



**Cobb School**

*Experience-based education*



**Kindergarten  
Preview  
2010-2011**



## Teacher - Mr. Jackson

Born/Educated: Ashland, Oregon

BA Degree: - Northwest Nazarene College

Major - Religious Ed.

Minor - Music/Elementary Ed.

Post Graduate: Southern Oregon University

Elementary Education Certificate - 1976

Career: 1976-1994 Various Staff Positions

Church of the Nazarene

1995-present - Cobb School Teacher

Married: 37 years - 2 married children

1 grandchild

## SPECIALS

### $\frac{1}{2}$ Hour per Class

Spanish: 3 days per week

Music: 2 days per week

Art: 2 days per week

P.E.: 2 days per week

Computers: 2 days per week

# CURRICULUM

Reading: Letters/sound recognition using stories, crafts, and worksheets.  
Read Well program for First Grade.  
Lots of reading experience is gained.

Math: Everyday Math using hands on manipulatives, games, and activities.

Social Studies: Nystrom Social Studies/map skills.  
Unit starts with:  
Why we are special.  
Family and Friends  
School Community  
The community we live in  
Our country and world  
Learn to read and make maps

Science: Theme Based Unit: Oceans  
Using a variety of materials taken from teaching sites, books, etc.  
Teaching will center on sea animals.

Theme: Studies will be centered around Holidays (Halloween, Christmas, Winter Holidays, Valentines, Easter, etc.)

Special Days:  
100th day, Dr. Seuss, etc.  
Monthly Themes:  
Dental, Black History, etc.

# DISCIPLINE

1. Stoplight behavior clips
2. Reward beads are given for positive behavior.
3. Warnings are given for undesirable behavior.
4. If warnings do not work, clips are then moved.
5. Time out from a desired activity will then be enforced and beads removed.
6. Parent conference will then be requested.
7. A behavioral plan will then be put into place.

# PHILOSOPHY

I believe in making your child's first year in school fun and really awesome. Your child will be introduced to a wide variety of information. Knowledge gained is a plus. I will make every effort to create a positive environment which encourages learning.

# MISCELLANEOUS

Weekly Show - n - Tell  
Reading Buddies  
Daily free play times  
Graduation  
Year end field trip  
Weekly Newsletter  
Daily snacks provided by parents.