



Unicorn Class Newsletter July 2023

Hello Parents!

We have just a few more weeks before the end of the semester. We've stayed on, or just ahead of, schedule and with other events out of the way we should have an easy time wrapping up the last of the bit of book work and reading before the students move on to their last year of kindergarten!

Reading

We will learn 3 new reading books in July. The final week will just be review.

Week	
1	Red Hen's Garden
2	Rabbit to the Rescue
3	Meet the Big Cats
4	Review

Phonics

In phonics we will be working with the long e sound, with a lot of 'double e' and 'ea' words, and we will end with final y as a vowel and the 'ar' sound. The phonics book will not be completely finished as it is over 300 pages and our curriculum only takes us to page 250. I might get a few extra pages done as our students have been able to do phonics at a pretty good pace.

Our schedule for phonics is as follows:

Week	
1	236 237 238
2	241 243 245
3	248 249 250
4	Review

Grammar (Grammar Space Book 1 + Workbook)

In grammar we will finish up the unit on common prepositions then the final unit is a cumulative review of the previous 3 units. Our students have been pretty good at grammar this semester so it shouldn't be too hard to finish up the book.

Week	
1	80, 81+ workbook 40
2	82, 83 + wb 41
3	84, 85 + wb 42
4	Review

Writing

We will finish up the writing book with more of the same kind of work we've done all semester. The stories in the writing book are getting a little more complex, but still easier than their weekly reading books, and the comprehension questions aren't too difficult. I just want students to answer in complete sentences.

Some of the students need a little work on remembering to draw answers to comprehension questions directly from the stories rather than their own personal experience.

Week	
1	65 -68
2	69 -72
3	73 -76
4	Review

MPM Math

Our schedule has picked up the pace a little to make sure we get through all of the MPM material for this semester, but we're a little ahead so we'll still have plenty of time to get it all done. We just have one MPM book left to wrap up with more of the same type of activities they've seen in the last four.

Week	
1	D5 1-6
2	D5 7-12
3	D5 13 -18
4	Review

Core Materials (Wonders Workshop + Anthology)

We'll finish up the last couple of stories in their anthology book for the current unit. The theme of this unit "Let's Move". We'll continue to discuss vocabulary related to always we can move our body and have a quick lesson about diagrams. The reading in this book is pretty easy for most of our students.

Week	
1	Unit 1-5 Anthology
2	Unit 1-5 Anthology
3	Unit 1-5 Anthology
4	Review

Conclusion

The last few weeks of the semester should be a breeze. We just have a bit of work to finish up and a review week we can use to catch up anything that ends up taking a little extra time. The students have made a lot of progress this semester, and I've had fun working with them.

All the best,
~Tr. Aaron



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哈囉!家長們大家好!

離學期結束還有幾週時間。我們一直按計劃進行中，或者進度超前一點，並且不受其他事影響的情況下，我們的學校進度應該可以在學生進入幼兒園邁入最後一年之前，輕鬆結束教材習作本和閱讀書的!

閱讀

我們將在 7 月份學習 3 本新的閱讀書籍。最後一周只是複習。

Week	
1	Red Hen's Garden
2	Rabbit to the Rescue
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自然發音

在自然發音中，我們將使用長音 e，有很多雙 e' 和 'ea' 的字，我們將以母音的尾音 y 和 'ar' 音結束。這本自然發音書將不會完全教完，因為它超過 300 頁，而且我們的課程只擷取到 250 頁。當我們的學生已經能夠以相當快的速度進行拼音我可能會完成一些額外的頁面，。我們的拼音時間表如下：

Week	
1	236 237 238
2	241 243 245
3	248 249 250
4	Review

文法 (文法教科書 + 習作本)

在語法方面，我們將完成關於常用介係詞的單元，然後最後一個單元是前 3 個單元的複習。我們的學生這學期的文法學習非常好，所以讀完這本書應該不會太難。

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寫作課(書寫練習)

我們整個學期將用更多和我們做過同類型的書寫練習來完成這本寫作書。書中的故事

變得更複雜些，但仍然比他們每週閱讀書更容易些，且理解題也是不太難。我只想讓學生完整回答句子。有些學生需要做一些功課來記住從故事中去勾勒出問題的解答，而卻非他們自己的親身經歷的故事。

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MPM 數學

當然我們已加快了腳步趕上一點進度，以確保我們順利完成本學期的所有 MPM 教材，但其實我們以超前了一點，所以我們仍然有足夠的時間來完成所有進度。我們只剩下一本 MPM 相同類型的活動綜合學習之前四本的所見所聞。

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1	D5 1-6
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核心教材（工作本+選集）

我們將完成他們選集中的最後幾個故事對於當前單元。本單元的主題是“讓我們動起來”。我們將

繼續探討關於我們總是可以做身體的移動相關的詞彙，以及快速教過關於圖解的認識，在本書中的閱讀對大部分孩子而言都相當容易。

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1	Unit 1-5 Anthology
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4	Review

結論

本學期的最後幾週應該是輕而易舉的。我們正好有一些工作要完成，我們可以利用複習週的額外時間趕一點校的進度。學生們這學期進步很多，讓我和他們一起工作得很有趣。

祝福

大家一切順利，

Tr. Arron