## Daily Recitation

Prayer: Our Father

Pledge of Allegiance

Recite Alphabet (clearly saying each letter - no singing)

Count to 30 (by 1's)

Count to 20 by 2's

Count to 60 by 5's

Count to 100 by 10’s

Drill Questions (answer in complete sentence)

How many letters are in the alphabet?

There are 26 letters in the alphabet.

What are the two SIZES of letters?

The two sizes of letters are uppercase and lowercase.

What do we call uppercase letters?

We call uppercase letters capital letters.

What are the two TYPES of letters?

The two types of letters are consonants and vowels.

How many vowels are there?

There are five vowels: $a, e, l, o, u$.

What letter is sometimes a vowel?
$Y$ is sometimes a vowel.

What are the SHORT sounds of the vowels?

The short sounds are /a//e//i//o//u/. (parent clues: apple, elbow, inch, on, up)

What are the LONG vowel sounds?

The long vowel sounds are $A, E, I, O, U . \quad$ (their names)

## Geography \& Science:

How many continents are there?
There are 7 continents: North America, South America, Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, and Antarctica.

How many oceans are there?
There are 5 oceans: Atlantic, Pacific, Indian, Arctic, and Southern. (May recite in order of song: Indian, Arctic, Atlantic, Pacific, Southern.)

On which continent do we live?
We live on the continent of North America.
In which country do we live?
We live in the United States of America.
What is the capital of the United States of America?
The capital of the United States is Washington D.C.
How many states are there in the United States?
There are 50 states in the United States of America.
In which state do you live?
I live in the state of Florida.
In which city do you live?
I live in (Palm Bay, Melbourne).
On what planet do we live?
We live on planet earth.
How many planets are in our Solar System?
There are 8 planets and Pluto, a "dwarf planet."
Name all 9 planets in order from the Sun.
Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune.
What is the Sun?
The Sun is a star.

History:
Who is our current president?
Barack Obama is our current president.
Who was the first president of the United States?
George Washington was the first president of the United States.
When did Columbus discover America?
Columbus discovered America in 1492.
How many states are there in the U.S.?
There are 50 states.
How many stars are on our flag?
There are 50 stars on our flag.
How many stripes?
There are 13 stripes for the original 13 colonies.
What are the two parts of the Bible?
The Bible is divided into the Old Testament and the New Testament.
Name the four Gospels in the New Testament.
The four Gospels are Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John.
Time changed with the birth of Christ. A.D. means _(Anno Domini).
B.C. means _(before Christ) .

What does Anno Domini mean in English?
Anno Domini is Latin for Year of the Lord.

Grammar:
What is a noun?

A noun is the name of a person, place, thing, or idea.
What is a pronoun?
A pronoun is a word used in place of a noun.

