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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