

2026 - 2027 - Kindergarten - ELA Instructional Matrix

Unit 1 Instruction: August 17 - September 18		Unit 2 Instruction: Sept. 28 - Oct. 30		Unit 3 Instruction: November 9 - January 15		Unit 4 Instruction: January 25 - Feb 26		Unit 5 Instruction: March 8 - April 23	
Key standards per unit. For full standards see CA State Standards									
RL.K.1 ask and answer questions about key details		RL.K.1 ask and answer questions about key details			RI.K.1 ask and answer questions about key details in a text	RL.K.1 ask and answer questions about key details		RL.K.1 ask and answer questions about key details	
RL.K.2 retell familiar stories including details		RL.K.3 identify characters, settings, major events in a story			RI.K.2 identify the main topic and retell key details	RL.K.3 identify characters, settings, major events in a story		RL.K.2 retell familiar stories including details	
RL.K.3 identify characters, settings, major events in a story		RL.K.7 describe relationship between illustrations and the story			RI.K.7 describe relationship between illustrations and the text	RL.K.5 recognize common types of texts		RL.K.3 identify characters, settings, major events in a story	
								RL.K.5 recognize common types of texts	
RF.K.2a recognize and produce rhyming words		RF.K.2c blend and segment onsets and rimes		RF.K.2d isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (CVC)		RF.K.2d isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (CVC)		RF.K.2d isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (CVC)	
RF.K.2d isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (CVC)		RF.K.2d isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (CVC)		RF.K.3a one-to-one letter-sound correspondences		RF.K.3a one-to-one letter-sound correspondences		RF.K.2e add or subtract individual sounds in one-syllable words	
RF.K.3a one-to-one letter-sound correspondences		RF.K.3a one-to-one letter-sound correspondences		RF.K.3b long and short vowels		RF.K.3b long and short vowels		RF.K.3a one-to-one letter-sound correspondences	
RF.K.3c read common high frequency words by sight		RF.K.3b long and short vowels		RF.K.3c read common high frequency words by sight		RF.K.3c read common high frequency words by sight		RF.K.3b long and short vowels	
		RF.K.3c read common high frequency words by sight						RF.K.3c read common high frequency words by sight	
				W.K.3 - write narrative texts		W.K.1 compose opinion pieces		W.K.2 compose informative/explanatory texts	