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HOMESCHOOL
Level 2

English, Math, Thinking, Computer
English—2

**Course Description:** Students will grow in their reading ability, reading both poetry and full-length novels. Students will practice retelling and summarizing stories as well as reading aloud in front of audiences. They will demonstrate comprehension through reading response questions. Students will also grow in their writing ability, learning by copying literature as well as by creating their own stories and producing a short piece of non-fiction. Their technical writing ability will be expanded by learning to write complex sentences. Students will continue to expand their vocabulary and spelling knowledge using worksheets as well as online games and activities. Grammar topics include capitalization, punctuation, sentence structure, nouns, pronouns and verbs.

**Reading List:**
Poetry by Walter De La Mare, James Riley, Christina Rossetti

Books: *The Adventures of Jimmy Skunk* and *The Adventures of Old Mr. Toad* by Thornton W. Burgess; *The Bobbsey Twins at Snow Lodge*, Hope
Short stories: Beatrice Potter stories, *Fifty Famous Stories*, and a variety of other short stories

Math—2

**Course Description:** Students will learn addition and subtraction facts to 18. They will learn place value and adding and subtracting tens and ones. They will be introduced to regrouping and carrying. These math facts will be applied toward solving word problems. Students will additionally develop their skills in counting, number comparison, geometry, money, time, measurement, fractions and graphing. Students will practice their skills using worksheets and online games, quizzes and activities.

Computer

**Course Description:** Students will understand basic computer and internet usage and obtain word processing skills as well as practice in depth with the following: first grade, typing; second grade, Paint, Publisher; third grade, Power Point; fourth grade, Scratch (computer programming); fifth grade, WordPress blogs; sixth grade, html; seventh grade, graphic design including photo manipulation; eighth grade, spreadsheets; high school computer courses are listed on the high school page. (Equivalent free software can be used for any of the listed programs.)

Thinking

**Course Description:** Students will develop their logical thinking skills while engaged in fun games.