

The IDEAL School - KINDERGARTEN
Theme of the Year: My Family and I

2017-2018	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
Word of the Month	<i>Respect</i>	<i>Rights / Responsibility</i>	<i>Compassion</i>	<i>Peacemaker</i>	<i>Justice</i>	<i>Solidarity</i>	<i>Perspective</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Choice</i>	<i>Hope</i>
Reading	Unit 1: Becoming a Reader		Unit 2: Reading Strategies		Unit 3: Bigger Books			Unit 4: Becoming A Real Reader		
Writing	Unit 1: Beginning To Write		Unit 2: How To's		Unit 3: Persuasive Writing			Unit 4: Animals		
Math	Unit 1: Counting and Cardinality		Unit 2: Measurement and Data		Unit 3: Geometry		Unit 4: Operations and Algebraic Thinking			
Science	Unit 1: Discovering Trees			Unit 2: Exploring Properties				Unit 3: Animals		
Social Studies	Unit 1: Self and Others		Unit 2: School and School Community		Unit 3: Families, Change, and Time		Civil Rights Museum	Unit 4: Geography, People, and the Environment		

The IDEAL School - First Grade
Theme of the Year: Identity

2017-2018	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
Word of the Month	<i>Respect</i>	<i>Rights / Responsibility</i>	<i>Compassion</i>	<i>Peacemaker</i>	<i>Justice</i>	<i>Solidarity</i>	<i>Perspective</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Choice</i>	<i>Hope</i>
Reading	Unit 1: Building Good Reading Habits		Unit 2: Learning Non-Fiction		Unit 3: Phonics, Fluency, and Comprehension			Unit 4: Character Study		
Writing	Unit 1: Small Moment Stories		Unit 2: Information Writing		Unit 3: Opinion Writing			Unit 4: Writing About My Character		
Math	Unit 1: Geometry	Unit 2: Counting and Comparing	Unit 3: Comparing Numbers greater than, less than, equal	Unit 4: Addition / Subtraction, Number Systems	Unit 5: Money	Unit 6: Place Value		Unit 7: Telling Time	Unit 8: Measurement / Data	
Science	Unit 1: Animal Diversity			Unit 2: Properties of Matter			Unit 3: Weather and Seasons			
Social Studies	Unit 1: Families and Communities are Important		Unit 2: Families Now and Long Ago		Unit 3: Community		Civil Rights Museum	Unit 4: Community Economics		

The IDEAL School - Second Grade
Theme of the Year: Community

2017-2018	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
Word of the Month	<i>Respect</i>	<i>Rights / Responsibility</i>	<i>Compassion</i>	<i>Peacemaker</i>	<i>Justice</i>	<i>Solidarity</i>	<i>Perspective</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Choice</i>	<i>Hope</i>
Reading	Unit 1: Reading Growth Spurt		Unit 2: Reading Strategies		Unit 3: Non-Fiction Reading			Unit 4: Book Clubs		
Writing	Unit 1: Narrative Writing		Unit 2: Information Writing For Scientists		Unit 3: Poetry			Unit 4: Opinion Writing		
Math	Unit 1: Addition and Strategies	Unit 2: Using Numberlines for Addition and Subtraction	Unit 3: Unknowns in Addition	Unit 4: Unknowns in Subtraction	Unit 5: Addition Using Place Value	Unit 6: 3 Digit Numbers	Unit 7: Time	Unit 8: Money	Unit 9: Measurement	Unit 10: Graphs
Science	Unit 1: Earth Materials			Unit 2: Forces and Motion			Unit 3: Plant Diversity			
Social Studies	Unit 1: Our Community's Geography		Unit 2: Urban, Suburban, and Rural Communities		Unit 3: New York City Over Time		Civil Rights Museum	Unit 4: Rules, Rights, and Responsibilities		

The IDEAL School - Third Grade
Theme of the Year: Perspective

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Word of the Month	<i>Respect</i>	<i>Rights / Responsibility</i>	<i>Compassion</i>	<i>Peacemaker</i>	<i>Justice</i>	<i>Solidarity</i>	<i>Perspective</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Choice</i>	<i>Hope</i>
Reading	Unit 1: Building a Reading Life		Unit 2: Character Studies		Unit 3: Non-Fiction Reading			Unit 4: Research Clubs		
Writing	Unit 1: Crafting True Stories		Unit 2: Myths and Legends		Unit 3: Persuasive Speeches			Unit 4: Biographies		
Math	Unit 1: Patterns	Unit 2: Place Value & Addition and Subtraction	Unit 3: Multiplication	Unit 4: Division	Unit 5: Geometry	Unit 6: Fractions	Unit 7: Time	Unit 8: Money	Unit 9: Measurement	Unit 10: Data and Graphs
Science	Unit 1: Matter		Unit 2: Energy		Unit 3: Simple Machines			Unit 4: Plant / Animal Adaptations		
Social Studies	Unit 1: Gender Stereotypes	Unit 2: Native Americans			Unit 3: Geography	Unit 4: Winona LaDuke	Civil Rights Museum	Unit 5: Immigration		

The IDEAL School - Fourth Grade
Theme of the Year: Empathy

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Word of the Month	<i>Respect</i>	<i>Rights / Responsibility</i>	<i>Compassion</i>	<i>Peacemaker</i>	<i>Justice</i>	<i>Solidarity</i>	<i>Perspective</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Choice</i>	<i>Hope</i>
Reading	Unit 1: Character Study		Unit 2: Reading History		Unit 3: Historical Fiction Clubs			Unit 4: Reading to Understand a Topic		
Writing	Unit 1: Writing Realistic Fiction		Unit 2: Writing About History		Unit 3: Persuasive Essays			Unit 4: Writing a Literary Essay		
Math	Unit 1: Patterns and Algebra	Unit 2: Place Value, Addition and Subtraction	Unit 3: Rounding and Estimation	Unit 4: Metric Measurement	Unit 5: Multiplication / Division	Unit 6: Long Division		Unit 7: Fractions	Unit 8: Measurement	Unit 9: Geometry
Science	Unit 1: Animals and Plants in their Environment		Unit 2: Electricity and Magnetism		Unit 3: Properties of Water			Unit 4: Interactions of Air, Water, and Land		
Social Studies	Unit 1: Geography of New York State		Unit 2: Colonial and Revolutionary Period				Civil Rights Museum	Unit 3: Federal, State, and Local Government		

The IDEAL School - Fifth Grade
Theme of the Year: Humanity

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Word of the Month	<i>Respect</i>	<i>Rights / Responsibility</i>	<i>Compassion</i>	<i>Peacemaker</i>	<i>Justice</i>	<i>Solidarity</i>	<i>Perspective</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Choice</i>	<i>Hope</i>
Reading	Unit 1: Theme Book Clubs		Unit 2: Non-Fiction Reading		Unit 3: Researching Issues for Debate			Unit 4: Fantasy Book Clubs		
Writing	Unit 1: Narrative Writing		Unit 2: Writing Research Reports		Unit 3: Argument Essays			Unit 4: Memoir Writing		
Math	Unit 1: Place Value & Addition and Subtraction	Unit 2: Multiplication	Unit 3: Division	Unit 4: Fractions	Unit 5: Decimals	Unit 6: Multiplying and Dividing Fractions		Unit 7: Multiplying and Dividing Decimals	Unit 8: Measurement	Unit 9: Area and Volume
Science	Unit 1: The Nature of Science		Unit 2: Changes in the Surface of the Planet		Unit 3: Food and Nutrition			Unit 4: Exploring Ecosystems		
Social Studies	Unit 1: Geography of the Western Hemisphere		Unit 2: Comparative Case Study				Civil Rights Museum	Unit 3: Western Hemisphere Today		