

Core Subject Pacing Guide

	Reading	Writing	Math	Science	Social Studies	Social Emotional Learning
September	Reading Assessments (BAS) / Building a Reading Life	Launching the Writer’s Workshop / Realistic Fiction	Landmarks & Large Numbers / Place Value	Recording Observations of the World Around Us	Map Skills / Mexico	Second Steps – Empathy and Respect
October	Building a Reading Life	Realistic Fiction (Cont.)	Factors, Multiples, & Arrays / Crawford (Crawford will go throughout year.)	Exploring Water: Properties & States of Matter	Mexico	Second Steps – Listening With Attention
November	Following Characters Into Meaning	Personal & Persuasive Essay	Multiple Towers & Division Stories / Crawford	Exploring Water: Properties & States of Matter (Cont.)	Native Tribes of North America / Effects of Geography on Way of Life	Second Steps – Respecting Similarities and Differences
December	Following Characters Into Meaning (Cont.)	Personal & Persuasive Essay (Cont.)	Multiple Towers & Division Stories	Engineering I: Water Filters & Water Wheels	Native Tribes of North America / Effects of Geography on Way of Life (Cont.)	Second Steps – Understanding Complex Feelings
January	Following Characters Into Meaning (Cont.)	Literary Essays	Geometry: Size, Shape, & Symmetry	Measurement: Volume & Mass	Canada	Second Steps – Understanding Different Perspectives
February	Navigating Non-Fiction (tie-in w/Social Studies)	Literary Essays (Cont.) / MCAS Prep	Geometry: Size, Shape & Symmetry / Describing the Shape of the Data/	Student Water Projects	Canada	Second Steps – Conversation and Compliments

March	MCAS Prep / Historical Fiction	Poetry/Play Writing / MCAS Prep	Fraction Cards & Decimal Squares	Magnetism & Electricity	Regions of the USA / Immigration	Second Steps – Joining In
April	Poetry, Prose, Plays	Poetry/Play Writing (Cont.)	Fraction Cards & Decimal Squares (Cont.)	Magnetism & Electricity (Cont.)	Regions of the USA / Land & People	Second Steps – Showing Compassion
May	Navigating Non-Fiction / Reading Assessments (BAS)	Informational Writing	MCAS Prep / Year Review and Test Prep	Magnetism & Electricity (Cont.)	Regions of the USA / Student Projects	Second Steps – Introducing Emotion Management
June	Tackling Complex Texts / Book Clubs	Informational Writing	Algebra: Penny Jars & Plant Growth	Engineering II: Magnetic Levitation Trains	Regions of the USA / Student Projects	Second Steps – Calming Down Anger