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*Lessons in **bold** indicate lessons that explicitly teach a priority standard for the grade level.

AUGUST 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 Administration In-service	2 Teacher Workday	3 New Teacher In-service	4 System Wide-Inservice
7 First Half Day	8 Review and Routines	9 Review and Routines	10 Review and Routines	11 Review and Routines
14 Unit 1 Week 1 ML 1: Introduce Unit 1: Relationships in Nature ML 2: First Read: Ask Questions	15 Unit 1 Week 1 ML 4: Determine Central Idea & How it is Conveyed through Details	16 Unit 1 Week 1 ML 7: Analyze How a Key Idea is Developed in a Text	17 Unit 1 Week 1 ML: 10 First Read Create Mental Images	18 Unit 1 Week 1 ML 12: Interpret Figures of Speech (Personification) ML 13: Determine Central Idea & How it is Conveyed through Details
21 Unit 1 Week 1 Assessment	22 Unit 1 Week 2 ML 1: 1st Read: Ask Questions	23 Unit 1 Week 2 ML 4: Determine a Central Idea & How it is Conveyed through Details	24 Unit 1 Week 2 ML 5: Compare & Contrast Author's Presentation of Events	25 Unit 1 Week 2 ML 10: Analyze how an Idea is Developed in Text
28 Unit 1 Week 2 ML 12: Compare & Contrast Author's Presentation of Events	29 Unit 1 Week 2 Assessment	30 Unit 1 Week 3 ML 1: First Reading: Create Mental Images	31 Unit 1 Week 3 ML 4: Analyze How a Central Idea is Developed in a Text	1 LABOR DAY

September 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 LABOR DAY	5 Unit 1 Week 3 ML 9: Compare and Contrast Authors' Presentation of Events	6 Unit 1 Week 3 ML 7: Interpret Figurative Language: Personification ML 11: Analyze Features of Poetry	7 Assessment	8 Catch Up Day
11 Unit 2 Week 1 ML 1: Introduction to Unit 2: Characters at Crossroads ML 2: Draw Inferences	12 Unit 2 Week 1 ML 4: Provide a Summary of a Text	13 Unit 2 Week 1 ML 7: Analyze How a Part of a Text Contributes to the Development of the Plot	14 Unit 2 Week 1 ML 10: First Read: Make Connections ML 12: Demonstrate Understanding of Connotations and Nuances	15 Unit 2 Week 1 ML 13: Describe a Character's Response to Plot Events
18 Assessment	19 Unit 2 Week 2 ML 1: First Read: Draw Inferences	20 Unit 2 Week 2 ML 4: Provide a Summary of a text ML 5: Demonstrate Understanding of Connotations and Nuances of Word Meaning	21 Unit 2 Week 2 ML 8: Analyze How Part of a Text Contributes to the Development of the Plot	22 Unit 2 Week 2 ML 10: Describe a Character's Response to Plot Events
25 Unit 2 Week 2 ML 12: Compare and Contrast Texts in Different Forms and Genres	26 Assessment	27 Unit 2 Week 3 ML 1: First Read: Make Connections	28 Unit 2 Week 3 ML 4: Describe a Character's Response to Plot Events	29 Unit 2 Week 3 ML 7: Analyze How a Part of a Text Contributes to the Development of the Plot

October 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Unit 2 Week 3 ML 9: Compare and Contrast Texts in Different Forms and Genres	3 Unit 2 Week 3 ML 11: Determine Theme	4 Unit Assessment	5 Catch Up Day	6 Catch Up Day
9 FALL BREAK	10 FALL BREAK	11 FALL BREAK	12 FALL BREAK	13 FALL BREAK
16 PD DAY: LEARNING TOGETHER REGIONAL PD	17 Unit 3 Week 1 ML 1: Introduction to Unit 3: Beyond Democracy ML 2: First Reading: Distinguish Between Important and Unimportant Information	18 Unit 3 Week 1 ML 4: Use Context Clues to Determine the Meaning of Domain-Specific Vocabulary	19 Unit 3 Week 1 ML 7: Analyze the Development of Ideas and Draw Conclusions	20 Unit 3 Week 1 ML 10: First Reading: Summarize and Synthesize
23 Unit 3 Week 1 ML 12: Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language ML 13: Determine an Author's Point of View or Purpose	24 Unit Assessment	25 Unit 3 Week 2 ML 1: First Reading: Distinguish Between Important and Unimportant Information ML 4: Determine Central Ideas and Key Details	26 Unit 3 Week 2 ML 5: Cite Text Evidence to Support Inferences and Analysis	27 Unit 3 Week 2 ML 8: Determine an Author's Point of View or Purpose
30 Unit 3 Week 2 ML 10: Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language	31 Unit 3 Week 2 ML 12: Integrate Information from Multiple Texts	1 Assessment	2 Unit 3 Week 3 ML 1: First Read: Summarize and Synthesize	3 Unit 3 Week 3 ML 4: Analyze How a Section Contributes to the Development of Ideas

November 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 Unit 3 Week 3 ML 7: Determine the Meaning of Domain-Specific Words and Phrases	7 Unit 3 Week 3 ML 9: Integrate Information from Two Texts	8 Unit 3 Week 3 ML 11: Assess/Analyze Author's Word Choice and Structure in a Poem	9 Unit 3 Week 3 Assessment	10 No School - Veterans Day
13 Unit 4 Week 1 ML 1: Introduction to Unit 4: The Reader's Perspective ML 2: First Reading: Ask Questions About Characters and Events	14 Unit 4 Week 1 ML 4: Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language: Metaphors	15 Unit 4 Week 1 ML 7: Explain How an Author Develops Point of View	16 Unit 4 Week 1 ML 10: First Reading: Create Mental Images of Characters and Events	17 Unit 4 Week 1 ML 12: Cite Text Evidence to Draw Inferences About Point of View
20 Unit 4 Week 1 ML 13: Compare and Contrast How Different Texts Approach Similar Themes	21 Assessment	22 THANKSGIVING BREAK	23 THANKSGIVING BREAK	24 THANKSGIVING BREAK
27 Unit 4 Week 2 ML 1: Ask Questions about Characters and Events	28 Unit 4 Week 2 ML 4: Provide a Summary of the Text ML 5: Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language	29 Unit 4 Week 2 ML 8: Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language: Metaphors	30 Unit 4 Week 2 ML 10: Cite Text Evidence to Draw Inferences About Point of View	1 Unit 4 Week 2 ML 12: Compare and Contrast How Different Texts Approach Similar Themes

December 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 Assessment	5 Unit 4 Week 3 ML1: First Reading: Create Mental Images of Characters and Events	6 Unit 4 Week 3 ML4: Explain How an Author Develops Point of View	7 Unit 4 Week 3 ML7: Cite Text Evidence to Draw Inferences	8 Unit 4 Week 3 ML9: Compare and Contrast How Different Texts Approach Similar Themes
11 Unit 4 Week 3 ML11: Compare and Contrast Reading a Poem to Listening to a Poem	12 Unit 4 Week 3 Assessment	13 Catch up day	14 Catch up day	15 Catch up day
18 CHRISTMAS BREAK	19 CHRISTMAS BREAK	20 CHRISTMAS BREAK	21 CHRISTMAS BREAK	22 CHRISTMAS BREAK
25 CHRISTMAS BREAK	26 CHRISTMAS BREAK	27 CHRISTMAS BREAK	28 CHRISTMAS BREAK	29 CHRISTMAS BREAK

January 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 CHRISTMAS BREAK	2 Teacher Workday	3 Unit 5 Week 1 ML1: Introduce Unit 5: Technology in the 21st century ML2: First Reading: Draw Inferences	4 Unit 5 Week 1 ML 4: "Robot Cops" Build Vocabulary: Use Context Clues and Latin Roots to Determine Meaning	5 Unit 5 Week 1 ML 7: "Robot Cops" Analyze How a Key Idea Is Developed
8 Unit 5 Week 1 ML10: "Robots in the Workplace" First Reading: Distinguish Between Important and Unimportant Information ML 12: "Robots in the Workplace" Trace and Evaluate an Author's Argument, Claims, and Evidence	9 Unit 5 Week 1 ML13: Integrate Information in Different Formats to Develop a Coherent Understanding	10 Assessment	11 Unit 5 Week 2 ML1: "Probing the Ocean Deep" First Reading: Draw Inferences	12 Unit 5 Week 2 ML4: "Probing the Ocean Deep" Determine a Central Idea of a Text and How It Is Conveyed Through Particular Details
15 MLK Day	16 Unit 5 Week 2 ML 5: "Probing the Ocean Deep" Determine a Central Idea of a Text and How It Is Conveyed Through Particular Details	17 Unit 5 Week 2 ML8: "Probing the Ocean Deep" Close Reading: Analyze How a Key Idea Is Introduced and Elaborated	18 Unit 5 Week 2 ML 10: "Probing the Ocean Deep" Close Reading: Trace and Evaluate an Author's Argument, Claims, and Evidence	19 Unit 5 Week 2 ML12: Close Reading: Integrate Information in Different Formats to Develop a Coherent Understanding
22 Assessment	23 Unit 5 Week 3 ML1: "Updating Archaeology" First Reading: Distinguish Between Important and Unimportant Information	24 Unit 5 Week 3 ML4: "Updating Archaeology" Close Reading: Analyze How a Key Idea Is Introduced and Elaborated	25 Unit 5 Week 3 ML 7: "Updating Archaeology" Close Reading: Trace and Evaluate an Author's Argument, Claims, and Evidence	26 Unit 5 Week 3 ML9: "Updating Archaeology" Close Reading: Integrate Information in Different Formats to Develop a Coherent Understanding
29 Assessment	30 Unit 6 Week 1 ML1: Introduce Unit 6: Legendary Journeys ML2: "The Legend of El Dorado" First Reading: Make Connections	31 Unit 6 Week 1 ML 4: "The Legend of El Dorado" Analyze the Overall Structure of a Poem: Rhyme and Rhythm	1 Unit 6 Week 1 ML 7: "The Legend of El Dorado" Describe How Characters Respond or Change as the Plot Develops	2 Unit 6 Week 1 "The Broken Sphere" First Reading: Summarize and Synthesize ML12: "The Broken Sphere" Determine the Theme in a Text

February 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5 Unit 6 Week 1 ML 13: 13. Compare and Contrast How Texts in Different Forms Approach a Similar Theme	6 Assessment	7 Unit 6 Week 2 ML1: "The Legend of Mulan" First Reading: Make Connections	8 Unit 6 Week 2 ML 5: "The Legend of Mulan" Build Vocabulary: Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language	9 Unit 6 Week 2 ML8: "The Legend of Mulan" Close Reading: Describe How Characters Respond or Change as the Plot Develops
12 Unit 6 Week 2 ML10: "The Legend of Mulan" Close Reading: Determine the Theme in a Text	13 Unit 6 Week 2 ML 12: Close Reading: Compare and Contrast How Texts in Different Forms Approach a Similar Theme	14 Assessment	15 Unit 6 Week 3 ML1: "Midwinter Day" First Reading: Summarize and Synthesize	16 Unit 6 Week 3 ML4: "Midwinter Day" Close Reading: Describe How Characters Respond or Change as the Plot Develops
17 Unit 6 Week 3 ML 7: "Midwinter Day" Close Reading: Determine the Theme in a Text	18 Unit 6 Week 3 ML9: Close Reading: Compare and Contrast How Texts in Different Forms Approach a Similar Theme	19 Unit 6 Week 3 "Ain't I A Woman?" Read a Poem: Describe How the Author Uses Word Choice to Establish Point of View	20 Assessment	21 Catch Up Day
26 Unit 7 Week 1 ML 1: Introduce Unit 7: Achievements of Ancient Cultures ML 2: "The Golden Age of Greece" First Reading: Apply Metacognitive and Fluency Strategies	27 Unit 7 Week 1 ML 4: "The Golden Age of Greece" Build Vocabulary: Word Relationships (item/category)	28 Unit 7 Week 1 ML 7: "The Golden Age of Greece" Trace and Evaluate an Author's Argument, Claims, and Evidence	29 Unit 7 Week 1 ML 10: "Ancient Egypt's Golden Empire" First Reading: Apply Metacognitive and Fluency Strategies ML 12: "Ancient Egypt's Golden Empire" Analyze How a Particular Section of the Text Contributes to the Development of Ideas	1 Unit 7 Week 1 ML 13: "Ancient Egypt's Golden Empire" Cite Text Evidence to Support Inferences and Analysis

March 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 Assessment	5 Unit 7 Week 2 ML1: "Rome's Augustan Age" First Reading: Apply Metacognitive and Fluency Strategies	6 Unit 7 Week 2 ML4: Rome's Augustan Age "Integrate Information from Two Texts to Develop a Coherent Understanding of a Topic" ML5: "Rome's Augustan Age" Build Vocabulary: Word Relationships (cause/effect)	7 Unit 7 Week 2 ML8: "Rome's Augustan Age" Close Reading: Analyze How a Particular Section of the Text Contributes to the Development of the Ideas	8 Unit 7 Week 3 ML 10 Rome's Augustan Age" Close Reading: Cite Text Evidence to Support Inferences and Analysis
11 Unit 7 Week 3 ML12: Close Reading: Compare and Contrast Authors' Presentation of Events	12 Assessment	13 Unit 7 Week 3 ML 1: "The Golden Age of the Inca Empire" First Reading: Apply Metacognitive and Fix-Up Strategies	14 Unit 7 Week 3 ML 4: "The Golden Age of the Inca Empire" Close Reading: Cite Text Evidence to Support Inferences and Analysis	15 Unit 7 Week 3 ML 7: "The Golden Age of the Inca Empire" Close Reading: Trace and Evaluate an Author's Argument, Claims, and Evidence
18 Unit 7 Week 3 ML 9: Close Reading: Integrate Information from Two Texts to Develop a Coherent Understanding of a Topic	19 Unit 7 Week 3 ML11: "Dream Catchers" Word Choice/Domain-Specific Vocabulary Used in Cultural Imagery	20 Assessment	21 Catch up day	22 Catch up day
25 *TCAP PREP	26 *TCAP PREP	27 *TCAP PREP	28 *TCAP PREP	29 Easter Break

April 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Easter Break	2 *TCAP PREP	3 *TCAP PREP	4 *TCAP PREP	5 *TCAP PREP
8 *TCAP PREP	9 *TCAP PREP	10 *TCAP PREP	11 *TCAP PREP	12 *TCAP PREP
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May 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6	7	8	9	10
13 Review and enrichment activities	14 Review and enrichment activities	15 Review and enrichment activities	16 Review and enrichment activities	17 Review and enrichment activities
20 Review and enrichment activities	21 Review and enrichment activities	22 Professional Development Day	23 TEACHER WORKDAY	24 Last Half Day