

Kinder Benchmark - SS/Sci Pacing

Month	ELA	Science	Social Studies
September	Establishing Literacy Routines	Weather & Climate (about 2 weeks) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Establish value in tracking weather ● Collect daily temperature & weather data through the year ● Inspire Unit 3 	Our Class Community (about 2 weeks) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Rules and Routines ● Safety Routines(Sep/Oct) ● Fire Prevention (Oct) ● Classroom Helpers
October	Unit 1: Plants & Animals	Plants and Animals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sorting animals into appropriate habitats ● Life cycle of a pumpkin/apple ● Ocean animals ● Explore parts of fish body & compare to humans ● Observe and log fish/ant farm...behaviors ● How do they change the environment to suit needs? 	
November	Unit 2: I'm A Character		Exploring Our History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Voting/Election of Presidents and Leaders ● Veterans Day ● Thanksgiving
December	Unit 3: Rules at Home & School	Weather & Climate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Severe Weather ● Inspire Unit 3 	Celebrating Diversity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kwanzaa ● Hanukkah ● Christmas
January	Unit 4: Authors, Narrators & Illustrators		Exploring Our History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● MLK, Jr
February	Unit 5: Technology at Home and School		Exploring Our History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Presidents' Day Celebrating Diversity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Black History Month
March	Unit 6: Stories Have a Message		Celebrating Diversity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Women's History Month

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • St. Patrick's Day
April	Unit 7: Holidays	Protecting Our Earth <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earth Day recycling • Art from recycled materials • Inspire Unit 5 & 6 Impacts on a Earth's System 	
May	Unit 8: The Four Seasons	Weather & Climate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effects of Sun • Build a shelter to keep ice cube from melting PS3-1, PS3-2, K-2ETS 1-1, 1-2, 1-3 • Inspire Unit 1 	Exploring Our History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Memorial Day
	Unit 9: When You Go A Shopping		
June	Unit 10: Force & Motion	Forces & Motion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Push and Pull Investigations 	Exploring Our History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flag Day