Pre- Kindergarten Reading Syllabus

1 st Semester	
	Oral Language
	- Build Concepts
	- Oral Vocabulary
	- Review Sight Words
	- Learn New Sight Words
	Shared Reading
	- Reading Strategies
	- Activate Prior Knowledge
	- Recall and Retell
	- Use Illustrations
	- Listening Comprehension
	- Compare and Contrast (Sequence)
	- Character (Plot)
	- Main Idea (Compare and Contrast)
	Letters and Sounds
	- Letter Knowledge
	- Introduce Vv
August - December	- Introduce Zz
August - December	- Introduce Yy
	- Produce Rhyme
	- Identify Number of Syllables
	- Identify Initial Sounds
	Language Arts
	- Writing
	- Sound-Letter Connection
	- Use a Story Web
	- Determine Format
	- Draft a Story
	- Signs for Jobs
	- Singular and Plural
	- Speaking and Listening
	- Speaking in Formal and Informal Settings
	- Give Multi-step Directions
	- Social-Emotional
	- Social Awareness (Participation & Cooperation)
	- Self –Direction and Responsibility

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2 nd Semester	
	Oral Language
	- Build Concepts
	- Oral Vocabulary
	- Review Sight Words
	- Learn New Sight Words
	Shared Reading
	- Recognize Text Structure: Story
	- Recall and Retell
	- Plot (Realism and Fantasy)
	- Main Idea (Compare and Contrast)
	Letter and Sounds
	- Letter Knowledge
	- Introduce Qq
	- Sounds and Letters
	- Substitute Initial Sounds
	- Blend Onset and Rime
January May	- Phonological Awareness
<u> January - May</u>	<u>Language Arts</u>
	- Writing Revising and Conferencing
	- Ad Details
	- Write a Friendly Letter
	- Edit and Proofread
	- Write for Enjoyment
	- Publish
	- Share Writing
	- Proper Nouns and Adjectives
	- Speaking and Listening
	- Interview a Worker
	- Retell the Story
	- Clarify and Ask for Clarification
	- Social-Emotional
	- Interaction with Others
	- Attempt Different Strategies to Solve a Problem
	- Desire to Explore

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The semester Get ready to read - Phonological/Phonemic Awareness Initial and Final /h/, /l/, /g/, /j/, /w/, /ks/, /v/, /z/, /y/, /kw/ Initial and Medial /e/, /u/, /a/, /o/ Consonant Blends with l, r, t, p
Phonological/Phonemic Awareness Initial and Final /h/, /l/, /g/, /j/, /w/, /ks/, /v/, /z/, /y/, /kw/ Initial and Medial /e/, /u/, /a/, /o/ Consonant Blends with l, r, t, p
- Letter Recognition/Phonics - Decode Words - Short Vowels and Consonants - Sound Spelling - Consonant Blends - Letters Aa-Zz - Long Aa-Zz - Long Aa-Zz - High - Frequency Words - are, that, do, one, two, three, four, five, here, go, from, here, little, with, what, where, is, go, that, come, the, was, to, like, for, of, my, we, yellow have, they, blue, you, see, said, look - Read and Comprehend - Comprehension - Skill Character - Skill Setting - Skill Setting - Skill Sequence - Skill Classify and Categorize - Skill Compare and Contrast - Skill Cause and Effect - Skill Skill Setting - Skill Realism and Fantasy - Skill Cause and Effect - Skill Dava Conclusions - Language Arts - Writing - Directions; Poems; Descriptions; List; Informal Letter; Caption - Rhyme; Formal Letter, Invitation; How-to-Report, Song, Report - Conventions - Naming Parts; Action Parts; Complete Sentences; Telling Sentences - Capital Letters and Periods; Pronouns/ and me; Questions; Question - Marks and Uppercase Letters; Prepositional Phrases; Nouns - Nouns in Sentences; Verbs; Exclamations; Complete Sentences - Listening & Speaking - Give Directions; Compare and Contrast; Listen for Story Elements; Character - Listen to Poems; Ask and Answer Questions; Darma. Respond to - Literature; Discuss Literarcy; Oral Presentation: Book - Report; Description Discuss Literacy Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy; Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy; Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy; Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy; Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy; Features: Plot, Character, settings; - Recite Language; Discuss Literacy; Features: Plot, Character, s

First Grade Reading Syllabus

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Semester	
	Get ready to read
	- Phonemic Awareness
	Initial, Medial, and Final Phonemes/ Isolate; Segment and Blend Phonemes; Blend Onsets and Rimes
	Rhyming Words; Identify Syllables; Count Phonemes; Segment and Count Phonemes; Add Initial
	Phonemes; Segment and Blend Syllables; Segment and Blend Words; Distinguish /a/, /i/, /o/, /e/, /u/ - Letter Recognition/ Phonics
	- Letter Recognition/ Phonics Short Vowels and Consonants; Inflected Endings –s and –ing; Initial Consonant Blends; Final
	Consonant Blends; Syllable Pattern CV; Consonant Patterns; Compound Words; Adding Endings;
	Contractions; Comparative Endings;
	- Spelling
	Spell Words; Short a, i, o, e, u Words; Inflected Ending –s; Vowel Sounds; Consonant Patterns ng, nk;
	Words with es, ed, er, ir, ur, est
	- Frequency
	Reread for Fluency
	Read and Comprehend
	- High-Frequency Words
	a, green, I, see, like, one, the, we, do, look, was, yellow, you, are, have, that, they, two, he, is, three, to,
	with, for, go, here, me, where, come, in, my, on, way, she, take, up, what, blue, from, get, help, little,
	use, eat, five, four, her, this, too, saw, small, tree, your, home, into, many, them, always, become, day,
	everything, nothing, stays, things, any, enough, ever, every, own, sure, were, away, car, friends, house,
	our, school, very, afraid, again, few, how, read, soon, done, know, push, visit, wait, before, does, good-
	bye, oh, right, won't
	- Comprehension
	Skill Character/ Strategy Questioning; Skill Setting/ Strategy Predict and Set Purpose;
	Skill Sequence; Skill Classify and Categorize; Skill Compare and Contrast; Skill Main Idea Skill Realism and Fantasy; Skill Plot/ Strategy Story Structure, Monitor and Clarify, Summarize; Skill
	Realism & Fantasy/ Strategy Questioning, Background Knowledge; Skill Cause and Effect; Skill
	Draw Conclusions; Skill Character and Setting/ Monitor and Clarify, Visualize; Skill Main Idea and
August -	Details Strategy Important Ideas, Story Structure; Skill Cause and Effect/ Strategy Text Structure; Fact
December	and Opinion; Author's Purpose; Inferring
December	- Vocabulary
	Sort Nouns; Descriptive Words; Sort Verbs; Sort Descriptive Words; Use Descriptive Words
	Sort Words, Words for Location, Alphabetize; Synonyms; Alphabetize to the Second Letter;
	Antonyms; Dictionary/Glossary; Context Clues
	- Fluency
	Accuracy; Rate; Accuracy and Appropriate Rate; Appropriate Phrasing; Expression and Intonation
	Language Arts
	- Writing
	Nouns in Sentences; Verbs in Sentences; Simple Sentences; Sentences with Adjectives;
	Sentences with Nouns, Verbs, and Adjectives/ Trait: Sentences; Story/ Trait: Voice; Fantasy Story/
	Trait: Conventions; Short Poem/ Trait: Sentences; Personal Narrative/ Trait: Voice; Realistic Story/
	Trait: Organization; Brief Composition/ Trait: Focus/Ideas; Comments about Story/ Trait: Voice;
	Summary/ Trait: Conventions; Lists/ Trait: Sentences; Captions and Pictures/ Trait: Focus/Ideas; Play
	Scene/ Trait: Sentences
	- Conventions Nouve for Roomle, Animals, and Things: Nouve for Places, Verbs, Simple Sentances, Adjustives
	Nouns for People, Animals, and Things; Nouns for Places, Verbs, Simple Sentences, Adjectives, Sentences; Subject of Sentences; Predicates of Sentences, Declarative Sentences; Interrogative
	Sentences, Subject of Sentences, Fredicates of Sentences, Dectarative Sentences, Interrogative Sentences; Exclamatory Sentences; Action Verbs; Verbs that Add –s; Verbs that do not add –s; Verbs
	for Past/Future; Verbs Am, Is, Are, Was, and Were; Contractions with Not
	- Listening & Speaking
	Participate in a Discussion; Follow Instructions; Restate Instructions; Give Directions; Ask Questions
	and follow/ Restate Directions; Ask Questions and Retell Stories; Share Information and Ideas; Give
	Introductions; Give Descriptions; Poetry Presentation; Give Announcements
	- Research Skills
	Parts of a Book; Signs; Maps; Calendar; Library/Media Center; Selecting Books; Media
	Center/Library; Picture Dictionary; How to Read a Chart; List; Notes; Interview; Glossary;
	Classifying/Categorizing; Diagram; My Computer; Picture Graph

First Grade Reading Syllabus

2 nd	
Semester	
	Get ready to read
	- Phonemic Awareness
	Segment and Blend Phonemes; Segment and Blend Words; Distinguish Between Long a and /a/, i and /i/, o and /o/, u and /u/, e and /e/; Change Initial Phonemes; Isolate Initial Phonemes; Segment and Blend Syllables; Change Phonemes; Remove Phonemes; Create Words; Rhyming Words - Letter Recognition/ Phonics
	Consonant Digraphs sh, th; Vowel Sound; Contractions; Inflected Ending –ed; Syllables VC/CV; Vowel Digraphs ai, ay, ea, oa, ow, ie, igh, ue, ew, ui; Three-Letter Consonant Blends; Consonant Patterns; Compound Words; Suffixes ly, ful; Singular and Plural Possessives; Adding Endings; Diphthongs ow, ou, oi, oy; Vowel Patterns; Suffixes; Prefixes - Spelling
	Words with sh,th; Long a, e, i, o, u; Words with ai, ay, ea, oa, ow, ie, igh; Compound Words; Words with Suffixes ly, ful; Words with ow, ou, oo, oi, oy, aw; Prefixes un, re
	Read and Comprehend
	- High-Frequency Words
	Catch, good, no, put, said, want, be, could, horse, of, old, paper, live, out, people, who, work, down, Inside, not, there, together, around, find, food, grow, under, water, also, family, new, other, some, their, about, enjoy, give, surprise, worry, would, colors, draw, dry, great, over, show, sign, found, mouth, once, took, wild, above, eight, laugh, moon, touch, picture, remember, room, stood, thought, across, because, dance, only, opened, shoes, told, along, behind, eyes, never, pulling, toward, door, loved, should, wood, among, another, instead, none, against, goes, heavy, kinds, today, built, early, learn, science, though, answered, carry, different, poor - Comprehension
<u>January –</u> May	Sequence; Predict and Set Purpose; Cause and Effect; Monitor and Clarify; Author's Purpose; Important Idea; Inferring; Background Knowledge; Compare and Contrast; Questioning; Draw Conclusions; Theme; Visualize; Facts and Details; Important Ideas; Story Structure; Character; Setting; Plot; Main Idea and Details; Summarize; Text Structure; Inferring - Vocabulary
iviay	Sort Nouns; Time and Order Words; Directional Words; Sort Words; Context Clues; Antonyms; Compound Words; Sort Verbs; Dictionary/ Glossary; Synonyms; - Fluency
	Accuracy and Appropriate Rate; Appropriate Phrasing; Expression and Intonation
	Language Arts
	- Writing
	Friendly Letter/ Trait Organization; Brief Composition/ Trait Sentences; Explanation/ Trait Conventions; Poem/ Trait Organization; Description/ Trait: Voice; Expository Paragraph/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Invitation/ Trait Word Choices; Descriptive Poem/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Realistic Story/ Trait Sentences; Thank-You Note/ Trait Conventions; Directions/ Trait Organization; Animal Fantasy/ Trait Voice; Letter to a Character/ Trait Voice; Questions/ Trait Word Choices; Advertisement/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Autobiography; Trait Sentences; Poem/ Trait Conventions - Conventions
	Common Nouns; Proper Nouns; Special Titles; Proper Nouns: Days, Months, Holidays; Singular and Plural Nouns; Nouns in Sentences; Adjectives; Adjectives for Colors and Shapes; Adjectives for Size; Adjectives for What Kind; Adjectives for How May and Articles; Adjectives That Compare; Imperative Sentences; Pronouns; Pronouns/and Me; More About Pronouns; Adverbs; Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases
	- Listening & Speaking Relate an Experience in Sequence; Share Information and Ideas; Give Announcements; Informal Conversations; Follow Directions; Give Descriptions; Poetry Presentation Media Literacy: Purpose of Media, Techniques in Media, Respond to Media
	- Research Skills Parts of a Book; Interview; Maps; Periodical/ Newsletter; Alphabetical Order; Picture Dictionary; Table/Chart; Bar Graph; Glossary; Email; Reference Source/ Take Notes; Dictionary; Text Features; Picture Graph; Reading a Web Page; Encyclopedia

Second Grade Reading Syllabus

 Ready to Read Phonemic Awareness Distinguish Medial Phonemes; Segment and Blend Phonemes; Substitute Final Phonemes; Substitute Medial Phonemes; Segment and Count Phonemes; Phonics Short Vowels and Consonants; Long Vowel VCe; Consonant Blends; Inflected Endings; Consonant Diagraphs; Vowel Patterns e, ee, ea, y, o, oa, ow, i, ie, igh; Compound Words; Comparative Endings – er, -est Spelling
 Phonemic Awareness Distinguish Medial Phonemes; Segment and Blend Phonemes; Substitute Final Phonemes; Substitute Medial Phonemes; Segment and Count Phonemes; Phonics Short Vowels and Consonants; Long Vowel VCe; Consonant Blends; Inflected Endings; Consonant Diagraphs; Vowel Patterns e, ee, ea, y, o, oa, ow, i, ie, igh; Compound Words; Comparative Endings – er, -est Spelling
Distinguish Medial Phonemes; Segment and Blend Phonemes; Substitute Final Phonemes; Substitute Medial Phonemes; Segment and Count Phonemes; - Phonics - Short Vowels and Consonants; Long Vowel VCe; Consonant Blends; Inflected Endings; Consonant Diagraphs; Vowel Patterns e, ee, ea, y, o, oa, ow, i, ie, igh; Compound Words; Comparative Endings – er, -est - Spelling
Short Vowels and Consonants; Long Vowels VCe; Consonant Blends; Inflected Endings; Consonant Digraphs; Vowel Patterns e, ee, ea, y, o, oa, ow, i, ie, igh; Compound Words; Comparative Endings – er, -est
nd and Comprehend
High-Frequency Words Beautiful, country, friend, front, someone, somewhere, everywhere, live, machines, move, woman, work, world, bear, build, couldn't father, love, mother, straight, animals, early, eyes, full, warm, water, gone, learn, often, pieces, though, together very, guess, pretty, science, shoe, village, watch, won, answer, company, faraway, parents, picture, school, wash, been, believe, caught, finally, today, tomorrow, whatever, alone, buy, daughters, half, many, their, youngest, clothes, hours, money, neighbor, only, question, taught, Comprehension Character and Setting; Monitor and Clarify; Main Idea and Details; Text Structure; Character and Setting; Story Structure; Important Ideas; Facts and Details; Predict and Set Purpose; Author's Purpose; Questioning; Draw Conclusions; Visualize; Compare and Contrast; Summarize; Sequence; Fact and Opinion; Inferring; Vocabulary Alphabetize; Position Words; Synonyms; Antonyms; Prefixes; Words from Other Languages; Fluency Appropriate Rate; Accuracy; Appropriate Phrasing; Expression and Intonation 19uage Arts Writing Personal Narrative/ Trait Sentences; Expository Nonfiction/ Trait Sentences; Realistic Fiction/ Trait Organization; Brief Report/ Trait Word Choice; Play Scene/ Trait Conventions; Quick Write for Fluency; Animal Fantasy/ Trait Voice; Friendly Letter/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Narrative Poem/ Trait Conventions; Writing for Tests: Realistic Fiction/ Trait Word Choice; Review/ Trait Organization; Conventions Sentences; Subjects; Predicates; Declarative and Interrogative Sentences; Imperative and Exclamatory Sentences; Verbs, Verbs and Interrogative Sentences; Imperative and Exclamatory Sentences; Verbs, Verbs and Interrogative Sentences; Present, and Future; More About Verbs; Verbs Am, Is, Are, Was, Were Listening and Speaking Why We Speak/ Why We Listen; Be a Good Speaker and Listener; Media Literacy: Purpose of Media, Describe Media Techniques; Narrate a Story in Sequence; Present a Dramatic Interpretation; Make Introductions; Solve Problems; Summa
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Second Grade Reading Syllabus

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Semester	
	Get Ready to Read
January- May	Phonics Pho

Third Grade Reading Syllabus

1 st	
Semester	
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August - December	Get Ready to Read Phonics/ Word Analysis Short Vowels; Syllables VC/CV, V/CV, VC/V; Plurals –s, -es, -ies; Base Words and Endings –ed, -ing, -er, -est; Yowel Digraphs ee, ea; ai, ay; oa, ow; Vowel Diphthongs ou, ow, oi, oy; Final Syllable –le; Compound Words; Consonant Blends; Consonant Digraphs; Contractions; Prefixes un-, re-, mis-, dis-; Spellings of fif, /s/, /k/; Suffixes; Consonant Patterns wr, kn, gn, st, mb Literary Terms Rhythm and Cadence; Point of View; Exaggeration and Hyperbole; Sensory Details; Simile; Author's Carft; Humor; Onomatopoeia; Dialogue and Narration; Imagery; Structural Elements of a Play; Metaphor; Word Choice; Rhyme Read and Comprehend Comprehension Literary Elements; Background Knowledge; Sequence; Summarize; Visualize; Compare and Contrast; Author's Purpose; Story Structure; Main Idea and Details; Monitor and Clarify; Draw Conclusions; Questioning; Predict and Set Purpose; Text Structure; Important Ideas; Literary Elements: Character, Setting, Plot; Inferring; Graphic Sources; Generalize; Cause and Effect Vocabulary Homonyms; Compound Words; Unknown Words; Multiple-Meaning Words; Prefixes and Suffixes; Synonyms, Unfamiliar Words, Antonyms Fluency Accuracy; Rate; Expression; Appropriate Phrasing w/ Punctuation Cues Language Arts Writing Narrative Poem/ Trait Word Choice; Fable/ Trait Conventions; Thank-You Note/ Trait Organization; Descriptions/ Trait Voice; Writing for Tests: Realistic Fiction/ Trait Sentences; Quick Write for Fluency; Poetry/ Trait Word Choice; Fairy Trait Conventions; Directions/ Trait Organization; Fiction/ Trait Voice; Play/ Trait Conventions; Directions/ Trait Conventions; News Article/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Firefully Letter/ Trait Conventions; Directions/ Trait Organization; Fiction/ Trait Voice; Play/ Trait Sentences; Formal Letter/ Trait Word Choice; Advertisement/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Firefully Letter/ Trait Conventions; Singular and Plural Nouns; Irregular Plural Nouns; Singular Possessive Nouns; Plural Possessive Nouns; Action and Exclamatory Se
	Report

Third Grade Reading Syllabus

2 nd	
Semester	
	Get Ready to Read
	- Phonics/ Word Analysis
	Syllable Pattern CV/VC, VCCCV; Homophones; Vowel Patterns for /o/, ei, eigh; Suffixes –y, - ish, -hood, - ment, - er, - or, - ess, - ist; Vowel Sounds; Schwa; Final Syllables; Related Words; Prefixes im-,in-, pre-, mid-, over-, out-, bi-, de-; Irregular Plurals; Vowels: r-Controlled;
	- Literary Terms Word Choice; Point of View; Mood; Dialogue and Narration; Onomatopoeia; Metaphor; Personification, Imagery; Foreshadowing; Author's Craft; Idioms; Sensory Details
	Read and Comprehend
	- Comprehension
	Literary Elements; Background Knowledge; Sequence; Summarize; Visualize; Compare and Contrast; Author's Purpose; Story Structure; Main Idea and Details; Monitor and Clarify; Draw Conclusions; Questioning; Predict and Set Purpose; Text Structure; Important Ideas; Literary Elements: Character, Setting, Plot, Theme; Inferring; Graphic Sources; Generalize; Cause and Effect; Fact and Opinion
	- Vocabulary
	Homonyms; Compound Words; Unknown Words; Multiple-Meaning Words; Prefixes and Suffixes; Synonyms, Unfamiliar Words, Antonyms; Prefixes un-, dis-; Suffixes –ful; Homographs
	- Fluency
	Accuracy; Rate; Expression; Appropriate Phrasing and Punctuation Cues
Ianuawy	Language Arts
<u>January-</u>	- Writing
<u>May</u>	Letter to the Editor/ Trait Organization; Personal Narrative/ Trait Conventions; Poetry/ Trait Word Choice; Invitation/ Trait Focus/ Ideas; Book Review/ Trait Conventions; Quick Write for Fluency; Notes/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Poetry: Limerick/ Trait Organization; Description/ Trait Word Choice; Comic Book/ Trait Conventions; Writing for Test: historical Fiction/ Trait Word Choice; Persuasive Text/ Trait Conventions; Imaginative Story/ Trait Conventions; Biography/ Trait Sentences; Autobiography/ Trait Organization; Writing for Tests: Summary/ Trait Word Choice
	- Conventions Adjectives and Articles; Comparative and Superlative Adjective; Adverbs; Comparative and Superlative Adverbs; Conjunctions; Capital Letters; Abbreviations; Combining Sentences; Commas; Quotations and Parentheses; Singular and Plural Pronouns; Subject and Object Pronouns; Possessive Pronouns; Contractions; Prepositions
	- Spelling
	Syllable Pattern CV/VC; Homophones; Vowel Patterns for au, augh, ou, ough, ei, eigh; Suffixes –y, -ish, -hood, -ment, -er, -or,-ess, -ist; Vowel Sounds in <i>moon</i> and <i>foot</i> , Schwa; Final Syllables; Prefixes pre-, mid-, over-, out-, Suffixes, and Endings, Related Words; Irregular Plurals; Syllables VCCCV
	- Listening and Speaking Introduction; Drama; Song or Poem; Radio Advertisement; Retelling; Announcement; Express an Opinion; Talk Show; Description; Song; Presentation; Media Literacy: Weather Forecast, Sportscast; Interview; Book Review

Fourth Grade Reading Syllabus

1 st Semester	
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	Get Ready to Read - Word Analysis
	Prefixes un- and in-; Word origins; Latin Prefixes dis-, re-, non-; Compound Words; Suffix -ly; Latin Word Origins; Greek Roots bio-, phon, graph; Related Words; Latin Roots struct, scrib, script;
	 Literary Terms Dialogue and Narration; Similes and Metaphors; Sensory Words; Humor; Formal and Informal Language; Flashback; Point of View; Personification; Exaggeration/ Hyperbole
	Read and Comprehend
	- Comprehension
	Literary Elements; Background Knowledge; Sequence; Summarize; Visualize; Compare and Contrast; Author's Purpose; Story Structure; Main Idea and Details; Monitor and Clarify; Draw Conclusions; Questioning; Predict and Set Purpose; Text Structure; Important Ideas; Literary Elements: Character, Setting, Plot; Inferring; Graphic Sources; Generalize; Cause and Effect
	 Vocabulary Prefixes and Suffixes; Unknown Words; Affixes: Prefixes; Multiple-Meaning Words; Unfamiliar Words; Root Words; Affixes: Suffixes
<u>August -</u> December	- Fluency Expression; Appropriate Phrasing
December	Language Arts
	- Writing
	Poetry/ Trait Word Choice; News Article/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Expository Composition/ Trait Organization; Argument/Persuasive Essay/ Trait Organization; Narrative Poem/ Trait Organization; Invitation/ Trait Voice; Myth/ Trait Sentences; Formal Letter/ Trait Organization; Summary/ Trait Sentences - Conventions
	Common and Proper Nouns; Regular Plural Nouns; Irregular Plural Nouns; Singular Possessive Nouns; Plural Possessive Nouns; Action and Linking Verbs; Main and Helping Verbs; Subject-Verb Agreement; Past, Present, and Future Tenses; Irregular Verbs
	- Spelling Adding –s and –es; Irregular Plurals; Words with ar, or, ear, ir, our, ur; Consonant Patterns ng, nk, ph, wh; add –ed, -ing; Homophones; Vowel Sound in <i>shout</i> , Compound Words; Possessives
	- Listening and Speaking Media Literacy: Sportscast, Newscast; Readers' Theater; Interview; Panel Discussion; Persuasive Speech; Weather Broadcast; How-to Demonstration

Fourth Grade Reading Syllabus

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2 nd Semester	
	Get Ready to Read
	- Word Analysis
	Suffixes –ian, -ist, -ism, -ous, -able, -ible, -ion; Latin Roots aqua, dict; Prefixes im-, in-; Greek and Latin Prefixes trans-, tele-, amphi-, ant-; French Word Origins; Related Words; Word Origins – German; Latin Roots <i>gener</i> and <i>port, dur, ject;</i> French Word Origins; Related Words; Prefix <i>astro-</i> / Greek and Latin roots
	- Literary Terms
	Idioms and Jargon; Word Choice; Tone; Similes and Metaphors; Sensory Words; Imagery; Point of View; Mood; Structural Elements of Drama; Idioms and Jargon
	Read and Comprehend
	- Comprehension
	Literary Elements; Background Knowledge; Sequence; Summarize; Visualize; Compare and Contrast; Author's Purpose; Story Structure; Main Idea and Details; Monitor and Clarify; Draw Conclusions; Questioning; Predict and Set Purpose; Text Structure; Important Ideas; Literary Elements: Character, Setting, Plot; Inferring; Graphic Sources; Generalize; Cause and Effect - Vocabulary
	Synonyms and Antonyms; Multiple-Meaning Words; Unknown words; Greek and Latin Roots; Homographs; Greek and Latin Roots; Unfamiliar Words; Greek and Latin Prefixes; Root Words - Fluency
	Expression; Appropriate Phrasing; Appropriate Expression; Rate and Accuracy
January- May	Language Arts
ganuar y- may	- Writing
	Mystery/ Trait Word Choice; Song/Trait Word Choice; Instructions/ Trait Organization; Problem-Solution Essay/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Adventure Story/ Trait Word Choice; Quick Write for Fluency; Fantasy/ Trait Sentences; Legend/ Trait Sentences; Thank-You Note/ Trait Word Choice; Persuasive Ad/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Personal Narrative/ Trait Sentences; Cause-and-Effect Essay/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Critical Review/ Trait Sentences; Skit/ Trait Word Choice; Play/ Trait Word Choice; Narrative Nonfiction/ Trait Conventions
	- Conventions
	Singular and Plural Pronouns; Kinds of Pronouns; Pronouns and Antecedents; Possessive Pronouns; Contractions and Negatives; Adjectives and Articles; Adverbs; Comparative and Superlative Adjectives and Adverbs; Time-Order Words; Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases; Conjunctions; Capitalizations and Abbreviations; Commas; Quotations and Quotation Marks; Titles
	- Spelling
	Contractions; Find Syllable Patterns; Consonant Digraph /sh/; Consonants /j/, /k/, /kw/; Prefixes un-, dis-, in-; Multisyllabic Words; Words with Double consonants; Greek Word Parts; Latin Roots; Related Words; Schwa; Prefixes mis-, non-, pre-, re; Suffixes –less, -ment, -ness, -ful, -ly, -ion; Silent Consonants
	- Listening and Speaking
	Advertisement; Media Literacy: TV Commercial, Newscast, Radio Announcement, Talk Show, Howto-Demonstration; Interview; Retelling; Dramatization; How-to Demonstration; Panel Discussion; Debate; Readers' Theater; Informational Speech

Fifth Grade Reading Syllabus

Fifth Grade Reading Syllabus

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Semester	
	Get Ready to Read
	- Word Analysis
	Compound Words; Russian Word Origins; Complex Spelling Patterns; Word Families; Endings –ed, -ing, -s; Suffixes –ly, -ian; Suffix –ize; Prefixes com-, pro-, epi-, im-; Idioms; Acronyms; Greek and Latin Roots; Complex Spelling Patterns: -ous, -ious, -eous - Literary Terms
	Sensory Details; Word Choice; Foreshadowing; Symbolism; Point of View; Idioms; Hyperbole; Metaphor; Dialogue; Figurative Language: Simile; Humor; Jargon; Idiom;
	Read and Comprehend
	- Comprehension
	Literary Elements; Background Knowledge; Sequence; Summarize; Visualize; Compare and Contrast; Author's Purpose; Story Structure; Main Idea and Details; Monitor and Clarify; Draw Conclusions; Questioning; Predict and Set Purpose; Text Structure; Important Ideas; Literary Elements: Character, Setting, Plot; Inferring; Graphic Sources; Generalize; Cause and Effect
	- Vocabulary
	Unknown Words; Endings –s, -es, -ed, -ing; Suffixes –less, -ful, -ion, -ish; Unfamiliar Words; Homographs; Synonyms; Greek and Latin Roots; Multiple Meaning Words; Prefixes over-, in-
January-	- Fluency Expression; Appropriate Phrasing; Appropriate Expression; Rate and Accuracy
May	Language Arts
	- Writing
	Journal Entry/ Trait Voice; Mystery/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Parody/ Trait Voice; Critical Review/ Trait Organization; Personal Narrative/ Trait Voice; Quick Write for Fluency; Picture Book/ Trait Focus/Ideas; Friendly Letter/ Trait Sentences; Formal Letter/ Trait Conventions; Narrative Poetry/ Trait Word Choice; Autobiographical Sketch/ Trait Voice; Rhyming Poem/ Trait Word Choice; Notes/ Trait Focus/ Ideas; Biographical Sketch/ Trait Sentences; Letter to the Editor/ Trait Voice; Summary/ Trait Focus/ Ideas - Conventions
	Modifiers; Conjunctions; Commas; Quotations and Quotation Marks; Punctuation; Subject an Object Pronouns; Pronouns and Antecedents; Possessive Pronouns; Indefinite and Reflexive Pronouns; Using <i>Who</i> and <i>Whom;</i> Contractions and Negatives; Adjectives and Articles; <i>This</i> , <i>That</i> , <i>These</i> , and <i>Those;</i> Comparative and Superlative Adjectives; Adverbs
	- Spelling Suffixes –ous, -sion, -ion, -ation, -ible, -able; Final Syllable –ant, -ent, -ance, -ence; Latin Roots; Related
	Words; Easily Confused Words; Words from Many Cultures; Prefixes over-, under-, sub-, super-, out-; Homophones; Negative Prefixes; Multisyllabic Words; Related Words; Greek Word Parts; Latin Roots
	- Listening and Speaking
	Debate; Interview; Storytelling; Media Literacy: Newscast; Readers' Theater; How-to Demonstrations; Persuasive Speech; Description; Give Advice; Interview a Classmate; Dramatization; Interpret Fiction

Sixth Grade Reading Syllabus

1st Semester	
	Get Ready to Read
	- Word Analysis Context Clues; Word Structure/Greek and Latin Roots; Word Structure/ Endings -ed, -ing; Synonyms; Antonyms; Word Structure/Prefixes re-, dis-, Word Structure/Suffixes -ic, -ous, -ation;
	Read and Comprehend
August- December	- Comprehension Setting and Plot; Character and Theme; Compare and Contrast; Fact and Opinion; Main Idea and Supporting Details; Graphic Sources; Sequence; Generalize; Draw Conclusions; Visualize; Inferring; Summarize; Important Ideas; Questioning; Monitor and Clarify; Predict and Set Purpose; Text Structure; Story Structure; Questioning; Background Knowledge
	- Vocabulary
	Thesaurus/Synonyms; Dictionary/Glossary; Context Clues- Unfamiliar Words, Unknown Words, Multiple Meaning Words, Antonyms, Homonyms; Word Structure- Greek and Latin Roots; Inflectional Endings -ed and -ing, Prefixes re-, pro-, trans-; Suffixes -ly, -ous, -ful, -al
	- Fluency
	Expression; Rate; Phrasing; Accuracy; Punctuation Cues
	Language Arts
	- Writing
	Personal Narrative Blogging; How-To Report/Podcasting; Compare and Contrast Essay/Discussion Forum; Personal Narrative; Thank-You Letter; Poem; Problem-Solution Essay; Journal Entry; Movie Review; Mystery; Fantasy; Advertisement; Speech; Biography; Autobiographical Sketch; Folk Tales
	- Conventions
	Four Kinds of Sentences; Subjects and Predicates: Independent and Dependent Clauses; Compound and Complex Sentences; Common and Proper Nouns; Regular and Irregular Plural Nouns; Possessive Nouns; Action and Linking Verbs; Subject-Verb Agreement; Past, Present, and Future Tenses; Principal Parts of Regular Verbs; Verbs, Objects, and Subject Complements; Troublesome Verbs; Prepositions
	- Spelling Adding -ed and -ing; Short Vowels; Vowel Sounds with r, Difficult Spellings; Plural or Possessive; Multisyllabic Words; Latin Roots; Final Syllable Patterns; Schwa; Suffixes -ian, -ant, -ent, -ist; Unusual Spellings; Compound Words;
	Homophones - Listening and Speaking Storytelling; Talk Show; Advertisement; Panel Discussion; Book Review; Analyze Media Literacy; Persuasive Speech; Newscast; Informational Speech; Analyze a
2nd	Photo; How-to Demonstration; Retelling; Reader's Theater
Semester	

Get Ready to Read

- Word Analysis

Greek Word Parts; Latin Roots; Prefixes; Suffixes; Words from Many Cultures;

Read and Comprehend

- Comprehension

Cause and Effect; Author's Purpose; Draw Conclusions; Theme and Plot; Fact and Opinion; Main Idea/Supporting Details; Sequence; Graphic Sources; Compare and Contrast; Generalize; Important Ideas; Inferring; Predict and Set Purpose; Monitor and Clarify; Summarize; Story Structure; Background Knowledge; Visualize

- Vocabulary

Context Clues/ Unfamiliar Words, Multiple-Meaning Words, Synonyms, Antonyms; Dictionary/Glossary/Unknown Words; Word Structure- Prefixes re-, mis-, pro-, trans-,

- Fluency

Phrasing; Rate; Accuracy; Expression; Punctuation Cues

Language Arts

- Writing

Adventure Story/Story Exchange; Narrative Poem; Imaginative Story; Description; Drama; Summary; Critical Review; Letter to the Editor; Tell Tale; Parody; Brochure; Cause and Effect Essay; Notes; Invitation; News Article; Job Application Essay

Conventions

Subject and Object Pronouns; Pronouns and Antecedents; Possessive Pronouns; Indefinite and Reflexive Pronouns; Using Who and Whom; Contractions and Negatives; Adjectives and Articles; Using this, that, these, and those, Comparative and Superlative Adjectives, Adverbs; Modifiers; Conjunctions; Commas, Quotations and Quotation Marks,

- Spelling

Greek Word Parts; Prefixes dis-, de-, out-, un-, bi-, tri, uni-, semi-, re-; Words with ci and ti; Related Words; Words Ending in -ty, -ity, -tion, -ice, -ise, -ize; Suffixes -ate, -ive, -ship, -ary, -ery, -ory; Words from Many Cultures; Compound Words; Latin Roots

- Listening and Speaking

Media Literacy; Analyze Media; Persuasive Speech; Advertisement; Dramatization; Informational Speech; Interview; Analyze and Editorial Cartoon; Storytelling; Persuasive Speech; Book Review; Analyze Art; Giving Directions; Newscast

December-May