



Resources: Literature (2008, Glencoe), Houghton Mifflin English (2007), Sadlier Vocabulary, College Board PreAP
Websites: <https://newsela.com>, learningfarm.com, <https://quizlet.com> <http://www.thelearningpad.net>
Novels: The Giver, The Outsiders, Animal Farm, Anne Frank(Play), Lord of the Flies

1 st Quarter (43 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
1 st : Aug 14-18 (5 days)	Unit 1: The Elevator, Raymond's Run, Clean Sweep, The Tell-Tale Heart TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C,D, E	SUMMER Project Realistic Fiction Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Text levels and fluency benchmarks (DRA) gathered from August 14 through 25	Pre-assessment	Writing Process - Introduction - Descriptive Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
2 nd : Aug 21-25 (5 days)	Unit 1: The Hitchhiker, My First Free Summer, The Great Rat Hunt TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 1 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C,D, E	Character and Plot Readiness Standards: 3 A,B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11A, B, C, D, E; 12A, B; 13 A, B; 14A, B, C, D	Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge	Four kinds of Sentences Readiness Standards: 20 A, B,C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Drafting -Personal Narratives Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
3 rd : Aug 28-31 (4 days)	Unit 1 Wrapup/ Review; Assessment TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 1 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C,D, E	Realistic Fiction, Character and Plot Readiness Standards: 3 A,B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11A, B, C, D, E; 12A, B; 13 A, B; 14A, B, C, D		Complete Subjects Predicates Readiness Standards: 20 A, B,C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Revising/Editing - Personal Narratives Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
4 th : Sep 5-8 (4 days)	Unit 2: The Treasure of Lemon Brown, Flowers for Algernon, Rules of	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Optional list selected by teacher	Character and Point of View Readiness Standards:		Simple Subjects and Predicates	Writing Process - Publishing - Personal Narratives



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	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
	the Game TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	STEMS List # 1	Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C,D, E	3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge	Readiness Standards: 20 A, B,C; 21 A, B,C	Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
5th: Sept 11-15 <i>(5 days)</i>	Unit 2: The Medicine Bag, Harriet Tubman, The Mysterious Mr. Lincoln TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 2 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C,D, E	Historical Fiction Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Compound and Complex sentences Readiness Standards: 20 A, B,C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Introduction - Expository Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
6th: Sept 18-22 <i>(5 days)</i>	Unit 2 Wrap-up & Review; Assessment TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 2 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Historical Fiction Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Compound and Complex Sentences Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Introduction - Expository Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
7th: Sept 25-29 <i>(5 days)</i>	Literature Circles: Animal Farm Book Buffet TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E STEMS List #2	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Historical Fiction Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Compound and Complex Sentences Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Introduction - Expository Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
8th: Oct 2-6 <i>(5 days)</i>	1st Benchmark Literature Circles: Animal Farm Book Buffet TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 3 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Historical Fiction Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Compound and Complex Sentences Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Introduction - Expository Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B;17, 18 A, B, C; 19,24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B



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Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
9 th : Oct 9-13 (5 days)	Literature Circles: Animal Farm Book Buffet TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 3 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Historical Fiction Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis	Review & Assessment	Writing Process - Introduction - Expository Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B

2 nd Quarter (39 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
1 st : Oct 16-19 (4 days)	Unit 3: The Drummer Boy of Shiloh, Hallucination, Ellis Island and I, The Monkey's Paw TEKS:2A-E,4A,7A,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 4 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C,D, E	Setting and Mood Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Independent Reading, Buddy Reading,	Action and linking Verbs Readiness Standards: 20 A, B,C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Introduction - Persuasive Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
2 nd : Oct 23-27 (5 days)	Unit 3: Going Where I'm Coming From, Story of an Eyewitness TEKS: 2A-E,4A,8A,9A,10A-D,12A-B	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 4 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Setting and Mood Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge	Main and helping Verbs Readiness Standards: 20 A, B,C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Drafting - Persuasive Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
3 rd : Oct. 31-Nov. 3 (4 days)	IOWA/ ITBS Complete Battery Unit 3:Wrap-Up/Review; Assessment Gr 3- 8	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E STEMS List # 4	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Setting and Mood Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Subject-verb Agreement Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Revising/Editing- Persuasive Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B



2nd Quarter (39 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
4 th : Nov 6-10 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Giver TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 5 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Setting and Mood Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge Text levels and fluency benchmarks (DRA) gathered from November 30 th through December 11 th	Principal parts of regular verbs Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Publishing- Persuasive Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B;
5 th : Nov 13-17 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Giver TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 5 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Setting and Mood Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Past, present, and future tenses Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Introduction - Response to Literature Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
6 th : Nov 27- Dec 1 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Giver TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E STEMS List # 5	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Characterization Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Troublesome verbs Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Drafting - Response to Literature Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B	
7 th : Dec 4-8 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Giver TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 6 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Prepositions and prepositional phrases Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Revising/Editing- Response to Literature Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
8 th : Dec 11-15 (5 days)	2nd Benchmark Literature Circles: The Giver	From novel chapters	Optional list selected by teacher	Theme Readiness Standards: 3 A,		Subject and Object Pronouns Readiness	Writing Process - Publishing- Response to Literature



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Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
	TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 6 -Sadlier	Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12		Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
9th: Dec 18-22 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Giver TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12		Subject and Object Pronouns Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Publishing-Response to Literature Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B

3rd Quarter (46 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
1 st : Jan 8-12 (5 days)	DRAMA UNIT Unit 4: Abuela Invents the Zero, Gils Furniture Bought and Sold, Pandora's Box TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 5A,6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E STEMS List # 6	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme & Symbol Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge.	Antecedents Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Creative Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
2 nd : Jan 16-18 (3 days)	1st DCA/ Mock STAAR DRAMA UNIT Unit 4: The Old Grandfather and His Little Grandson, The Wise Old Woman, Diary of Anne Frank TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 5A,6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 7 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme & Symbol Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12		Possessive Pronouns Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Creative Writing Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
3 rd : Jan 22-26 (3 days)	1st Mock STAAR Unit 5: POETRY UNIT Lineage, Willow and	From stories Readiness	Optional list selected by teacher	Poetry Elements		Indefinite and reflexive pronouns	Creative Writing Readiness



3rd Quarter (46 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
	Ginkgo, the lesson of the moth, Identity, It's all I have to bring today, We Alone TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 7 -Sadlier	Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge	Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
4th : Jan 29-Feb 2 (5 days)	Unit 5: Mother to Son, On the Grasshopper and Cricket, Ode on Solitude, O Captain! My Captain! TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E STEMS List # 7	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Poetry Elements Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Using who and Whom	Writing with more effective verbs
5th: Feb. 5-9 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Outsiders TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel Chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 8 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme & Characterization Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12		Contractions and Negatives	Writing with more effective verbs
6th: Feb 12-16 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Outsiders TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel Chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 8 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme & Characterization Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Adjectives and Articles	Writing with Adjectives
7th: Feb 20-23 (4 days)	Mock STAAR Literature Circles: The Outsiders TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel Chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E STEMS List # 8	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme & Characterization Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		This, that, these, and those	Writing with Adjectives
					Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B	



3rd Quarter (46 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
8 th : Feb 26-Mar 2 (5 days)	Literature Circles: The Outsiders TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A 3rd Benchmark	From novel Chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 9 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Theme & Characterization Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge	Comparative and superlative adjectives Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing with Adverbs Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
9 th : Mar 5-9 (5 days)	Unit 6: New York Day Women, The Lady or The Tiger?, The Monty Hall Debate, Cartoon TEKS: 2A-E,,4A,8A, 9A, 11A-B, 13A-D	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 9 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Style, Voice, Tone Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge	Adverbs Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing - varying sentence structures Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B

4th Quarter (48 Days)								
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop		
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons	
1 st : Mar 19-23 (5 days)	Mock STAAR Unit 7: The Pearls, One Last Time, A Dream of Freedom TEKS: 2A-E,,4A,8A,9A, 11A-B, 13A-D	From stories Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 10 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	History, Culture, Author Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge.	Conjunctions Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Drafting -Literary Analysis Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B	
2 nd : Mar 26-30 (5 days)	STAAR Review							
3 rd : Apr 2-6 (5 days)	April 3: STAAR Gr 8 Math	From novel Chapters	Optional list selected by teacher	Reading Informational Text		Grammar Review Readiness	Writing Process - Revising/Editing - Literary Analysis	



4th Quarter (48 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
	April 4: STAAR Gr 8 Reading	Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 10 -Sadlier	Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis	Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
4th: Apr 9-13 (5 days)	Literature Circles: Lord of the Flies TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A, 6A-C,8A,9A	From novel Chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E STEMS List # 10	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Expository Essays Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Independent Reading, Buddy Reading, Listen to Reading, Writing about Reading, Fluency, Accuracy, Comprehension, Expanding Knowledge	Grammar Review Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Publishing-Literary Analysis Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
5th: April 16-19 (4 days)	Literature Circles: Lord of the Flies TEKS: 2A-E,3A-C,4A,6A-C,8A,9A	From novel Chapters Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 11 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Expository Essays Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Text levels and fluency benchmarks (DRA) gathered from May 2 nd through 13 th	Grammar Review Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Summaries Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
6th: Apr 23-27 (5 days)	Unit 10: The Power of Research TEKS: 2A-E,,4A,8A,9A, 11A-B, 13A-D	Research Questions Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 12-Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Expository Essays Readiness Standards: 3 A,B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11A, B, C, D, E; 12A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Grammar Review Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Drafting -Research Paper Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
7th: Apr 30-May 4 (5 days)	Unit 10: The Power of Research TEKS: 2A E,,4A,8A,9A, 11A-B, 13A-D	Websites, Periodicals, References Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 13 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Expository Essays Readiness Standards: 3 A,B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Grammar Review Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B, C	Writing Process - Publishing- Research Paper Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B



4th Quarter (48 Days)							
Week	Language/Word Study			Reader's Workshop		Writer's Workshop	
	Cognitive/Read Aloud	Vocabulary	Word Study Spelling	Reading Mini-Lessons	PreAP Strategic Reading	Grammar	Writing Mini-Lessons
8 th : May 7-11 (5 days)	May 9: STAAR- Gr 8 Science May 10: STAAR- Gr 8 Social Studies Unit 10: The Power of Research TEKS: 2A-E,,4A,8A,9A, 11A-B, 13A-D	Websites, Periodicals, References Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 14 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Expository Essays Readiness Standards: 3 A,B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D	Paired genre reading and deep genre analysis Text levels and fluency benchmarks (DRA) gathered from May 2 nd through 13 th	Grammar Review Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B,	Writing Process - Publishing Research Paper Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
9 th : May 14-18 (5 days)	Final Benchmark Unit 10: The Power of Research TEKS: 2A-E,,4A,8A,9A, 11A-B, 13A	Websites, Periodicals, References Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E Unit 15 -Sadlier	Optional list selected by teacher Readiness Standards: 2 A, B, C, D, E	Rev Expository Essays Readiness Standards: 3 A, B, C; 4, 5, 6 A, B, C; 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A, B, C, D, E; 12 A, B; 13 A, B; 14 A, B, C, D		Grammar Review Readiness Standards: 20 A, B, C; 21 A, B,	Review Writing Process - Publishing- Research Paper Readiness Standards: 16 A, B; 17, 18 A, B, C; 19, 24 A, B, C, D, E; 25 A, B
10 th : May 21-24 (4 days)	Review	Review	Review	Review		Review	Review