

First Grade Year At A Glance

Phonics	First Nine Weeks Letter/Sounds Digraphs Blends Closed Syllables Aug. 19- Oct. 11 IFD Link						Second Nine Weeks Closed Syllables Inflectional Endings -s, -es, and -ed Double L "Glued Sounds" Trigraphs (-ch) Open Syllables Oct. 14- Dec. 20						Third Nine Weeks VCe Syllables Vowel Team Syllables "Vowel Family O and I" Trigraphs (-dge) Inflectional Endings -ed Jan. 7- Mar. 7 IFD Link						Fourth Nine Weeks R-Controlled Syllables Diphthongs Contractions Decoding Compound Words Mar. 10- May 22 IFD Link													
	Reading	Unit 1 Across Genres Ready, Set, Go! Interacting with Print and Language Around Us 3 Weeks Aug. 19- Sept. 6 IFD Link		Unit 2 Across Genres Understanding What We Read and Write: Purpose and Connections 3 Weeks Sept. 9- Sept. 27 IFD Link		Unit 3 Across Genres Understanding What We Read and Write: Questions and Predictions 3 Weeks Sept. 30 - Oct. 18		Unit 4 Across Genres Understanding What We Read and Write: Mental Images 2 Weeks Oct. 22- Oct. 31		Unit 5 Across Genres Understanding What We Read and Write: Inferences 3 Weeks Nov. 4- Nov. 22 IFD Link		Unit 6 Across Genres Understanding What We Read and Write: Important Details and Synthesis 2 Weeks Dec. 2- Dec. 13		Review Dec. 16- Dec. 20		Unit 7A Literary Genre Studies: Focusing on Literary Elements in Fiction Including Drama 3 Weeks Jan 7. - Jan. 24 IFD Link		Unit 7B Literary Genre Studies: Exploring Traditional Literature 3 Weeks Jan. 27- Feb. 13 IFD Link		Unit 8A Expository Genre Studies: Focusing on Characteristics of Informational Text 4 Weeks Feb. 18- Mar. 14 IFD Link		Unit 8B Expository Researching for Information 2 Weeks Mar. 24- Apr. 4 IFD Link		Unit 9 Literary Genre Studies: Focusing on Characteristics of Poetry 3 Weeks Apr. 7- Apr. 25 IFD Link		Unit 10 Expository Focusing on Characteristics of Persuasive Texts 2 Weeks Apr. 28- May 9 IFD Link		Unit 11 Across Genres The Big Picture Gaining Independence in Literacy 1 Week May 12- May 14 IFD Link				
Writing		Unit 1 Launching: Writing for Many Purposes 6 Weeks Aug. 19- Sept. 27 IFD Link						Unit 2 Small Moments/Personal Narratives 6 Weeks Sept. 30 - Nov. 8 IFD Link						Unit 3 Authors Write to Share Opinions 6 Weeks: [4 weeks NW2] Nov. 11 - Jan. 17 IFD Link						Unit 3 Authors Write to Share Opinions 6 Weeks [2 weeks NW3] Nov. 11 -Jan. 17 IFD Link		Unit 4 Realistic Fiction 6 Weeks Jan. 21- Feb. 28 IFD Link				Unit 5 Informational Writing 6 Weeks Mar. 3- Apr. 17 IFD Link				Unit 6 Poetry 4 Weeks Apr. 22- May 16 IFD Link		
Conventions	Complete thoughts and sentences Capitalization Periods Singular Nouns Present Tense Verbs Spelling						Plural nouns Complete sentences Capitalization of the word "I" Exclamation points Spelling						Paste Tense Verbs Subject-Verb Agreement Question marks Adjectives and articles Spelling						Cont'd		Common and Proper Nouns Pronouns Spelling				Adverbs (time) Prepositions Spelling				Spelling			
First Week of School (Aug. 13- Aug. 16)												Last week of school (May 19- May 22)																				