

Unit 1: Reading and Writing Process

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Catho	olic Identity	Instructional Focus			
2.1	analyze literature that reflects the transmission of a Catholic culture and worldview.	☐ 2.1A share how literature contributes to strengthening moral character *			
Litera	icy Routines	Instructional Focus			-
2.2	communicate ideas effectively through speaking and discussion	 □ 2.2A listen actively, ask relevant questions to clarify information, and answer questions follow, restate, and give oral instructions that involve a series of related sequences of action □ 2.2C share information and ideas that focus on the topic under discussion, speaking clearly at an appropriate pace and using the conventions of language □ 2.2D work collaboratively with others by following agreed-upon rules for discussion, including listening to others, speaking when recognized, making appropriate contributions, and building on the ideas of others □ 2.2E develop social communication such as conversing politely in all situations 			
Word	l Study	Instructional Focus			
2.3A	demonstrate phonological awareness	Demonstrate phonological awareness by: ☐ 2.3A.1 producing a series of rhyming words ☐ 2.3A.2 distinguishing between long and short vowel sounds in one-syllable and multi-syllable words ☐ 2.3A.3 recognizing the change in spoken word when a specified phoneme is added, changed, or removed ☐ 2.3A.4 manipulating phonemes within base words			
2.3B	demonstrate and apply phonetic knowledge while reading and spelling	□ 2.3B.1 decode and spell words with short, long, or variant vowels, trigraphs, blends identify, read and spell high-frequency words from a research-based list			
2.3C	use skills to support strategies for determining the meaning of unknown words while reading	□ 2.3C.5 use context within and beyond a sentence to determine meaning of unfamiliar words			
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Share	ed Reading	Instructional Focus			
2.4	read grade-level text with fluency and comprehension use metacognitive skills to both develop and deepen comprehension of increasingly complex texts	Tools to Know: Reading Process □ 2.3C.5 use context within and beyond a sentence to determine meaning of unfamiliar words □ 2.4A use appropriate fluency when reading grade-level text □ 2.5A establish purpose for reading assigned and self-selected texts □ 2.5B generate questions about text before, during, and after reading □ 2.5C make and correct or confirm predictions using text features, characteristics of genre, and structures □ 2.5D create mental images to deepen understanding □ 2.5E monitor comprehension and make adjustments such as re-reading, using background knowledge, checking for visual cues, and asking questions when understanding breaks down Tools to Know: Comprehension			
		□ 2.5F make connections to personal experiences, ideas in other texts, and society □ 2.5G make inferences and use evidence to support understanding □ 2.5H evaluate details read to determine key ideas □ 2.5I synthesize information to create new understanding			
		Fiction			
2.6/2	use literary elements and	Poetry			
	genre-specific characteristics,	Drama			
	structures, and purposes to analyze and comprehend texts	Informational			
		Persuasive			



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Independent Reading	Instructional Focus			
2.9 self-select text and read	☐ 2.9A self-select text and read independently for a sustained period of time			
independently				
Responding to Text	Instructional Focus			
	Ways to Show: Response Skills			
2.10 respond to an increasingly	 2.10A describe personal connections to a variety of sources 2.10B write brief comments on literary or informational texts that demonstrate 			
challenging variety of	an understanding of the text			
sources that are read,	☐ 2.10C use text evidence to support an appropriate response			
heard, or viewed	☐ 2.10D retell and paraphrase texts in ways that maintain meaning and logical order			
	☐ 2.10E interact with sources in meaningful ways such as illustrating or writing			
	2.10F respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate			
2.8 identify, explain, and discuss				
the author's choices and how they influence meaning;				
apply author's craft				
purposefully in writing and				
speaking				
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Writing	Instructional Focus			
2.11A plan first drafts	\square 2.11A plan a first draft by using prewriting strategies such as drawing and brainstorming			
	develop drafts into a focused piece of writing by:			
2.11B develop drafts	2.11B.1 organizing with structure			
	2.11B.2 developing an idea with specific and relevant details			
2.11C revise drafts	☐ 2.11C revise drafts by adding, deleting, or rearranging words, phrases, or sentences			
	edit for grammar, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, including:			
	 2.11D.1 complete simple sentences with subject-verb agreement 2.11D.2 past, and present, and future verb tense 			
	☐ 2.11D.3 singular, plural, common, and proper nouns			
2.445 - 49 4 - 6	☐ 2.11D.9 capitalization of months, days of the week, and the salutation and conclusion of a			
2.11D edit drafts	letter			
	2.11D.10 end punctuation, apostrophes in contractions, and commas with items in a series and			
	in dates			
	 2.11D.11 correct spelling of words with grade-appropriate orthographic patterns and rules and high-frequency words 			
	☐ 2.11E.1 publish and share written work			
2.11E publish written work	☐ 2.11E.2 develop handwriting by accurately forming all cursive letters using appropriate			
	strokes when connecting letters			
2.12A use the writing process to compose literary texts				
2.12B use the writing process to				
compose informational texts				
2.12C use the writing process to				
compose persuasive texts				
2.12D compose correspondence				
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Research	Instructional Focus			
2.13 use research skills to plan and				
present in written, oral, or				
multimodal formats		1		



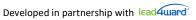
Unit 2: Responding to Text/Writing Design

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Catho	olic Identity	Instructional Focus			
2.1	analyze literature that reflects the transmission of a Catholic culture and worldview.	□ 2.1B interpret and evaluate literature in a Christian spirit * □ 2.1C share how literature ignites the creative imagination *			
Litera	acy Routines	Instructional Focus			
2.2	communicate ideas effectively through speaking and discussion	 □ 2.2A listen actively, ask relevant questions to clarify information, and answer questions follow, restate, and give oral instructions that involve a series of related sequences of action □ 2.2C share information and ideas that focus on the topic under discussion, speaking clearly, at an appropriate pace and using the conventions of language □ 2.2D work collaboratively with others by following agreed-upon rules for discussion, including listening to others, speaking when recognized, making appropriate contributions, and building on the ideas of others □ 2.2E develop social communication such as conversing politely in all situations 			
Word	l Study	Instructional Focus			
2.3A	demonstrate phonological awareness	□ N/A			
2.3B	demonstrate and apply phonetic knowledge while reading and spelling	 □ 2.38.2 decode and spell words with silent letters such as knife and gnat decode one-syllable and multisyllabic words with closed syllables; open syllables; VCe syllables; vowel teams, including digraphs and diphthongs; r-controlled syllables; and final stable syllables □ 2.38.7 identify, read, and spell high-frequency words from a research-based list 			
2.3C	use skills to support strategies for determining the meaning of unknown words while reading	□ 2.3C.1 alphabetize a series of words and use a dictionary or glossary to find words □ 2.3C.2 use print or digital resources to determine meaning and pronunciation of unknown words □ 2.3C.5 use context within and beyond a sentence to determine meaning			
Share	ed Reading	Instructional Focus			
		Tools to Know: Reading Process			
2.4	read grade-level text with fluency and comprehension use metacognitive skills to both develop and deepen comprehension of increasingly complex texts	□ 2.3C.5 use context within and beyond a sentence to determine meaning of unfamiliar words □ 2.4A use appropriate fluency when reading grade-level text □ 2.5A establish purpose for reading assigned and self-selected texts □ 2.5B generate questions about text before, during, and after reading □ 2.5C make and correct or confirm predictions using text features, characteristics of genre, and structures □ 2.5D create mental images to deepen understanding □ 2.5E monitor comprehension and make adjustments such as re-reading, using background knowledge, checking for visual cues, and asking questions when understanding breaks down			
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2.5	fluency and comprehension use metacognitive skills to both develop and deepen comprehension of increasingly complex texts .7 use literary elements and genrespecific characteristics,	words 2.4A			
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Instructional Focus



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Inder	endent Reading	lr	nstructiona	I Focus			
2.9			l 2.9A l 2.9B	self-select text and read independently for a sustained period of time share beautifully told and well-crafted works *			
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Respo	onding to Text			Instructional Focus			
		Wa	ays to Shov	v: Response Skills			
			2.10A	describe personal connections to texts			
2.10	respond to an increasingly		2.10B	write brief comments on literary or informational texts that demonstrate			
	challenging variety of sources			understanding of the text			
	that are read, heard, or viewed		2.10C	use text evidence to support an appropriate response			
			2.10D	retell and paraphrase texts in ways that maintain meaning and logical order			
			2.10F	respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate			
2.8	identify, explain, and discuss		2.8A	discuss the author's purpose for writing text			
	the author's choices and how		2.8B	identify the use of first or third person in a text			
	they influence meaning; apply		2.8C	discuss how the use of text structure contributes to the author's purpose			
	author's craft purposefully in		2.8D	discuss the author's use of print and graphic features to achieve their purpose			
	writing and speaking		2.8E	discuss the use of descriptive, literal, and figurative language			
Writi	ng	Ins	structional	Focus			
2.114	plan first drafts		2.11A	plan a first draft by using prewriting strategies such as drawing and brainstorming			
				develop drafts into a focused piece of writing by:			
2 11F	develop drafts	п	2.11B.1	organizing with structure			
	action didition		2.11B.2	developing an idea with specific and relevant details			
2.110	revise drafts		2.11C	revise drafts by adding, deleting, or rearranging words, phrases, or sentences			
				edit for grammar, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, including:			
			2.11D.4	adjectives, including articles			
			2.11D.5	adverbs that convey time and adverbs that convey place			
Writing and speaking Writing 2.11A plan first drafts 2.11B develop drafts 2.11C revise drafts 2.11D edit drafts		2.11D.9	maintain previously learned skills				
	esponding to Text 10 respond to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed to the author's choices and how they influence meaning; apply author's craft purposefully in writing and speaking 11A plan first drafts 11B develop drafts 11C revise drafts		2.11D.10	maintain previously learned skills			
			2.11D.11	correct spelling of words with grade-appropriate orthographic patterns and rules and			
				high-frequency words			
			2.11E.1	publish and share writing			
2.11E	publish written work		2.11E.2	develop handwriting by accurately forming all cursive letters using appropriate			
				strokes when connecting letters			
2.12	use the writing process to	_					
	— ·		2.12A	dictate or compose personal narratives			
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	compose persuasive texts						
2.120	compose correspondence						
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Research

2.13 use research skills to plan and present in written, oral, or multimodal formats



Unit 3: Exploring Literary Texts

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Catholic Identity	Instructional Focus			
2.1 analyze literature that reflects the transmission of a Catholic culture and worldview.	□ 2.1C share how literature ignites the creative imagination * □ 2.1D recognize and model the virtues possessed by literary characters *			
Literacy Routines	Instructional Focus			
2.2 communicate ideas effectively through speaking and discussion	□ 2.2A listen actively, ask relevant questions to clarify information, and answer questions follow, restate, and give oral instructions that involve a series of related sequences of action □ 2.2C share information and ideas that focus on the topic under discussion, speaking clearly at an appropriate pace and using the conventions of language □ 2.2D work collaboratively with others by following agreed-upon rules for discussion, including listening to others, speaking when recognized, making appropriate contributions, and building on the ideas of others □ 2.2E develop social communication such as conversing politely in all situations			
Word Study	Instructional Focus			
2.3A demonstrate phonological awareness	□ N/A			
2.3B demonstrate and apply phonetic knowledge while reading and spelling	 □ 2.3B.3 one-syllable and multisyllabic words with closed syllables; open syllables; VCe syllables; vowel teams, including digraphs and diphthongs; r-controlled syllables; and final stable syllables □ 2.3B.4 decode and spell compound words, contractions, and common abbreviations □ 2.3B.6 decode and spell words with prefixes and inflectional endings □ 2.3B.7 identify, read, and spell high-frequency words from a research-based list 			
2.3C use skills to support strategies for determining the meaning of unknown words while reading	☐ 2.3C.2 alphabetize a series of words to the first or second letter and use a dictionary to find words			
Shared Reading	Instructional Focus			
2.4 read grade-level text with fluency and comprehension	Tools to Know: Reading Process ☐ maintain previously learned skills (reading at a rate to increase comprehension, accuracy, and inflection and emphasis)			
2.5 use metacognitive skills to both develop and deepen comprehension of increasingly complex texts	Tools to Know: Comprehension ☐ maintain previously learned skills (make connections, make inferences, evaluate details, synthesize information)			
2.6/2.7 use literary elements and genre-	Fiction □ 2.7A discuss topics and determine theme using text evidence □ 2.7B describe and understand plot elements, including main events, the conflict and the resolution □ 2.7C describe the main character(s)' internal and external traits □ 2.7D describe the importance of the setting □ 2.7E identify moral lessons as themes in well-known fables, legends, myths or stories*			
specific characteristics, structures, and purposes to analyze and comprehend texts	□ 2.6B explain visual patterns and structures in a variety of poems □ 2.7E recite poems of substance that encourage striving for virtue and goodness *			
anaryze and comprehend texts	Drama □ 2.6C discuss elements of drama such as characters, dialogue, and setting □ 2.6E use imagination to create dialogue between the readers and characters in a story *			
	Informational			
	Persuasive			
Independent Pooding	Instructional Focus			
Independent Reading 2.9 self-select text and read independently	maintain previously learned skills (self-select texts, read independently, and share beautifully told and well-crafted works *			

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Respo	onding to Text			Instructional Focus			
2.10	respond to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed		maintain	v: Response Skills previously learned skills (personal connections, responses that demonstrate ading of texts, use of text evidence, summarize, use acquired vocabulary)			
2.8	identify, explain, and discuss The author's choices and how they influence meaning; apply author's craft purposefully in writing and speaking		2.8A 2.8B 2.8D 2.8E 2.8F	discuss the author's purpose for writing text identify the use of first or third person in a text discuss the author's use of print and graphic features to achieve their purpose discuss the use of descriptive, literal, and figurative language identify and explain the use of repetition			
Writi	ng	Inst	tructional	Focus			
2.11A	plan first drafts		2.11A	plan a first draft by using prewriting strategies such as drawing and brainstorming			
2.118	develop drafts		2.11B.1 2.11B.2	develop drafts into a focused piece of writing by: organizing with structure developing an idea with specific and relevant details			
2.110	revise drafts		2.11C	revise drafts by adding, deleting, or rearranging words, phrases, or sentences			
2.110	edit drafts			edit for grammar, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, including: prepositions and prepositional phrases pronouns, including subjective, objective, and possessive cases maintain previously learned capitalization skills end punctuation, apostrophes, in contractions, and commas with items in a series and in dates correct spelling of words with grade-appropriate orthographic patterns and rules and high-frequency words			
2.11E	publish written work		2.11E.1 2.11E.2	publish and share writing develop handwriting by accurately forming all cursive letters using appropriate strokes when connecting letters			
2.12A	use the writing process to compose literary texts		2.12A 2.12A	dictate or compose personal narratives dictate or compose poetry			
2.12B	use the writing process to compose informational texts						
2.120	use the writing process to compose persuasive texts						
2.120	compose correspondence						
Resea	arch	Inst	tructional	Focus			
2.13	use research skills to plan and present in written, oral, or						



Unit 4: Exploring Informational Texts

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Catho	olic Identity	Instructional Focus	1	2	3
2.1	analyze literature that reflects the transmission of a Catholic culture and worldview.	□ 2.1B interpret and evaluate literature in a Christian spirit *			
Litera	cy Routines	Instructional Focus			
2.2	communicate ideas effectively through speaking and discussion	maintain and apply previously learned communication skills			
Word Study		Instructional Focus			
2.3A/	B demonstrate and apply phonetic knowledge while reading and spelling	☐ 2.3B.5 decode and spell words using knowledge of syllable division patterns such as VCCV, VCV, and VCCCV			
2.3C	use skills to support strategies for determining the meaning of unknown words while reading	□ maintain and apply previously learned skills			
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Share	d Reading	Instructional Focus			
2.4	read grade-level text with fluency and comprehension	Tools to Know: Reading Process ☐ maintain previously learned skills (establish purpose, generate questions, make predictions, create mental images, monitor comprehension)			
2.5	use metacognitive skills to both develop and deepen comprehension of increasingly complex texts	Tools to Know: Comprehension ☐ maintain previously learned skills (make connections, make inferences, evaluate details, synthesize information)			
		Fiction			
		Poetry			
		Drama			
2.6/2.	.7 use literary elements and genre- specific characteristics, structures, and purposes to analyze and comprehend texts	Informational □ 2.6D recognize features and graphics to locate and gain information including features and graphics □ 2.6D.1 recognize the central idea and supporting evidence □ 2.6D.2 recognize organizational patterns such as chronological order and cause/effect stated explicitly			
		Persuasive □ 2.6E recognize characteristics of persuasive text □ 2.6E.1 state what the author is trying to persuade the reader to think or do □ 2.6E.2 distinguish facts from opinion			
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•	endent Reading	Instructional Focus			
2.9	self-select text and read independently	maintain previously learned skills (self-select texts, read independently, and share beautifully told and well-crafted works *			
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	onding to Text	Instructional Focus			
2.10	challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed	Ways to Show: Response Skills ☐ maintain previously learned skills (personal connections, responses that demonstrate understanding of texts, use of text evidence, summarize, use acquired vocabulary)			
2.8	identify, explain, and discuss the author's choices and how they influence meaning; apply author's craft purposefully in writing and speaking	 □ 2.8A discuss the author's purpose for writing □ 2.8C discuss how the use of text structure contributes to the author's purpose □ 2.8D discuss the author's use of print and graphic features to achieve their purpose 			





Unit: Exploring Informational Texts

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Instructional Focus			
☐ 2.11A plan a first draft by using prewriting strategies such as drawing and brainstorming			
develop drafts into a focused piece of writing by: □ 2.11B.1 organizing with structure □ 2.11B.2 developing an idea with specific and relevant details			
☐ 2.11C revise drafts by adding, deleting, or rearranging words, phrases, or sentences			
	nd		
high-frequency words □ 2.11E.1 publish and share writing □ 2.11E.2 develop handwriting by accurately forming all cursive letters using appropriate strokes when connecting letters			
□ 2.12B compose informational texts □ 2.12B compose procedural texts □ 2.12B compose reports			
□ 2.12C compose persuasive texts			
□ 2.12D compose thank you notes and letters			
	□ 2.11A plan a first draft by using prewriting strategies such as drawing and brainstorming develop drafts into a focused piece of writing by: organizing with structure developing an idea with specific and relevant details □ 2.11C revise drafts by adding, deleting, or rearranging words, phrases, or sentences edit drafts for grammar, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, including: coordinating conjunctions to form compound subjects and predicates 2.11D.9 capitalization of the salutation and closing of a letter □ 2.11D.10 end punctuation, apostrophes in contradiction, and commas with items in a series and in dates □ 2.11D.11 correct spelling of words with grade-appropriate orthographic patterns and rules are high-frequency words □ 2.11E.1 publish and share writing □ 2.11E.2 develop handwriting by accurately forming all cursive letters using appropriate strokes when connecting letters □ 2.12B compose informational texts □ 2.12B compose procedural texts □ 2.12B compose persuasive texts □ 2.12C compose persuasive texts	develop drafts into a focused piece of writing by:	2.11A

Research	Instructional Focus		
	☐ 2.13A generate questions for formal and informal inquiry with adult assistance		
2.13 use research skills to plan and	☐ 2.13B develop and follow a research plan with adult assistance		
present in written, oral, or	☐ 2.13C identify and gather relevant sources and information to answer the questions		
multimodal formats	☐ 2.13D identify primary and secondary sources		
	☐ 2.13E demonstrate understanding of information gathered		



CHECKPOINT

Reading and Writing – Grade 2 (all standards)

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Catholic Identity		Instruction	al Focus			
2.1	analyze literature that reflects the transmission of a Catholic culture and worldview.	□ 2.1A □ 2.1B □ 2.1C □ 2.1D	share how literature contributes to strengthening moral character * interpret and evaluate literature in a Christian spirit * share how literature ignites the creative imagination * recognize and model the virtues possessed by literary characters *			

	□ 2.1D recognize and model the virtues possessed by literary characters *
Literany Devisions	Instructional Focus
Literacy Routines	□ 2.2A listen actively, ask relevant questions to clarify information, and answer
2.2 communicate ideas effectively through speaking and discussion	questions 2.2B follow, restate, and give oral instructions that involve a series of related sequence of actions
Word Study	Instructional Focus
2.3A demonstrate phonological awareness	Demonstrate phonological awareness by: □ 2.3A.1 producing a series of rhyming words □ 2.3A.2 distinguishing between long and short vowel sounds in one-syllable and multi-syllable words □ 2.3A.3 recognizing the change in spoken words when a specified phoneme is added, changed or removed □ 2.3A.4 manipulating phonemes within base words
2.3B demonstrate and apply phonetic knowledge while reading and spelling	□ 2.3B.1 decode and spell words with short, long, or variant vowels, trigraphs and blends □ 2.3B.2 decode and spell words with silent letters such as knife and gnat □ 2.3B.3 decode and spell words with closed syllables; open syllables; VCe syllables; vowel teams, including vowel digraphs and diphthongs; and r-controlled syllabels □ 2.3B.4 decode and spell compound words, contractions, and common abbreviations □ 2.3B.5 decode and spell words using knowledge of syllable division patterns such as VCCV, VCV, and VCCCV □ 2.3B.6 decode words with prefixes and inflectional endings identify, read, and spell high-frequency words from a research-based list
2.3C use skills to support strategies for determining the meaning of unknown words while reading	□ 2.3C.1 alphabetize a series of words and use a dictionary or glossary to find words □ 2.3C.2 use print or digital resource to determine meaning and pronunciation of unknown words □ 2.3C.3 identify the meaning of words with the affixes □ 2.3C.5 use context within and beyond a sentence to determine meaning

Shared Reading		Instructional Focus		
2.4	read grade-level text with fluency and comprehension use metacognitive skills to both develop and deepen comprehension of increasingly complex texts	Tools to Know: Reading Process □ 2.3C.5 use context within and beyond a sentence to determine the meaning of unfamiliar words □ 2.4A use appropriate fluency when reading grade-level text □ 2.5A establish purpose for reading assigned and self-selected texts □ 2.5B generate questions about text before, during, and after reading □ 2.5C make and correct or confirm predictions using text features, characteristics of genre, and structures □ 2.5D create mental images to deepen understanding □ 2.5E monitor comprehension and make adjustments such as re-reading, using background knowledge, checking for visual cues, and asking questions when understanding breaks down		
	1 1 1	Tools to Know: Comprehension □ 2.5F make connections to personal experiences, ideas in other texts, and society □ 2.5G make inferences and use evidence to support understanding □ 2.5H evaluate details read to determine key ideas □ 2.5I synthesize information to create new understanding		



Reading and Writing - Grade 2 (all standards)

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		Fiction				
		□ 2.6A	demonstrate knowledge of distinguishing characteristics as folktales, fables, and fairy tales			
		□ 2.7A	discuss topics and determine theme using text evidence			
2.6/2.	use literary elements and genre-	□ 2.7B	describe and understand plot elements, including the main events, the conflict, and the resolution			
		□ 2.7C	describe the main character's internal and external traits and reasons why people do the things they do* (describe the main character's (characters') internal and external traits			
		□ 2.7D □ 2.7E	describe the importance of the setting identify moral lessons as themes in well-known fables, legends, myths, or stories *			
		Poetry	, , , ,			
st	specific characteristics,	□ 2.6B	discuss rhyme, rhythm, repetition, and alliteration in a variety of poems			
	structures, and purposes to analyze and comprehend texts	□ 2.7E	recite poems of substance that encourage striving for virtue and goodness *			
		Drama				
		□ 2.6C	discuss elements of drama such as characters, dialogue, and setting			
		□ 2.7E	use imagination to create dialogue between the readers and the characters in a story st			
		Information	nal			
		□ 2.6D	recognize features and graphics to locate and gain information including features			
		□ 2.6D.1	and graphics recognize the central idea and supporting evidence			
		□ 2.6D.2	recognize organizational patterns such as chronological order and cause and effect			
		_ = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = =	stated explicitly			
		Persuasive				
		□ 2.6E	recognize characteristics of persuasive text			
		□ 2.6E.1	state what the author is trying to persuade the reader to think or do			
		□ 2.6E.2	distinguish facts from opinion			
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Inde	pendent Reading	Instruction	al Focus			
2.9	self-select text and read independently	□ 2.9A	self-select text and read independently for a sustained period of time			
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Responding to Text			Instructional Focus			
		Ways to Sho				
2.10	respond to an increasingly	☐ 2.10A	describe personal connections to a variety of sources			
	challenging variety of	□ 2.10B	write brief comments on literary or informational texts that demonstrate			
	sources that are read, heard, or viewed.	□ 2.10C	understanding of the text use text evidence to support an appropriate response			
	or vieweu.	□ 2.10C	retell and paraphrase texts in ways maintain meaning and logical order			
(applied to Shared and Independent Reading)		☐ 2.10E	interact with sources in meaningful ways such as illustrating or writing			
(applied to shared and macpendent heading)		□ 2.10F	respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate			
2.0	identify analysis and dis-	□ 2.8A	discuss the author's purpose for writing text			
2.8	identify, explain, and discuss The author's choices and how	□ 2.8B	identify use of first or third person in a text			
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They influence meaning; apply

author's craft purposefully in

writing and speaking

□ 2.8C

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□ 2.8E

□ 2.8F

discuss how the use of text structure contributes to the author's purpose

discuss the use of descriptive, literal, and figurative language

identify and explain the use of repetition

discuss the author's use of print and graphic features to achieve their purpose



Reading and Writing – Grade 2 (all standards)

		CHECKPOINT		
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Writing	Instructional Focus			
2.11A plan first drafts	□ 2.11A plan a first draft by using prewriting strategies such as drawing and brainstorming			
2.11B develop drafts	develop drafts into a focused piece of writing by: □ 2.11B.1 organizing with structure □ 2.11B.2 developing an idea with specific and relevant details			
2.11C revise drafts	□ 2.11C revise drafts by adding, deleting, or rearranging words, phrases or sentences			
2.11D edit drafts	edit for grammar, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, including: □ 2.11D.1 complete sentences with subject-verb agreement past, present, and future verb tense singular, plural, common, and proper nouns adjectives, including articles adverbs that convey time and adverbs that convey places prepositions and prepositional phrases pronouns, including subjective, objective, and possessive cases coordinating conjunctions to form compound subjects and predicates capitalization for of months, days of the week, and the salutation and conclusion of a letter 2.11D.10 end punctuation, apostrophes in contradictions, and commas with items in a series and in dates 2.11D.11 correct spelling of words with grade-appropriate orthographic patterns and rules and high-frequency words			
2.11E publish written work	 □ 2.11E.1 publish and share writing □ 2.11E.2 develop handwriting by accurately forming all cursive letters using appropriate strokes when connecting letters 			
2.12A use the writing process to compose literary texts	□ 2.12A dictate or compose literary texts □ 2.12A dictate or compose personal narratives □ 2.12A dictate or compose poetry			
2.12B use the writing process to compose informational texts	□ 2.12B dictate or compose informational texts □ 2.12B dictate or compose procedural texts			
2.12C use the writing process to compose persuasive texts	☐ 2.12C dictate or compose persuasive texts			
2.12D compose correspondence	☐ 2.12D dictate or compose thank you notes and letters			
Research	Instructional Focus			
2.13 use research skills to plan and present in written, oral, or multimodal formats	□ 2.13A generate questions for formal and informal inquiry with adult assistance □ 2.13B develop and follow a research plan with adult assistance □ 2.13C identify and gather relevant sources and information to answer the questions □ 2.13D identify primary and secondary sources □ 2.13E demonstrate understanding of information gathered			