

2011 - 2012 Trimester 1 Fall

	Science/S.S.	Reading	Writing	L.A.	Math	Computers (Fridays)
Aug. 15-19	Set Routines	DEAR -Responses to Literature	Fall Sample Pen Pal letter writing	Type to Learn 30 minutes daily Spelling: HF test	Placement test-Tues (new students) Fact timed tests (+, -)	Microsoft Word instruction (3 weeks)
Aug. 22 - 26	Water -cycle -properties	-Weekly Log -AR system	Description Paragraph writing - Varying sentence lengths & beginnings, figurative language, Narrative Non Fiction *Being a Writer (Community: Writers Notebook , process, personal narratives)	Type to Learn 30 minutes daily DLI week 1 Spelling: HF	Addition, Subtraction Place Value Rounding & Estimating Decimals	Descriptive Paragraph - Bullets - Clipart - Fonts, colors - WordArt Final is typed
Aug. 29-Sept.2 (3 Th, F)		NF - Water		Type to Learn 30 minutes daily DLI week 2 Spelling: HF		
Sept. 6 - 9(4 M)		Fantasy Vocab Summaries Similes Metaphors Literary elements		Dictionary work Alphabetical order Guide words Syllables DLI week 3 Spelling: HF		
Sept. 12 - 16		Sun, Moon & Stars				
Sept. 19 - 23	DLI week 5 Word Study					
Sept. 26-Sept.30	DLI week 6 Word Study		Time & Money (telling & elapsed time Making change \$10			
Oct. 3 - 7	NF - Sun, Moon, Stars				DLI week 7 Word Study	
Oct. 10 - 13 (4 F)	NF - Biography		DLI week 8 Word Study		Mult/Div Relations multiples, factors, rules, basic facts (1-10)	
Oct. 17 - 21	Research Skills w/ Biography -Topic & supporting details		DLI week 9 Word Study			
Oct. 24 - 28	Maps and Globes	-Resources -Note Taking	DLI week 10 Word Study			
Oct.31-Nov 4 (T)	States and Physical Features	NF - Explorers	Pres of bio/speeches Wax Museum4th	DLI week 11 Word Study		

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Nov. 7 - 10 (4 -F)	States and Physical Features	NF - Explorers		DLI week 12 Word Study	Fractions Concepts (intro): Equivalent; Simplest form; common denom.: Compare/order; + - w/ like & unlike denominators; improper & mixed #'s	
Nov. 14 - 18	States and Physical Features	Colonial Expansion Research Sp, Fr, Br landed; 1 st settlements		DLI week 13 Word Study		Pen Pal Ltr (refresh Word skills)
Nov. 28 - Dec.2	50/28 states test Discovery III	Folktales, Legends, Myths	- Kente cloth paragraphs & write own tales	DLI week 14 Word Study		Kente cloth final
Dec. 5 - 9				DLI week 15 Word Study		
Dec. 12 - 16				DLI week 16 Word Study	Holiday Cards	
Jan. 4 - 6 (3M,T)	Scientific Method	Realistic Fiction Char. Descript. Setting Predictions Summary LiteraryElements	Narrative fiction Char. Descript. Setting *Being a Writer Fiction Genre unit*	DLI week 17 Word Study	Probability & Statistics Graphing & Data Coordinate grids Line, line plot, bar, pictograph, median, mode, range	Publisher Instruction
Jan. 9 - 13				DLI week 18 Word Study		
Jan. 17 - 20 (4M)	Colonial Life	Historical Fiction novels - colonial	CSAP prep (W)	DLI week 19 Word Study		2D & 3D Geometry
Jan. 23 - 27	Media Cast			DLI week 20 Word Study		
Jan. 30 - Feb.3	Commercials			DLI week 21 Word Study		
Feb. 6 - 10	French/Indian War Revolutionary War w/ Persuasive	Diversity Issues		DLI week 22 Word Study		Excel Instruction Graphing - bar, line, pie
Feb. 13 - 17 (T)	Writing			DLI week 23 Word Study		Perimeter & Area Length Measure

2011 - 2012 Trimester 3 Spring

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Feb. 22 - 24 (3M,T)	Rev War	Hist Fic	CSAP prep (W)	none	Perimeter & Area	
Feb 27 -Mar.2				DLI week 24	Length Measure	
Mar. 5 - 9	Electricity & Magnets	CSAP testing 9 days - R/W/M	Poetry *Inference Poetry Express I love you purple I want a world Free form poetry	None due to CSAP test	CSAP Review	No lab - CSAP
Mar. 12-16						Publish poetry as gifts (Mother's & Father's Day)
Mar. 19-23				Poetry	DLI week 25	
April 4-6 (3M,T)	Structures of Life Life cycles Pred/prey Consu/prod Food chain	NF - Structures of Life	NF Shakespeare Research Study Text features, captions, 2-col notes	DLI week 26	Multiplication Facts Concepts single by double and double by double) Division Single, double and triple by single With remainders	Pen Pals
April 9-13				DLI week 27		PowerPoint instruction
April 16-19 (4F)				DLI week 28	Publish PPT projects	
April 23-27				DLI week 29		
April 30-May 4				NF Research Projects Play Practice	DLI week 30	Hands-on Algebra/ 4th gr post-assessment-11th
May 7-11				MiniSociety Sales 18 th & 21 st	DLI week 31	
May 14-18					Play performances/present projects	End rotations
May 21-24 (4F)		5thpre-assessment				