

First Quarter		Second Quarter	Third Quarter		Fourth Quarter
MATH Unit 1 9 weeks Introducing Multiplication and Division		MATH Unit 2 9 weeks Extending Multiplication and Division; Introducing Fractions	MATH Unit 3 9 Weeks Area and Multiplication; Equivalent Fractions; Time and Volume		MATH Unit 4 9 weeks Extending Fractional Understanding; Attributes of Shapes
ELA Unit 1 6 weeks Stories Worth Telling Again and Again Essential Question: <i>Why is it important to analyze characters? Why do we hand stories down to the next generation?</i>	ELA Unit 2 6 weeks Inspired by the Sea Essential Question: <i>Why does the sea inspire writers?</i>	ELA Unit 3 6 weeks Creative, Inventive and Notable People Essential Question: <i>How are the words creative and inventive similar? How are they different?</i>	ELA Unit 4 6 weeks The People, the Preamble, and the Presidents Essential Question: <i>Why is it important to choose words carefully</i>	ELA Unit 5 6 weeks A Feast of Words on a Planet Called Earth- and Beyond Essential Question: <i>What makes a word or phrase the "right" word or phrase?</i>	ELA Unit 6 6 weeks Fantastic Adventures with Dragons, Gods, and Giants Essential Question: <i>Why is it important to know mythology?</i>
Science Vertebrates & Invertebrates Metamorphosis Energy		Science The Water Cycle Motion & Force Measurement - temperature	Science Major Body Systems		Science Earth Systems: Rocks & minerals, effects of wind & water, layers of the Earth Orbit of the planets and Earth's moon Magnets Light
Social Studies Geographical Features Arkansas History Cultures Constitution Day		Social Studies Economics Natural Resources Communities Humans/Environment	Social Studies Civil War Lewis & Clark Louisiana Purchase U.S. Symbols & Customs Black History		Social Studies Conservation