Trimester			Unit 2 Title	Recommended Instructional Days
1 & 2		 Students will explore Reading and w What makes live Identifying the informational term Using structure about informate Making personaliterary text Using text fear predictions about 	c Together : riting informational text ving things unique e main idea to understand ext e to ask and answer questions ional text al connections to characters in atures to make and confirm out informational text acture to find important details	6-8 Weeks
Reading Literature Text Strand:		g Informational Text Strand:		
NJSLS: Language Arts <i>Progress Indicator:</i> RL.K.2 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how).	 <i>Progress Indicator:</i> RI.K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. RI.K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text. 		Recommended Activ Interdisciplinary Conn Experiences to Explore I	ections, and/or Student

suggestions from peers (e.g.,

adding details).

RL.K.3 With prompting and	RI.K.7 With prompting and	
support, identify characters,	support, describe the relationship	
settings, and major events in a	between illustrations and the text	
story.	in which they appear (e.g., what	
	person, place, thing, or idea in the	
RL.K.5 Recognize common types	text an illustration depicts).	
of text (e.g., storybooks, poems).	1 /	
	RI.K.8 With prompting and	
RL.K.7 With prompting and	support, identify the reasons an	
support, describe the relationship	author gives to support points in a	
between illustrations and the story	text.	
in which they appear (e.g., what		
moment in a story an illustration	RI.K.10 Actively engage in	
depicts).	group reading activities with	
	purpose and understanding.	
Foundational Skills		
Foundational Skills Strand:	Writing Strand:	
	Writing	
Strand:	Writing Strand:	 Essential Question/s: What do living things need?
Strand: Progress Indicator: RF.K.1 Demonstrate understanding of the organization	Writing Strand: Progress Indicator: W.K.2 Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to	

RF.K.2 Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes).

Activity Descriptions:

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 RF.K.2.a Recognize and produce rhyming words. RF.K.2.d Isolate and pronounce the initial, media vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonant-vowel-consonant, or CVC) ending with /l/, /r/, /x/.) RF.K.3 Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding and encoding words. RF.K.3.a Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing many of the most frequently used sounds of each consonant. RF.K.3.c Read high-frequency and sight words with automaticity. 	 W.K.7 Participate in shared research and writing projects (e.g., explore a number of books by a favorite author and express opinions about them). W.K.8 With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question. 	Interdisciplinary Connections: Follow the "Cross-Curricular" discussion prompts and activities in your manual to address the standards below. Social Studies: SOC.6.1.4.C.2 Distinguish between needs and wants and explain how scarcity and choice influence decisions made by individuals, communities, and nations. Needs and Wants Learning Needs and Wants Needs vs. Wants PBS Learning Science: *Standards in Action: Climate Change* SCI.K.ESS3.A Natural Resources; Living things need water, air, and resources from the land, and they live in places that have the things they need. Animal Needs Song SCI.K-LS1-1 Use observations to describe patterns of what plants and animals (including humans) need to survive. It's Alive! How Climate Change Affects Animals
Speaking and Listening Strand:	Language Strand:	
<i>Progress Indicator:</i> SL.K.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about <i>kindergarten topics and texts</i>	<i>Progress Indicator:</i> L.K.1 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	SCI.K-2-ETS1.A Asking Questions and Defining Problems; Asking questions based on observations to find more information about the natural and/or designed world(s). Observing in Science Physical Education:

with peers and adults in small and	1	
larger groups.	L.K.1.a Print many upper- and lowercase letters.	HE.K-12.P.6 Engaging in an active lifestyle Good Foods
 SL.K.1.a Follow agreed-upon norms for discussions (e.g., listening to others with care and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion). SL.K.2 Confirm understanding of a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood. 	 L.K.1.b Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. L.K.1.e Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (<i>e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with</i>). L.K.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. 	 HE.K-2.2.1.2.PGD.1 Explore how activity helps all human bodies stay healthy. Act Out the Alphabet Letter Sound Exercise Build Background Knowledge Students will view the following video to encourage thinking about the Unit 2 topic: Unit 2 Video: <i>Buzz, Buzz, Buzz!</i> Class discussion about living things
 SL.K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood. SL.K.4 Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail. SL.K.6 Speak audibly and express thoughts, feelings, and ideas clearly. 	 L.K.2.c Write a letter or letters for most consonants and short-vowel sounds (phonemes). L.K.2.d Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of sound-letter relationships. L.K.4.a Identify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing <i>duck</i> is a bird and learning the verb to <i>duck</i>). 	 Build Oral Language: Oral Language Development Weekly Vocabulary: butterflies, geese, whales, bees, honey, nectar, hive, food, water, shelter, shark, eagle, turtle, hummingbird, push, swim, climb, carry Unit academic vocabulary: grow, need, share, depend Word Wall - Continue adding to your word wall from the previous unit. Include all new vocabulary and high frequency words. (Unit 2 sight words found below) <u>Reading Workshop</u> Foundational skills will be taught using <u>Fundations</u>. <u>Phonological Awareness</u>

• Initial, middle, and final sounds (CVC words)

	L.K.5 With guidance and support	 Building CVC words 		
	from adults, explore word	 Sounds and alliteration 		
	relationships and nuances in word	• All lowercase letter formations		
	meanings.	• All uppercase letter formations		
		• Blend and segment		
	L.K.5.b Demonstrate	• Onset and rime		
	understanding of frequently	 Segment and blend phonemes 		
	occurring verbs and adjectives by	• Sentence structure		
	relating them to their opposites	• <u>Phonics</u>		
	(antonyms).	• Letter - Keyword - Sound: using both standard		
	L.K.5.c Identify real-life	and large cards to review all letters		
	connections between words and	 Vowel extension poster 		
	their use (e.g., note places at	• Large letter formation grid: reviewing sky line,		
	school that are colorful).	plane line, grass line, worm line; using the grid to		
	,	teach proper letter formation for the letter(s)		
	L.K.6 Use words and phrases	being taught		
	acquired through conversations,	• Magnetic tile board: all letters should be added to		
	reading and being read to, and	each student board; use the tiles to build CVC		
	responding to texts.	words, discussing initial, middle, and final		
~	~	sounds of the words		
Social and Emotional Learning:	Social and Emotional Learning:	• Using appropriate fingers to tap out CVC words		
Competencies	Sub-Competencies			
		• High-frequency words (myView): are, that, of, they, you,		
• Self Awareness	*SEL Through Book Club*	do, one, two, three, four, five, here, go, from, yellow,		
• Self-Management		blue, green, what		
Social Awareness	Collaboration:			
Relationship Skills	• Model strategies for	Read-Aloud Routine:		
Responsible	responding to each	• Students will actively listen to a story for elements of		
Decision-Making	other respectfully	informational text, such as the main idea and details.		
_	(examples offered in	• Read the entire text aloud without stopping for the Think		
Core SEL Competencies Guide	teacher's manual)	Aloud callouts.		

 Each Book Club session features reminders and sentence starters to give students opportunities to practice their collaborative conversation skills Students share their connections and wonderings 	 Reread the text aloud, pausing to model Think Aloud strategies related to the genre. Unit 2 Read-Aloud stories found in your teacher's manual: Week 1: How Animals Find Their Way Week 2: What Animals Need Week 3: Pedro and Maria's Camping Adventure Week 4: Hungry Animals Week 5: Time to Move! Wrap-up Activity - refer to your myView manual for corresponding activities for weekly Read-Aloud Routines. Shared Read: First, read the text. Pause to discuss the "First Read" notes with students. Use the "Close Read" notes to guide instruction. Unit 2 Shared Read stories: Week 1: Animals on the Move Week 2: From Nectar to Honey Week 3: Do We Need This? Week 5: Run, Jump, and Swim Week 6: Get a Pet!
	 Leveled Readers: Unit 2 guided reading levels range from Level A through Level D Readers align to unit theme, Living Things, and to the unit Spotlight Genre, Informational Text

 Refer to the "Matching Texts to Learning" pages each week for suggested texts and the instruction aligned to the week's instruction and genre. Full online access to Grade K Leveled Library: levels available from Level A - Level D variety of fiction and nonfiction genres text structures and features aligned to the continuum of text levels readers provide audio and word-by-word highlighting to support students as they read
 leveled reader search functionality in SavvasRealize.com
 <u>Writing Workshop</u> <u>Informational Text: List Book</u> Through the minilessons found in your teacher's manual, students will: explore the elements of a list book generate ideas and plan a list book learn that drawings are a type of graphic edit for adjectives, nouns, prepositions, and capitalization
 Introduce and Immerse (Week 1): List Books Generate Ideas Plan Your List Book
 Develop Elements (Week 2): Compose a Title Apply Main Idea

 Apply Details Develop Structure (Week 3): Graphics Apply Words and Sentences Apply Organize Ideas Writer's Craft (Week 4): Edit for Singular and Plural Nouns Apply Edit for Capitalization Apply Edit for Adjectives Publish, Celebrate, Assess (Week 5): Edit for Prepositions Edit for Prepositions Edit for Capitalization Assessment Reading-Writing Workshop Bridge Academic Vocabulary: Related words Antonyms Context clues Word Parts Oral language Handwriting: Correct pencil grip and posture when writing Write vertical and horizontal lines 	
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	 Write backwards circles and slanted lines
 Write forward circles and use proper sitting position 	
 Use proper paper position 	
 Writing all lowercase and uppercase letters 	

	 Read Like a Writer, Write for a Reader: Question-and-Answer Text Structure Visualize Analyze Third-Person Text Supporting points in a text Language & Conventions: Adjectives and articles Present-tense verbs Verbs Future-tense verbs
Assessments (Formative)	Assessments (Summative)
To show evidence of meeting the standard/s, students will successfully engage within:	To show evidence of meeting the standard/s, students will successfully complete:
Formative Assessments:	Benchmarks:
• K-W-L charts and brainstorming anchor charts to	• Unit Tests
determine student prior knowledge and use of relevant	
connections	Summative Assessments:
PBL on-going project and writing taskGraphic organizers	 Weekly student monitoring Weekly progress check-ups (students complete online)
 Quick Check 	through Savvas Realize)
 Post-it and/or communicator responses as a temperature 	 Student reflections
gauge	
• Independent illustrations in reading notebooks	
Writing pieces	
• Thumbs up, thumbs down	
• Game activities	
Assess and Differentiate	

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 Assess Prior Knowledge Assess Understanding Observational Assessme Conferring Checklists Rubrics Think/Pair/Share 				
		ent Access to Content: ing <i>Resources/Materials</i>		
Core Resources	Alternate Core Resources IEP/504/At-Risk/ESL	ELL Core Resources		& Talented Resources
 Digital and print version of the text myView Literacy Centers/Stations Leveled readers Anchor charts & editable anchor charts Student interactives 	 Modified versions of the text Leveled readers Differentiation/Accom modations/Modificatio ns - materials and resources needed for small group instruction Choice Boards 	 Digital and print versions of the text Small group materials PBL projects Online thesaurus Leveled readers Accommodations and Modifications Checklist for ESL Students 	 of the te Digital readers Small g provide 	and print versions ext access to leveled for all grades roup materials to differentiation ious PBL projects
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 Technology: Student device (tablet, c) Teacher device (laptop, c) Student access to Savvas Projector SmartBoard 	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			

- Document camera
- <u>IXL.com BBOED</u>
- <u>RAZ-Plus</u>

Other: • Whiteboard • Expo markers • Chart paper & markers • Fundations Level K: all kit p	materials, student notebook, jour Differentiated Studer Recommended <i>Stra</i>	nt Access to Content:	
Core Resources	Alternate Core Resources IEP/504/At-Risk/ESL	ELL Core Resources	Gifted & Talented Core
• Allow for access to print and digital versions and exemplars of PBL projects and writing tasks	Reading Increase feedback -Vary texts for level of difficulty -Offer choice of organizers and DOLs -Post visuals and anchor charts for making connections -Break into smaller group or 1:1 conferences -Close reading strategies -Text based evidence strategies -Tier assignments and assessments -Strategic pairing for	 Extend time requirements Preferred seating Positive reinforcement Check often for understanding/review Utilize oral/visual directions/prompts when necessary Supplemental materials including use of online bilingual dictionary, and modified assessment and/or rubric 	 Create an enhanced set of introductory activities Integrate active teaching/learning opportunities Incorporate authentic components Propose interest-based extension activities Connect students to related talent development opportunities Advanced organizers Advanced leveled texts Tier assignments and assessments

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guided practice -Highlight/ color-code -Text to speech • Writing Tier 1: General instr -Schedule time for wr conferences -Spelling -Sentence constructio -Classroom environme (visuals, word wall, e -Explicit modeling -After continuous, systematic progress monitoring, locate stu who need more suppor Tier 2: Small group, adult-led instruction validated interventio provide a more tailo individualized educa program. -Identifying non-resp -Continued progress monitoring	eruction rriting on nent etc.) udents ort. , n using ons to ored, ational	 Compact curriculum Offer challenging activities Deliver instruction utilizing varied learning styles including audio, visual, and tactile/kinesthetic

Tier 3: Teacher-established learning goals with materials that coincide with the level of the child and may differ from the students' grade level. -Handwriting instruction -Computer-assisted instruction -Strategy instruction -Cognitive strategy instruction -Utilize a multi-sensory approach during instruction -Provide alternate presentations of skills by varying the method (repetition, simple explanations, additional examples, modeling, etc.) -Modify test content and/or format, allow students to retake test for additional credit

Grade: K					
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	-Provide additional times				
	into segments of shorter				
	tasks.				
	rubrics, repeat instructions				
	as needed.				
NJSLS CAREER READINESS, LIFE LITERACIES & KEY SKILLS	ITERACIES & KEY 4. Information and Media Literacy				
	can take to make this world innovative ideas. ures may have different ces provide access to vast be searched. play data in various ways.				

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	• Digital tools have a purpose.				
Performance Expectation/s:	 9.1.2.CR.1 Recognize ways to volunteer in the classroom, school and community. 9.1.2.CR.2 List ways to give back, including making donations, volunteering, and starting a business. 9.4.2.CI.1 Demonstrate openness to new ideas and perspectives (e.g., 2.1.2.EH.1, 6.1.2.CivicsCM.2). 9.4.2.CI.2 Demonstrate originality and inventiveness in work (e.g., 1.3A.2CR1a). 9.4.2.CT.1 Gather information about an issue, such as climate change, and collaboratively brainstorm ways to solve the problem (e.g., K-2-ETS1-1, 6.3.2.GeoGI.2). 9.4.2.IML.1 Identify a simple search term to find information in a search engine or digital resource. 9.4.2.IML.2 Represent data in a visual format to tell a story about the data (e.g., 2.MD.D.10). 9.4.2.TL.4 Navigate a virtual space to build context and describe the visual content. 9.4.2.TL.6 Illustrate and communicate ideas and stories using multiple digital tools (e.g., SL.2.5.). 				
Career Re	Career Readiness, Life Literacies, & Key Skills Practices				
 Consider the environment Demonstrate creativity and Use technology to enhance 	 Act as a responsible and contributing community member and employee. Consider the environmental, social and economic impacts of decisions. Demonstrate creativity and innovation. Use technology to enhance productivity, increase collaboration and communicate effectively. Work productively in teams while using cultural/global competence. 				

	New Jersey Legislative Statutes and Administrative Code (place an "X" before each law/statute if/when present within the curriculum map)										
N.J	mistad Law: J.S.A. 18A 2:16A-88	Holocaust Law: N.J.S.A. 18A:35-28		LGBT and Disabilities Law: <i>N.J.S.A.</i> <i>18A:35-4.35</i>		Diversity & Inclusion: <i>N.J.S.A. 18A:35-4.36a</i>	X	Standards in Action: <i>Climate Change</i>			