

Kindergarten ELA

	All literacy skills are on-going and integrated into all aspects of learning		
Units:	Connect to science, health, and /or social studies		
Strands	Reading and Viewing: Process of Reading: A Literature and Culture: B; Informational Texts: D	Writing and Speaking: Process of Writing and Speaking: E Standard English Conventions F Stylistic and Rhetorical Aspects: G	Integrated Literacy Language and Images C Research Related Writing and Speaking: H
	http://www.state.me.us/education/lres/ela.htm		
Activities	Find, make letters and match letters and sounds Find words in the environment Select books; read aloud Read stories, nursery rhymes Use large charts: difference between word and letter	Identify sound patterns in speech Label pictures Dictate story; Communicate with non-verbal clues Write simple stories using words and pictures Read and explain own writing Spell "core list" Write and spell own name Practice writing letters with correct spacing with a variety of media Listen to stories and speakers and recall what it read(said) Listen and predict Listen for information Recite name, address, phone number, birthday	Visit library and use classroom reference books "Borrow" library books Use a picture dictionary Make a personal dictionary Distinguish pictures from print

Assessments	DRA Level 3 Letter ID	K Writing prompts: Friends Family in winter Ocean Animal Learned in school	
Vocabulary	Beginning, middle, and end of a story Parts of a book Cover, title page, page number, dedication, table of contents Real and pretend Fiction and non-fiction Fairy tale Play Poem Illustration Character detail	Period, apostrophe, comma, question mark, exclamation point Capital letter Lower case letter Sentence Punctuation Noun and verb Quotation marks Speech bubble Singular and plural Edit One-to-one match Invented and conventional spelling	Fiction Non fiction Dictionary Reference Audio Research
Resources	<p>http://www.readwritethink.org/ This site allows you to search by grade spans or by standards.</p> <p>http://edsitement.neh.gov/ This site is not only for language arts but brings in the foreign languages as well. Aligns to the standards</p> <p>http://www.ceismc.gatech.edu/busyt/eng.shtml This site has lots of links to other sites of which some seem to be aligned to the standards and others are by grade span.</p>		