

Reading Workshop Curriculum Map

Essential Question – How do we use talking and writing to encourage and grow ideas?

February Units		Mini lessons (Based on assessments)
<p>Visualizing and Inferring—Strategies That Enhance Understanding</p> <p><i>Reading Standard 2.0 Reading with Comprehension</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The book, <i>See the Ocean</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce this book after students have spent considerable time practicing different strategies Encourage them to think about which strategies they are using to make sense of the book
<p>Visualizing with Wordless Picture Books</p> <p><i>Reading Standard 3.0 Responding to Reading</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The book, <i>Good Dog Carl</i>, by Alexandra Day Drawing what you visualize 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visualizing to fill in missing information
<p>Visualizing from a Vivid Piece of Text</p> <p><i>Reading Standard 2.0 Reading with Comprehension</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The lead to Chapter 3, “Escape,” in <i>Charlotte’s Web</i>, by E. B. White 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Merging prior experience and the text to create visual images
<p>Visualizing in Nonfiction Text: Making Comparisons</p> <p><i>Reading Standard 3.0 Reading with Comprehension</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nonfiction trade books that use illustrations to make comparisons Drawing a comparison between one object and another 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visualizing to better understand the dimensions of size, space, and time
<p>Visualizing in Reading, Showing Not Telling in Writing</p> <p><i>Reading Standard 2.0 Reading with Comprehension</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Baseball, the American Epic series, including <i>Shadow Ball</i>, <i>25 Great Moments</i>, and <i>Who invented the Game?</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating images with compelling nonfiction
<p>Creating Mental Images That Go Beyond Visualizing</p> <p><i>Reading Standard 2.0 Reading with Comprehension</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A National Geographic article, “Sea Turtles in a Race for Survival” I see..., I hear..., I can feel..., I smell..., I can taste... 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Using all the senses to comprehend text