

Grade 3 English Language Arts Curriculum Map

**Reading Literature (RL) * Reading Informational Text (RI)* Reading Foundational Skills (RF)
* Writing (W) * Writing Foundational Skills (WF) * Language (L) * Speaking and Listening (SL)**

Arizona’s English Language Arts Standards work together in a clear progression from Kindergarten through 12th grade. This document provides an overview of the standards alignment for 3rd Grade. ELA standards build on the standard that came before and towards the standard that comes in the next grade level. ELA standards appear to have similar wording at multiple grade levels; however, it is understood that they are to be applied with increased focus to progressively more challenging texts and tasks. Each standard is expected to be taught as appropriate for the grade-level.

- District Adopted Resource: Wonders 2017 by McGraw Hill
- Curriculum Maps are aligned to Wonders Scope and Sequence
- [LINK](#) to 2016 Arizona English / Language Arts Standards

Unit #	Weekly Concept & Genres	Key Literature & Informational Text Standards	Key Grammar Standards	Key Writing Standards & Genres
1	<p>Growing and Learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime • Traditions • Communities • Inventions • Landmarks <p>Literary Genres</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fantasy • Realistic Fiction • Narrative NonFiction • Biography • Expository 	<p>Reading Strategies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visualize • Ask & Answer Questions <p>Reading Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character • Setting • Plot • Cause & Effect • Main Ideas & Details <p>Reading Foundational Standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phonics & Word Recognition • Fluency 	<p>Grammar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sentences & Fragments • Capitalization & Punctuation • Commands & Exclamations • Subjects & Predicates • Simple & Compound Sentences <p>Speaking & Listening Skills</p>	<p>Writing Traits</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Choice • Organization • Sentence Fluency <p>Writing Genres</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Narrative • Informative • Opinion <p>Writing Foundational Standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handwriting • Spelling
Unit 1 Standards		3.RL.1, 3.RL.3, 3.RL.10, 3.RI.1, 3.RI.2, 3.RI.3, 3.RI.4, 3.RI.8, 3.RI.9, 3.RI.10, 3.RF.3, 3.RF.4 3.W.3, 3.W.10, 3.WF.1, 3.SL.1, 3.SL.2, 3.SL.4		

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<p>2</p>	<p>Figure It Out</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cooperation • Immigration • Government • Survival • Figure It Out <p>Literary Genres</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Folk Tales • Historical Fiction • Expository • Poetry 	<p>Reading Strategies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make, Confirm, & Revise Predictions • Reread <p>Reading Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theme • Author’s Point of View • Point of View <p>Reading Foundational Standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phonics & Word Recognition • Fluency 	<p>Grammar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nouns & Proper Nouns • Combining Sentences & Commas • Plural Nouns • Possessive Nouns <p>Speaking & Listening Skills</p>	<p>Writing Traits</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linking Words & Phrases • Precise Language • Supporting Details • Descriptive Details <p>Writing Genres</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Narrative Text • Opinion <p>Writing Foundational Standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handwriting • Spelling
<p>Unit 2 Standards</p>		<p>3.RL.1, 3.RL.2, 3.RL.3, 3.RL.5, 3.RL.6, 3.RL.10, 3.RI.1, 3.RI.6, 3.RI.7, 3.RI.10, 3.RF.3, 3.RF.4, 3.W.1, 3.W.2, 3.W.10, 3.L.4, 3.WF.1, 3.SL.1, 3.SL.2, 3.SL.4</p>		
<p>3</p>	<p>One of a Kind</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be Unique • Leadership • Discoveries • Ideas • Value the Past <p>Literary Genres</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Folk Tales • Historical Fiction • Expository 	<p>Reading Strategies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visualize • Summarize <p>Reading Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Problem & Solution • Character & Setting • Cause & Effect • Key Idease & Details • Sequence <p>Reading Foundational Standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phonics & Word Recognition • Fluency 	<p>Grammar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action Verbs • Quotations Marks • Present, Past, & Future Tense Verbs • Abbreviations • Formal Letter Grammar Structures <p>Speaking & Listening Skills</p>	<p>Writing Traits</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sentence Fluency • Word Choice & Linking Words, • Organization • Strong Paragraphs & Conclusions, • Voice <p>Writing Genres</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Narrative • Informative Text • Opinion <p>Writing Foundational Standards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handwriting • Spelling

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Unit 3 Standards		3.RL.1, 3.RL.2, 3.RL.4, 3.RL.10, 3.RI.1, 3.RI.2, 3.RI.4, 3.RI.8, 3.RI.9, 3.RI.10, 3.RF.3, 3.RF.4 3.W.2, 3.W.5, 3.W.10, 3.L.1, 3.L.4, 3.WF.1, 3.SL.1, 3.SL.2, 3.SL.4		
4	Meet the Challenge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Choices • Skills & Talents • Adaptations • Flight • Inspiration Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Folktale • Realistic Fiction • Expository • Narrative & Free Verse Poetry 	Reading Strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ask & Answer Questions • Reread Reading Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Point of View • Compare & Contrast • Theme Reading Foundational Standards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phonics & Word Recognition • Fluency 	Grammar <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linking Verbs • Ending Punctuation • Contractions with “not” • Main & Helping Verbs • Dialogue: Quotation Marks & Commas • Complex Sentences • Using Commas in Sentences • Irregular Verbs Speaking & Listening Skills	Writing Traits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voice • Ideas • Organization • Word Choice Writing Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opinion • Informative Text • Narrative Text Writing Foundational Standards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handwriting • Spelling
Unit 4 Standards		3.RL.4, 3.RL.5, 3.RL.6, 3.RL.8, 3.RL.10, 3.RI.5, 3.RI.6, 3.RI.7, 3.RI.9, 3.RI.10, 3.RF.3, 3.RF.4 3.W.1, 3.W.2, 3.W.3, 3.W.5, 3.W.8, 3.W.10, 3.L.1, 3.L.4, 3.WF.1, 3.SL.1, 3.SL.2, 3.SL.4		
5	Take Action <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Let’s Go • Reuse & Recycle • Teaming Up • Good Citizens • Energy Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fairy Tale • Realistic Fiction • Expository • Biography 	Reading Strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summarize • Ask & Answer Questions Reading Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Point of View • Author’s Point of View • Cause & Effect Reading Foundational Standards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phonics & Word Recognition • Fluency 	Grammar <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singular & Plural Pronouns • Subject & Object Pronouns • Pronoun Verb Agreement • Possessive & Reflexive Pronouns • Pronoun Verb Contractions Speaking & Listening Skills	Writing Traits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sentence Fluency • Word Choice • Organization • Voice Writing Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Narrative • Informative Text • Opinion Writing Foundational Standards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handwriting • Spelling

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Unit 5 Standards		3.RL.1, 3.RL.2, 3.RL.10, 3.RI.1, 3.RI.3, 3.RI.10, 3.RF.3, 3.RF.4 3.W.1, 3.W.10, 3.L.1, 3.L.2, 3.L.4, 3.WF.1, 3.L.1, 3.SL.2, 3.SL.4		
6	Think It Over <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasures • Weather • Learning to Succeed • Animals & You • Funny Times Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Myth/Drama • Historical Fiction • Biography • Expository Text • Narrative 	Reading Strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make, Confirm, & Revise Predictions • Reread Reading Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theme • Problem & Solution • Compare & Contrast • Point of View Reading Foundational Standards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phonics & Word Recognition • Fluency 	Grammar <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adjectives and Articles • Commas in a Series & Dates • Adjectives That Compare • Comparative & Superlative Forms • Adverbs • Adverbs That Compare • Prepositions Speaking & Listening Skills	Writing Traits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sentence Fluency • Word Choice • Organization Writing Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opinion • Narrative • Informative Writing Foundational Standards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handwriting • Spelling
Unit 6 Standards		3.RL.1, 3.RL.6, 3.RL.10, 3.RI.1, 3.RI.3, 3.RI.10, 3.RF.3, 3.RF.4 3.W.1, 3.W.10, 3.L.1, 3.L.2, 3.L.4, 3.L.5, 3.WF.1, 3.SL.1, 3.SL.2, 3.SL.4		