

At Valverde we are excited to provide a well-rounded academic curriculum for all of our students. We serve students in ECE3 through 5th grades. All students are supported both socially-emotionally and academically. Please see our academic offerings here!

Valverde Academic Programming			
Literacy		Math	
ECE3 - Kinder	<u>Tools of the Mind</u> <i>A systematic play-based theme curriculum designed to foster children's executive functioning, which involves developing self-regulation, working memory, and cognitive flexibility. Focused on the connection between reading and writing, students write messages on a daily basis!</i>	ECE	<u>Tools of the Mind</u> <i>A systematic play-based curriculum designed to foster children's executive functioning, which involves developing self-regulation, working memory, and cognitive flexibility.</i>
1st-2nd Grades	<u>Benchmark Advance</u> <i>A comprehensive Reading/Language Arts program built to address key shifts in curriculum and instruction to meet the rigor and expectations of the Common Core State Standards</i>	Kinder - 5th Grades	<u>Bridges</u> <i>A comprehensive PK–5 curriculum that equips teachers to fully implement the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics in a manner that is rigorous, coherent, engaging, and accessible to all learners. It targets students conceptual understanding of mathematical concepts in a collaborative and comprehensive system.</i>
3rd-5th Grades	<u>Expeditionary Learning</u> <i>A comprehensive, standards-based core literacy program that engages teachers and students through compelling, real world content and builds equitable and inclusive learning opportunities for all students</i>		
English Language Development (ELD)		Science	
Kinder - 5th Grades	<u>EL Achieve</u> <i>A Systematic ELD curriculum that provides instruction in the English language as its own subject of study designed to grow students' proficiency in English</i>	Kinder - 5th Grades	<u>Foss Kits</u> <i>A research-based science curriculum for grades K-8 with a belief that science is a creative and analytic enterprise, made active by our human capacity to think.</i>
		Kinder - 5th Grades	<u>Tracks</u> <i>A program that allows K through grade 5 students to interact like scientists,</i>

		<p><i>participating in inquiry-based activities while also developing important reading, writing, and critical-thinking skills</i></p>
<p align="center">Specials (Enrichment) *Provided for all students ECE-5th Grade*</p>		
<p align="center">ECE3 - 5th Grades - Art</p>	<p><i>We provide all of our students with an engaging teacher-designed art curriculum. Students get to explore their artistic abilities, drawing, painting and completing hands-on art projects throughout the year!</i></p>	
<p align="center">ECE3 - 5th Grades - Physical Education</p>	<p><i>All students get to challenge themselves physically playing fun games and doing obstacle courses to improve their gross motor skills during PE. Our students love challenging themselves on our Valverde Rock Climbing wall!</i></p>	
<p align="center">ECE3 - 5th Grades - Music</p>	<p><i>Students' musical abilities are developed during music where they get to learn how to read music, create music, and learn how to play different musical instruments. They also get to perform in shows each year based on the work they do during music class. Some of our recent shows include Coco, The Jungle Book, The Nutcracker, and more!</i></p>	