

Fourth Grade Overview

SDPC Academic Department Links

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Cross Content Connections - First Nine Weeks							
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies	
Reading: Make connections, determine importance, infer, create images, fix-up strategies	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math/Fantastic Five/Algebra (spiral)	Daily	Scientific Inquiry/Process Skills	2 weeks	Settlement of North America and Native Americans	4 weeks
Writing (Narrative Focus): Report, Story: problem & solution, main idea & details, response to literature, personal narrative		Numbers and Operations in Base Ten	7 weeks	Life Science: Organisms and Their Environments	7 weeks	Exploration of the New World and Explorers	5 weeks
Language: sentence types, simple & compound sentences, complete sentences, subject-verb agreement		Operations and Algebraic Thinking	2 weeks				
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.							
Cross Content Connections - Second Nine Weeks							
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies	
Reading: Fix-up strategies, synthesize, monitor understanding, ask questions, make connections: text, self, world	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math/Fantastic Five/Algebra (spiral)	Daily	Weather	4 weeks	Colonial Life in North America	5 weeks
Writing (Informative/Explanatory Focus): Story, procedural text, story sequence, biography, cause & effect		Operations and Algebraic Thinking	2 weeks				
Language: common & proper nouns, possessive nouns, action, linking & helping verbs, verb tense		Numbers and Operations in Base Ten	5 weeks	Scientific Inquiry/Science Projects	2 weeks	American Revolution	4 weeks
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.		Numbers and Operations Fractions	2 weeks	Astronomy	3 weeks		
Cross Content Connections - Third Nine Weeks							
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies	
Reading: Determine importance, infer, create images, fix-up strategies, synthesize	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math/Fantastic Five/Algebra (spiral)	Daily	Astronomy, cont.	2 weeks	American Revolution, cont.	1 week
Writing (Opinion/Persuasive Focus): Main idea & details, persuasive essay, letter, personal narrative, poem		Numbers and Operations Fractions	6 weeks	Electricity	7 weeks	Forming a New Government	4 weeks
Language: progressive verb tenses, pronouns: subjective & objective		Measurement and Data	3 weeks			Westward Expansion	4 weeks
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.							
Cross Content Connections - Fourth Nine Weeks							
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies	
Reading: synthesize, classify/categorize, monitor understanding: genres, ask questions	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math/Fantastic Five/Algebra (spiral)	Daily	Magnets	3 weeks	Civil War	6 weeks
Writing (Research Focus): Poem, newspaper article, story, research, problem & solution		Measurement and Data	2 weeks				
Language: prepositions, prepositional phrases, conjunctions, independent & dependent clauses, homophones		Geometry	3 weeks	Light	3 weeks		
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.		PASS and MAP Testing	2 weeks	Integrated Extension Units	3 weeks	Integrated Extension Units	3 weeks
		Step Up Units for 5th Grade	2 weeks				

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