



Fifth Grade

Sample Lessons with Day-by-Day Scheduling



We continue to emphasize **grammar** and diagramming in fifth grade, but students move, at this point, from spelling to **vocabulary**. By the second or third year of using the *Note-Taking Guide and Book Report Form*, students are able to write reports they never imagined possible. They continue to read some short classics but by the end of the year make a transition to the unabridged *Robinson Crusoe*.

The Macaulay book, *City*, is integrated into the *Day-by-Day* with the study of Ancient Rome. The Covenant Home *History Overlay* is essential to those who desire a serious study of **history**. It provides the *background* and *biblical perspective* that is often missing from texts.

Fractions, decimals, ratios and percents are dealt with in **math**. In **science**, students will discover and learn about the wondrous swimming creatures made on the fifth day. From the microscopic to the massive, no stone is left unturned in your child's passage through the waters of the world.

Fifth grade studies the second half of the Old Testament in **Bible**. As always, the *Day-by-Day* is there as a planning tool for the parent, but at this level it can also be a little back-up support when enthusiasm wanes or resistance surfaces.

This sample pack will provide you with a cross section of all subjects covered in a standard Covenant Home Fifth Grade Full Curriculum.



In Your Box:

Student Textbooks, Teacher's Manuals, CHC Test Sets & Answer Keys, Course Blueprints, Day-by-Day Scheduling Guide, and much more.

LANGUAGE ARTS

- *Language Roundup 5*, includes student book, teacher's edition and blueprint

Student Worktext includes:

- Capitalization
 - Punctuation
 - Using the appropriate word: verbs, adjectives, adverbs, homophones
 - Special problems: plurals, possessives, contractions, regular-irregular verbs, double negatives, etc.
 - Parts of speech: nouns, pronouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, interjections, conjunctions, prepositions, articles
 - Sentences
- *Grammar Activity Booklet* with answer key includes tests, for use with *Language Roundup 5 Grammar*
 - *Handbook* for use with *Language Roundup 5*
 - *Wordly Wise 3000*, Book 2, includes student worktext, teacher's key and blueprint

LITERATURE

- *Outcast*, student reader with CHC study guide
- *City*, Caldecott Honor Book with blueprint and quizzes
- *Robinson Crusoe*, unabridged classic, with CHC *Reader's Guide*
- Two illustrated short classics with *Classic Critique* study guides
- *Practicing Comprehension 7*, student workbook with key
- CHC *Note-taking Guide and Book Report Form*

Book Reports:

- **Eight** book reports required per year by the student, which includes the books provided and the reading assignments during the year.

BIBLE

- *Show Me Thy Ways 5*, student text, student workbook with answer key and blueprint
- CHC test set
- CHC Scripture Memory program

HISTORY

- *Famous Men of Rome* includes student text, CHC quarterly exams and blueprint
- Student guide and teacher's guide/key with unit tests
- CHC *History Overlay*, 2nd ed.

SCIENCE

- *Zoology II: Swimming Creatures of the Fifth Day* includes student text and blueprint

Student Textbook includes:

- Aquatic Animals
 - Whales
 - Seals and Sea Cows
 - Aquatic Herps
 - Primitive Reptiles
 - Fish
 - Sharks and Rays
 - Crustaceans
 - Mollusks
 - Cephalods
 - Echinoderms
 - Cnidarians
 - Other Interesting Aquatic Animals
- Zoology II quarterly tests with answer key
 - Peterson *Seashores* Field Guide coloring book

MATH

- *MCP Mathematics Level E, 2005 ed.*, student book, teacher's manual and CHC blueprint

Student Textbook includes:

- Numbers and place value
- Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of whole numbers
- 1-digit division and 2-digit division
- Measurement
- Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of fractions
- Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of decimals
- Ratio and percent
- Graphs, statistics, and probability



Day-by-Day

A Day-by-Day will guide you through a 36-week school year.

A scheduling option that Covenant Home Curriculum offers is the complete listing of all courses and assignments on a day by day basis. Although the blueprints give you enough information to know how to divide up the textbooks and what to use for tests, some parents like to have the entire year mapped out for them.

The *Day-by-Day* does this, organizing every course, indicating when to introduce a text and how much to assign in each book. They are constructed on a 36-week academic year. Each week is complete in itself so that you may start with "Week 1" any time of the year, assigning your own dates.

Covenant Home *Day-by-Days* are included in the full curriculum option for Pre-school through 12th grade at no additional cost.

The *Day-by-Day* tells you exactly what to teach and precisely when to teach it. The order in which books should be used, the frequency of assignments, tests, quizzes, etc., are all shown in perfect detail. Of course, as you get into the swing of things, you will probably make changes and adjustments that suit your family's particular needs.

WEEK 6 - Grade 5								Date _____
	LANGUAGE <i>Roundup 5</i>	ETYMOLOGY <i>Wordly Wise Book 2</i>	BIBLE <i>Show Me Thy Ways 5</i>	LITERATURE <i>Outcast</i>	SCIENCE <i>Zoology II</i>	HISTORY <i>Famous Men of Rome</i>	MATH <i>MCP Math E, 2005 ed.</i>	BOOK RPTS/ READING COMP.
MONDAY	Lesson 8 TE, p.20 (Pretest) Handbook, p.4 Punct. Rules 1-3 Lesson 8 TE, p.21 (CLC) Record grade	Lesson 6 Pages 44-46 Word List Finding Meanings	Introduce Scripture Memory: Proverbs 1:9-16 Lesson 16 Pages 60-63	Chapter 11 <i>The Alcestis of the Rhemus Fleet</i> Pages 124-34 Answer questions		Blueprint, page 6 Study Questions for Lesson 3 SG, page 11 Activities	Pages 51,52	Finish reading the second book this week.
TUESDAY	Lesson 9 TE, p.22 (Pretest) Handbook, p.4 Punct. Rules 4,5 Activity 15	Pages 46,47 Just the Right Word	Write: Proverbs 1:9-16 Lesson 17 Pages 64-67	Answer Study Guide questions for Chap- ter 11	Read/narrate Pages 35-38 Record narration grade for pp. 19-38; including Q's from <i>What do you remember?</i> Pages 38,39 (Ans.p.219)	Lesson 4 The Tarquins Text, pages 19-23 Read/take notes SG, page 12 Facts to Know Vocabulary	Pages 53,54	
WEDNESDAY	Lesson 9 TE, p.23 (CLC) Record grade	Pages 47, 48 App. Meanings Wd. Relationships	Write: Proverbs 1:9-16 Lesson 18 Pages 68-71	Chapter 12 <i>Storm at Sea</i> Pages 135-46		Review/discuss reading assignment; SG, page 13. Discuss Comp. Q's in light of Romans 13:1- 7. (<i>Note that the fasces is the symbol of author- ity of the civil ruler.</i>) Write brief answers	Pages 55,56	
THURSDAY	Handbook, p.4 Review Punct. Rules 1-5 Activity 16—Quiz	The Narrative on page 48 has not been assigned. Consult the blueprint for explanation.	Practice orally: Proverbs 1:9-16 Assign workbook Pages 12,13	Answer Study Guide questions for Chap- ter 12	Notebook/Experiment Pages 39,40 Ocean Box Page 39	The Tarquins Outline and essay Discuss and grade	Pages 57,58	Finalize notetaking
FRIDAY	Lesson 10 TE, pp.24,25 (CLC) <i>Note: See if you can find the publisher's error on p.24!</i> Record grade	Check work/Correct mistakes Spelling Test	Recite Proverbs 1:9- 16 for a grade. Quiz Lessons 16-18 Check and record workbook/quiz grades	Correct Study Guide/ discuss Chapters 11,12		Blueprint, page 6 Study Questions for Lesson 4 SG, page 13 Activities (<i>Note: Ref. Romans 13:1-7 when discuss- ing #2.</i>)	Pages 59,60	Award a grade for the reading and note-tak- ing portions of the book report.