

This Year's Pacing Guide

	Genre	Read Aloud	Literature	Language	Vocabulary
Aug	Overview of Various Genres	Multiple Picture Books for Teaching Strategies	Reading Strategies	Capitalization	Synonyms & Antonyms
Sept	Overview of Various Genres	Multiple Picture Books for Teaching Skills	Reading Skills	Fragments & Run-ons	Formal & Informal Language
Oct	Mystery	Bunnicula	Character Traits	Prepositions	Context Clues
Nov	Realistic Fiction	Because of Winn-Dixie	Theme	Conjunctions	Similes & Metaphors
Dec	Science Fiction	My Teacher is an Alien	Character Change	Punctuation for Effect	Idioms
Jan	Adventure	Hatchet	Plot/ Types of Conflict	Ordering Adjectives	Proverbs/ Adages
Feb	Biography	Who was Roald Dahl?	Protagonist/ Antagonist & Setting	Punctuating Dialogue	Reference Materials
March	Fantasy	Roald Dahl Books/ Book Clubs & Author Study	Character Analysis	Relative Adverbs/ Pronouns	Prefixes
April	Fantasy	Lightning Thief	Character Motivation	Progressive Tense Verbs	Suffixes
May	Historical Fiction	By the Great Horn Spoon	Mood/ Tone	Modal Auxiliaries	Homophones