

2020-2021 LOWELL LITERACY CURRICULUM CALENDAR 5-8

	Week 1 Sept. 17-18	Week 2 Sept. 21-25	Week 3 Sept. 28-Oct. 2	Week 4 Oct. 5-9	Week 5 Oct. 12-16	Week 6 Oct. 19-23	Week 7 Oct. 26-30	Week 8 Nov. 2-6	Week 9 Nov. 9-13	Week 10 Nov. 16-20	Week 11 Nov. 23-27	Week 12 Nov. 30- Dec. 4	Week 13 Dec. 7-11	Week 14 Dec. 14-18	Week 15 Dec. 21-23	Week 16 Jan. 4- 8	Week 17 Jan. 11-15	Week 18 Jan. 18-22	Week 19 Jan. 25-29	Week 20 Feb. 1-5	Week 21 Feb. 8-12	Week 22 Feb. 22-26	Week 23 Mar. 1-5	Week 24 Mar. 8-12	Week 25 Mar. 15-19	Week 26 Mar. 22-26	Week 27 Mar. 29-Apr. 2	Week 28 Apr. 5-9	Week 29 Apr. 12-16	Week 30 Apr. 26-30	Week 31 May 3-7	Week 32 May 10-14	Week 33 May 17-21	Week 34 May 24-28	Week 35 May 31- June 4	Week 36 June 7-11	Week 37 June 14-17
5th Grade	Setting Literary Dispositions				Realistic Fiction Book Clubs		Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Tackling Complexity: Moving Up Levels of Nonfiction 📖		Tackling Complexity: Moving Up Levels of Nonfiction 📖		Tackling Text Complexity: Moving Up Levels of Nonfiction 📖				Biography Book Clubs				Biography Book Clubs		Mystery Book Clubs				Mystery Book Clubs								
	Up the Ladder Narrative Writing 📖 Or Launching Writer's Workshop				Literary Essay 📖		Literary Essay 📖	Literary Essay 📖	Literary Essay 📖	Literary Essay 📖	Research Based Argument Essay 📖		Research Based Argument Essay 📖		Research Based Argument Essay 📖				Narrative Craft 📖				Narrative Craft 📖		Narrative Craft 📖		Mystery Narrative Writing		Mystery Narrative Writing								
6th Grade	Setting Literary Dispositions				Realistic Fiction Book Clubs		Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Realistic Fiction Book Clubs	Informational Text		Informational Text		Informational Text				Historical Fiction Book Clubs				Historical Fiction Book Clubs		Memoir Book Clubs				Memoir Book Clubs								
	Writing Dispositions: Poetry				Personal Narrative: Crafting Powerful Life Stories 📖		Personal Narrative 📖	Personal Narrative: Crafting Powerful Life Stories 📖	Personal Narrative 📖	Research Based Informational Writing 📖	Research Based Informational Writing 📖		Research Based Informational Writing 📖				Literary 📖				Literary Essay 📖		Fiction Writing				Fiction Writing										
7th Grade	Setting Literary Dispositions			Realistic Fiction	Realistic Fiction		Realistic Fiction	Literary Essay 📖		Literary Essay 📖	Literary Essay 📖		Informational Text		Informational Text		Memoir Book Clubs				Memoir		Memoir		Memoir		Historical Fiction		Historical Fiction Based on Research								
	Writing Dispositions: Poetry							Literary Essay 📖		Literary Essay 📖	Literary Essay 📖		The Art of Argument 📖		Memoir				Memoir		Science Fiction/Fantasy				Science Fiction												
8th Grade	Setting Literary Dispositions			Realistic Fiction	Realistic Fiction		Realistic Fiction	Literary Essay 📖		Literary Essay 📖	Literary Essay 📖		Investigative Journalism 📖		Investigative Journalism 📖				Memoir 📖				Memoir 📖		Science Fiction				Science Fiction								
	Writing Dispositions: Poetry							Literary Essay 📖		Literary Essay 📖	Literary Essay 📖																										