

World Language

3rd Grade



Unit 1: All about pets

Enduring Understanding	We all need food.
Essential Questions	What do I eat? What do people around the world eat?

Students will consider the importance of food. They will focus on fruits and vegetables and will be able to talk about the fruits and vegetables they eat. They will track how many they eat and will say how a specific fruit or vegetable helps their body. They will be able to say what they each eat day and will compare what they eat each day of the week with other students.

Unit 2: All about pets

Enduring Understanding	Pets play an important role in our lives.
Essential Questions	Who are our pets? What makes our pets special?

Students will learn about a wide variety of animals. They will decide which animals make good pets and why, explore the relationship that they have with pets, and will consider the popularity of pets in target language cultures around the world. They will share their likes and dislikes and will describe pets. They will look at ads for adopting pets and will decide what makes a good pet. They will explore ways to help pets in their community.

Unit 3: All about me

Enduring Understanding	All children play.
Essential Questions	Who am I? What do I do?

Students will be able to meet others, exchanging names and feelings. They will use numbers and the ABCs in the context of getting to know others. They will share their birthdays and say how old they are. They will spell their names and others, as necessary. Students will be able to talk about everyday activities saying what they do before, during, and after school and on the weekends. They will consider how children around the world play and will be able to say what different children around the world play.