1st Grade Scope and Sequence ELA

Unit of Study	Big Idea	Essential Questions	Resources	Standards
Unit 1	Main Idea	How do strategic readers create meaning from	Journeys Unit 1 -What is a Pal? (Level C), Friends	CC.1.1.1.D Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in
September 6 –		informational and	Forever (G)	decoding words.
October 14		literary text?	-The Storm (C), Storms! (H)	CC.1.2.1.A Identify the main idea and
			-Curious George at School (C), School	retell key details of text.
(6 weeks)		What is this text really	Long Ago (G) (can revisit for text	CC.1.3.1.A Retell stories, including key
		about?	structure unit)	details, and demonstrate understanding of
			-Lucia's Neighborhood (D), City Mouse	their central message or lesson.
		What makes a good	and Country Mouse (C)	CC.1.3.1.C Describe characters, settings,
		story?	- How Animals Communicate (D), Insect	and major events in a story, using key
			Messages (H)	details.
				CC.1.4.1.M Write narratives to develop
			Assessments	real or imagined experiences or events.
			-Main Idea Web- Graphic Organizer #5 (Grab and Go)	•
			-Characters and Action Map (Grab and	
			Go)	
			-T-Map Graphic Organizer #2 (Grab and	
			Go)	
			30)	
Unit 2	Text Structure	How does story structure	Journeys Unit 2	CC.1.1.1.D Know and apply grade-level
	(Sequencing)	and sequence help you to	-Gus Takes the Train (D), City Zoo (D)	phonics and word analysis skills in
October 17 –	× 1 U/	understand a story?	-Jack and the Wolf (Level D), The Three	decoding words.
November 23			Little Pigs (D)	CC.1.2.1.C Describe the connection
		How do the decisions	-A Musical Day (D), Drums (G)	between two individuals, events, ideas, or
(6 weeks)		and actions of characters	-A Cupcake Party (D), Happy Times (F)	pieces of information in a text.
		reveal their	-How Leopard Got Its Spots (F), The	CC.1.3.1.C Describe characters, settings,
		personalities?	Rainforest (I) (*from Journeys Unit 3)	and major events in a story, using key
				details.
			Assessments	CC.1.4.1.A Write informative/
			-Venn Diagram Graphic Organizer # 8	explanatory texts to examine a topic and
		How do you write to	(Grab and Go)	convey ideas and information.
		inform?	-Story Map Graphic Organizer #1 (Grab	(Note: step by step, recipe, how to)
			and Go)	
			-Flow Chart # Organizer #6 (Grab and	
			Go) - Sequence Chart (TE p. 237, SB p. 95)	
			- Sequence Chart (1E p. 257, SD p. 95)	
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Unit 3	Text Features	How can you use text features to locate key	Journeys Unit 3 -Dr. Seuss (E), 2 Poems from Dr. Seuss	CC.1.1.1.D Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in
November 28 –		facts?	(G) (*from Journeys Unit 2)	decoding words.
January 13			-At Home in the Ocean (G), Water (H)	CC.1.2.1.E Use various text features and
-		How do the illustrations	-Seasons (G), Four Seasons for Animals	search tools to locate key facts or
(6 weeks)		help us to understand the	(G)	information in a text.
		narrative?	-The Big Race (G), Rules and Laws (J)	CC.1.2.1.G Use the illustrations and
			-Animal Groups (H), Animal Picnic (F)	details in a text to describe its key ideas.
		How do you write to		CC.1.3.1.G Use illustrations and details in
		inform?	Assessments	a story to describe characters, setting, or
			-T-Map (labeled- Pictures/What I Leaned	events.
			(Teacher made from. Grab and Go)	CC.1.4.1.A Write informative/
			-Unit 3 Lesson 3 Season Organizer	explanatory texts to examine a topic and
			-Unit 3 Lesson 4 The Big Race	convey ideas and information.
			Characterization Organizer	
Unit 4	Comparison	How does comparing	Journeys Unit 4	CC.1.1.1.D Know and apply grade-level
		texts deepen your	-Let's Go to the Moon! (Level H), Mae	phonics and word analysis skills in
January 17 -		understanding key	Jemison (I)	decoding words.
February 24		information and story	-The Big Trip (H), Lewis and Clark's Big	CC.1.2.1.I Identify basic similarities in
		elements?	Trip (K)	and differences between two texts on the
(6 weeks)			-Where Does Food Come From? (G),	same topic.
			Jack and the Beanstalk (F)	CC.1.3.1.H Compare and contrast the
		How does interaction	-Tomas Rivera (H), Life Then and Now	adventures and experiences of characters
		with text provoke	(G)	in stories
		thinking and response?	-Little Rabbit's Tale (G), Silly Poems (G)	CC.1.4.3.S Draw evidence from literary
				or informational texts to support analysis,
			Assessments	reflection, and research, applying grade-
			-Venn Diagram- Unit 4 Lesson 1;	level reading standards for literature and
			Moon/Earth Comparison.	informational texts (*note: this is a gr. 3
			-Venn Diagram- TE p. T147, SB. P. 74	standard for writing in response to
			-Written Response- TE p. 369. SB 150	literature, we recommend gr. 1
			-Little Rabbit's Tale/Chicken Little	appropriate exposure to this standard)
			Assessment	
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Unit 5	Inferencing	How do strategic readers	Journeys Unit 5 Error and Tagether (Level II)	CC.1.1.1.D Know and apply grade-level
Eahmann 27	(Context)	create meaning from	-Frog and Toad Together (Level H), Garden Good Guys (H)	phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
February 27 – April 7		informational and literary text?	-Amazing Animals (I), Ugly Duckling (F)	CC.1.2.1.B Ask and answer questions
(6 weeks)		interary text?	-Amazing Ammais (1), Ogly Duckling (F) -Whistle for Willie (G), Pet Poems (G)	about key details in a text. (note:
(U WEEKS)		How does interaction	-A Tree is a Plant (I), Grow, Apples,	precursor to inference)
		with text provoke	Grow! (H)	CC.1.3.1.B Ask and answer questions
		thinking and response?	-Hi! Fly Guy (H), Busy Bugs (H) (*from	about key details in a text. (note:
		uninking and response?	-III: FIY OUY (II), DUSY DUgs (II) ("IFOM	about key details in a text. (note:

			Journeys Unit 6)	precursor to inference)
			Journeys Onit 0)	CC.1.2.1.F Ask and answer questions to
			Assessment	
			Assessment	help determine or clarify the meaning of
			-Inference Map Graphic Organizer #7.	words and phrases in a text.
			(Grab and Go)	CC.1.3.1.F Identify words and phrases in
			-Written Response- Why does the	stories or poems that suggest feelings or
			author's think the animals are amazing?	appeal to the senses.
			-Written Response- How does Willie's	CC.1.4.3.S Draw evidence from literary
			continued practice help him to whistle in	or informational texts to support analysis,
			the end?	reflection, and research, applying grade-
			-A Tree is a Plant Questioning Response.	level reading standards for literature and
			-Written Response: Why is Fly Guy a	informational texts (*note: this is a gr. 3
			Good Pet	standard for writing in response to
				literature, we recommend gr. 1
				appropriate exposure to this standard)
Unit 6	Point of View	Why does the author use	Journeys Unit 6	CC.1.1.1.D Know and apply grade-level
		certain details to support	-The New Friend (I), Symbols of our	phonics and word analysis skills in
April 10 –		points in a text?	Country (K) (*from Journeys Unit 5)	decoding words.
May 26			-The Dot (Level H), Artists Create Art!	CC.1.2.1.H Identify the reasons an author
2		What can a reader know	(K)	gives to support points in a text.
(6 weeks)		about an author's	-What Can You Do? (I), The Wind and	CC.1.3.1.D Identify who is telling the
, ,		intentions based only on	the Sun (G)	story at various points in a text.
		a reading of the text?	-The Kite (Frog and Toad) (G),	CC.1.4.1.G Write opinion pieces on
		e e	Measuring Weather (I)	familiar topics.
		How can I organize my	-Winners Never Quit! (H), Be a Team	1
		thoughts and words to	Player (H)	
		express and support my	Assessment	
		opinion?	- The New Friend Question and	
			answer?	
			- Point of View Written Response- The	
			Dot	
			- Wind and Sun Self Reflection	
			Checklist	
			- Robin vs Toads Point of View	
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*****Please note: Standards 1.2.- J, K, and L and 1.3- I, J, and K (regarding vocabulary and range of reading) are embedded throughout the curriculum.*****

*****Please note: Standard CC.1.1.1.E/Fluency is embedded throughout the curriculum and measured through DIBELS monitoring.*****