First Grade - Quarter 1

This is a key to help you understand grade level expectations for this quarter. This document provides details on what a student must be able to do to receive an M (M means Meets Standards) on their report card.

SOCIAL SKILLS

Shows cooperation

Shows assertion in appropriate ways

Takes responsibility for actions and work

Shows empathy

Demonstrates self-control

LANGUAGE ARTS

Reading

is able to use comprehension strategies to understand text

- answers simple literal questions orally

is able to read grade level text fluently with expression

- Unit 8 - 27 wpm

is able to read grade level sight words

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is able to apply decoding skills and strategies, self corrects

- identify all letter sounds, segments and blends cvc words (stretch and shrink)

Speaking, Viewing, Listening and Media Literacy is able to use speaking and listening skills to participate in academic discussions

- answer questions orally with more than one word answers, follow one-step directions

Writing/Language

is able to write a variety of grade level texts

- small moment stories

is able to follow the writing process

- draws pictures, labels pictures, writes words to match

is able to use correct grammar, punctuation, and spelling

- uses periods, phonetic spelling, prints all upper and lowercase letters

is able to publish in a variety of ways

- 1 page stories

MATH

is able to demonstrate understanding of and accurately solve word problems

- addition

is able to add and subtract basic facts up to 12

- fluent addition up to 5

is able to extend number patterns

- NA

is able to count by 2's, 5's, and 10's

- counts to 10 by 2's, 40 by 5's, 50 by 10's

is able to understand place value up to 100

- identify, write, compare, and order numbers up to 20

is able to tell time

- to the hour, analog clock

is able to identify and count coins up to one dollar

- NA

First Grade - Quarter 2 - Skills from previous quarter will continue to be assessed

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SOCIAL SKILLS

Shows cooperation

Shows assertion in appropriate ways

Takes responsibility for actions and work

Shows empathy

Demonstrates self-control

LANGUAGE ARTS

Reading

is able to use comprehension strategies to understand text

- retells beginning, middle, end of story with prompts

is able to read grade level text fluently with expression

- Unit 16 - 36 wpm - pays attention to periods

is able to read grade level sight words

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is able to apply decoding skills and strategies, self corrects

- decodes beginning consonant clusters, digraphs. Uses context clues to confirm or self correct

Speaking, Viewing, Listening and Media Literacy is able to use speaking and listening skills to participate in academic discussions

- ask and answer questions orally, follow two-step directions

Writing/Language

is able to write a variety of grade level texts

- small moment stories/poetry

is able to follow the writing process

- writes stories, adds details, checks for 'does it make sense'

is able to use correct grammar, punctuation, and spelling

- uses periods, uses some word patterns, capitalizes beginning of sentences

is able to publish in a variety of ways

- 5 page stories

MATH

is able to demonstrate understanding of and accurately solve word problems

- addition/subtraction

is able to add and subtract basic facts up to 12

- fluent addition up to 10, doubles

is able to extend number patterns

- addition/subtraction up to 5, continuing patterns

is able to count by 2's, 5's, and 10's

- counts to 20 by 2's, 60 by 5's, 80 by 10's

is able to understand place value up to 100

- identify, write, compare, and order numbers up to 60

is able to tell time

- to the half-hour, analog clock

is able to identify and count coins up to one dollar

- penny, nickel

First Grade - Quarter 3 - Skills from previous quarter will continue to be assessed

This is a key to help you understand grade level expectations for this quarter. This document provides details on what a student must be able to do to receive an M (M means Meets Standards) on their report card.

SOCIAL SKILLS

Shows cooperation

Shows assertion in appropriate ways

Takes responsibility for actions and work

Shows empathy

Demonstrates self-control

LANGUAGE ARTS

Reading

is able to use comprehension strategies to understand text

- retells story without prompts

is able to read grade level text fluently with expression

- Unit 24 - 52 wpm - pays attention to ending punctuation, phrasing

is able to read grade level sight words

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is able to apply decoding skills and strategies, self corrects

- decodes long vowel sounds (ee, ea, and silent e)

Speaking, Viewing, Listening and Media Literacy is able to use speaking and listening skills to participate in academic discussions

- listen to others in conversation, follow two-step directions

Writing/Language

is able to write a variety of grade level texts

- how-to stories

is able to follow the writing process

- brainstorms, writes how-to steps, uses sequencing words is able to use correct grammar, punctuation, and spelling
- uses periods, sight words spelled correctly, capitalizes names is able to publish in a variety of ways
- non-fiction text

MATH

is able to demonstrate understanding of and accurately solve word problems

- what's the difference/how much more

is able to add and subtract basic facts up to 12

- fluent subtraction up to 5

is able to extend number patterns

- addition/subtraction up to 5, continuing patterns

is able to count by 2's, 5's, and 10's

- counts to 30 by 2's, 80 by 5's, 100 by 10's

is able to understand place value up to 100

- identify, write, compare, and order numbers up to 99, +/- 10 from decade numbers fluently

is able to tell time

- to the half-hour, digital clock

is able to identify and count coins up to one dollar

- penny, nickel, dime, quarters

First Grade - Quarter 4 - Skills from previous quarter will continue to be assessed

This is a key to help you understand grade level expectations for this quarter. This document provides details on what a student must be able to do to receive an M (M means Meets Standards) on their report card.

SOCIAL SKILLS

Shows cooperation

Shows assertion in appropriate ways

Takes responsibility for actions and work

Shows empathy

Demonstrates self-control

LANGUAGE ARTS

Reading

is able to use comprehension strategies to understand text

- beginning to answer higher level questions

is able to read grade level text fluently with expression

- Unit 32 - 67 wpm -pays attention to ending punctuation, phrasing, commas, and dialogue

is able to read grade level sight words

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is able to apply decoding skills and strategies, self corrects

- decodes multi-syllabic words

Speaking, Viewing, Listening and Media Literacy is able to use speaking and listening skills to participate in academic discussions

- answer questions and respond to text in complete sentences, follow two-step oral directions

Writing/Language

is able to write a variety of grade level texts

- all about stories

is able to follow the writing process

- write all parts of all about book

is able to use correct grammar, punctuation, and spelling

- uses periods, sight words spelled correctly

is able to publish in a variety of ways

- produced something with technology

MATH

is able to demonstrate understanding of and accurately solve word problems

- start/change unknown in addition and subtraction
 is able to add and subtract basic facts up to 12
- fluent addition/subtraction up to 12, identifies true/false number sentences is able to extend number patterns
- addition/subtraction up to 10, find numbers before in pattern is able to count by 2's, 5's, and 10's
- counts to 50 by 2's, 50 by 5's, 120 by 10's

is able to understand place value up to 100

- identify, write, compare, and order numbers up to 100, +/- 10 from non-decade numbers fluently

is able to tell time

- to the half-hour, digital clock

is able to identify and count coins up to one dollar

- penny, nickel, dime, quarter, dollar

Grade 1 SCIENCE

The following first grade Units of Instruction will occur at different times throughout the school year in each elementary building but will all teach the following standards.

Nature and Science and Engineering:

- Can describe things with accuracy in order to support answers and compare their observations with others.
- Can identify the parts of living and nonliving things and can recognize that a missing or broken part affects its function.
- Can recognize that tools are used by scientists and engineers to gather information and solve problems.

Physical Science:

- Can describe an object's change in position relative to other objects or a background.
- Demonstrates that objects move in a variety of ways, including a straight line, a curve, a circle, back and forth, and at different speeds. Describes how push and pull forces can make objects move.
- Describes how things near Earth fall to the ground unless something holds them up.

Earth and Space Science:

- Can classify rocks by color, shape and size and compare and contrast soil and rocks.
- Can identify and describe large and small object made from Earth materials.

Life Science:

- Demonstrates an understanding that animals pass through life cycles that include a beginning, development into adults, reproduction and eventually death.
- Recognizes that animals pass through the same life cycle stages as their parents.
- Recognize that animals need space, water, food, shelter and air and can describe ways in which their habitat provides for their basic needs.