

2nd Grade B.E.S.T. Benchmarks Checklist

| Color Coding Key | |
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| X | Benchmark is taught in this Unit |
| X | Benchmark is taught and tested in this Unit |

| Foundations | (F) | Unit 1 | Unit 2 | Unit 3 | Unit 4 | Unit 6 | Unit 7 | Unit 8 | Unit 9 | Unit 10 |
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| Phonics and Word Analysis | | | | | | | | | | |
| Decode Words | F.1.3 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Fluency | | | | | | | | | | |
| Read with Accuracy, Automaticity, Expression | F.1.4 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Reading | (R) | Unit 1 | Unit 2 | Unit 3 | Unit 4 | Unit 6 | Unit 7 | Unit 8 | Unit 9 | Unit 10 |
| Prose and Poetry | | | | | | | | | | |
| Literary Elements | R.1.1 | X | X | X | X | X | | | X | |
| Theme | R.1.2 | | X | | X | X | | | | |

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| Perspective and Point of View | R.1.3 | | X | X | X | X | | | X | |
| Poetry | R.1.4 | X | | X | X | | | | X | |
| Informational Text | | | | | | | | | | |
| Structure | R.2.1 | X | | | | | X | X | X | X |
| Central Idea | R.2.2 | X | | X | | | X | | | X |
| Purpose and Perspective | R.2.3 | | | | | | | X | | |
| Argument | R.2.4 | | | | | | | X | | |
| Reading Across Genres | | | | | | | | | | |
| Interpreting Figurative Language | R.3.1 | | X | | X | X | X | X | | X |
| Paraphrasing and Summarizing | R.3.2 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Comparative Reading | R.3.3 | X | | X | X | | | X | X | X |
| Communication | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (C) | Unit 1 | Unit 2 | Unit 3 | Unit 4 | Unit 6 | Unit 7 | Unit 8 | Unit 9 | Unit 10 |
| Communication Through Writing | | | | | | | | | | |
| Handwriting | C.1.1 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Narrative Writing | C.1.2 | | | | X | X | X | | | |
| Opinion Writing | C.1.3 | | X | | | | | | | |
| Expository Writing | C.1.4 | | | X | | | | | | |
| Improving Writing | C.1.5 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Communicating Orally | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Oral Presentation | C.2.1 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Following Conventions | | | | | | | | | | |
| Conventions | C.3.1 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Researching | | | | | | | | | | |
| Researching and Using Information | C.4.1 | | X | X | | | | X | X | |
| Creating and Collaborating | | | | | | | | | | |
| Multimedia | C.5.1 | | | | | | | | X | |
| Technology in Communication | C.5.2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Vocabulary | (V) | Unit 1 | Unit 2 | Unit 3 | Unit 4 | Unit 6 | Unit 7 | Unit 8 | Unit 9 | Unit 10 |
| Finding Meaning | | | | | | | | | | |
| Academic Vocabulary | V.1.1 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Morphology | V.1.2 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| Context and Connotation | V.1.3 | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |