



கலிஃபோர்னியா தமிழ்க் கழகம்

Skillset



Grade Level	Age	Skills	Oral	Writing
Preschool I	3 and above.	Attention span for an hour or so. Potty trained. Able to be separated from parents. Preschool and/or day care experience is preferred. Able to listen and follow. Able to control emotions.	Body parts, family, Colors, Fruits, flowers, house animals, wild animals, birds, numbers, actions, Simple songs	Coloring Letters
Preschool II	4 and above.	Attention span for an hour or so Potty trained. Able to be separated from parents. Preschool and/or day care experience is preferred. Able to listen and follow. Able to control emotions Writing motor skills. Coloring skills.	Actions (walk, run, read, write, listen, etc), Weekdays, months, numbers, Relations, colors, body parts, Vegetables, fruits, flowers Farm animals, wild animals, birds	Coloring Letters

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Basic - 1	5 and above.	Letters/ Alphabet: உயிர் எழுத்துக்கள், மெய் எழுத்துக்கள், உயிர்மெய் எழுத்துக்கள்: க - ன, & கா - னா Two letter Words	Differentiate long/short sounds Hard, soft and medial consonants	Read simple words. Reading simple phrases.	Write letters and words.	Actions (walk, run, read, write, listen, etc), Days of the week, Numbers, relations, colors, body parts,	Family members, numbers, vegetables and fruits.

						vegetables, fruits, flowers, house animals, wild animals, and birds. Recite short rhymes Ability to narrate short stories, answer simple questions.	
Basic - 2	6 and above.	Letters/ Alphabet: உயிர்மெய் எழுத்துக்கள்: கி - னி, கீ - னீ; கு - னு & கூ - னூ Words and simple phrases	Differentiate long/short sounds Introduction to pronouns.	Read simple words. Reading simple phrases/ Sentences.	Write letters and words. Write words based on its pronunciation	Actions (walk, run, read, write, listen, etc), Pronouns (I, you, he, she, it, we, they), Common words used at home (plate, food, brush, bath, etc), taste (sweet, spicy, sour, salty, etc), Days of the week, Months, numbers, body parts. Recite short rhymes Ability to narrate short stories,	Letters and words, and Days of the week.

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Grade - 1	7 and above.	<p>Entire Tamil alphabet set</p> <p>Complete learning of உயிர் எழுத்துக்கள், மெய் எழுத்துக்கள் and உயிர்மெய் எழுத்துக்கள்</p> <p>Words and simple phrases/ sentences/ paragraphs and short stories.</p> <p>Learn how to break a word into its components</p>	<p>Differentiate long/short sounds; start to differentiate hard and soft sounds in letters.</p> <p>Pronouns</p>	<p>Read phrases, simple sentences and short stories.</p> <p>Comprehend what is read</p>	<p>Write entire alphabets, words, and simple sentences,</p>	<p>Taste (sweet, spicy, sour, salty, etc), seasons, colors, vegetables, fruits, farm animals, wild animals, sounds of animals and birds, pronouns and directions.</p> <p>Topics on family, school, friendship, health, sun and rain.</p> <p>Narrate incidents and stories, talk about an animal/bird/festival.</p> <p>Answer to simple oral questions.</p>	<p>On letters and words, family, seasons, months and summary of a story and describing their favorite characters and scene from that story.</p>
Grade - 2	8 and above.	<p>Introduce new words, their pronunciation, meaning and usage,</p>	<p>ஒலி வேறுபாடு, ஆண்பால் -</p>	<p>Read stories and songs and</p>	<p>Write words and simple sentences.</p>	<p>Discuss about different places and situations in</p>	<p>Creating their own stories with</p>

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		in addition to the basic vocabulary words learnt in prior grades, Read sentences fluently. Make simple oral sentences. Story building based on picture(s). Rearranging sentences in the correct order.	பெண்பால், குறில் - நெடில் வாக்கியங்கள், எகர - ஓகர வேறுபாட்டுச் சொற்கள், ஏகார - ஓகார வேறுபாட்டுச் சொற்கள், வினாவெழுத்துக்கள்.	comprehend their meaning.	Fill in the conversations based on the pictures given. Understand the sentence and fill in the suitable word.	Tamil. Follow instructions in Tamil. Conversational topics on savings, market, park, mother's day etc. Create their own book on animals (based on the type of food they eat, farm animals, wild animals, pet birds and wild birds).	moral Talking on different topics like their favorite book, fruit, vegetable, festival etc.
Grade - 3	9 and above.	Knowledge of basic vocabulary and introduction of new words. வடமொழிச் சொற்கள், உயிரினங்களின் ஒலிகள், ர,ற, ன,ண, ல,ள,ழ வேறுபாடுகள், நிறுத்தல் குறி	ர, ற, ன, ண, ல, ள, ழ வேறுபாடுகள், நிறுத்தல் குறி (punctuation marks), வேற்றுமை உருபுகள் ஒருமை பன்மை வினையடை,	Ability to read without any help. Read stories and comprehend their meaning. Read about Athichudi Thirukkural and	Write a sentence with correct vettruma urubu. Learn to write sentences with adjectives and adverb. Able to arrange simple sentences in	Narrate incidents and stories without much prompting, should have the ability to describe places and things, converse well in Tamil and answer questions asked in Tamil. Converse on topics about zoo,	Describe about newspaper clippings and field trip.

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		<p>(punctuation marks),</p> <p>Introducing வேற்றுமை உருபுகள்</p> <p>ஒருமை பன்மை</p> <p>வினையடை, பெயரடை,</p> <p>தன்மை, முன்னிலை, படர்க்கை</p> <p>வாக்கியங்களை வரிசைப்படுத்து,</p> <p>காலங்கள்</p> <p>இரட்டைக் கிளவி,</p> <p>வினா எழுத்து.</p>	<p>பெயரடை,</p> <p>தன்மை, முன்னிலை, படர்க்கை</p> <p>காலங்கள்,</p> <p>இரட்டைக் கிளவி,</p> <p>வினா எழுத்து.</p>	<p>comprehend their meaning.</p>	<p>order. (3 words)</p> <p>Introducing comprehension.</p> <p>Able to write a short story using the pictures provided.</p>	<p>school, outing, places, market, bird park.</p> <p>Create own stories using picture clips.</p> <p>Conversation through games.</p> <p>Project presentations - Describe about newspaper clippings and field trip.</p>	
Grade - 4	10 and above.	<p>Knowledge of basic vocabulary and introduce new words.</p> <p>Focus more on வேற்றுமை உருபு,</p> <p>பெயரெச்சம், வினையெச்சம்,</p>	<p>வேற்றுமை உருபு,</p> <p>பெயரெச்சம், வினையெச்சம்,</p> <p>ஒலி வேறுபாடு,</p> <p>இணைப்புச் சொல்,</p>	<p>Fluent reading and pronunciation skills.</p> <p>Read stories and comprehend their</p>	<p>Able to write with adverbs and adjectives.</p> <p>Able to work on comprehension.</p> <p>Able to</p>	<p>Converse well in Tamil.</p> <p>Understand instructions provided in Tamil.</p> <p>Understand stories and</p>	<p>Create a story and describe about festivals.</p>

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		<p>ஒலி வேறுபாடு,</p> <p>எதிர்ச்சொல்(opposites)</p> <p>ஒரு பொருள் பல சொல்,</p> <p>இணைப்புச் சொல்,</p> <p>காலங்கள், நிறுத்தல் குறி,</p> <p>வாக்கியங்களை வகைப்படுத்து</p> <p>அடுக்குத் தொடர்,</p> <p>வாக்கியங்களை இணைத்தல்,</p> <p>Crossword puzzles.</p>	<p>காலங்கள், நிறுத்தல் குறி,</p> <p>அடுக்குத் தொடர்,</p>	<p>meaning.</p> <p>Read about Kondrai venthan Thirukkural and comprehend its meaning.</p>	<p>combine two simple sentences into one sentence. (3 word sentences).</p> <p>Able to split a simple sentence into two sentences. (3 word sentences).</p> <p>Able to arrange the simple sentences in order. (3 to 4 words)</p> <p>Able to analyze and write about a short story that they have read.</p>	<p>conversations.</p> <p>Conversational topics on festival, celebration, community services, places.</p> <p>Making their own creative stories using pictures.</p> <p>Project presentations - Create a story and describe about festivals.</p>	
Grade - 5	11 and above.	Knowledge of basic vocabulary and introduction of new	வேற்றுமை உருபு, பெயரடை,	Excellent reading and pronunciation	Focus on letter writing.	Able to freely converse in Tamil.	Moral stories and games.

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		<p>words.</p> <p>Translate a paragraph,</p> <p>Crossword Puzzle,</p> <p>வேற்றுமை உருபு,</p> <p>பெயரடை,</p> <p>பெயரெச்சம்,</p> <p>வாக்கியங்களை சரியாக வரிசைப்படுத்துதல்,</p> <p>திருக்குறள்,</p> <p>புதிய சொல் உருவாக்குதல்,</p> <p>ஒருமை, பன்மை,</p> <p>காலங்கள்.</p>	<p>பெயரெச்சம்,</p> <p>ஒருமை, பன்மை</p> <p>காலங்கள்.</p>	<p>skills.</p> <p>Read stories and comprehend their meaning.</p> <p>Read about Thirukkural and comprehend their meaning.</p>	<p>Special attention to learning correct sentence formations.</p> <p>Able to translate paragraph from Tamil to English.</p> <p>Able to write a short essay about wonders of the world, famous people, library etc.</p> <p>Continue to improve comprehension skills.</p> <p>Able to write verbal noun. (தொழிற்பெயர்)</p>	<p>Make speeches, narrations.</p> <p>Narrate stories, jokes, tell about incidents, visits, and describe an item or picture.</p> <p>Project presentations - moral stories and games.</p>	

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					<p>Able to combine two simple sentences into one sentence. (3 to 4 word sentences).</p> <p>Able to split a simple sentence into two sentences. (3 to 4 word sentences).</p> <p>Able to arrange the simple sentences in order. (4 to 5 words)</p> <p>Learn to rearrange sentences to form a sequential, coherent</p>		

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					paragraph. Learn to write Homonym.		
Grade - 6	12 and above.	<p>Knowledge of basic vocabulary and introduction of new words.</p> <p>Focus more on Translate a paragraph,</p> <p>Essay writing,</p> <p>சொல் உருவாக்கு,</p> <p>கருத்தறிதல்,</p> <p>ஒலி வேறுபாட்டுச் சொற்கள்</p> <p>திருக்குறள்.</p>	<p>வேற்றுமை உருபு, ஒருமை, பன்மை,</p> <p>ஆண்பால், பெண்பால், காலங்கள்,</p> <p>பெயரெச்சம், வினையெச்சம்.</p>	<p>Ability to freely converse in Tamil.</p> <p>Continue to read about Thirukkural comprehend their meaning. Also focus on reading with proper modulation.</p>	<p>Ability to write grammatically proper sentences and short paragraphs in Tamil.</p> <p>Proficient in combining two complex sentences into one sentence.</p> <p>Proficient in splitting a complex sentence into two sentences.</p> <p>Proficient in arranging the complex sentences in order. (5 to 6</p>	<p>Provide speeches, narrate stories, jokes, tell about incidents, visits, and describe an item.</p> <p>Special attention in delivering short speeches in both colloquial and pure form of Tamil on a given topic.</p>	<p>Ambition in life, about Tamil, tourist attractions.</p>

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					<p>words)</p> <p>Proficient in rearranging complex sentences to form a sequential, coherent paragraph.</p> <p>Learn to write Homonym.</p> <p>Ability to translate short paragraphs and sentences from Tamil to English.</p> <p>Special attention and training will be given in writing short essays using pictures.</p>		
Grade - 7	13 and	Knowledge of basic vocabulary and	வேற்றுமை உருபு,	Excellent reading and	Able to write a letter on	Special attention and training will	Greatness of Tamil nadu,

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	above.	<p>introduction of new words.</p> <p>Focus more on Essay writing,</p> <p>Translate a paragraph,</p> <p>Correcting the spelling of the word,</p> <p>வேற்றுமை உருபு,</p> <p>ஒலி வேறுபாட்டுச் சொற்கள்,</p> <p>வாக்கிய அமைப்பு,</p> <p>திருக்குறள்.</p>	பெரெச்சம், வினையெச்சம்	<p>pronunciation skill.</p> <p>Continue to read about Thirukkural comprehend their meaning. Also focus on reading with proper modulation.</p>	<p>any subject.</p> <p>Advanced proficiency in combining two complex sentences in to one sentence.</p> <p>Advanced proficiency in splitting a complex sentence into two sentences</p> <p>Advanced proficiency in arranging the complex sentences in order. (6 to 7 words)</p> <p>Advanced proficiency in rearranging complex sentences to</p>	<p>be given to students so that they can write about any topic given, in Tamil.</p> <p>Special attention and training will be given to students speak about any given topic or picture in Tamil.</p>	Famous person's life history.

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					<p>form a sequential, coherent paragraph.</p> <p>Proficient to write Homonym.</p> <p>Excellent in translating short paragraphs and sentences from Tamil to English.</p> <p>Excellent in writing grammatically proper sentences and essays in Tamil.</p>		