

Wisconsin Early Learning Standards Alignment to Starfall Pre K 4 Curriculum

I. HEALTH AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

A. PHYSICAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Children in Wisconsin will be physically healthy and will be able to effectively care for their own physical needs.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| A.EL.1a Demonstrates behaviors to meet self-help and physical needs. Sleep | Teacher's Guide p. 215 - Let's Stay Healthy: Sleep and Water Teacher's Guide p. 215 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 217 - Teacher's Literature Choice: Healthy Habits (sleep) Teacher's Guide p. 218 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide - Rest Time (daily) |
| A.EL.1b Demonstrates behaviors to meet self-help and physical needs. Dressing | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Season Dress Up Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 15 - Halloween Dress Up Teacher's Guide p. 102 - Art Center Teacher's Guide p. 151 - Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide p. 179 - Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide p. 255 - Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide p. 277- Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide p. 325- Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide p. 347- Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide p. 347- Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers (daily) |
| A.EL.1c Demonstrates behaviors to meet self-help and physical needs. Toileting | Teacher's Guide p. 217 - Teacher's Literature Choice: Healthy Habits (toileting) Teacher's Guide - Gathering (daily) Teacher's Guide - Morning Meeting (daily) Teacher's Guide - Circle Time (daily) Teacher's Guide - Story Time (daily) Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities (daily) |
| A.EL.1d Demonstrates behaviors to meet | Teacher's Guide p. 53 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot |

| self-help and physical needs. Eating | Soup" Teacher's Guide p. 60 - Taste Vegetables Teacher's Guide p. 78-79 - Introduce Red and Orange Teacher's Guide p. 199 - Snack Suggestion Teacher's Guide p. 209 - Categorizing Healthy and Unhealthy Teacher's Guide p. 211 - My Healthy Food Classroom Book Teacher's Guide p. 217 - Teacher's Literature Choice: Healthy Habits Teacher's Guide p. 531- Snack Suggestion Teacher's Guide p. 535- Dramatic Play Teacher's Guide p. 546 - Fruits and Vegetables Teacher's Guide - Snack/Lunch (daily) |
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| A.EL.2 Demonstrates behaviors to meet safety needs. | Teacher's Guide p. 5 - Outside Activity - Safety Rules Teacher's Guide p. 25 - Outside Activity - Review Safety Rules Teacher's Guide p. 54 - Class Rules Teacher's Guide p. 69 - Review Rules Teacher's Guide pp. 157-158 - Dialing 9-1-1 Teacher's Guide pp. 160 - Get Low and Go Teacher's Guide pp. 229-230 - Safety: Inside School and On the Playground Teacher's Guide pp. 233-234 - Safety: Talking a Walk, In a Car, and Wheels, Wheels Teacher's Guide pp. 237-238 - Safety: Tub and Shower and At the Pool Teacher's Guide pp. 241-242 - Safety: Review Fire Safety and Introduce Strangers Teacher's Guide p. 244 - Review Safety |
| A.EL.3 Demonstrates a healthy lifestyle. | Teacher's Guide pp. 205-206 - Let's Stay Healthy Teacher's Guide p. 209 - Categorizing Healthy and Unhealthy Teacher's Guide p. 211 - Teachers Literature Choice: Healthy Foods Teacher's Guide pp. 212-213 - Let's Stay Healthy: Germs Teacher's Guide p. 215 - Let's Stay Healthy: Sleep and Water Teacher's Guide p. 217 - Teachers Literature Choice: Healthy Habits Teacher's Guide p. 218 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 229 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 269 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 269 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide - Outside Activity (daily) |

B. MOTOR DEVELOPMENT

 $Children\ in\ Wisconsin\ will\ develop\ and\ refine\ their\ use\ of\ small\ and\ gross\ motor\ skills.$

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| B.EL.1a Moves with strength, control, balance, coordination, locomotion, and endurance. Purpose and Coordination | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 16 - Harvest Obstacle Course Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 39 - Jump Over the Puddle Teacher's Guide p. 47 - "Simon Says" Teacher's Guide p. 263 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 411 - Move Like a Dinosaur Teacher's Guide p. 427 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 437 - Wolf's Dinner Time Teacher's Guide p. 447 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 467 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 473 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 483 - Caboose on the Loose |
| B.EL.1b Moves with strength, control, balance, coordination, locomotion, and endurance. Balance and Strength | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 12 - Apple Relay Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 16 - Harvest Obstacle Course Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 29 - Groundhog Tunnel Game Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 39 - Jump Over the Puddle Teacher's Guide p. 47 - Outside Activity Teacher's Guide p. 73 - Outside Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 205-206 - Let's Stay Healthy Teacher's Guide p. 377 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 427 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 528 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers (daily) |
| B.EL.2 Exhibits eye-hand coordination, strength, control, and object manipulation. | Teacher's Guide p. 32 - Design Sheep Teacher's Guide p. 41 - Decorate Gingerbread Boy Teacher's Guide p. 77 - Writing Center Teacher's Guide p. 202 - Art Center Teacher's Guide p. 204 - Writing Center Teacher's Guide p. 226 - Art Center Teacher's Guide p. 255 - Construction Center Teacher's Guide p. 276 - Art Center Teacher's Guide p. 392 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 536 - Math Center |

C. SENSORY ORGANIZATION

Children in Wisconsin will integrate input from all sensory systems and learn to respond appropriately and automatically within their environment.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| C.EL.1 Uses senses to take in, experience, integrate, and regulate responses to the environment. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 5 - The Listening Walk Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Fall Walk Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 10 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide p. 60 - Taste Vegetables Teacher's Guide p. 90 - Make Fruit Salad Teacher's Guide pp. 181-182 - The Five Senses Teacher's Guide pp. 185-186 - Senses Walk Teacher's Guide pp. 187-188 - What Would You Do? Teacher's Guide p. 192 - Use Your Senses::Popcorn Teacher's Guide p. 195 - Use Your Senses: What's in the Bag? Teacher's Guide p. 204 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 228 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 359 - Milk a Cow! Teacher's Guide pp. 542-543 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup"/Carrot Experiment |

II. SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

A. EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Children in Wisconsin will demonstrate emotional competence and self regulation.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| A.EL.1 Expresses a wide range of emotions. | Teacher's Guide p. 13 - Emotions: Happy Teacher's Guide p. 14 - "We're Happy" Class Book Teacher's Guide p. 16 - Emotions: Excited and Silly Teacher's Guide p. 20 - Emotions: Sad, Angry, and Afraid Teacher's Guide p. 42 - Review Emotions Teacher's Guide p. 54 - Class Rules Teacher's Guide p. 56 - Friendship Quilt Teacher's Guide pp. 58-59 - "Please" and "Thank You" Teacher's Guide pp. 107-108 - How Does the Little Red Hen Feel? Teacher's Guide p. 109 - "Did the Little Red Hen Do the Right Thing?" Teacher's Guide p. 203 - Dramatic Play Center Teacher's Guide pp. 239 - Goldilocks Story Emotions Teacher's Guide pp. 397-398 - Ways People Feel |
| A.EL.2 Understands and responds to others' | Teacher's Guide p. 53 - The Friendship Ball |

| emotions. | Teacher's Guide p. 56 - Friendship Quilt |
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| | Teacher's Guide p. 63 - "A-Tisket, A-Tasket" |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 70 - Share Chair |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Partner Sharing: |
| | Community Helpers |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 168 - Share Chair (compliments |
| | others) |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 313 - Pre-K Book Club |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 431 - Recognizing Letters "My Turn, |
| | Your Turn" |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 453 - What Happens After |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 483 - Caboose on the Loose |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 491 - Train Game |
| | Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers - (daily) |
| | Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities - (daily) |

B. SELF-CONCEPT

Children in Wisconsin will have a personal sense of well being.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| B.EL.1 Develops positive self-esteem. | Teacher's Guide p. 128 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 144 - Review /t/ Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Partner Sharing: Community Helpers Teacher's Guide p. 310 - Class Story: Space Trip Teacher's Guide p. 351 - Create a Class Farm Book Teacher's Guide p. 429 - Create Dinosaurs Teacher's Guide p. 443 - Things I Can Build Teacher's Guide p. 445 - Introduce The Three Little Pigs Teacher's Guide p. 501 - Class Travel Journal Teacher's Guide p. 517 - Create Handprint Poem Gifts Teacher's Guide p. 545 - Write About Grass Plants Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers (daily) Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities (daily) |
| B.EL.2 Demonstrates self-awareness. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 33 - Diversity Sheet Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 34 - Be an Inventor Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 35 - Change the World Teacher's Guide p. 11 - Make Handprints Teacher's Guide p. 53 - The Friendship Ball Teacher's Guide p. 88 - Eye Color Graph Teacher's Guide p. 111 - My Family Teacher's Guide p. 119 - Sharing Family Pictures Teacher's Guide p. 187 - What Would You Do? Teacher's Guide p. 259 - "Who Likes the Rain?" Graph |

| Teacher's Guide p. 581 - Graph Favorite Learning Centers Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers - (daily) Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities - (daily) |
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C. SOCIAL COMPETENCE

Children in Wisconsin will form and maintain secure relationships and gain understanding of social systems.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| C.EL.1 Demonstrates attachment, trust, and autonomy. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays pp. 8-9 - Grandparent's Day Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays pp. 52-53 - Mother's Day Teacher's Guide p. 8 - Meet Gingerbread Boy Teacher's Guide p. 10 - Teacher's Literature Choice: First Day of School Teacher's Guide p. 14 - Story Review: The First Day of School Teacher's Guide p. 14 - "We're Happy" Class Book Teacher's Guide p. 19 - Learning Centers Activity Teacher's Guide p. 23 - What Animal Would You Bring to School? Teacher's Guide pp. 105-106 - Introduce Grandmother Teacher's Guide pp. 111 - My Family Teacher's Guide pp. 112-113 - Helping Your Family Teacher's Guide pp. 119 - Sharing Family Pictures |
| C.EL.2 Engages in social interaction and plays with others. | Teacher's Guide p. 53 - The Friendship Ball Teacher's Guide p. 56 - Friendship Quilt Teacher's Guide p. 63 - "A-Tisket, A-Tasket" Teacher's Guide p. 70 - Share Chair Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Partner Sharing: Community Helpers Teacher's Guide p. 168 - Share Chair (compliments others) Teacher's Guide p. 313 - Pre-K Book Club Teacher's Guide p. 431 - Recognizing Letters "My Turn, Your Turn" Teacher's Guide p. 453 - What Happens After Teacher's Guide p. 483 - Caboose on the Loose Teacher's Guide p. 491 - Train Game Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers - (daily) Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities - (daily) Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration- (daily) |
| C.EL.3 Demonstrates understanding of rules and social expectations. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Fall Walk Teacher's Guide p. 5 - Outside Activity - Safety Rules |

| | Teacher's Guide p. 25 - Outside Activity - Review Safety Rules |
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| | Teacher's Guide p. 54 - Class Rules |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 69 - Review Rules |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 157-158 - Dialing 9-1-1 |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 229-230 - Safety: Inside School |
| | and On the Playground |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 233-234 - Safety: <i>Talking a Walk,</i> |
| | In a Car, and Wheels, Wheels |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 237-238 - Safety: <i>Tub and Shower</i> |
| | and At the Pool |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 241-242 - Safety: Review <i>Fire</i> |
| | Safety and Introduce Strangers |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 244 - Review Safety |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 313 - Pre-K Book Club |
| | Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers (daily) |
| | Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) |
| C.EL.4 Engages in social problem solving behavior and learns to resolve conflict. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 35 - Change the World |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 107 - How Does the Little Red Hen Feel? |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 109 - "Did Little Red Hen Do the Right Thing?" |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 135 - The "Talking Stone" |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 187-188 - What Would You Do? |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 239 - Goldilocks Story Emotions |
| | Teacher's Guide pp. 397-398 - Ways People Feel |
| | Teacher's Guide p. 400 - Sequence the Ugly Duckling |
| | Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers - (daily) |
| | Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities - (daily) |

III. LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATION

A. LISTENING AND UNDERSTANDING

Children in Wisconsin will convey and interpret meaning through listening and understanding.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| A.EL.1 Derives meaning through listening to communications of others and sounds in the environment. | Teacher's Guide p. 14 - Story Review: The First Day of School Teacher's Guide pp. 187-188 - What Would You Do? Teacher's Guide p. 257 - Introduce Weather Teacher's Guide p. 286-287 - Introduce Autumn Teacher's Guide p. 306 - Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide p. 351- Introduce "The Little Rooster" Teacher's Guide p. 359 - Milk a Cow! Teacher's Guide p. 362 - Class Farm Book Teacher's Guide p. 374 - Compare and Contrast Habitats |

| | Teacher's Guide p. 383 - Review Pets, Animals, and Wild Animals Teacher's Guide p. 515 - Things We Can Do Starfall.com - Talking Library |
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| A.EL.2 Listens and responds to communications with others. | Teacher's Guide pp. 57-58 - It's Raining! Teacher's Guide p. 69 - Review Rules Teacher's Guide p. 70 - Share Chair Teacher's Guide p. 92 - "Where Are the Colors?" Teacher's Guide p. 114 - Little Red Hen Makes Pancakes Teacher's Guide pp. 135 - The "Talking Stone" Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Partner Sharing: Community Helpers Teacher's Guide pp. 259 - "Who Likes the Rain?" Graph Teacher's Guide pp. 313 - Pre-K Book Club Teacher's Guide pp. 333 - Real or Make Believe |
| A.EL.3 Follows directions of increasing complexity. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays pp. 8-9 - Grandparent's Day Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays pp. 52-53 - Mother's Day Teacher's Guide p. 9 - Learning Centers Activity Teacher's Guide p. 33 - Where is Gingerbread Boy? Teacher's Guide p. 92 - "Where Are the Colors?" Teacher's Guide p. 214 - Say "Thank You" Teacher's Guide pp. 229-230 - Safety Inside School and On the Playground Teacher's Guide pp. 236 - Small, Medium, Large Teacher's Guide pp. 259 - "Who Likes the Rain?" Graph Teacher's Guide pp. 279 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide pp. 424 - Fossils Teacher's Guide pp. 424 - Introduce Yy, List Yy Words, ASL Yy Teacher's Guide pp. 521 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide pp. 521 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide pp. 521 - Warm Up Your Brain |

B. SPEAKING AND COMMUNICATING

 $Children\ in\ Wisconsin\ will\ convey\ and\ interpret\ meaning\ through\ speaking\ and\ other\ forms\ of\ communicating.$

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| B.EL.1 Uses gestures and movements (non-verbal) to communicate. | Teacher's Guide Read Me First p. 10 - Learn Some American Sign Language (ASL) Teacher's Guide p. 13 - Emotions: Happy Teacher's Guide p. 16 - Emotions: Excited and Silly Teacher's Guide p. 20 - Emotions: Sad, Angry, and Afraid |

| | Teacher's Guide p. 69 - Review Rules (raising hand) Teacher's Guide p. 92 - "Where Are the Colors?" Teacher's Guide p. 165 - Partner Sharing: Community Helpers Starfall.com - ABC's: ASL Teacher's Guide p. 480 - Review Letters and ASL Signs |
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| B.EL.2a Uses vocalizations and spoken language to communicate. Language Form (Syntax: rule system for combining words, phrases, and sentences, includes parts of speech, word order, and sentence structure) | Teacher's Guide pp. 16-17 - Read The Gingerbread Boy Teacher's Guide p. 19 - Learning Centers Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 58-59 - "Please" and "Thank You" Teacher's Guide pp. 63 - "A-Tisket, A-Tasket" Teacher's Guide pp. 86-87 - Introduce Blue and Purple Teacher's Guide pp. 143-144 - Vehicles and Buildings Teacher's Guide p. 207 - "One Rice Thousand Gold" Teacher's Guide p. 239 - Goldilocks Story Emotions Teacher's Guide p. 526 - Compare and Contrast Teacher's Guide p. 528 - Learn About Pennies and Nickels |
| B.EL.2b Uses vocalizations and spoken language to communicate. Language Content (Semantics: rule system for establishing meaning of words, individually and in combination) | Teacher's Guide pp. 231-232 - Introduce Goldilocks and the Three Bears Teacher's Guide pp. 286-287 - Introduce Autumn Teacher's Guide p. 291 - "My Favorite Season" Chart Teacher's Guide p. 360 - Sequence The Troll Who Lived Under the Bridge Teacher's Guide p. 374 - Compare and Contrast Habitats Teacher's Guide p. 402-403 - Introduce Dolphins Are Not Fish! Teacher's Guide p. 445 - Introduce The Three Little Pigs Teacher's Guide p. 469 - Introduce The Cobbler and the Elves Teacher's Guide p. 472 - Introduce My Father Runs an Excavator Teacher's Guide p. 564 - Introduce The Ant and the Chrysalis |
| B.EL.2c Uses vocalizations and spoken language to communicate. Language Function (Pragmatics: rules governing the use of language in context) | Teacher's Guide pp. 16-17 - Read The Gingerbread Boy Teacher's Guide p. 19 - Learning Centers Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 58-59 - "Please" and "Thank You" Teacher's Guide pp. 63 - "A-Tisket, A-Tasket" Teacher's Guide pp. 86-87 - Introduce Blue and Purple Teacher's Guide pp. 143-144 - Vehicles and Buildings Teacher's Guide p. 207 - "One Rice Thousand Gold" Teacher's Guide p. 239 - Goldilocks Story Emotions Teacher's Guide p. 526 - Compare and Contrast Teacher's Guide p. 528 - Learn About Pennies and Nickels |

C. EARLY LITERACY

Children in Wisconsin will have the literacy skills and concepts needed to become successful readers and writers.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| C.EL.1 Develops ability to detect, manipulate, or analyze the auditory parts of spoken language. | Teacher's Guide p. 82 - Gathering Teacher's Guide p. 89 - Gathering Teacher's Guide p. 92 - Gathering Teacher's Guide p. 113 - Phonological Awareness: Blend Onset and RIme Teacher's Guide p. 117 - Phonological Awareness: Blend Syllables Teacher's Guide p. 120 - Phonological Awareness: Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 138 - Phonological Awareness Teacher's Guide p. 144 - Phonological Awareness: Discriminating /t/ Teacher's Guide p. 162 - Phonological Awareness: Onset and Rime Teacher's Guide p. 182 - Phonological Awareness: Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 219 - Phonological Awareness: Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 356 - Phonemic Awareness: Blending CVC Teacher's Guide p. 378 - Phonological Awareness: Blend Phonemes Teacher's Guide p. 407 - Rhyming Words: "Down by the Bay" Teacher's Guide p. 457 - Phonological Awareness: Blending Onset and Rime |
| C.EL.2 Understands concept that the alphabet represents the sounds of spoken language and the letters of written language. | Teacher's Guide p. 39 - Gathering Teacher's Guide p. 78 - Gathering Teacher's Guide p. 113 - List Bb Words, ASL Bb Teacher's Guide p. 214 - Play Concentration Teacher's Guide p. 216 - Identify Aa, Bb, Nn, Ss, and Tt Teacher's Guide p. 219 - Play "Say it Fast" with Aa, Bb, Nn, Ss, and Tt Teacher's Guide p. 312 - Review Cc/k/ Teacher's Guide p. 339 - Alphabet Bingo Teacher's Guide p. 354 - Match Upper and Lowercase Letters Teacher's Guide p. 457 - Review Letters and Sounds Teacher's Guide p. 480 - Review Letters and ASL Signs Teacher's Guide p. 582 - Play Alphabet Toss Teacher's Guide p. 588 - Identify Upper and Lowercase Letters |
| C.EL.3 Shows appreciation of books and understands how print works. | Teacher's Guide p. 12 - Introduce Nursery Rhymes Teacher's Guide pp. 17-18 - Read <i>The Gingerbread Boy</i> Teacher's Guide p. 76 - Library Center |

| | Teacher's Guide pp. 155-156 - A Day in the Life of a Firefighter Teacher's Guide p. 178 - Library Center Teacher's Guide pp. 183-184 - Introduce Chicken Little Teacher's Guide p. 277 - Library Center Teacher's Guide p. 286 - Phonological Awareness: Words in a Sentence Teacher's Guide p. 324 - Library Center Teacher's Guide p. 399 - Introduce Dd, List Dd Words, ASL Dd |
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| C.EL.4 Uses writing to represent thoughts or ideas. | Teacher's Guide p. 51 - Writing Center Teacher's Guide p. 68 - Introduce Writing Journals Teacher's Guide p. 126 - Art Center Teacher's Guide p. 151 - Writing Center Teacher's Guide p. 164 - Review Bb, Nn, and Tt Teacher's Guide p. 284 - Stuffed Animal Imaginations Teacher's Guide p. 376 - Draw Animals in Their Habitats Teacher's Guide p. 416 - Writing Center Teacher's Guide p. 564 - Creative Writing Teacher's Guide p. 589 - Create a Class Book for Gingerbread Boy |

IV. APPROACHES TO LEARNING

A. CURIOSITY, ENGAGEMENT, AND PERSISTENCE

Children in Wisconsin will use curiosity, engagement and persistence to extend their learning.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
|--|--|
| A.EL.1 Displays curiosity, risk-taking, and willingness to engage in new experiences. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 34 - Be An Inventor Teacher's Guide p. 128 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 211 - My Healthy Food Classroom Book Teacher's Guide p. 214 - Say "Thank You" Teacher's Guide p. 369 - Writing Center Teacher's Guide p. 376 - Draw Animals in Their Habitats Teacher's Guide p. 416 - Writing Center Teacher's Guide p. 427 - Write a Class Story Teacher's Guide p. 473 - Big Machines Teacher's Guide p. 476 - Estimate Rolling Speed Teacher's Guide p. 501 - Class Travel Journal Teacher's Guide p. 564 - Creative Writing Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) |
| A.EL.2 Engages in meaningful learning through attempting, repeating, experimenting, refining, | Teacher's Guide p. 135 - The "Talking Stone" Teacher's Guide p. 160 - What I Want to Be |

| and elaborating on experiences and activities. | Teacher's Guide p. 260 - How Clouds Are Formed Teacher's Guide pp. 279-280 - Day and Night Teacher's Guide p. 304 - The Solar System Teacher's Guide p. 306 - Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide p. 309 - Review Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide p. 401 - Introduce Ocean Animals Teacher's Guide p. 406 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide p. 473 - Big Machines Teacher's Guide p. 476 - Estimate Rolling Speed Teacher's Guide p. 499 - A Plane Ride Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers (daily) Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) |
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| A.EL.3 Exhibits persistence and flexibility. | Teacher's Guide p. 32 - Design Sheep Teacher's Guide p. 41 - Decorate Gingerbread Boy Teacher's Guide p. 68 - Introduce Writing Journals Teacher's Guide p. 81 - Make an Art Collage Teacher's Guide p. 91 - Finger Painting Teacher's Guide p. 139 - Create a Neighborhood Scene Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Partner Sharing: Community Helpers Teacher's Guide p. 184 - Create Leaf Rubbings Teacher's Guide p. 208 - Solve Story Problems Teacher's Guide p. 211 - My Healthy Food Classroom Book Teacher's Guide p. 212 - Let's Stay Healthy: Germs Teacher's Guide p. 262 - Make Weather Plates Teacher's Guide p. 268 - Create Rainy Day Illustrations Teacher's Guide p. 268 - Create Paper Suns Teacher's Guide p. 281 - Create Paper Suns Teacher's Guide p. 580 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers (daily) |

B. CREATIVITY AND IMAGINATION

Children in Wisconsin will use invention, imagination, and play to extend their learning.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
|--|---|
| B.EL.1 Engages in imaginative play and inventive thinking through interactions with people, materials, and the environment. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 6 - Fall Collage Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Leaf Dancing Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 24 - Snow Glitter Pictures Teacher's Guide p. 68 - Introduce Writing Journals Teacher's Guide p. 103 - Dramatic Play Center Teacher's Guide p. 109 - "Did Little Red Hen Do the Right Thing?" Teacher's Guide p. 112 - Helping Your Family Teacher's Guide p. 197 - Dramatize "Chicken Little" Teacher's Guide p. 220 - Dramatize "One Rice Thousand Gold" |

| | Teacher's Guide p. 240 - Draw Goldilocks with the Three Bears Teacher's Guide p. 245 - Dramatize Goldilocks and the Three Bears Teacher's Guide p. 277 - Construction Center Teacher's Guide p. 400 - Create a Class Book: "If I Were a Bird" Teacher's Guide p. 427 - Write a Class Story Teacher's Guide p. 499 - A Plane Ride Teacher's Guide p. 501 - Class Travel Journal Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers (daily) Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) |
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| B.EL.2 Expresses self creatively through music, movement, and art. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 25 - Chinese Ribbon Dance Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 34 - African Drum Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 39 - Rain Sticks Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 50 - Dance Streamers Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 51 - Mexican Hat Dance Teacher's Guide p. 13 - If You're Happy and You Know It Teacher's Guide p. 50 - Art Center Teacher's Guide p. 53 - The More We Get Together Teacher's Guide p. 83 - "One, Two, Tie My Shoe" Teacher's Guide p. 202 - Mosaics Teacher's Guide p. 268 - Create Rainy Day Illustrations Teacher's Guide p. 286-287 - Introduce Autumn Teacher's Guide p. 407 - Down By the Bay Teacher's Guide p. 478 - Make Bulldozer Paintings Teacher's Guide p. 567 - Create the Butterfly Life Cycle Teacher's Guide p. 578 - Art Center Teacher's Guide - Songs & Rhymes: Sing-Along Volumes 1 & 2 (throughout curriculum) Starfall.com - Songs and Rhymes: Historical Folk Songs Starfall.com: Math: Math Songs |

C. DIVERSITY IN LEARNING

Children in Wisconsin will engage in diverse approaches to learning that reflect social and cultural contexts such as biology, family history, culture, and individual learning styles.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
|--|---|
| C.EL.1 Experiences a variety of routines, practices, and languages. | Teacher's Guide Read Me First p. 10 - Learn Some American Sign Language Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays pp. 8-9 - Grandparent's Day Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 26 - Chinese New Year |

| | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 33 - Different Eggs Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 33 - Diversity Sheet Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 49 - Cinco de Mayo Teacher's Guide p. 84 - Draw Dragon Dot Eyes and other Chinese Fables Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities (daily) Teacher's Guide - Small Group & Exploration (daily) Teacher's Guide - Gathering (daily) Teacher's Guide - Morning Meeting (daily) |
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| C.EL.2 Learns within the context of his/her family and culture. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays pp. 8-9 - Grandparent's Day Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 33 - Black History Month Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays pp. 52-53 - Mother's Day Teacher's Guide pp. 105-106 - Introduce Grandmother Teacher's Guide p. 108 - Design a House Teacher's Guide p. 111 - Teacher's Literature Choice: Families Teacher's Guide pp. 111 - My Family Teacher's Guide pp. 112-113 - Helping Your Family Teacher's Guide p. 116 - "The Farmer in the Dell" Teacher's Guide p. 119 - Sharing Family Pictures Teacher's Guide p. 121 - Teacher's Literature Choice: Grandmothers |
| C.EL.3 Uses various styles of learning including verbal/linguistic, bodily/kinesthetic, visual/spatial, interpersonal, and intrapersonal. | Teacher's Guide p. 33 - Where is Gingerbread Boy? Teacher's Guide p. 53 - The Friendship Ball Teacher's Guide p. 56 - Friendship Quilt Teacher's Guide p. 63 - "A-Tisket, A-Tasket" Teacher's Guide p. 70 - Share Chair Teacher's Guide p. 92 - "Where Are the Colors?" Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Partner Sharing: Community Helpers Teacher's Guide p. 259 - "Who Likes the Rain?" Graph Teacher's Guide p. 406 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide p. 424 - Fossils Teacher's Guide p. 431 - Recognizing Letters "My Turn, Your Turn" Teacher's Guide p. 453 - What Happens After Teacher's Guide p. 483 - Caboose on the Loose Teacher's Guide p. 491 - Train Game Teacher's Guide - Gathering (daily) Teacher's Guide - Warm Up Your Brain - (daily) Teacher's Guide - Learning Centers - (daily) Teacher's Guide - Outside Activities - (daily) |

V. COGNITION AND GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

A. EXPLORATION, DISCOVERY, AND PROBLEM SOLVING

Children in Wisconsin will develop their capacity to use cognitive skills as a tool to acquire knowledge and skills. These skills include reasoning, reflection, and interpretation.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| A.EL.1 Uses multi-sensory abilities to process information. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 15 - Science (seeds) Teacher's Guide p. 260 - How Clouds Are Formed Teacher's Guide p. 304 - The Solar System Teacher's Guide p. 309 - Review Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide p. 401 - Introduce Ocean Animals Teacher's Guide p. 417 - Introduce Dinosaurs Teacher's Guide p. 537 - Seeds Teacher's Guide pp. 542-543 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup"/Carrot Experiment Teacher's Guide - Discovery Center (daily) |
| A.EL.2 Understands new meanings as memory increases. | Teacher's Guide p. 36 - Analyze the Spice Graph Teacher's Guide p. 128 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 181 - Gathering (Forecast the Weather) Teacher's Guide p. 266 - "Will the Wind Blow?" Graph Teacher's Guide p. 358 - Estimation Teacher's Guide p. 359 - Milk a Cow! Teacher's Guide p. 441 - Construction Center Teacher's Guide p. 446 - Heavy or Light? Teacher's Guide p. 475 - Predictions: Roll or Slide? Teacher's Guide p. 476 - Estimate Rolling Speed |
| A.EL.3 Applies problem solving skills. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 10 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 34 - Be an Inventor Teacher's Guide p. 144 - Review /t/ Teacher's Guide p. 446 - Heavy or Light? Teacher's Guide p. 475 - Predictions: Roll or Slide Teacher's Guide p. 476 - Estimate Rolling Speed Teacher's Guide p. 126 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 204 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 255 - Construction Center Teacher's Guide p. 441 - Construction Center Teacher's Guide p. 488 - Discovery Center |

B. MATHEMATICAL THINKING

Children in Wisconsin will understand and use early mathematical concepts and logical thinking processes to extend their learning.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| B.EL.1 Demonstrates an understanding of numbers and counting. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 6 - Leaf Sorting and Counting Teacher's Guide p. 37 - "Five Gingerbread Men" Teacher's Guide p. 81 - Make an Age Collage Teacher's Guide p. 91 - Let's Eat Sorting Activity Teacher's Guide p. 128 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 132 - Introduce Money Teacher's Guide p. 165 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 279 - Gathering Teacher's Guide p. 326 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 358 - Estimation Teacher's Guide p. 359 - Milk a Cow! Teacher's Guide p. 371 - Warm Up Your Brain Teacher's Guide p. 373 - Make Animal Sets Starfall.com - Math: Numbers |
| B.EL.2 Understands number operations and relationships. | Teacher's Guide p. 36 - Gathering Teacher Guide pp. 36-37 - Analyze the Spice Graph Teacher's Guide p. 88 - Eye Color Graph Teacher's Guide p. 152 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 208 - Solve Story Problems Teacher's Guide p. 287 - Numbers Everywhere Teacher's Guide p. 396 - Play "High or Low" Teacher's Guide p. 416 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 469 - Addition and Subtraction Teacher's Guide p. 476 - Estimate Rolling Speed Teacher's Guide p. 488 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 524 - Solve Story Problem Equations Starfall.com - Math: Math Songs, Numbers |
| B.EL3 Explores, recognizes, and describes, shapes and spatial relationships. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 47 - Recycling Activities for Math Teacher's Guide p. 40 - Compare Shapes Teacher's Guide p. 41 - Decorate Gingerbread Boy Teacher's Guide pp. 66-67 - Where's the Shape Teacher's Guide p. 77 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 77 - Construction Center Teacher's Guide p. 108 - Design a House Teacher's Guide p. 256 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 311 - 3-D Geometric Shapes Teacher's Guide p. 542 - Play Dough Shapes Teacher's Guide p. 561 - Shape Orientation Starfall.com - Math: Geometry and Measurement |
| B.EL.4 Uses the attributes of objects for comparison and patterning. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 6 - Fall Paper Chains |

| | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 49 - ABC Pattern Teacher's Guide p. 232 - Create a Pattern Teacher's Guide p. 256 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 265 - Create Weather Patterns Teacher's Guide p. 278 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 290 - Make Patterns with Coins Teacher's Guide p. 300 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 311 - 3-D Geometric Shapes Teacher's Guide p. 488 - Math Center Teacher's Guide p. 565 - Create Patterns |
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| B.EL.5 Understands the concept of measurement. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 10 - Weighing an Apple Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 15 - Pumpkin Math Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 47 - Recycling Activities for Math Teacher's Guide p. 217 - How Tall are You? Teacher's Guide p. 218 - Order and Compare Short to Tall Teacher's Guide p. 231 - Introduce Goldilocks and the Three Bears Teacher's Guide p. 236 - Small, Medium, Large Teacher's Guide p. 309 - Measure Rockets Teacher's Guide p. 417 - Introduce Dinosaurs Teacher's Guide p. 419 - Create Dinosaur Footprints Teacher's Guide p. 446 - Heavy or Light? Teacher's Guide p. 450 - Measure Height Teacher's Guide p. 491 - Train Game Teacher's Guide p. 523 - Compare Sizes Teacher's Guide p. 536 - Math Center |
| B.EL.6 Collects, describes, and records information using all senses. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 5 - The Listening Walk Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Fall Walk Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 10 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide p. 60 - Taste Vegetables Teacher's Guide p. 90 - Make Fruit Salad Teacher's Guide pp. 181-182 - The Five Senses Teacher's Guide pp. 185-186 - Senses Walk Teacher's Guide pp. 187-188 - What Would You Do? Teacher's Guide p. 192 - Use Your Senses::Popcorn Teacher's Guide p. 195 - Use Your Senses: What's in the Bag? Teacher's Guide p. 204 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 359 - Milk a Cow! Teacher's Guide pp. 542-543 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup"/Carrot Experiment |

C. SCIENTIFIC THINKING

Children in Wisconsin will understand and use scientific tools and skills to extend their learning.

| Wisconsin Standards | Starfall Pre K 4 Alignment |
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| C.EL.1 Uses observation to gather information. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 5 - The Listening Walk Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Fall Walk Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Leaf Blowing Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 23 - Ice Melting Chart Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 23 - Animals in the Arctic: What keeps them warm? Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 28 - Shadow Activities Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 38 - Evaporation Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 40 - Solar Oven Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 40 - Worm Home Teacher's Guide p. 266 - "Will the Wind Blow?" Teacher's Guide pp. 279-280 - Day and Night Teacher's Guide p. 285 - Patterns: Day/Night and Seasons Teacher's Guide p. 406 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide p. 539 - Plant Seeds Teacher's Guide - Gathering (daily) |
| C.EL.2 Uses tools to gather information, compare observed objects, and seek answers to questions through active investigation. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 28 - Shadow Activities Teacher's Guide p. 52 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 104 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 228 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 268 - Thermometers Teacher's Guide p. 424 - Fossils Teacher's Guide p. 442 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 466 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 467 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 478 - Make Bulldozer Paintings Teacher's Guide p. 536 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 539 - Plant Seeds Teacher's Guide p. 558 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 558 - Discovery Center |
| C.EL.3 Hypothesizes and makes predictions. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 23 - Ice Melting Chart Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 29 - Groundhog Day Prediction Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 38 - Measuring Rainfall Teacher's Guide p. 266 - "Will the Wind Blow?" Graph Teacher's Guide pp. 269-270 - Weather Riddles Teacher's Guide p. 278 - Discovery Center |

| | Teacher's Guide p. 406 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide p. 446 - Heavy or Light? Teacher's Guide p. 470 - Introduce Machines Teacher's Guide p. 473 - Big Machines Teacher's Guide p. 475 - Predictions: Roll or Slide Teacher's Guide p. 476 - Estimate Rolling Speed Teacher's Guide p. 542 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup" Teacher's Guide - Gathering (daily) |
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| C.EL.4 Forms explanations based on trial and error, observations, and explorations. | Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 7 - Leaf Blowing Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 23 - Ice Melting Chart Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 28 - Shadow Activities Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 43 - St. Patrick's Day Mixing Colors Activity Teacher's Guide p. 147 - "Name It" Teacher's Guide p. 343 - Horseshoe's Teacher's Guide p. 406 - Sink or Float? Teacher's Guide p. 446 - Heavy or Light? Teacher's Guide p. 466 - Discovery Center Teacher's Guide p. 475 - Predictions: Roll or Slide? Teacher's Guide p. 476 - Estimate Rolling Speed Teacher's Guide p. 478 - Make Bulldozer Paintings Teacher's Guide p. 539 - Plant Seeds Teacher's Guide p. 542 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup" |

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