Elementary School Classification System

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* The Living World
  + Animals
    - Wild Animals (By Class then Name)
      * Mammals
        + Cats
        + Bears
        + Etc.
      * Reptiles
        + Etc
    - Domesticated Animals (By Name)
      * Cow (all types)
      * Dogs (all types)
      * Etc.
      * Working Animals
  + Plants
    - Trees
    - Plants
    - Flowers
    - Fungi
  + Agriculture
    - The Farm
      * Farm Equipment
      * Barns and Farm Buildings
      * Farm Crops
    - The Garden
      * Garden Plants
        + Fruits and Vegetables
        + Flowers and Houseplants
    - Soil
  + Dinosaurs and Pre-Historic Life
    - Dinosaurs
    - Pre-historic Plants
    - Pre-historic Animals
* STEM
  + Science
    - Life Science
      * Biomes
        + Tundra
        + Grasslands
        + Etc.
      * Food Webs
    - Earth Science
      * Geology
        + Fossils
        + Rocks and Minerals
      * Forces of Nature
        + Volcanoes
        + Earthquakes
        + Glaciers
        + Tsunamis
        + Etc.
      * Landforms
        + Mountains
        + Oceans
        + Rivers
        + Lakes
        + Etc.
    - Weather / Severe Weather
      * Hurricanes
      * Tornados
      * Lightning
      * Etc.
    - Seasons
    - Space
      * Planets
      * The Sun
      * The Moon
      * Stars
      * Space Travel
    - Physics
      * Energy and Forces
        + Heat
        + Light
        + Sound
        + Motion
        + Weight
        + Magnets
        + Gravity
      * Building Blocks
        + Elements
        + Atoms
    - Science Experiments
  + Technology
    - Transportation
      * Ground
        + Cars
        + Trucks
        + Motorcycles
        + Bicycles
        + Motorsports (eg. Snowmobiles, BMX, NASCAR)
      * Air
      * Water
  + Engineering (architecture etc)
    - Construction
      * Construction Equipment
      * Materials
        + Wood
        + Plastic
        + Glass
        + Etc.
    - Architecture
      * Bridges
      * Dams
      * Buildings
      * Etc.
    - Inventions and Inventors
    - Futurism
    - Communication Technologies
      * Computers
      * Internet
      * Etc.
    - Television and Movies
      * The Technology
      * Making Movies/TV shows
      * History of
      * Books about movies/shows
        + Star Wars Vehicles
    - Energy
      * Natural Resources
      * Electricity
  + Mathematics
    - Time
    - Numbers
    - Measurement
    - Computation
      * Addition
      * Subtraction
      * Etc.
    - Advanced Math
* Healthy Living
  + Health
    - The Body
    - Exercise
  + Medicine
    - Diseases
    - First Aid
    - Medical Technology
    - Death
  + Food and Cooking
    - Cookbooks
    - Special Diets
    - International Foods
    - Holiday Foods
    - Historical Foods
    - Types of Food
      * Sugar
      * Meat
      * Etc.
* The Arts
  + Art and Artists
    - Artistic Concepts
      * Color
      * Perspective
      * Etc.
    - Drawing
    - Painting
    - Sculpture
    - Art History
    - Artists and their works
  + Music
    - Musical Concepts
    - Instruments
      * Woodwinds
      * Brass
      * Strings
      * Vocal
      * Etc.
    - Music History
    - Musicians and their works
  + Theatre Arts
    - Theatre Concepts
    - Theatre History
    - Dramas
    - Musicals
* Play
  + Sports
    - Football
    - Baseball
    - Horsemanship
    - Hunting/Fishing
    - Camping/Hiking
    - Winter sports
    - Etc.
  + Toys
  + Games
    - Video
    - Analog
  + Jokes and Riddles
  + Puzzles
    - Crafts and Hobbies
    - Woodworking
    - Metalworking
    - Paper crafts
    - Knitting
    - Sewing
    - Collecting
    - Etc.
* Social Studies (history and political geography)
  + History and Countries
    - Local
    - State (New York)
      * Erie Canal
    - US
      * Native People
      * Pre-Colonial
      * Colonial
      * Revolutionary
      * Civil War and Reconstruction
      * The States
      * Etc.
    - World
      * The Americas
      * Asia
      * Australia and Pacific Islands
      * Europe
      * Africa
      * Middle East
      * United Nations
    - Explorers
  + Government
    - Executive
    - Legislative
    - Judicial
    - The Military
      * Military Vehicles
      * Branches of Service
      * Weapons
    - Special Agencies
      * FBI
      * CIA
      * Sky Marshals
      * Etc.
  + Communities and Community Helpers
    - The Hospital
      * Doctors
      * Ambulances
      * EMTS
    - The Police Station
      * Police
        + Crime
        + Forensics
    - The Fire Department
    - The Library
    - The Market
    - The Museum
    - The School
    - The College or University
    - The Bank
    - Journalism
    - Careers
    - Community Groups
    - Holidays and Traditions
    - Clothes and Costumes
    - Rural communities
    - Urban communities
  + The Environment
    - Trash
    - Pollution
    - Recycling
    - Sustainable Energy
  + Community Issues
    - Terrorism
    - Sexism
    - Racism
    - Child Abuse
    - Bullying
    - Death and Dying
  + Religion
    - Alphabetical by religion (mythology under traditional literature)
* Languages
  + History of Languages
  + ELA Concepts
    - Rhyming
    - Alliteration
    - Etc.
  + LOTE
  + Sign Language
  + Writing
  + Language Reference Books
* Fiction
  + Poetry
  + Fantasy
    - Collections
    - By Author
  + Historical
    - Collections
    - By Author
  + Pullout Series
  + Traditional Literature
    - Mythology
    - Folk/Fairy Tales by Region
    - The Supernatural and Unexplained / Modern Legends
  + Literary Criticism

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