

**West Manor Elementary School  
Programme of Inquiry**

	August-September	October- November	December-January	February- March	March- April	April- May
<b>Kindergarten</b>	<b>How We Express Ourselves</b>	<b>Who We Are</b> Families organize, help, and celebrate each other		<b>Sharing the Planet</b>	<b>Where We Are in Place and Time</b> People use their environment to orient their place in the world	
	Rules help people communicate			Organisms depend on their environment to live		
<b>First</b>	<b>Who We Are</b>	<b>Where We Are in Place and Time</b>	<b>How the World Works</b>	<b>Sharing the Planet</b>	<b>How We Express Ourselves</b>	<b>How We Organize Ourselves</b>
	Beliefs and values determine identity	Innovation connects communities	Scientific discovery improves daily life	Living things share resources to survive	Sound impacts self-expression	Living things use systems to maintain balance
<b>Second</b>	<b>Who We Are</b>	<b>Where We Are in Place and Time</b>	<b>How We Express Ourselves</b>	<b>How the World Works</b>	<b>How We Organize Ourselves</b>	<b>Sharing the Planet</b>
	Humans have natural and social identities	Discovery helps us understand our place in time	Personal experiences determine culture	Pushes and pulls occur in nature	Cycles help economies function	Communities are responsible for how they produce, distribute, and consume resources
<b>Third</b>	<b>Sharing the Planet</b>	<b>Where We Are in Place and Time</b>	<b>Who We Are</b>	<b>How We Organize Ourselves</b>	<b>How We Express Ourselves</b>	<b>How the World Works</b>
	Action impacts the environment	Communities migrate as their needs change	People have rights and responsibilities within a culture	Citizens decide how to organize	Expression communicates the values of a community	Processes help people

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<b>Fourth</b>	<b>How We Express Ourselves</b>	<b>How We Organize Ourselves</b>	<b>Where We Are in Place and Time</b>	<b>Sharing the Planet</b>	<b>Who We Are</b>	<b>How the World Works</b>
	Change is influenced by expression	Structure determines the way society functions	Culture develops over time	Humans struggle with peace and conflict resolution	We define who we are within communities	Nature impacts the economy
<b>Fifth</b>	<b>How We Organize Ourselves</b>	<b>How the World Works</b>	<b>Who We Are</b>	<b>Where We Are in Place and Time</b>	<b>Sharing the Planet</b>	<b>How We Express Ourselves</b>
	Systems establish structure and purpose	Innovation creates opportunity	Change in form creates change in identity	Significant events shape history	Force affects how living things share the environment	The ways we communicate perspectives can influence others