

Quarter Curriculum Guide	
General Expectation	ns of the ELA Standards
An Integrated Research and Media Blendee Shared Responsibility for St	ts Rather than Means Model of Literacy d into the Standards as a Whole tudents' Literacy Development nstruction and Assessment
Critical Areas of Focus Being Addressed: Reading Writing Speaking and Listening Language 	
Content Statements Addressed and Whether they are Knowledge, Reasoning, Performance Skill, or Product: (DOK1) (DOK2) (DOK3) (DOK4)CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.1	Underpinning Targets Corresponding with Standards and Whether they are Knowledge, Reasoning, Performance Skill, or Product: "I can", "Students Will Be Able To"
Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding of	

key details in a text.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.2	
Recount stories, including fables and folktales from diverse	
cultures, and determine their central message, lesson, or moral.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.3	
Describe how characters in a story respond to major events and	
challenges.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.4	
Describe how words and phrases (e.g., regular beats, alliteration,	
rhymes, repeated lines) supply rhythm and meaning in a story,	
poem, or song.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.5	
Describe the overall structure of a story, including describing how	
the beginning introduces the story and the ending concludes the	
action.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.6	
Acknowledge differences in the points of view of characters,	
including by speaking in a different voice for each character when	
reading dialogue aloud.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.7	
Use information gained from the illustrations and words in a print	
or digital text to demonstrate understanding of its characters,	
setting, or plot.	

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.8	
Recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.9	
Compare and contrast two or more versions of the same story	
(e.g., Cinderella stories) by different authors or from different cultures.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.10	
By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories and poetry, in the grades 2-3 text complexity band	
proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the	
range.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.1	
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Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English	
grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.1.a	
Use collective nouns (e.g., group).	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.1.b	
Form and use frequently occurring irregular plural nouns (e.g.,	
feet, children, teeth, mice, fish).	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.1.c	
Use reflective pronouns (e.g., myself, ourselves)	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.1.d Form and use the past tense of frequently occurring irregular	
verbs (e.g., sat, hid, told).	

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.1.e	
Use adjectives and adverbs, and choose between them depending	
on what is to be modified.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.1.f	
Produce, expand, and rearrange complete simple and compound	
sentences (e.g., The boy watched the movie; The little boy	
watched the movie; The action movie was watched by the little	
boy).	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.2	
Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English	
capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.2.b	
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Use common in greatings and closings of letters	
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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.2.c	
Use an apostrophe to form contractions and frequently occurring	
possessives.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.2.d	
Generalize learned spelling patterns when writing words (e.g.,	
cage \rightarrow badge; boy \rightarrow boil).	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.L.2.2.e	
Consult reference materials, including beginning dictionaries, as	
needed to check and correct spellings.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.1	
Write opinion pieces in which they introduce the topic or book	
they are writing about, state an opinion,	
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supply reasons that support the opinion, use linking words (e.g., because, and, also) to connect opinion and	
reasons, and provide a concluding statement or section.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.2	
Write informative/explanatory texts in which they introduce a	
topic, use facts and definitions to develop points, and provide a	
concluding statement or section.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.3	
Write narratives in which they recount a well-elaborated event or	
short sequence of events, include details to describe actions,	
thoughts, and feelings, use temporal words to signal event order,	
and provide a sense of closure.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.4	
(W.2.4 begins in grade 3)	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.5	
With guidance and support from adults and peers, focus on a	
topic and strengthen writing as needed by revising and editing.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.6	
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With guidance and support from adults, use a variety of digital	
tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration	
with peers.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.7	
Participate in shared research and writing projects (e.g., read a	
number of books on a single topic to produce a report; record	
science observations).	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.2.8	

Recall information from experiences or gather information from	
provided sources to answer a question.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.1	
Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why,	
and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.2	
Identify the main topic of a multiparagraph text as well as the	
focus of specific paragraphs within the text. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.3	
CC55.ELA-LITETACY.M.Z.5	
Describe the connection between a series of historical events,	
scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a	
text.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.4	
Determine the meaning of words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 2 topic or subject area.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.5	
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Know and use various text features (e.g., captions, bold print,	
subheadings, glossaries, indexes, electronic menus, icons) to	
locate key facts or information in a text efficiently.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.6	
Identify the main purpose of a text, including what the author	
wants to answer, explain, or describe.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.7	
Explain how specific images (e.g., a diagram showing how a	
machine works) contribute to and clarify a text.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.8	

Describe how reasons support specific points the author makes in a text. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.9 Compare and contrast the most important points presented by two texts on the same topic. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.2.10 By the end of year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, in the grades 2-3 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about grade 2 topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.1.a Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion). CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.1.b Build on others' talk in conversations by linking their comments to the remarks of others.	
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CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.1.c	
Ask for clarification and further explanation as needed about the	
topics and texts under discussion.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.2	
Recount or describe key ideas or details from a text read aloud or	

information presented orally or through other media.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.3	
Ask and answer questions about what a speaker says in order to	
clarify comprehension, gather additional information, or deepen	
understanding of a topic or issue.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.4	
Tell a story or recount an experience with appropriate facts and	
relevant, descriptive details, speaking audibly in coherent	
sentences.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.5	
Create audio recordings of stories or poems; add drawings or	
other visual displays to stories or recounts of experiences when	
appropriate to clarify ideas, thoughts, and feelings.	
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.2.6	
Produce complete sentences when appropriate to task and	
situation in order to provide requested detail or	
clarification. (See grade 2 Language standards 1 and 3 here for	
specific expectations.)	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.3	
Know and apply grade level phonics and word analysis skills in	
decoding words.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.3a	
Distinguish long and sort vowels when reading regularly spelled	
one-syllable words.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.3b	
Know spelling-sound correspondences for additional common	
vowel teams.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.3c	
Decode regularly spelled two-syllable words with long vowels.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.3d	

Decode words with common prefixes and suffixes.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.3e	
Identify words with inconsistent but common spelling-sound	
correspondences.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.3f	
Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.4	
Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support	
comprehension.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.4a	
Read grade-level text with purpose and understanding.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.4b	
Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate and	
expressions on successive readings.	
CCSS.ELA-Reading Foundational Skills. RF 2.c	
Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and	
understanding, rereading as necessary.	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.4	
Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple	
meaning words and phrases based on grade 2 reading and	
content, choosing flexibility from an array of strategies.	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.4a	
Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word of	
phrase.	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.4b	
Determine the meaning of the new word formed when a known	
prefix is added to a known word (e.g. happy/unhappy, tell/retell).	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.4c	
Use a known root words as a clue to the meaning of an unknown	
word with the same root.	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.4d	

Use knowledge of the meaning of individual words to predict the meaning of compound words. CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.4e Use glossaries and beginning dictionaries, both print and digital, to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.5 Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.5a Identify real-life connections between words and their use.	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.5b Distinguish shades of meaning among closely related verbs (e.g. toss, throw, hurl) and closely related adjectives (e.g. thin, skinny, scrawny).	
CCSS.ELA-Vocabulary Acquisition and Use L.2.6 Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts, including adjectives and adverbs to describe (e.g. When other kids are happy that makes me happy).	