

Grade 6 Curriculum Map		September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
Core Knowledge Language Arts (CKLA)	Fiction & Drama	Novel: Long Walk to Water Podcast: Louis, Can of Cola Article: Lost Boys of Sudan	Novel: The Odyssey Classical Mythology: Perseus and Medusa Sisyphus pushing the boulder Prometheus stealing fire	Novel: The Odyssey Classical Mythology: Apollo & Daphne, Orpheus & Eurydice, Narcissus & Echo, and Pygmalion & Galatea	Novel: The Odyssey Film: It's a Wonderful Life Short Story: A Christmas Carol	Drama: Julius Caesar	Novels: Young Adult Version of Unbroken	Novels: Boys in the Boat and Julius Caesar Short Stories: The Sniper and The Necklace Understanding Media: Ted ed videos and articles	Continue Boys in the Boat	Patrick Henry: Give me liberty or give me death Declaration of Independence US Constitution and First Amendment Film: National Treasure	The Prince and the Pauper
	Poetry	All the Worlds a Stage by William Shakespeare The Journey by Mary Oliver	The Man in the Arena by Teddy Roosevelt A Psalm of Life by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow	Wild Geese by Mary Oliver Goodbye Blue Sky by Roger Waters	I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud (William Wordsworth), The Walloping Window-blind (Charles E. Carryl)	If (Rudyard Kipling), Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening (Robert Frost)	Mother to Son (Langston Hughes), The Raven (Edgar Allan Poe), Woman Work (Maya Angelou)	The Laughing Heart by Charles Bukowski, A narrow fellow in the grass by Emily Dickinson, There is no frigate like a book by Emily Dickinson	Lift Ev'ry Voice and Sing (James Weldon Johnson),	I'll Rise by Maya Angelou and Ben Harper, With My Own Two Hands (Ben Harper), Woman Work (Maya Angelou)	A Song of Greatness (a Chippewa song, trans. Mary Austin) Sympathy (Paul Laurence Dunbar)
	Writing & Research	Research Essay with Bibliography: Conflict of Sudan	Standard Business Letter Narrative Essay	Persuasive essay	Compare and contrast essay on Protagonist and Antagonist	Research Essay with Bibliography: History of the English Language	Informational essay	News with a view	Narrative essay	How to Write a Haiku	Write a short story
	Grammar & Usage	Subject and Predicate	Independent and Dependent clauses	Subject and Verb	Homophones	Correct comma use	Apostrophes	Quotes and Italics	Simple sentences Compound sentences Complex sentences	Dependent and Independent clauses	Colons and Semicolons
	Speaking & Listening	Class expectations for speaking and listening	Group presentations	Greek God's presentation	Conflict in literature presentation	Inspirational or presidential speech (i.e. MLK Jr.)	Importance of leadership	Presentation on an Important Leader	Demonstrative Speech	Entertaining Speech	Debate
Ready Classroom Mathematics	Unit Title	Unit 1: Expressions and Equations	Unit 2: Decimals and Fractions	Unit 3: Ratio Reasoning	Unit 4: Ratio Reasoning	Unit 5: Algebraic Thinking	Unit 6: Positive & Negative Numbers		Unit 7: Statistical Thinking		End of Year Assessment
	Description of Unit	Number and Operations (12 days) and I-Ready Diagnostic (3 days)	Rational Numbers (18 days)	2-D and 3-D Geometry (19 days)	More Rational Numbers (25 days)	Ratio and Rates (23 days) and I-Ready Diagnostic (3 days)	Probability (16 days)	Algebra	MCA Testing Review (14 days)	Measurement and Geometry (19 days)	I-Ready Diagnostic Test (3 days)
Science	Domain Title	Unit 1: Plate Tectonics	Unit 2: Oceans	Unit 2: Oceans	Unit 3: Astronomy		Unit 4: Energy, Heat & Heat Energy		Unit 5: The Human Body	Unit 6: Earth's Systems	Unit 6: Earth's Systems
	Description of Domain	The surface of the earth, layers, crust movements, volcanoes & evidence of long term plate movement (28 Days)	The ocean surface and the bottom of the ocean (28 Days)	Waves, tides, and currents, marine life & protecting the oceans (28 days)	Gravity & stars (32 days)	Stars and galaxies (32 days)	The forms of energy, heat & temperature (23 Days)	Physical change of energy & how it is transferred (23 days)	Immune system, bacterial & viral diseases (22 days)	Ages or rocks, erosion, weathering & climate (19 days)	
	Lab(s)	Crust movement, Shake, Rattle & Roll Earthquake Board	Ocean Floor Project & Species Cards		Star Life Cycle & Asteroids & Moons Formation		Blood Type		Microbes	Erosion & Air Pressure	
History & Geography	CKHG Domain Title	Geography Review + World Deserts	Ancient Religions	Ancient Greece Film: Hercules	Ancient Rome	The Enlightenment	The French Revolution and Romanticism	The Industrial Revolution: Changes & Challenges	Independence of Latin America	American Immigration & Industrialization & Urbanization in America	Reform in Industrial America
	Northern Lights Minnesota	Studying History (Chapters 1 & 2)	Minnesota Natives: Dakota and Ojibwe (Chapters 3 & 4)	European Contact (Chapters 5, 6 & 7)	Conflicts (Chapters 8 & 9)	Conflicts (Chapters 8 & 9)	Natural Resources (Chapters 10 & 11)	Urbanization (Chapters 12 & 13)	World Wars (Chapters 14, 15 & 16)	Post-War (Chapters 17 & 18)	Minnesota Today (Chapters 19 & 20)

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