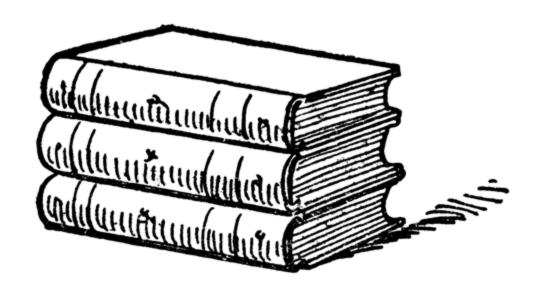
Kindergarten Reading Curriculum Guide Wonders



Mission: Engage, Empower, Inspire

District 6 provides every student with a personalized, well-rounded and excellent education in a safe, caring environment.

Student Learning and Achievement

Students will engage in a challenging, personalized, well-rounded education preparing every student to be college and career ready with the skills needed to be successful in the community and world.



Reading Curriculum Guide

Full Day - Eliminate Week 3, Day 5 (Units 1-10) Half Day - Eliminate All Day 5's (Units 1-10)

Unit: Smart Start

Full Day: August 24 - September 14

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: A.M.: August 24 - September 20

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: August 24 - September 16

TRE Days: 0

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: left, right, word, letter, alphabet, syllable, rhyme, text, connect*, tale, fable, fiction, informational text Found in Ashlock Resources on Schoology italicized found in vocabulary card folder on Schoology plain font - no card needed



Mastering the Priority Standards: Smart Start		
	Foundational Skills	
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the	
	following instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction
Week 1:	Phonics: Letter recognition A-H	RL.K.1 The Ugly Duckling S12: Listening
	HFW: I	Comprehension – Interactive Read Aloud
	Components of Word Work	
	Shared Reading - I am Special, Look at Me	
Week 2:	Phonics: Letter Recognition I-R	RL.K.1 Tikki Tikki Tembo S36: Listening
	HFW: can	Comprehension – Interactive Read Aloud
	Components of Word Work	
	Book Handling	
	Shared Reading – <u>Family Fun</u> , <u>Fun Together</u>	
Week 3:	Phonics: Letter Recognition S-Z	RL.K.1 Not emphasized: Insert
	HFW: I, can	instruction/practice where applicable
	Components of Work	
	Book Handling	
	Shared Reading – <u>At School</u> , <u>What Can I Do?</u>	



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Unit 1: Take a New Step

Full Day: September 15 - October 6

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: September 21 - October 11

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: September 23 - October 13

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Clipboard checks,

GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: fantasy*, title, author, question*, upper case, lower case, details*, *illustration*, predict*, *fable*, sequence*, *label*, *poetry*, sort, rhyming, *resources*, *research*



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 1		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the		
	following instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /m/ m High Frequency Word: the Components of Word Work Shared Reading – I Can, Can I?	RL.K1 What About Bear? T23: Listening Comprehension-Ask and Answer Questions RL.K2 What About Bear? T26: Guided Retelling	
Week 2:	Phonics: /a/ a High Frequency Word: we Components of Word Work Shared Reading – We Can, I Can, We Can	RL.K1 Pouch T106: Listening Comprehension- Ask and Answer Questions RL.K2 Pouch T109: Listening Comprehension- Guided Retelling RL.K3 Pouch T108: Listening Comprehension- Key Details	
Week 3:	Phonics: /s/ s High Frequency Word: see Components of Word Work Shared Reading – Sam Can See, I Can See	RI.K10 Senses at the Seashore T176: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K10 Senses at the Seashore T186: Listening Comprehension-Ask and Answer Questions RI.K.9 A Feast of the Senses T199: Listening Comprehension: Interactive Read Aloud	



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Unit 2: Let's Explore

Full Day: October 7 - October 28

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: October 12 - November 1

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: October 18 - November 4

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Clipboard checks,

GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

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Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: cover, photographs, title, facts*, events*, predict*, *tale*, *fable*, heading, sentences, *poem*, *informational text*, bold print, *resources*, *research*, characters*, category*, sort, *caption*



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 2		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the		
	following instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /p/ p	RI.K.10 The Handiest Things in the World, T12:	
	High Frequency Word: a	Listening Comprehension: Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson		
	Shared Reading – Pam Can See, We Can See		
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /t/ t	RI.K.10 Shapes All Around Us, T94: Listening	
	High Frequency Word: like	Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	RI.K.9 Kites in Flight, T116-117: Listening	
	Shared Reading – We Like Tam, I Like Sam	Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	
		RI.K.9 Find the Shapes, T126: Listening	
		Comprehension- Read "Find the Shapes"	
Week 3:	Phonics: Review /m/ m,/a/ a,/p/ p,/s/ s,/t/ t	RI.K.2 Love Bugs, T186: Listening	
	High Frequency Word: Review the, a see, we, like	Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	RI.K.10 From Caterpillar to Butterfly, T198:	
	Shared Reading – Pat, Tap, Tap, Tap	Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read	
		Aloud	



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Unit 3: Going Places

Full Day: October 31 - November 18

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: November 2 - November 22

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: November 8 - December 1

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Clipboard checks,

GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

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Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
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- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: fantasy*, author, *illustrator*, visualize*, phoneme, upper case, lower case, rhyme, action*, retell, details*, *illustrations*, predict*, events*, vocabulary, *fiction*, *fable*, *captions*, *sentence*, *period*, character*, setting*, events*, informational text* *Found in Ashlock Resources on Schoology *italicized* found in vocabulary card folder on Schoology plain font - no card needed



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 3		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the		
	following instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /i/ i	RL.K.1 How Do Dinosaurs Go to School? T22:	
	High Frequency Word: to	Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson		
	Shared Reading – Can I Pat It?, Tim Can Tip It		
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /n/ n	RL.K.1 Clang! Clang! Beep! Beep! Listen to the	
	High Frequency Word: and	City T104: Listening Comprehension-Read the	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	Big Book	
	Shared Reading – Nat and Tip, Tim and Nan		
Week 3:	Phonics: Introduce /c/ c	RL.K.1,RL.K.3 Please Take Me for a Walk	
	High Frequency Word: go	T186: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	Book	
	Shared Reading – We Go to See Nan, Can We Go?	RI.K.10 Field Trips T198: Listening	
		Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	



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Unit 4: Around the Neighborhood

Full Day: November 21 - December 20

TRE Days: 4

Half Day: A.M.: November 28 - December 20

TRE Days: 2

Half Day: P.M.: December 2 - January 5

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Clipboard checks,

GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders

Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

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Priority Standards: Reading Literature

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K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.

K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.

K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).

K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.

K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: cover, letter, predict*, tale, photograph, labels, illustrations, fiction, informational text, environmental print, research, internet, sequence*, blend, predict*, fable, characters*, plot*, text, captions
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	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 4		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the		
	following instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /o/ o High Frequency Word: you Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Tom on Top	RI.K.10 Whose Shoes T12: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.1 Little Juan and the Cooking Pot T34: Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /d/ d High Frequency Word: do Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Sid	RL.K.1, RL.K.3 What Can You do with a Paleta? T104: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.3 A World Festival Pot T126: Listening Comprehension-Read "A World Festival"	
Week 3:	Phonics: Review /i/ i, /n/ n, /c/ c, /o/ o, /d/ d High Frequency Words: and, do, go, to, you Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – I Can, You Can	RI.K.10 Roadwork T176: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	



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Unit 5: Wonders of Nature

Full Day: January 4 - January 25

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: January 4 - January 25

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: January 4 - January 24

TRE Days: 0

Priority Standard(s) Instruction

Assessments: DIBELS, Phonics Benchmark Assessment Tasks 1 - 5a, Clipboard checks, GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: capital, period, rhyme, sentence, plurals, fiction, beginning, blend, informational text, fact*, fairy tale, diagram, reread



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 5		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the following		
	instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /h/ h High Frequency Word: my Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Hop Can Hop	RL.K.3 My Garden T22: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.10 Growing Plants T34: Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /e/ e High Frequency Word: are Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Ed and Ned	RI.K.10 A Grand Old Tree T94: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.2 A Grand Old Tree T104: Listening Comprehension-Reread the Big Book RI.K.10 The Pine Tree T116: Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud RI.K.2 From a Seed to a Tree T126: Listening Comprehension-Read "From a See to a Tree"	
Week 3:	Phonics: Introduce /f/ f, /r/ r High Frequency Words: with, he Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Ron with Red	RI.K.10 An Orange in January T176: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.9 Farms Around the World T198: Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud RI.K.2 Farmers' Market T208: Listening Comprehension-Read "Farmers' Market"	



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Unit 6: Weather for All Seasons

Full Day: January 26 - February 16

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: January 26 - February 16

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: January 25 - February 14

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Wonders Unit 6 Assessment, Clipboard checks, GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: characters*, story, *informational text*, predict*, sequence*, *poetry*, rhyme, *folk tale*, *speech bubbles*, *dialogue*, inquiry, chart, purpose, *myth*, visualize*, directions



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 6		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the following		
	instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /b/ b, /l/ I	RL.K.1, RL.K.2 Mama is it Summer Yet? T22:	
	High Frequency Words: is, little	Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	RI.K.10 A Tour of the Seasons T34: Listening	
	Shared Reading – Is It Hot?	Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /k/ k, /k/ ck	RL.K.1, RL.K.2 Rain T104: Listening	
	High Frequency Words: she, was	Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson		
	Shared Reading – Kim and Nan		
Week 3:	Phonics : Review /e/ e, /h/ h, /f/ f, /r/ r, /v/ v , /l/ l, /k/ k	RL.K.1 Waiting Out the Storm T186:	
	High Frequency Words: are, he, is, little, my, she, was, with	Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson		
	Shared Reading – Mack and Ben		



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Unit 7: The Animal Kingdom

Full Day: February 17 - March 10

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: February 21 - March 13

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: February 15 - March 7

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Wonders Unit 7 Assessment, Clipboard checks, GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.

K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.

K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.

K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).

K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.

K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: *informational text*, facts*, same (compare)*, different (contrast)*, predict*, sound, *poem*, *character*, rhyme, plot*, chart, *reference*, *fantasy*, events*, setting*, *tale*, glossary



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 7		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the following		
	instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /u/ u High Frequency Words: for, have Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – A Pup and a Cub	RI.K.10 Zoo Borns T12: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.10 Zoo Borns T22: Listening Comprehension-Reread the Big Book RI.K.9 Baby Farm Animals T34: Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /g/ g, /w/ w High Frequency Words: of, they Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – I Hug Gus	RL.K.1 The Birthday Pet T104: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.10 The Family Pet T116: Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud RL.K.1 The Perfect Pet T126: Listening Comprehension-Read "The Perfect Pet"	
Week 3:	Phonics: Introduce /v/, /ks/ x High Frequency Words: said, want Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – A Vet in a Van	RL.K.1, RL.K.2 Bear Snores On T186: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	



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Unit 8: From Here to There

Full Day: March 13 - April 7

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: March 14 - April 10

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: March 8 - April 4

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Wonders Unit 8 Assessment, Clipboard checks, GOLD

Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: characters*, story, predict*, *tale*, blend, *headings*, *captions*, *research*, *inquiry*, *similes**Found in Ashlock Resources on Schoology *italicized* found in vocabulary card folder on Schoology plain font - no card needed



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 8		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the following		
	instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /j/ j, /kw/, qu High Frequency Words: here, me Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Dad Got a Job	RL.K.1, RL.K.3 When Daddy's Truck Picks Me Up T22: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /y/ y, /z/ z High Frequency Words: this, what Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Pack a Bag	RI.K.10 Ana Goes to Washington, D.C. T94: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.10 The Best of the West T116: Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud RI.K.2 See Our Country T126: Listening Comprehension-Read "See Our Country"	
Week 3:	Phonics: Review /u/ u, /g/ g, /w/ w, /ks/ x, /v/ v, /j/ j, /kw/ qu, /y/ y, /z/ z High Frequency Words: for, have, they, of, said, want, here, me, this, what Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson Shared Reading – Up, Up, Up	RL.K.1. RL.K.3 Bringing Down the Moon T186: Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book RI.K.10 A View From the Moon Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	



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Unit 9: How Things Change

Full Day: April 10 - May 1

TRE Days: 1

Half Day: A.M.: April 11- May 1

TRE Days: 0

Half Day: P.M.: April 5 - April 25

TRE Days: 0

Assessments: DIBELS, Wonders Unit 9 Assessment, Clipboard checks, GOLD

Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: capital letter, end marks, rhyme, setting, plot*, predict*, informational text, chart, events*, fable, caption, order, facts*, information, tale, photograph, directions



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 9		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the following		
	instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /ā/, a_e	RL.K.1, RL.K.3 Peter's Chair T22: Listening	
	High Frequency Words: help,too	Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	RI.K.10 Helping Out at Home T34: Listening	
	Shared Reading – <u>Jake and Dale Help</u>	Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /ī/ i_e	RL.K.1, RL.K.3 Hen Hears Gossip T104:	
	High Frequency Words: has, play	Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	RI.K.2 Team Up to Clean Up T126: Listening	
	Shared Reading – We Can Play	Comprehension-Read "Team Up to Clean Up"	
Week 3:	Phonics: Introduce /ō/, _o, o_e	RI.K.2 Bread Comes to Life T186: Listening	
	High Frequency Words: where, look	Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson		
	Shared Reading – Look! A Home!		



Reading Curriculum Guide

Unit 10: Thinking Outside the Box

Full Day: May 2 - May 24

TRE Days: 2

Half Day: A.M.: May 2 - May 24

TRE Days: 2

Half Day: P.M.: April 26- May 24

TRE Days: 4

Assessments: DIBELS, Wonders Unit 10 Assessment, Phonics Benchmark Assessment Tasks 1-5c, Clipboard checks, GOLD Documentation

Optional Resources: Placement and Diagnostic Assessment Manual, Wonders Running Records Manual

Priority Standard: Foundational

All Kinder foundational skills should be mastered by the end of Kindergarten.

Priority Standards: Reading Literature

- K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Priority Standards: Reading Informational

- K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
- K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.

Priority Standards: Language

- K.1 Demonstrate command of conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
- K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

Priority Standard: Speaking and Listening

- K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
- K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Academic Vocabulary: syllables, predict, fable, fiction, speech bubble, rhyme, antonyms, labels



	Mastering the Priority Standards: Unit 10		
	Foundational Skills		
	All priority standards in foundational skills are emphasized through the following		
	instructional components:	Priority Standard(s) Instruction	
Week 1:	Phonics: Introduce /ū/, u_e	RL.K.3 What's The Big Idea, Molly? T22:	
	High Frequency Words: good, who	Listening Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	RL.K.3 The Variety Show T46: Listening	
	Shared Reading – A Good Time for Luke	Comprehension-Read "The Variety Show"	
Week 2:	Phonics: Introduce /ē/, e, ee, e_e	RL.K.2 All Kinds of Families T106: Listening	
	High Frequency Words: come, does	Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson		
	Shared Reading – We Come on Time!		
Week 3:	Phonics : Review /ā/, a, /ī/ i, /ō/ o	RI.K.2 Panda Kindergarten T188: Listening	
	High Frequency Words: help, too, play, has, where, look, who, good, come, does	Comprehension-Read the Big Book	
	Components of Word Work/Explicit Phonics Lesson	RI.K.9 Protect the Environment T200:	
	Shared Reading – Who Can Help?	Listening Comprehension-Interactive Read Aloud	



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Full - Day Kindergarten

Unit	Instructional Days	Additional TRE Days	Dates
Smart Start	15	0	Aug. 24-Sept. 14
1	15	1	Sept. 15-Oct. 6
2	15	1	Oct. 7-Oct 28
3	15	1	Oct 31-Nov. 18
4	15	4	Nov. 21-Dec. 20
5	15	1	Jan. 4-Jan. 25
6	15	1	Jan. 26-Feb. 16
7	15	1	Feb. 17-Mar. 10
8	15	1	Mar. 13-April 7
9	15	1	April 10-May 1
10	15	2	May 2-May 24

^{*}Omit Day 5 on Week 3 in Units 1-10

Half - Day Kindergarten

Unit	Instructional Days	Additional TRE Days AM/PM	AM Kindergarten Dates	PM Kindergarten Dates
Smart Start	15	0	Aug. 24-Sept. 20	Aug. 24-Sept. 16
1	12	0	Sept. 21-Oct. 11	Sept. 23-Oct. 13
2	12	0	Oct. 12-Nov. 1	Oct. 18-Nov. 4
3	12	0	Nov. 2-Nov. 22	Nov. 8-Dec. 1
4	12	2/0	Nov. 28-Dec. 20	Dec. 2-Jan. 5
5	12	0	Jan. 4-Jan. 25	Jan. 4-Jan. 24
6	12	0	Jan. 26-Feb. 16	Jan. 25-Feb. 14
7	12	0	Feb. 21-Mar. 13	Feb. 15-Mar. 7
8	12	0	Mar. 14-April 10	Mar. 8-April 4
9	12	0	April 11- May 1	April 5-April 25
10	12	2/4	May 2-May 24	April 26-May 24

^{*}Omit Day 5 on Weeks 1, 2, 3 in Units 1-10



Common Core Priority Standards

Kindergarten

Reading: Foundational Skills

RF K.1 Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print.

- a. Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page.
- b. Recognize that spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters.
- c. Understand that words are separated by spaces in print.
- d. Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet.

RF K.2 Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (Phonemes)

- a. Recognize and produce rhyming words.
- b. Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words.
- c. Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words.
- d. Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonant-vowel-consonant, or CVC) words
- e. Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words.

RF K.3 Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.

- a. Demonstrate basic knowledge of letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or most frequent sound for each consonant.
- b. Associate the long and short sounds with the common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels.
- c. Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do does)
- d. Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ.

RF K. 4 Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding.

Reading: Literature

- RL K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
- RL K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- RL K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.

Reading: Informational Text

- RI K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- RI K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions or procedures).
- RI K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.



Speaking and Listening

- SL K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about *kindergarten topics and texts* with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
 - a. Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion).
 - b. Continue a conversation through multiple exchanges.
- SL K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.

Reading: Language

- L K.1 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
 - a. Print many upper- and lowercase letters.
 - b. Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs.
 - c. Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes).
 - d. Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how).
 - e. Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on off, for, of by, with).
 - f. Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities.
- L K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
 - a. Sort common objects into categories (e.g., shapes, foods) to gain a sense of the concepts the categories represent.
 - b. Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms).
 - c. Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful)
 - d. Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs describing the same general action (e.g., *walk, march, strut, prance*) by acting out the meanings.

Writing: Text Types and Purposes

- W K.1 Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose opinion pieces in which they tell a reader the topic or the name of the book they are writing about and state an opinion or preference about the topic or book (e.g., *My Favorite books is...*)
- W K. 2 Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose informative/explanatory texts in which they name what they are writing about and supply some information about the topic.
- W K.3 Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to narrate a single event or several loosely linked events, tell about the events in the order which they occurred, and provide a reaction to what happened.

Writing: Production and Distribution of Writing

W K.5 With guidance and support from adults, respond to questions and suggestions from peers and add details to strengthen writing as needed.



Writing: Research to Build and Present Knowledge

W K.8 With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.

There are research-based best instructional practices around Literacy which enables all elementary students to have access to high quality, consistent teaching.

Literacy Best Practices		Purpose
Best Practice 1:	Teachers use explicit instruction that builds word knowledge and	Research has proven that academic growth is maximized for students
Explicit Word Analysis	directly teaches skills and strategies for word analysis (phonemic	who are provided explicit instruction around phonics and vocabulary.
Instruction, Including	awareness, phonics, word recognition, structural analysis, context	(Archer and Hughes, 2011)
Phonics	clues, vocabulary)	
	Phonics Decoding Strategy (PDS)	
	o 2-3 times per week	
	Word Learning Strategies (WLS)	
	o 2-3 times per week	
	Specific Word Instruction	
	o Daily	
	 Irregular Word Review / Affix Review / Reading Entire Words 	
	Routine (SIPPS)	
	o Before any new story	
	Spelling Instruction	
	o In Targeted Instruction	
Best Practice 2:	Students are taught using the gradual release of responsibility model (I	Research shows that the gradual release of responsibility model of
Building	do, We do, Y'all do, You do) and given opportunities to apply the	instruction has been documented as an effective approach for
Comprehension Skills	comprehension strategies for constructing meaning.	improving writing achievement, reading comprehension, and literacy
and Strategies	• Toolbox	outcomes. (Fisher, 2008)
	o Use the Toolbox Metaphor to introduce the	Scientifically based reading research shows that reading aloud to
	strategy/skill of the week	students increases achievement on standardized test scores and
	Narrative/Informational Pathways	helps develop students' reading abilities. The Commission on
	o Use the Pathways to introduce the genre	Reading concluded, "the single most important activity for building the
	• QAR	knowledge required for eventual success is reading aloud to children"
	o Embed QAR when reading text	(Anderson et al. 1985, 23). Reading aloud increases students'
	Close Reading	background knowledge, introduces them to various story structures,



	 o Embed close reading when reading complex text Nead-Alouds o Spark a love of reading and model skills and strategies 	and demonstrates competent reading strategies—all of which contribute to increased reading ability and achievement on standardized tests.
Best Practice 3: Time in Text	Students have opportunities for sustained independent reading (30-40 minutes) every day to increase fluency and vocabulary.	Numerous studies have shown that increasing students' volume of reading is one of the most important levers in increasing their achievement (Million Words Campaign)
Best Practice 4: Standards- based Instruction	Teachers thoughtfully plan using the standards as a guide for instruction and the curriculum as a resource.	The Common Core State Standards represent the next generation of K–12 standards designed to prepare all students for success in college, career, and life by the time they graduate from high school. (CCSS)
Best Practice 5: Reading for Purpose	Students have extensive opportunities to read for a variety of purposes and to apply what is read every day. Discussion and writing are used by students to organize their thinking and to reflect on what they read for specific purposes.	Research shows that before reading, good readers tend to set goals for their reading. They often create a mental overview or outline of the text to help them decide whether it is relevant to their goals. (Reading Rockets)
Best Practice 6: Collaborative Conversations	Engage students in meaningful dialogue that allows them to use the domain-specific and academic vocabulary they are acquiring. Quality Student Interactions Scaffolding Tasks: Think, Pair, Share Clarifying Bookmark Socratic Seminar Kagan Strategies Reciprocal Teaching	The active exchange of ideas within small groups not only increases interest among the participants but also promotes critical thinking. There is persuasive evidence that cooperative teams achieve at higher levels of thought and retain information longer than students who work quietly as individuals. The shared learning gives students an opportunity to engage in discussion, practice academic language, take responsibility for their own learning, become critical thinkers. (Fisher and Frey, 2013, Gokhale, 1995)
Best Practice 7: Assessment to Inform Instruction	Formal and informal checks for understanding are used to guide and adjust instruction. • Standard Checkouts • Exit Tickets • Clipboard Checks • Written Responses • Graphic Organizers	Asking students to demonstrate their understanding of the subject matter is critical to the learning process; it is essential to evaluate whether the educational goals and standards of the lessons are being met. (Edutopia, 2008)

The Toolbox Metaphor: Good readers have a toolbox full of strategies and skills that they take with them when they read.

