

# Language Arts

## Foundations

Initial, final, medial consonant sounds  
Long and short vowels  
Digraphs (th, sh, ch, wh)  
Diphthongs (ow, ou, oi, oy)  
R-controlled vowels  
Blends  
Familiar word chunks (word families)  
Syllables (word division)

## Story Elements

Characters  
Setting  
Plot (problem, solution)  
Sequence  
Conclusion  
Relationship  
Compare and contrast story elements  
Author's purpose  
Character's point of view

## Word Recognition

Context clues  
Picture clues  
Word order/syntax/verb tense  
Antonyms  
Homonyms  
Synonyms  
Plurals  
Prefixes/suffixes  
Root words

## Comprehension

Drawing conclusions  
Recall  
Making predictions  
Cause and effect  
Verbal/written summaries  
Verbal/written retelling  
Fiction/nonfiction (identify)  
Identify facts/main idea  
Sequencing  
Define/differentiate characters  
Follow directions  
Author's purpose/message  
Note taking  
Making judgements  
Fact/opinion

## Attitudes and Habits

Develop strategies for selecting reading materials  
varied purposes (academic, personal interest)

## Writing Process

Generate topics  
Rough draft  
Revising/editing  
Final copy

## Writing Mechanics

## Capitalization

Proper nouns

People titles

Titles of books, movies, etc.

When "I" stands alone

## Punctuation

Commas:

In a series

Direct address

Dates

Greeting and closing of letters

After direct quote

Yes, No

Addresses

Ending punctuation (.!?)

Apostrophe

Quotation marks

Paragraph organization

Paragraph indenting

## Genres of Writing

Creative

Narrative

Poetry

Communication:

## Six Traits of Writing

Word choice

Sentence Fluency

Idea/Content

Conventions

Voice

Organization

## Penmanship

Manuscript D'Nealian

Formation of letters

Spacing

Consistent slant

Size

Legibility

## Research Reference Skills

Table of Contents

Alphabetical Order

Dictionary

Encyclopedia

Index

Guide Words

Multiple meaning word forms

## Grammar

Nouns, verbs, pronouns, adjectives, adverbs Expository

Conjunctions

Articles (the, a, an)

## Written Directions

## Recognize Historical and Cultural Perspective of Literature

# Math

Introduce borrow and carry

2-3 digit +/- with and without regrouping

+ and - facts to 18

Introduce multiplication basic dividing 0-5

Master 0-18 + and -

Place value to 1,000

Time 1/2 and 1/4 hour

Money to \$1.00

Geometry practice

Problem solving

Graphs: collecting, interpreting, displaying data

Measurement

Fractions - whole

1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/8, 1/16. parts of a whole

Parts of a set

Story problems (1 and 2 step)

# Science(FOSS)

Air and weather

Matter

Plants

# Social Studies

Mapping

History

Colonial

Current Events

Community - Neighborhoods and Community helpers

# Technology

## Vocabulary

Work towards mastery of vocabulary from previous year

## Procedures

Save and retrieve files

Save and retrieve print

Scrol through information on software

Place cursor

Space

Delete (i.e., capitalization, add in, etc.)

## Microsoft Word/Microsoft Publisher:

### Toolbar

opening and saving files

printing

spelling

font

size

bold

italic

underlining

alignment

color

### Editing

undo

select all

Type small passages or poems to present

Use different forms of communications on Publisher.

## Key Words:

Introduce keyboarding

## Excel:

Graphing

## Technology use:

How and why we use technology in different areas (state standard)

# Field Trips

Children's Museum

## Homework

Every day 30 minutes (includes 15 minutes of reading)

## Grading

95 - 100 O+

90 - 94 S+

80 - 89 S

70 -79 S-

69 - Below N

## Assignment Books:

Primary version