

WEST DEPTFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Content Area: ELA		
Course Title: ARC Core Literacy		
Grade Level: Third		
Unit 1: Literacy Lab		
9/12/2022 → 10/24/2022		7 weeks
Unit 2: Weather and Climate		
10/25/2022 → 12/23/2022		7 weeks
Unit 3: Traditional Tales & World Cultures		
1/3/2023 → 3/20/2023		10 weeks
Unit 4: Marine Life		
3/21/2023 → 6/9/2023		10 weeks
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Grade Three ARC Core Literacy Pacing Guide for 2022- 2023

Title	Instructional Period	# of Days
Unit 1: Literacy Lab 9/12/2022 → 10/24/2022		
PHASE 1: Initiate Academic Community	Sept. 12 - Sept. 23	10
PHASE 2: Initial Assessment And Goal Setting	Sept. 26 - Oct. 7	10
PHASE 3: Strategic Instruction/Building Expertise	Oct. 11 - Oct. 25	10
Unit 2: Weather and Climate 10/25/2022 → 12/23/2022		
WEEK 1: Reading Informational Text	Oct. 25 - Oct. 31	5
WEEK 2: Main Topic, Main Idea & Key Details	Nov. 1 - Nov. 7	5
WEEK 3: Develop Main Ideas	Nov. 8 - Nov. 17	5
WEEK 4: Key Details vs. Not a Key Detail	Nov. 18 - Nov. 29	5
WEEK 5: Illustrations	Nov. 30 - Dec. 6	5
WEEK 6: Organization	Dec. 7 - Dec. 13	5
WEEK 7: Language	Dec. 14 - Dec. 20	5
WEEK 8: Concluding Statements, Publishing and Presenting	Dec. 21 - Dec. 23	3
Unit 3: Traditional Tales & World Cultures 1/3/2023 → 3/20/2022		
WEEK 1: Review of Literary Elements	Jan. 3 - Jan. 10	6
WEEK 2: Character: Theme Analysis	Jan. 11 - Jan. 20	6
WEEK 3: Setting: Theme Analysis	Jan. 23 - Jan. 30	6
WEEK 4: Plot: Theme Analysis	Jan. 31 - Feb. 7	6
WEEK 5: Draft Comparative Analysis Essay	Feb. 8 - Feb. 15	6
WEEK 6: Revise, Edit, Publish and Present Essay	Feb. 16 - Feb. 24	5
WEEK 7: Drafting Practice: Quick-Writes	Feb. 27 - Mar. 3	5

WEEK 8: Draft and Revise Short Story	Mar. 6 - Mar. 10	5
WEEK 9: Edit, Illustrate and Publish Short Story	Mar. 13 - Mar. 20	5
Unit 4: Marine Life 3/21/2022 → 6/9/2023		
WEEK 1: Elements of an Argument	Mar. 21 - Mar. 27	5
WEEK 2: Point of View	Mar. 28 - Apr. 3	5
WEEK 3: Author's Purpose	Apr. 6 - Apr. 18	5
WEEK 4: Comparing POV/Purposes	Apr. 19 - Apr 26	6
WEEK 5: Analyze Argument Mentor Texts	Apr 27 - May 3	6
WEEK 6: Draft Opinion Piece	May 4 - May 18	6
WEEK 7: Revise for Powerful Language	May 19- May 26	6
WEEKS 8 & 9: Publishing, Presenting and Formal Debate	May 30 - June 9	9