Linden Waldorf School Curriculum

Early Childhood and Kindergarten Program

Socialization, imaginative play, storytelling, nursery rhymes, puppetry, outdoor play (rain or shine), watercolor painting, cooking and baking, gardening, sewing, woodwork, laying the foundation for academic success.

Grades Program								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
MAIN LESSON BLOCKS (Blocks unfold over three to four weeks.)	Fairy tales from around the world Nature study Whole numbers, Roman numerals, four operations, mental math Letters through stories Tongue twisters Poetry Speech	Fables, folklore, saints and hero stories Nature Study Number Patterns, four operations Poetry Speech	Old Testament Stories Native Tales Nature Studies Reading Grammar Shelters Gardening Poetry Speech 4 operations Long division Time Measurement Prime numbers Carrying and borrowing Cursive	Tennessee history Norse mythology Tennessee geography Mapmaking Reading Grammar Zoology Fractions Prime Numbers Word problems Averages Factoring Poetry	Ancient Civilizations Greek mythology/ History North America geography Botany Decimals/ Metric System	Rome Middle Ages World geography Physics Geology/ Minerology Astronomy Business math Geometry	Age of Exploration Reformation Renaissance World geography Physics Creative Writing Inorganic Chemistry Physiology Algebra	American history/ Civics Revolutions Short Story World Geography Anatomy Meteorology Chemistry Physics Platonic Solids
MUSIC	Pentatonic songs Interval flutes Folk Songs	Folk songs Pentatonic flute	Singing C-flute Reading music begins in pictorial form String instrument—cello, viola or violin	 Rounds and canons Reading music and working with rhythm C-flute Strings 	 Part singing Major and minor scale Alto recorder Strings 	Choral music: songs of the Middle Ages Soprano and alto recorder Strings/Orchestra	Choral music: renaissance music, African songs, madrigals Soprano, alto, tenor and bass recorder Strings/Orchestra	 Choral music: songs from around the world, madrigals Soprano, alto, tenor and bass recorder Strings/Orchestra
PRACTICAL AND FINE ARTS	Form drawing Beeswax modeling Watercolor painting Drama Knitting	Form drawing Beeswax modeling Watercolor painting Drama Crochet	Form drawing Beeswax modeling Watercolor painting Drama Embroidery Weaving Spinning	Form drawing Beeswax modeling Watercolor painting Drama Cross-stitch Woodwork	Geometric drawing Watercolor painting Drama Knitting socks Woodwork Clay modeling	Geometric drawing Painting Calligraphy Drama Woodwork Clay modeling Mosaics Soft-fiber sculpture	Perspective drawing Painting Drama Woodwork Clay modeling Felting Three-dimensional hand-sewing	 Charcoal drawing Painting Drama Woodwork Clay modeling Machine sewing
MOVEMENT	Large muscle activities through games and group movement precision movement Folk dancing Eurythmy	Large muscle activities — precision movement Developing directionality Folk Dancing Eurythmy	 Developing hand-eye coordination Strengthening fine motor skills Folk dancing Eurythmy 	 Strengthening whole-body movement awareness Folk dancing Eurythmy 	 Greek sports building to a pentathlon Folk dancing Eurythmy 	Introduction to zone sports Folk dancing Circus apprenticeship Eurythmy	Intermediate team sports Folk dancing Circus journeymen Eurythmy	 Individual and team sports Folk dancing Circus masters Eurythmy
FOREIGN Language	Spanish: oral learning through poetry, stories, songs, crafts and games Mandarin	Spanish: oral learning through poetry, stories, songs, crafts and games Mandarin	 Spanish: introduction to simple vocabulary Mandarin Exposure to Hebrew 	 Spanish: simple grammar, reading and writing, dictations Mandarin Exposure to Norse runes 	 Spanish: simple text, syntax, short talks Mandarin Exposure to Sanskrit and Greek 	Spanish: grammar, reading, free translations Exposure to Latin	Spanish: reading and conversation, grammar and structural drills, poetry, vocabulary, art and geography	Spanish: reading and conversation, grammar and structural drills, poetry, vocabulary, art and geography, oral presentations
SKILLS CLASS					Math Language Arts	Math Language Arts	Math Language Arts	Language Arts Math (Pre-algebra or Algebra)
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