READING STANDARDS

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like the one in the story? Apply what you know from personal experiences. Evaluate (target) Ask yourself: How do I feel about what I read? Do I agree or disagree with It? Am I learning what I wanted to know? How good a job has the author done? Details/Conclusion Chart Applying knowledge of answered as you read or after you finish reading. Asking question helps focus on main events and details. It: 413 5,416, 419, 449A, M32 Problem/Solution Frame Drawing conclusions (target) Authors give details about characters or events without telling readers what to think of them. Readers use the details to draw a conclusion. Applying knowledge of story structure (target) Character(s), setting (time and place), problem, solution, plot of the story Structure Map It: 413 5,416, 419, 449A, M32 Problem/Solution Frame Drawing conclusions The Last Dragon (AR 4.5) and Leveled Readers The Last Dragon (AR 4.5) And Leveled Readers Applying knowledge of story structure Sing to the Stars(AR 3.9) and Leveled Readers TE: 488 TE: 489 TE: 449 CC, 452, 416, 485 A-B, M33, 461 TE: 449 CC, 452, 416, T	 Think about the main ideas or the important parts of the selection. Tell in your own words the important things you have read Predict/Infer (target) Think about the title, the illustrations, and what you have read so far. Tell what you think will happen next or what you will learn. Try to figure out things that the author does not say directly. Think about how you 	Summarize TE: 452	 (target) ➤ Use what you know about the story, character, and your own knowledge to predict an outcome. ➤ Predict what will happen based on information the author has given. Problem solving (target) ➤ In most story plots, characters face 	Predicting outcomes My Name is Maria Isabel (AR 4.3) and Leveled Readers TE: 389 A, 392, 405, 411 A-B, 435, M32 Prediction Chart Problem solving Marvin of the Great North Woods (AR 4.5) and Leveled Readers	 Event map Folktale map Cause/effect chart Category chart Inference chart Topic, main idea, detail frame and T-chart Word Web to infer author's attitude/ feelings toward the subject K-W-L chart
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HOUGHTON MIFFLIN PRINT RESOURCE CONCEPTS	HOUGHTON MIFFLIN PRINT RESOURCE CONCEPTS WHERE TO LOCATE	HOUGHTON MIFFLIN FICTION & NONFICTION CONCEPTS	HOUGHTON MIFFLIN FICTION & NONFICTION CONCEPTS WHERE TO LOCATE
Study and Print	Study and Print	Fiction Concepts	Fiction Concepts
 Resources Skills Using SQRRR: survey, question, read, recite, and review 	Resources Skills: Using SQRRR TE 411H	* Genre: Realistic fiction- events and setting are like those in real life. The characters act like real people with real problems. * Story Structure: character, setting, plot, problem, and solution	TE 400, 440, 40500, 405DD, 400
Following Directions	Following Directions TE 449H 429	* Author's Viewpoint: author's feelings and opinions about the subject, why write selection? What was purpose?	TE 423, 463, 485CC-485DD, 488, 491
Skim and Scan	Skim and Scan	* Plot : story events which usually include a problem and solution	
V Skiiii aliu Stali	TE 485 H	* Setting: where (place), and when (time)	
Encyclopedia	Encyclopedia TE 511	* Mood: emotional tone in a selection, e.g., fear, happiness, panic, mystery, suspense	TE 437
• Elicyclopedia		* Characters: main people or animals in a story	1L 437
Information in magazines	Information in magazines	* Writer's/Author's Craft: selected details, personification, repetition of words or sentences, purposeful word choice	
	TE 525H	* Figurative Language: simile	TE 503
		* Narrative Techniques: flashback, foreshadow, dialogue	
Test-taking Skill:		* Point of View: first person	
Vocabulary I tems • Understand the question: find	Test-taking Skill: Vocabulary Items	* Comparing Across Texts: characters, plot problems, sequence of events, details of description	
the word, determine if the word is shown in or if you can find it in	TE M28-30	Nonfiction Concepts	Nonfiction Concepts
 Think about what the word means: use knowledge of roots, prefixes an suffixes 		 * Genre: > Biography: gives facts about a person's life. > Expository: gives factual information about a specific topic. 	Genre Biography: Expository TE 448
Narrow the choices; choose the best answer: try each choice in the context; eliminate incorrect choices; have a reason for choice; guess only if you have to		* Print features: title, headings, captions, bulleted information, sidebar, different typeface	Print features
		* Text organization: paragraph main idea & supporting details	Text organization
		* Use of visuals: photographs, maps, globe, cross-section diagram, diagram, chart, table	Use of visuals
		* Comparing the use of text features and graphics across nonfiction texts.	Comparing

^{*}These skills are not "target skills" for the theme, but are a part of the continuous skill development throughout the year.

Grade 4 (Theme 4: Problem Solvers)

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HOUGHTON MIFFLING PHONICS & SPELLING	HOUGHTON MIFFLING PHONICS & SPELLING WHERE TO LOCATE	HOUGHTON MIFFLIN VOCABULARY SKILLS	HOUGHTON MIFFLIN VOCABULARY SKILLS WHERE TO LOCATE
Word Attack/Spelling/ Phonics Skills	Word Attack/Spelling/ Phonics Skills	 Base Words and Inflected Forms (target) Verb (ed, ing, s or es) 	TE: 411 G, M 36
 Final long e (y and ey as in beauty and honey) 	TE: 449 E-F	Noun (s or es)Adjective (er and est)	
 Final /j/ (dge, ge, and age as in bridge, strange, and village) 	TE: 485 E-F	 Word Families (target) (snow, snowy, snowshoe, snowflake) 	TE: 449 G, M 36
• Final /s/ (ce as in fence)	TE: 485 E-F		
/k/ (k, ck,c as in risk, jacket, topic)	TE: 411 D-F	• Suffixes (-ful, -less, -ly) (target)	TE: 485 G, M 37
• /ng/ (nk as in sink)	TE: 411 D-F	 Word Connotations (positive and negative) (target) 	TE: 511 G, M 37
• /kw/ (qu as in question)	TE: 411 D-F		
VCCV patterns	TE: 511 E-F		
Structural Analysis	Structural Analysis		
 Prefixes (re-, mis-, ex-, pre-, con-, com) (target) 	TE: 449 C, 485 C, M 34-35		
• Suffix (-ible) (target)	TE: 411C, M 34		
VCCV Syllabication (target)	TE: 511 C, M35		
Phonics/Decoding Strategy			
 Look carefully at the word. 			
 Look for word parts you know and think about the sounds for the letters. 			
Blend the sounds to read the word.			
 Ask yourself: Is it a word I know? Does it make sense in what I am reading? 			
If not, ask yourself: What else can I do?			

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HOUGHTON M GRAMMAR AND WR		HOUGHTON MIFFLIN WRITING PROCESS FOR TARGET GENRE	
Grammar/Language Structures	Grammar/Language Structures	PERSUASIVE ESSAY TE 411 S-T, 412, 413 A-L	
 Irregular Verbs: be Irregular Verbs: past and present Articles and Adjectives: a, an, and the Using Exact Adjectives Comparing with Adjectives: er, est, more, most Writing Forms Opinion Persuasive Essay Taking Notes Comparison/Contrast Composition Writing a message 	TE: 411 I-J, 449 I TE: 411 I-J TE: 485 I-J TE: 511 I-J Writing Forms TE: 411 K-L Topic/Fact Chart TE: 411 S-T Pyramid Diagram TE: 449 K-L Main Idea/Detail Chart TE: 485 Venn Diagram TE: 511 K-L	 Writing rubric TE: 413 H Prewriting/ Planning:	
 Oral Language Have a literature discussion Dramatize a story Group problem solving Give a persuasive speech Read poetry aloud 		 Publishing: Post on a website Present as a speech Make a flier with illustrations 	