numbers, addition/subtraction with very large numbers using place value and column addition.

- #8001 Level 1 Text \$29.27CAD / \$24.97USD
- #8004 Level 1 Wbk \$15.17CAD / \$12.97USD
- #8008 Level 1 Key \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.97USD
- #8007 Charts Book \$15.17CAD / \$12.97USD
- #8012 **Level 1 Kit** \$58.47CAD / \$50.27USD

POWER LEARNING – LEVEL 2 (Gr. 2-5)

Original and effective methods for thorough understanding and mastery of multiplication/division facts, long multiplication, long division, fractional equivalence, addition/subtraction of fractions and mixed numbers. For 2nd through 5th graders and remediation of older learners or for younger children who have completed Level 1.

- #8002 Level 2 Text \$29.27CAD / \$24.97USD
- #8005 Level 2 Wbk \$15.17CAD / \$12.97USD
- #8009 Level 2 Key \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.97USD
- #8013 **Level 2 Kit** \$43.97CAD / \$37.97USD

POWER LEARNING – LEVEL 3 (Gr. 5-7)

Original and effective methods for thorough understanding and mastery of multiplication/division of fractions, the decimal and metric systems, operations on decimals, transforming among fractions /decimals/ percents and rounding off. For 5th through 7th graders and remediation of older learners or for younger children who have completed Level 2.

- #8003 Level 3 Text \$29.27CAD / \$24.97USD
- #8006 Level 3 Wbk \$15.17CAD / \$12.97USD
- #8010 Level 3 Key \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.97USD
- #8014 **Level 3 Kit** \$43.97CAD / \$37.97USD

GRATEFUL, SATISFIED CUSTOMERS SAY:

“I just wanted to write and express my appreciation for the Professor B Math materials. It has been an answer to my prayer. I like the simple, logical, progression it takes the learners through. . . My oldest daughter, who is behind in math, is catching up nicely.”
 M. Stewart

“The Professor B Math is proving to be fun for the boys and my oldest is finally revealing that he never really understood the simplest of addition and subtraction.”
 S. Kowal

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2. PROFESSOR B MATHEMATICS INSTANT MASTER TEACHER

If CD's existed that enabled virtually every parent or classroom instructor to function as an INSTANT MASTER TEACHER of math, would you buy them?

The INSTANT MASTER TEACHER CD's will enable almost anyone to **Learn & Teach** math simultaneously!

- Put the CD into your computer, read the captions to the learners, and you are instantly master-teaching, regardless of your math background.
- Enormously simplifies math instruction - even children can master-teach children.
- Provides intensive interactive experiences so participants learn a huge amount of math.
- Does not provide mere drill and practice.
- **These CDs cover the same content as the Power Mathematics for Children textbooks.** You do NOT purchase the text books and the workbooks are different from those in the Power Mathematics format.
- Computer Requirements: Windows 98SE or higher or Mac. **Please specify** when ordering whether you need the **Windows Edition or the Mac Edition.**

Format #2 - Instant Master Teacher

Complete Levels 1 to 3 Kit - Save 10%

#8075 - \$298.77*CAD / \$256.27USD

(retail: \$331.99*CAD / \$284.73USD)

Includes one each of the three workbooks for one student and the three CDs for Levels 1-3. Purchase extra workbooks for each additional student.

Save 5% by Buying Individual Kits

Instant Master Level 1 (PreK-Gr.2)

Original number sense activities and approaches to addition/subtraction facts, reading very large numbers, addition/subtraction with very large numbers using place value and column addition. BONUS: telling time, money, and an introduction to fractions. For Pre-K through 2nd graders and remediation of older learners.

#8061 Level 1 CD \$93.57*CAD / \$79.97USD
#8062 Level 1 CD Wbk . . \$15.17CAD / \$12.97USD
#8063 Level 1 CD Key . . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.97USD
#8058 **Level 1 Kit** \$105.17*CAD / \$90.17USD

Instant Master Level 2 (Gr.2-5)

Original and effective methods for thorough understanding and mastery of multiplication/division facts, long multiplication, long division, fractional equivalence, addition/subtraction of fractions and mixed numbers, and an introduction to decimals. For 2nd through 5th graders and remediation of older learners or for younger children who have completed Level 1.

#8065 Level 2 CD \$93.57*CAD / \$79.97USD
#8066 Level 2 CD Wbk . . \$ 15.17CAD / \$12.97USD
#8067 Level 2 CD Key . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.97USD
#8059 **Level 2 Kit** \$105.17*CAD / \$90.17USD

Instant Master Level 3 (Gr.5-7)

Original and effective methods for thorough understanding and mastery of multiplication/division of fractions, the decimal and metric systems, operations on decimals, transforming among fractions /decimals/ percents and rounding off. For 5th through 7th graders and remediation of older learners or for younger children who have completed level 2.

#8069 Level 3 CD \$93.57*CAD / \$79.97USD
#8070 Level 3 CD Wbk . . \$ 15.17CAD / \$12.97USD
#8071 Level 3 CD Key . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.97USD
#8060 **Level 3 Kit** \$105.17*CAD / \$90.17USD

Professor B Testimonial:

I would strongly recommend Prof. B Math to anyone. This curriculum is very well planned and organized. In fact, I wish I had been taught math this way!...I like the clutter-free black and white workbooks very much...no distractions. The text, explains how to present the different topics so that anyone who is not a math expert can teach the course. Although this program is teacher-lead, you can just open the book and teach, although I usually take 5 minutes or so to peruse it beforehand. Also, we have found the emphasis on oral work very beneficial as my children have difficulty with orienting numbers and letters. My husband and I are so glad, we feel like we have saved a bundle of money as well as a lot of time and frustration.

Linda Danner, mathematician

NOTE: Now you can teach using CD's!

3. PROFESSOR B MATH - ONLINE

This exciting new format is now available. A monthly fee is charged per level per family and your children will be taught online. A printable workbook is included in cost. Instruction is designed to accommodate the needs of any age of student needing arithmetic and math instruction up to the 7th grade. Can be completed within three years or less! You won't believe how economically and easily this will be accomplished. Call for details or check our website.

SPUNKY MATH

Use these consumable, simple, and uncluttered math workbooks on their own or as extra practice work with another program such as Professor B Mathematics. As with the Prof. B approach, your child gains a solid foundation of each new concept before moving on, without being inundated and confused with yet more. Each grade level has two – 200 page consumable workbooks. In each your child will learn the usual adding, subtracting, filling in missing numbers, counting money, skip counting and more. These are great books that will give your child a solid foundation.

1st Grade - Learning Numbers with Spunky

#3451 - **Gr. 1 Book 1** \$8.77CAD / \$7.67USD
 #3452 - **Gr. 1 Book 2** \$8.77CAD / \$7.67USD
 #3455 - **Gr. 1 Manual** \$16.87CAD / \$14.67USD

2nd Grade - Continuing Numbers with Spunky

Covers: lower and higher addition/subtraction facts; counting money; telling time; $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, and $\frac{1}{4}$ fractions; multiplying/dividing by 2, 5, and 10; Borrowing and Carrying, story problems, measurement, numbers to the thousands, and more.

#3453 - **Gr. 2 Book 1** \$8.77CAD / \$7.67USD
 #3454 - **Gr. 2 Book 2** \$8.77CAD / \$7.67USD
 #3456 - **Gr. 2 Manual** \$16.87CAD / \$14.67USD

STUDY TIME MATH

Study Time Arithmetic is designed:

• **to allow children to learn and appreciate numbers and math concepts** as they were ordered by the Creator and how they relate and apply to everyday life.

Rather than story problems about a day at the circus or the batting average of professional baseball players, the material is based on unit themes such as "On the Farm," "About the House," and "In the Shop" at each grade level.

Additional themes include nature topics, world continents, inventions and inventors, & Biblical topics.

• **to be teacher/parent friendly.** Lesson introduction takes minimum time.

• **to be student friendly.** New concepts are introduced gradually and reviewed constantly. Special features are included to intrigue, challenge, and motivate students to learn and discover on their own as much as possible. Focuses on practical applications and teaches metric and standard measurements.

Study Time Arithmetic is a traditional, graded, textbook style, spiral review program. It is similar to Climbing to Good English in design, look, and approach. Follows Spunky Math.

Single use workbooks are paperback, black and white format. Teacher Manuals (except Gr. 3) are hardcover. For Grades 6 to 8 the Student Books are hardcover.

3rd Grade

#3801 - **Student Wbk** . . . \$16.77CAD / \$14.47USD
 #3802 - **Student Tests** . . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.47USD
 #3803 - **Teacher Manual** . \$21.17CAD / \$18.47USD
 #3804 - **Flashcards** (400+) \$42.37*CAD / \$36.97USD

4th Grade

#3805 - **Student Wbk** . . . \$16.77CAD / \$14.47USD
 #3806 - **Student Tests** . . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.47USD
 #3807 - **Teacher Manual** . \$38.77CAD / \$33.77USD
 #3808 - **Flashcards** (400+) \$42.37*CAD / \$36.97USD

5th Grade

#3809 - **Student Wbk** . . . \$16.77CAD / \$14.47USD
 #3810 - **Student Tests** . . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.47USD
 #3811 - **Teacher Manual** . \$38.77CAD / \$33.77USD

6th Grade

#3812 - **Student Wbk** . . . \$26.47CAD / \$22.97USD
 #3813 - **Student Tests** . . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.47USD
 #3814 - **Teacher Manual** . \$38.77CAD / \$33.77USD

7th Grade

#3815 - **Student Wbk** . . . \$26.47CAD / \$22.97USD
 #3816 - **Student Tests** . . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.47USD
 #3817 - **Teacher Manual** . \$38.77CAD / \$33.77USD

8th Grade

#3818 - **Student Wbk** . . . \$26.47CAD / \$22.97USD
 #3819 - **Student Tests** . . . \$ 1.97CAD / \$ 1.47USD
 #3820 - **Teacher Manual** . \$38.77CAD / \$33.77USD

MATH MANIPULATIVES

Beginner Counting Set

Precut - #417C - \$25.27*CAD / \$21.97USD

These felt sets are printed in brilliant colours on heavy quality felt for lasting durability in the hands of many children! Great for: sorting, matching, counting, talking about differences, tactile development, memory matching games, visualizing math equations and much more. 10 each of 10 figures 2 ½" snowman, pumpkin, dog, cat, duck, etc., two each of numerals 1-10, and 22 math symbols.

Felt Letters & Numbers - Uncut

#427 - \$6.97*CAD / \$6.97USD

These felt sets are printed in brilliant colours on heavy quality felt for lasting durability in the hands of many children! 134 UNCUT pieces - one each of all upper & lower case letters + extras of frequently used letters, 2 each of numbers 1-10, and math & punctuation symbols. Available in red, yellow and blue. 2" tall.

MATHEMATICS

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#E121 - \$17.67*CAD / \$16.77USD

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Cube-A-Link Cubes

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Linking cubes with a wheel inside. Includes extra small pegs and one peg puller. (75 pieces)

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The triangular, concave, and convex shapes plus the universal connector allows the creation of more advanced geometric shapes. There are 100 pieces of each shape (10 each of 10 colours) and 50 universal connectors. Use with the Cube-A-Link Cubes.

See pages 10-14 for our age-based curriculum recommendations and our website for even more resources.

TANGRAMS

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 (Critical Thinking Press)

Math Detective uses topics and skills drawn from national math standards to prepare your students for advanced math courses & tests that measure reasoning, reading comprehension, and writing in math.

Students read a short story that includes a chart, table, or graph. Next they answer critical thinking questions to improve their understanding of the math concept and develop their critical thinking (comprehension) skills. Students can not just scan the story for answers - they must carefully analyse and synthesize the information from the text and the chart, table, or graph to explain and support their answers.

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#CT3901 **Math Detective Beginning** (Gr.3-4)

#CT3902 **Math Detective A1** (Gr. 5-6)

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Designed to make your child **THINK!** and to learn on their own. It does not give step-by-step directions and answers to every question. They learn to apply to current questions the concepts previously taught. Upon completion they will understand how math works, why it works, and how to apply it. They will know the formulas and how to apply them in real-life situations, not just situations created for a textbook. This program relies heavily on reading comprehension and thinking, not rote spoon-fed learning that is quickly forgotten. Parents can learn these novel methods along with the student, but should not try to integrate the traditional rote/memorization methods.

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Additional titles in Life of Fred series are being published and that information will be available on our websites.

See pages 10-14 for full, age-based curriculum recommendations.

Health Curriculum: Workbooks & Texts

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Healthy Happy Habits (Grade 3)

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- paperback workbook - instructions are included
- short and simple lessons, teaching basic, everyday habits that greatly benefit the child both in physical safety and well-being and in getting along with others
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- #CT5001 - **Science Detective Beginning** (Gr. 3-4)
#CT5002 - **Science Detective A1** (Gr. 5-6)

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Developing Critical Thinking Through Science

Book 1 (Gr 1-3) #CT8702 - \$29.87CAD / \$25.97USD

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Developing Critical Thinking through Science presents standards-based, hands-on, minds-on activities that help students learn basic physical science principles and the scientific method of investigation. Each activity is a 10- to 30-minute guided experiment in which students are prompted to verbalize their step-by-step observations, predictions, and conclusions. Reproducible pictures or charts are included when needed, but the focus is inquiry-based, hands-on science. Preparation time is short, and most materials can be found around the home. Step-by-step procedures, questions, answer guidelines, and clear illustrations are provided. Practical applications at the end of each activity relate science concepts to real-life experiences.

LEARNING SCIENCE THROUGH READING

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Determined to improve his struggling family's financial situation, sixteen-year-old Tom Wade leaves England in 1860 and sets out for the untamed wilderness of the American Far West. Arriving in the small western outpost of Denver, Colorado, he soon encounters Native American warriors, takes part in big-game hunts, and learns how to survive a mountain winter with nothing but resourcefulness and perseverance. (paperback, 304 pages)

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