

XCS Fifth Grade At A Glance 08-09

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	September				October					November				December				January				February				March			April			May			June				
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Bible	Salvation History (God's faithfulness and our rebellion)				Edge of Etenity					Edge of Eternity				Jonah (Encouragement Project)				Explore the Gospels and focus on the Kingdoms (Read and look for big themes)				Conflict Management			Missions			Prayer for camp		1 Peter (Themes, Author, Audience)									
History & Science	World Geography	Meso American Civilizations (Taking Notes)	Chemistry		Renaissance	Reformation	Classification	England in the Golden Age	Cells				Age of Explorers	Russia and Japan		Westward Expansion B/F War	Plants	Civil War			Westwar			Native Americans	Life Cycles	Endo System	Geography												
Read Aloud	<i>Scorpions</i>				<i>Don Quixote</i>					<i>Calileo</i>				<i>Jungle Book</i>				<i>The Samurai's Daughter</i>				<i>Frederick Douglass</i>			<i>Bull Run</i>			<i>Save Queen of Sheba</i>											
Instructional Reading	<i>Read for Info-- SS p. 2-15</i>				<i>The Mixed Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler (Story Elements, Book Report)</i>					<i>Sherlock Holmes (Etymology, Elements of a Mystery) Read with the students</i>				<i>Little Women (Understanding language in historical time period)</i>				<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream (Similes, Metaphors)</i>				<i>Mark Twain Books (Author's Point of View, Intent)</i>			<i>Charley Skedaddle (Character Development)</i>			<i>Old Yeller</i>		<i>(Themes)</i>		<i>Native American Stories (Compare/Contrast)</i>							
Poetry & Speeches	The Arrow and the Song	A Bird Came Down the Walk	The Eagle		I Like To See It Lap The Miles		Jabberwocky				Narcissa		A Poison Tree		The Road Not Taken		The Snowstorm		Some Opposites		The Tiger		A Wise Old Owl		Barbara Frechie		Battle Hymn of the Republic		Captain, O My Captain		Casey at Bat		I Hear America Singing		I, Too, Sing America		Incident		
Independent Reading	Fiction Book (Critique's Corner)				Newberry Award Winner (Diarama, Book Report)					Non-Fiction (Give an informative speech)				Read a book on Slavery (Quilt square, book report)				Science Fiction (Create an audio commercial advertising the book)				Multicultural (Book Report highlighting similarities and differences)			Read a Civil War book			Biography (Dress up and tell the story from a 1st person POV)		Historical Fiction (Create a timeline and final book report (CBE))									
SIPs	Well begun is half done	Chip on your shoulder	A penny saved is a penny earned	A watched pot never boils	The grass is always greener	Eat crow	Out of the frying pan & into the fire	Eleventh hour	It's never too late to mend	Eureka	Count your blessings	Every cloud has a silver lining	Bite the hand that feeds you	Make a mountain out of a molehill	Steal the thunder	Read between the lines	Birthdays suit	Sit on the fence	Catch forty winks	Kill two birds with one stone	Lock, stock, and barrel	A mass is as good as a mile	Few and far between	(SAT week)	(Camp week)	Take the bull by the horns	Till the cows come home	Time heals all wounds	Vice Versa										
Writing	Introduce book report, complete sentences (especially when answering questions), 3 pt. Expository paragraph, invitation, outlines, taking notes (text and teacher-directed)									Introduce thank you letter, friendly letter, similes, editing, 3 pt. Persuasive paragraph, addressing an envelope									Introduce research paper, 3 pt. Expository essay, quotations									Introduce 3 pt. Persuasive essay, creative writing											
Writing Ideas	Meaningful	Adventure	Essay	Video	Script	Invite	Open	Scary	Story	Name	Poem	Book	Report	Tall Tales	Heart	Thumping	Shakespeare	persuasive	Essay	Haiku	Color	poem	Research	Paper	Limerick	CW	Journal	Hero	Essay	Hero	Invitation	Queen	Ending	Thank	You	Letter to	next class	Fascinating	g Me
English	Unit 1 (will need to skip mastered lessons)				Unit 2 and Dictionary skills									Unit 3 and Library skills				Unit 4				Unit 5																	
Spelling	Build the notebook and review old words									Follow the plan for Riggs, going through 5th grade words and continuing to have students practice unmastered words from prior lists,									Follow the plan for Riggs, going through 5th grade words and continuing to have students practice unmastered words from prior lists,									Follow the plan for Riggs, going through 5th grade words and continuing to have students practice unmastered words from prior lists,											

