

Rhode Island Kindergarten ELA Alignment to Starfall

Reading: Literature

Key Ideas and Details

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.	Teacher's Guide p. 14-15 - The Kissing Hand: Introduce Title, Author, and Illustrator Teacher's Guide pp. 18-19 - Introduce Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? By Bill Martin, Jr. Teacher's Guide pp. 67-68 - Introduce Kindergarten Book Club
CCR Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to	Teacher's Guide pp. 85-86 - Introduce Today is Monday by Eric Carle and Days of the Week Teacher's Guide pp. 94-95 - Introduce Chicka Chicka Boom Boom
support conclusions drawn from the text.	Teacher's Guide p. 122 - Introduce Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs Teacher's Guide p. 159 - Introduce Caps for Sale
	Teacher's Guide pp. 189-190 - Introduce Goldilocks and the Three Bears Teacher's Guide pp. 195-196 - Introduce Ira Sleeps Over
	Teacher's Guide p. 429 - Introduce We Can See! Teacher's Guide p. 508 - Introduce The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear
	Teacher's Guide pp. 531-532 - Introduce <i>The Giant Jam Sandwich</i> Teacher's Guide p. 555 - <i>Zac Camps</i> : Chapter 2
	Teacher's Guide p. 613 - Introduce Peg Goes Places, Chapter 1 Teacher's Guide p. 756 - Introduce The Big Hit
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.	Teacher's Guide p. 67 - Introduce Kindergarten Book Club Teacher's Guide pp. 190-191 - Sequence Goldilocks and the Three Bears Teacher's Guide p. 212 - Introduce Story Element Cards

CCR Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.	Teacher's Guide pp. 249-250 - Introduce Ox-Cart Man Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 347-348 - Introduce Miss Rumphius Teacher's Guide pp. 531-532 - Introduce The Giant Jam Sandwich Teacher's Guide p. 536 - Story Elements Teacher's Guide p. 559 - Backpack Bear Puppet Teacher's Guide pp. 561-562 - Introduce The Little Red Hen and Other Folktales, "The Turnip" Teacher's Guide p. 639 - Introduce "Chicken Little" Teacher's Guide p. 703 - Introduce One Fine Day Teacher's Guide pp. 711 - Kindergarten Book Club Teacher's Guide pp. 764-765 - Introduce The Tortoise and the Hare Teacher's Guide pp. 765-766 - Story Element Cards
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.	Teacher's Guide p. 122 - Introduce Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs Teacher's Guide p. 151 - Introduce Characters Teacher's Guide pp. 159-160 - Introduce Caps for Sale Teacher's Guide pp. 189-190 - Introduce Goldilocks and the Three Bears
CCR Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 195-196 - Introduce Ira Sleeps Over Teacher's Guide p. 212 - Introduce Story Element Cards Teacher's Guide pp. 228 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup" Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 347-348 - Introduce Miss Rumphius Teacher's Guide pp. 361 - Introduce The Bottle in the River Teacher's Guide pp. 508-509 - Introduce The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear Teacher's Guide pp. 536 - Story Elements Teacher's Guide pp. 561-562 - Introduce The Little Red Hen and other Folk Tales, "The Turnip" Teacher's Guide pp. 595-596 - Introduce Starfall's "The Little Red Hen" Teacher's Guide p. 703 - Introduce One Fine Day Teacher's Guide p. 765 - Story Element Cards Teacher's Guide pp. 782 - Introduce Swimmy Teacher's Guide pp. 854-855 - Introduce Anansi the Spider

Craft and Structure

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CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.4 Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 35-36 - Introduce the Star Word Wall Teacher's Guide pp. 57-58 - Introduce <i>I Am Your Flag</i>

CCR Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical, connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.	Teacher's Guide pp. 122 - Introduce Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs Teacher's Guide pp. 159-160 - Introduce Caps for Sale Teacher's Guide pp. 189-190 - Introduce Goldilocks and the Three Bears Teacher's Guide pp. 347-348 - Introduce Miss Rumphius Teacher's Guide pp. 367 - Vocabulary Riddles Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 545-546 - Introduce Beethoven Teacher's Guide pp. 564-565 - Cooperation Teacher's Guide pp. 599-600 - Introduce Paul Galdone's The Little Red Hen Teacher's Guide pp. 611-612 - Introduce Amazing Airplanes and Multiple Meanings of Words Teacher's Guide pp. 843-844 - Introduce Invertebrates
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.5 Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems).	Teacher's Guide pp. 19-20 - Introduce Backpack Bear's ABC Rhyme Book Teacher's Guide pp. 30-31 - Introduce Alphabetical Order and the Starfall Dictionary Teacher's Guide pp. 120-121 - Introduce Seasons Teacher's Guide p. 189 - Introduce Goldilocks and the Three
CCR Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.	Teacher's Guide p. 228 - Introduce Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup Teacher's Guide p. 334 - Computer Teacher's Guide p. 436 - Shining Star Awards Teacher's Guide p. 451 - Why the Sun and the Moon Live in the Sky Teacher's Guide pp. 533-534 - Introduce Zac Camps Teacher's Guide pp. 569 - Mammals Teacher's Guide pp. 561-562 - Introduce The Little Red Hen and other Folk Tales, "The Turnip" Teacher's Guide p. 613 - Introduce Peg Goes Places, Chapter 1 Teacher's Guide p. 702 - Introduce Mox's Day, Chapter 1 Teacher's Guide p. 793 - What An Adventure! Chapter Book Teacher's Guide pp. 764-765 - Introduce The Tortoise and the Hare Teacher's Guide p. 872 - At Gus's Pond, Chapter 1 Starfall.com: Songs & Rhymes - "Selected Nursery Rhymes" Starfall.com: I'm Reading - "Comics" Starfall.com: I'm Reading - "Greek Myths" Starfall.com: I'm Reading - "Folk Tales"
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.6 With prompting and support, name the author and illustrator of a story and define the role of each in telling the story. CCR Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the	Teacher's Guide p. 14 - The Kissing Hand: Introduce Title, Author, and Illustrator Teacher's Guide p. 16 - Introduce Top and Bottom Teacher's Guide p. 28 - Introduce Same and Different and Animals Given Human Characteristics Teacher's Guide pp. 85-86 - Introduce Today is Monday by Eric Carle and Days of the Week
content and style of a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 189-190 - Introduce <i>Goldilocks and the Three Bears</i>

Teacher's Guide pp. 209-210 - Introduce *Goldilocks and the* Three Bears by Jan Brett/Compare and Contrast **Teacher's Guide pp. 232-233 -** Introduce *Me on the Map* **Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290** - Introduce *George Washington* and the General's Dog **Teacher's Guide pp. 320-321** - Introduce *America the Beautiful* **Teacher's Guide pp. 347-348 -** Introduce *Miss Rumphius* **Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381** - Introduce *A Young Hero* **Teacher's Guide p. 505 -** Read *Zac the Rat* **Teacher's Guide pp. 531-532** - Introduce *The Giant Jam* Sandwich **Teacher's Guide pp. 561-562** - Introduce *The Little Red Hen* and other Folk Tales, "The Turnip" **Teacher's Guide p. 589** - Introduce *Backpack Bear's Bird Book* **Teacher's Guide pp. 599-600** - Introduce Paul Galdone's *The* Little Red Hen **Teacher's Guide p. 613** - Introduce *Peg Goes Places,* Chapter 1 **Teacher's Guide p. 702** - Introduce *Mox's Day,* Chapter 1 **Teacher's Guide p. 793 -** *What An Adventure!* Chapter Book **Teacher's Guide pp. 854-855** - Introduce *Anansi the Spider* Teacher's Guide p. 872 - At Gus's Pond, Chapter 1 **Starfall.com:** Songs & Rhymes - "Selected Nursery Rhymes" **Starfall.com:** I'm Reading - "Chinese Fables" Starfall.com: I'm Reading - "Comics" **Starfall.com:** I'm Reading - "Greek Myths" Starfall.com: I'm Reading - "Folk Tales"

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

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CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.7 With prompting and	Teacher's Guide p. 122 - Introduce Cloudy With a Chance of
support, describe the relationship between	Meatballs
illustrations and the story in which they appear (e.g.,	Teacher's Guide p. 142 - Researching Benjamin Franklin
what moment in a story an illustration depicts).	Teacher's Guide pp. 157-158 - Introduce <i>Mouse Paint</i>
	Teacher's Guide pp. 190-191 - Sequence <i>Goldilocks and the</i>
	Three Bears
	Teacher's Guide pp. 232-233 - Introduce <i>Me on the Map</i>
	Teacher's Guide p. 234 - Introduce <i>The Map</i>
CCR Integrate and evaluate content presented in	Teacher's Guide pp. 356-357 - Get to Know John Muir
diverse media and formats, including visually and	Teacher's Guide p. 451 - Why the Sun and the Moon Live in the
quantitatively, as well as in words.	Sky
	Teacher's Guide p. 505 - Read <i>Zac the Rat</i>
	Teacher's Guide pp. 528-567 - Week 17 and Week 18 - Magic
	Writing Moments - Class Newspaper Article
	Teacher's Guide pp. 531-532 - Introduce <i>The Giant Jam</i>
	Sandwich
	Teacher's Guide pp. 545-546 - Introduce Beethoven
	Teacher's Guide p. 554 - Introduce Zac and the Hat
	Teacher's Guide p. 616 - Using Maps, Introduce <i>Peg Helps Zac</i>
	Teacher's Guide pp. 668-683 - Magic Writing Moments -

	Create/Design Shops Teacher's Guide p. 678 - Introduce Wolves by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide pp. 820-822 - Classify Animals with Backbones (Vertebrates) Starfall.com: "Backpack Bear's Books" Starfall.com: "Talking Library" Starfall.com: "It's Fun to Read" Starfall.com: "I'm Reading"
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.8 (Not applicable to literature)	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.9 With prompting and support, compare and contrast the adventures and experiences of characters in familiar stories.	Teacher's Guide p. 28 - Introduce Same and Different and Animals Given Human Characteristics Teacher's Guide p. 159 - Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide pp. 209-210 - Introduce Goldilocks and the Three Bears by Jan Brett/Compare and Contrast with Goldilocks and the Three Bears by Marc Buchanan
CCR Analyze how two or more texts address similar themes or topics in order to build knowledge or to compare the approaches the authors take.	Teacher's Guide pp. 232-234 - Introduce Me on the Map and The Map Teacher's Guide pp. 250-251 - Introduce Scientists and Inventors Teacher's Guide pp. 303 304 - Compare Washington and Lincoln Teacher's Guide pp. 373-374 - Get to Know Martin Luther King, Jr. and Rosa Parks Teacher's Guide pp. 382 - Introduce Ruby Goes to School Teacher's Guide pp. 514-515 - Conflict and Resolution Teacher's Guide pp. 563-564 - Zac Camps: Chapter 3 Teacher's Guide pp. 599 - Introduce Paul Galdone's The Little Red Hen Teacher's Guide pp. 645-646 - Introduce Hen Teacher's Guide pp. 674 - Introduce The Three Little Pigs Teacher's Guide pp. 678-679 - Introduce Wolves by Margaret Hillert and Wolves

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

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CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.	Teacher's Guide p. 28 - Introduce Same and Different and Animals Given Human Characteristics Teacher's Guide pp. 85-86 - Introduce <i>Today is Monday</i> by Eric
CCR Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently.	Carle and Days of the Week Teacher's Guide pp. 94-95 - Introduce Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Teacher's Guide p. 122 - Introduce Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs

Teacher's Guide p. 128 - Formative Assessment **Teacher's Guide p. 141** - *A Rainbow* Sequencing Activity **Teacher's Guide pp. 157-158 -** Introduce *Mouse Paint* **Teacher's Guide pp. 159-160 -** Introduce *Caps for Sale* **Teacher's Guide pp. 189-190** - Introduce *Goldilocks and the* Three Bears **Teacher's Guide pp. 190-191** - Sequence *Goldilocks and the* Three Bears **Teacher's Guide pp. 195-196** - Introduce *Ira Sleeps Over* **Teacher's Guide pp. 209-210 -** Introduce *Goldilocks and the Three Bears* by Jan Brett/Compare and Contrast with *Goldilocks* and the Three Bears by Marc Buchanan **Teacher's Guide p. 212** - Introduce Story Element Cards Teacher's Guide p. 228 - Introduce "Mr. Bunny's Carrot Soup" **Teacher's Guide pp. 249-250** - Introduce *Ox-Cart Man* Teacher's Guide p. 298 - Voting **Teacher's Guide pp. 347-348** - Introduce *Miss Rumphius* **Teacher's Guide pp. 533-534 -** Introduce *Zac Camps* **Teacher's Guide p. 537 -** *Zac Camps* Making Predictions Teacher's Guide p. 639 - Introduce Chicken Little

Reading: Informational Text

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CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 57-58 - Introduce I Am Your Flag by Chase Tunbridge Teacher's Guide pp. 137-138 - Introduce Benjamin Franklin Teacher's Guide pp. 139-140 - Introduce Rainbow, Rainbow by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide p. 151 - Introduce Characters Teacher's Guide pp. 163 - Introduce At the Park Teacher's Guide pp. 232-233 - Introduce Me on the Map Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 420-421 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Plant Book Teacher's Guide pp. 475-476 - Introduce Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide p. 678 - Introduce Penguin, Penguin Teacher's Guide pp. 761-762 - Introduce Reptiles Teacher's Guide pp. 772 - Introduce Dinosaurs Teacher's Guide pp. 781-782 - Introduce Fish Teacher's Guide pp. 843-844 - Introduce Invertebrates Teacher's Guide pp. 864-865 - Insects Teacher's Guide pp. 893 - Introduce Monarch Butterfly

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 139-140 - Introduce Rainbow, Rainbow by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide pp. 232-233 - Introduce Me on the Map Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 322-323 - Introduce the Water Cycle Teacher's Guide pp. 356-357 - Get to Know John Muir Teacher's Guide pp. 373-374 - Get to Know Martin Luther King, Jr. and Rosa Parks Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 420-421 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Plant Book Teacher's Guide pp. 428-429 - The Oxygen Cycle and Pollination Teacher's Guide pp. 475-476 - Introduce Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide pp. 517- Introduce Backpack Bear's Mammal Book Teacher's Guide pp. 519-520 - Backpack Bear's Mammal Book (Part Two) Teacher's Guide p. 589 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Bird Book Teacher's Guide p. 877 - Honeybees
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.3 With prompting and support, describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 57-58 - Introduce I Am Your Flag by Chase Tunbridge Teacher's Guide pp. 85-86 - Introduce Today Is Monday by Eric Carle and Days of the Week Teacher's Guide pp. 136-137 - Introduce Benjamin Franklin Teacher's Guide pp. 232-233 - Introduce Me on the Map Teacher's Guide pp. 250-251 - Introduce Scientists and Inventors Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 303-304 - Compare Washington and Lincoln Teacher's Guide pp. 373-374 - Get to Know Martin Luther King, Jr. and Rosa Parks Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 428-429 - The Oxygen Cycle and Pollination Teacher's Guide p. 517 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Mammal Book Teacher's Guide pp. 794-795 - Introduce At the Beach Teacher's Guide pp. 849-850 - Arthropods

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CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.4 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text.	Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 20 - President's Day Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 23 - Earth Day Teacher's Guide Seasonal Holidays p. 26 - Memorial Day Teacher's Guide pp. 57-58 - Introduce I Am Your Flag Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 320-321 - Introduce America the Beautiful Teacher's Guide pp. 322-323 - Introduce the Water Cycle Teacher's Guide pp. 339-340 - Vocabulary Challenge Teacher's Guide pp. 367 - Vocabulary Riddles Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 392-393 - Kindergarten Book Club Teacher's Guide pp. 545-546 - Introduce Beethoven Teacher's Guide pp. 547 - Review Backpack Bear's Mammal Book Teacher's Guide pp. 611-612 - Introduce Amazing Airplanes and Multiple Meanings of Words Teacher's Guide pp. 843-844 - Introduce Invertebrates
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.5 Identify the front cover, back cover, and title page of a book.	Teacher's Guide pp. 52-53 - Introduce Backpack Bear Learns the Rules Teacher's Guide pp. 57-58 - Introduce I Am Your Flag Teacher's Guide pp. 139-140 - Introduce Rainbow, Rainbow by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide pp. 232-233 - Introduce Me on the Map Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 320-321 - Introduce America the Beautiful Teacher's Guide pp. 420-421 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Plant Book Teacher's Guide pp. 475-476 - Introduce Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide p. 719 - Introduce How I Know My World: A book about the senses
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.6 Name the author and illustrator of a text and define the role of each in presenting the ideas or information in a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 57-58 - Introduce I Am Your Flag Teacher's Guide pp. 139-140 Introduce Rainbow, Rainbow by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide pp. 232-233 - Introduce Me on the Map Teacher's Guide pp. 320-321 - Introduce America the Beautiful Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 420-421 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Plant Book Teacher's Guide p. 589 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Bird Book Teacher's Guide p. 719 - Introduce How I Know My World: A book about the senses Teacher's Guide pp. 733-734 - Introduce Helen Keller Teacher's Guide p. 772 - Introduce Dinosaurs

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CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.7 With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the text in which they appear (e.g., what person, place, thing, or idea in the text an illustration depicts).	Teacher's Guide pp. 139-140 - Introduce Rainbow, Rainbow by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide p. 214 - Introduce A House in a Tree Teacher's Guide pp. 250-251 - Introduce Scientists and Inventors Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 295 -296 - Introduce Abraham Lincoln Teacher's Guide pp. 320-321 - Introduce America the Beautiful Teacher's Guide pp. 356-357 - Get to Know John Muir Teacher's Guide pp. 420-421 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Plant Book Teacher's Guide p. 521 - Mammals Teacher's Guide p. 719 - Introduce How I Know My World: A book about the senses Teacher's Guide pp. 894-895 - The Butterfly Book/Illustrate The Butterfly Book
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.8 With prompting and support, identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text.	Teacher's Guide pp. 289-290 - Introduce George Washington and the General's Dog Teacher's Guide pp. 320-321 - Introduce America the Beautiful Teacher's Guide pp. 322-323 - Introduce the Water Cycle Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 475-476 - Introduce Reach for the Stars Teacher's Guide p. 517 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Mammal Book Teacher's Guide p. 569 - Mammals Teacher's Guide p. 589 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Bird Book Teacher's Guide p. 644 - Introduce Penguin, Penguin Teacher's Guide p. 678 - Introduce Wolves by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide p. 719 - Introduce How I Know My World: A book about the senses
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.9 With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).	Teacher's Guide pp. 133/139-140 - Introduce A Rainbow/Introduce Rainbow, Rainbow by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide p. 142 - Researching Benjamin Franklin Teacher's Guide pp. 232/234 - Introduce Me on the Map and Introduce The Map Teacher's Guide pp. 250-251 - Introduce Scientists and Inventors Teacher's Guide pp. 303-304 - Compare Washington and Lincoln Teacher's Guide pp. 373-374 - Get to Know Martin Luther King, Jr. and Rosa Parks Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 392-393 - Kindergarten Book Club Teacher's Guide pp. 864-865 - Insects Teacher's Guide pp. 877 - Honeybees

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	Teacher's Guide pp. 794-795 - Introduce <i>At the Beach</i>

Reading: Foundational Skills

Print Concepts

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.1 Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print.	Teacher's Guide p. 16 - Introduce Top and Bottom Teacher's Guide p. 60 - A Computer Teacher's Guide p. 66 - A Computer Sequencing Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 102-103 - Introduce the Writing Journal Teacher's Guide p. 162 - Computer - It's Fun to Read/Learn to Read
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.1.A Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page.	Teacher's Guide p. 211 - Words in a Sentence Teacher's Guide p. 366 - Sequence The Bottle in the River Teacher's Guide p. 473 - Rearrange Words to Create Sentences
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.1.B Recognize that spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters.	Teacher's Guide p. 35 - Review Sounds Teacher's Guide p. 48 - Difference Between a Letter and a Word Teacher's Guide pp. 102-103 - Introduce the Writing Journal Teacher's Guide p. 110 - At School "Color by Word" Teacher's Guide p. 135 - Introduce Inventive Spelling Teacher's Guide p. 136 - Kid Writing and Adult Writing Teacher's Guide p. 162 - Activity "Word Shapes"

	Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Write about "Hat Day" Teacher's Guide p. 213 - Form High Frequency Words with Play Dough or Magnetic Letters Teacher's Guide p. 228 - Activity Teacher's Guide p. 271 - Cumulative Review Teacher's Guide p. 272 - Word Search
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.1.C Understand that words are separated by spaces in print.	Teacher's Guide pp. 86-87 - Introduce "Spacing" Anchor Chart Teacher's Guide pp. 102-103 - Introduce the Writing Journal Teacher's Guide p. 136 - Kid Writing and Adult Writing Teacher's Guide p. 165 - Write about "Hat Day" Teacher's Guide p. 202 - Write About Your Family Teacher's Guide p. 208 - Writing About Animals Teacher's Guide p. 325 - Counting Words in Sentences Teacher's Guide p. 333 - What's Wrong? Teacher's Guide p. 372 - Space Between Words Teacher's Guide p. 856 - Spaces Anchor Chart Presentation
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.1.D Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet.	Teacher's Guide p. 12 - Introduce Upper and Lowercase Letters of the Alphabet Teacher's Guide pp. 17-18 - Introduce Upper and Lowercase Letters of the Alphabet Teacher's Guide p. 104 - Activity Teacher's Guide p. 197 - Activity "Alphabet Avenue" Teacher's Guide p. 430 - Write Uppercase and Lowercase Letters Teacher's Guide p. 438 - Celebrate the Letters and Sounds of the Alphabet Teacher's Guide p. 468 - Rapid Letter Recognition Starfall.com: ABCs Starfall.com: ABC Rhymes

Phonological Awareness

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.2 Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and	Teacher's Guide pp. 19-20 - Introduce <i>Backpack Bear's ABC Rhyme Book</i>
sounds (phonemes).	Teacher's Guide p. 59 - Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 91 - Rhyming Teacher's Guide p. 123 - Rhyming Words
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.2.A Recognize and produce rhyming words.	Teacher's Guide p. 226 - Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 239 - Rhyming Words
	Teacher's Guide p. 300 - Rhyming Teacher's Guide p. 301 - Rhyming Words
	Teacher's Guide p. 329 - Listen for Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 362 - Rhyming Words
	Teacher's Guide p. 363 - Listen, Then Write Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 415 - Rhyming Words

	Teacher's Guide p. 425 - Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 556 - Short-A Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 567 - Rhyming Words Starfall.com: Backpack Bear's ABC Rhymes Starfall.com: Selected Nursery Rhymes
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.2.B Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words.	Teacher's Guide p. 21- Syllables Teacher's Guide p. 84 - Favorite Kind of Weather Teacher's Guide p. 154 - Review Syllables Teacher's Guide p. 352 - Syllabication Teacher's Guide p. 463 - Segmenting Syllables Teacher's Guide p. 563 - Syllables
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.2.C Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words.	Teacher's Guide p. 64 - Blending Onsets and Rimes Teacher's Guide p. 266 - Blending Onsets and Rimes Teacher's Guide p. 280 - Segmenting Onsets and Rimes Teacher's Guide p. 372 - Phoneme Addition Teacher's Guide p. 390 - Blend Onsets-Rimes Teacher's Guide p. 513 - Word Families an and -at Teacher's Guide p. 521 - Word Families -am and -ap Teacher's Guide pp. 587-588 - Add and Change Sounds (-ell, -all, -ed, -et) Starfall.com: "Word Machines" Starfall.com: "Learn to Read"
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.2.D Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonant-vowel-consonant, or CVC) words.* (This does not include CVCs ending with /l/, /r/, or /x/.)	Teacher's Guide p. 101 - Blending Teacher's Guide p. 148 - Beginning, Middle, and Ending Sounds Teacher's Guide p. 200 - Blending/Decoding Teacher's Guide p. 271 - Cumulative Review Teacher's Guide p. 372 - Phoneme Addition Teacher's Guide p. 378 - Blending Phonemes Teacher's Guide p. 454 - Segmenting Phonemes Teacher's Guide p. 465 - Writing CVC Words Teacher's Guide p. 477 - Segmenting Phonemes in CVC Words Teacher's Guide p. 505 - Activity "Starfall Speedway" Teacher's Guide p. 535 - Activity Teacher's Guide p. 560 - Blending and Decoding Teacher's Guide p. 638 - Blending CVC Words
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.2.E Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words.	Teacher's Guide p. 480 - Deleting and Substituting Phonemes Teacher's Guide p. 544 - Phoneme Substitution in Short-A Words Teacher's Guide p. 512 - Substitute Initial/Final Sounds in CVC Words with Short A Teacher's Guide pp. 587-588 - Add and Change Sounds (-ell, -all, -ed, -et) Teacher's Guide p. 649 - Phoneme Substitution Teacher's Guide p. 727 - Phoneme Substitution Teacher's Guide p. 763 - Phoneme Substitution Teacher's Guide p. 788 - Phoneme Substitution of Final Sounds Teacher's Guide p. 792 - Phoneme Addition and Substitution Teacher's Guide p. 864 - Phoneme Deletion

Phonics and Word Recognition

Phonics and Word Recognition Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.3 Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.3.A Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary sound or many of the most frequent sounds for each consonant.	Teacher's Guide pp. 264-265 - Blending Phonemes Teacher's Guide p. 271 - Cumulative Review Teacher's Guide p. 291 - Introduce "See It! Say It! Spell It!" Teacher's Guide p. 358 - Review Sounds Teacher's Guide p. 454 - Segmenting Phonemes Teacher's Guide p. 552 - See It! Say It! Spell It! Teacher's Guide p. 560 - Blending and Decoding Teacher's Guide p. 638- Blending CVC Words Weeks 1-14 - Introduce and practice letter/sound relationships [Aa /a/- Zz /z/] following a specific routine Starfall.com: ABCs
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.3.B Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels.	Teacher's Guide p. 388 - Classify Medial Vowels Teacher's Guide p. 502 - Review Vowels Teacher's Guide p. 506 - Review Initial Short-A Words and Introduce Initial Long A Words Teacher's Guide p. 530 - Long A, Silent E Teacher's Guide p. 593 - Introduce Long-E Teacher's Guide p. 601 - Computer [Silent E; Vowel Teams] Teacher's Guide p. 602 - Short and Long E Teacher's Guide p. 615 - Short and Long E Teacher's Guide p. 672 - Review Initial Short 0/Introduce Initial Long-O Words Teacher's Guide p. 707 - Short and Long Vowels Teacher's Guide p. 718 - Long Vowel O Teacher's Guide p. 784 - Long Vowel I Teacher's Guide p. 787- Computer Fish and Me and Sky Ride Teacher's Guide p. 856 - Long U Teacher's Guide p. 871 - Silent E
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.3.C Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does).	Teacher's Guide p. 50- Introduce High Frequency Words: is and for Teacher's Guide p. 161 - Introduce High Frequency Words: be, he, she, we Teacher's Guide p. 196 - Introduce High Frequency Words: and, are Teacher's Guide p. 256 - Introduce High Frequency Words: big, go, little, in, it Teacher's Guide p. 284 - Starfall Speedway: High Frequency Words Teacher's Guide p. 374 - Introduce High Frequency Words: away, do, was, will Teacher's Guide p. 412 - Introduce High Frequency Words: her, his, says Teacher's Guide p. 454 - High Frequency Word Challenge Teacher's Guide p. 598 - Introduce High Frequency Words:

	could, should, would Teacher's Guide p. 642 - High Frequency Words Teacher's Guide p. 675 - Introduce High Frequency Words: give, gives, put, puts Teacher's Guide p. 869 - Backpack Bear's Story Note: High-frequency words (110) are introduced and practiced throughout the curriculum.
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.3.D Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ.	Teacher's Guide p. 388 - Classify Medial Vowels Teacher's Guide p. 513 - Word Families -an and -at Teacher's Guide p. 513 - Introduce Inflectional Ending -ing Teacher's Guide p. 544 - Phoneme Substitution in Short-A Words Teacher's Guide pp. 587-588 - Add and Change Sounds (-ell, -all, -ed, -et) Teacher's Guide p. 598 - Introduce High Frequency Words: could, should, would Teacher's Guide p. 878 - High Frequency Word Practice Teacher's Guide p. 900 - Activity: Graph words used in Get Up, Cub

Fluency

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RF.K.4 Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding.	Teacher's Guide p. 133 - Introduce A Rainbow Teacher's Guide p. 163 - Introduce At the Park Teacher's Guide pp. 204-205 - Introduce At the House Teacher's Guide p. 234 - Introduce The Map Teacher's Guide p. 262 - Introduce At the Post Office Teacher's Guide p. 294 - Introduce Come Vote with Me Teacher's Guide p. 332 - Introduce At the Library Teacher's Guide p. 555 - Zac Camps: Chapter 2 Teacher's Guide p. 613 - Introduce Peg Goes Places, Chapter 1 Teacher's Guide pp. 728-729 - Mox's Day, Chapter 3 Teacher's Guide p. 818 - What An Adventure! Choral Reading Starfall.com: "I'm Reading" - FIction and Nonfiction

Writing

Text Types and Purposes

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.1 Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose opinion pieces in which they tell a reader the topic or the	Teacher's Guide pp. 165-166 - Write about "Hat Day" Teacher's Guide p. 188 - Book Review Teacher's Guide p. 200 - Book Review

name of the book they are writing about and state an opinion or preference about the topic or book (e.g., My favorite book is). CCR Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.	Teacher's Guide p. 220 - Book Review Teacher's Guide pp. 383-384 - Write About Ruby: Part 1 & 2 Teacher's Guide p. 441- Opinion Writing Teacher's Guide p. 594 - Reasons for Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 610- Sharing Opinions and Explaining Choices Teacher's Guide p. 645 - Supporting Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 769 - Persuasive Writing
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.2 Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose informative/explanatory texts in which they name what they are writing about and supply some information about the topic. CCR Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.	Teacher's Guide p. 263 - Introduce Expository Writing Teacher's Guide p. 268 - Add Details to Expository Writings Teacher's Guide p. 273 - Introduce Expository Writing Teacher's Guide pp. 390-391 - Shared Writing: We Can Be Peaceful Teacher's Guide p. 538 - Write About Mammals Teacher's Guide p. 544 - Interviews to Gather Information Teacher's Guide p. 769 - Persuasive Writing Teacher's Guide p. 810- Shared Writing
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.3 Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to narrate a single event or several loosely linked events, tell about the events in the order in which they occurred, and provide a reaction to what happened. CCR Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.	Teacher's Guide p. 263 - Introduce Expository Writing Teacher's Guide p. 273 - Share Expository Writings Teacher's Guide p. 410 - Writing a Story: "My Pet Dog" Teacher's Guide p. 418 - Write About Experiments Teacher's Guide p. 425 - Writing a Story "My Pet Dog" Teacher's Guide p. 431 - Shared Writing Narrative Teacher's Guide p. 479 - Adding Text to Illustrations Teacher's Guide p. 552 - Informational Writing Organizer Teacher's Guide pp. 596-597- Write a Response to "The Little Red Hen" Teacher's Guide pp. 724-725 - Shared Writing About Marshmallows

Production and Distribution of Writing

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.4 (Begins in grade 3)	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.5 With guidance and support from adults, respond to questions and suggestions from peers and add details to strengthen writing as needed. CCR Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.	Teacher's Guide p. 248 - Adding Details Teacher's Guide p. 254 - Descriptive Words Teacher's Guide p. 265 - Story Title Teacher's Guide p. 426 - Add to Observation Writings Teacher's Guide p. 452 - Kid Writing: Part 2 Teacher's Guide p. 594 - Reasons for Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 623 - Supporting Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 642 - Supporting Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 645 - Supporting Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 649 - Illustrate Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 682 - Illustrate Research Writings

	Teacher's Guide p. 683 - Label Shop Illustrations
	Teacher's Guide p. 704 - Add Details to Sentences
	Teacher's Guide p. 735 - Add Detail to Expand Sentences
	Teacher's Guide p. 770 - Complete and Share Persuasive
	Writings
	Teacher's Guide p. 876 - Editing a Sentence
	Teacher's Guide p. 880 - Editing a Sentence
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.6 With guidance and	Teacher's Guide p. 528 - Class Newspaper Article
support from adults, explore a variety of digital tools	Teacher's Guide p. 537 - Questions About Mammals
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to produce and publish writing, including in	Teacher's Guide p. 563 - Publish News Article
to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers.	• •
1 0	Teacher's Guide p. 563 - Publish News Article
1 2	Teacher's Guide p. 563 - Publish News Article Teacher's Guide p. 567 - Illustrate News Article
collaboration with peers.	Teacher's Guide p. 563 - Publish News Article Teacher's Guide p. 567 - Illustrate News Article Teacher's Guide p. 678 - Introduce Wolves by Margaret Hillert
collaboration with peers. CCR Use technology, including the Internet, to produce	Teacher's Guide p. 563 - Publish News Article Teacher's Guide p. 567 - Illustrate News Article Teacher's Guide p. 678 - Introduce Wolves by Margaret Hillert Teacher's Guide p. 681 - Begin Research Writing

Research to Build and Present Knowledge

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
ccss.ela-literacy.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). ccr Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.	Teacher's Guide p. 142 - Researching Benjamin Franklin Teacher's Guide p. 167 - Introduce Georges Seurat Teacher's Guide p. 220 - Book Review Teacher's Guide pp. 250-252 - Introduce Scientists and Inventors Teacher's Guide pp. 326-327 - Water Cycle Experiments Teacher's Guide pp. 392-393 - Kindergarten Book Club Teacher's Guide p. 431 - Shared Writing Narrative Teacher's Guide p. 521 - Mammals Teacher's Guide p. 528 - Class Newspaper Article Teacher's Guide p. 533 - Collect Ideas for Class Article Teacher's Guide p. 537 - Questions About Mammals Teacher's Guide pp. 552-567 - Class Article Teacher's Guide pp. 624 - Introduce Vincent van Gogh Teacher's Guide pp. 681 - Begin Research Writing Teacher's Guide pp. 682 - Illustrate Research Writing
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.8 With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question. CCR Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.	Teacher's Guide p. 142 - Researching Benjamin Franklin Teacher's Guide p. 327 - Write About Experiments Teacher's Guide p. 447 - Kid Writing: Part 1 Teacher's Guide p. 452 - Kid Writing: Part 2 Teacher's Guide p. 537 - Questions About Mammals Teacher's Guide pp. 552-567 - Magic Writing Moments - Informational Article Teacher's Guide p. 538 - Write About Mammals Teacher's Guide p. 681 - Write About Wolves
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.9 (Begins in grade 4)	

Range of Writing

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.10 (Begins in grade 3)	

Speaking and Listening

Comprehension and Collaboration

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.1 Participate in	Teacher's Guide p. 26 - Partner Share
collaborative conversations with diverse partners	Teacher's Guide p. 44 - Partner Share
about kindergarten topics and texts with peers and	Teacher's Guide pp. 52-53 - Introduce <i>Backpack Bear Learns</i>
adults in small and larger groups.	the Rules by Chase Tunbridge
	Teacher's Guide pp. 67-68 - Introduce Kindergarten Book Club
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.1.A Follow agreed-upon	Teacher's Guide pp. 86-87 - Introduce "Spacing" Anchor Chart
rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and	Teacher's Guide p. 103 - Formative Assessment
taking turns speaking about the topics and texts	Teacher's Guide p. 121 - Formative Assessment
under discussion).	Teacher's Guide p. 126 - Formative Assessment
	Teacher's Guide pp. 137-138 - Introduce Benjamin Franklin
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.1.B Continue a	Teacher's Guide pp. 159-160 - Introduce <i>Caps for Sale</i>
conversation through multiple exchanges.	Teacher's Guide p. 195 - Introduce <i>Ira Sleeps Over</i>
	Teacher's Guide p. 207 - Introduce Presentation Voices
CCR Prepare for and participate effectively in a range	Teacher's Guide p. 238 - Introduce the Author's Chair
of conversations and collaborations with diverse	Teacher's Guide pp. 258-259 - Inventions of Long Ago
partners, building on others' ideas and expressing	Teacher's Guide p. 269 - Create an Invention
their own clearly and persuasively.	Teacher's Guide p. 273 - Share Expository Writings
	Teacher's Guide p. 328 - Author's Chair
	Teacher's Guide pp. 358-359 - Introduce Reduce, Reuse, and
	Recycle
	Teacher's Guide p. 364 - Author's Chair
	Teacher's Guide p. 381 - Formative Assessment
	Teacher's Guide pp. 382-383 - Write About Ruby: Part 1
	(Partner share)
	Teacher's Guide p. 388 - Author's Chair
	Teacher's Guide pp. 392-393 - Kindergarten Book Club
	Teacher's Guide p. 555 - <i>Zac Camps</i> : Chapter 2 (Partner share)
	Teacher's Guide p. 788 - Plan Class Adventure
	Teacher's Guide p. 845 - Prepare Anchor Chart Presentations
	Teacher's Guide p. 849 - Schema Anchor Chart Presentation
	Teacher's Guide p. 852 - Capital Letter Anchor Chart
	Presentation
	Teacher's Guide p. 856 - Spaces Anchor Chart Presentation
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.2 Confirm understanding	Teacher's Guide pp. 30-31 - Introduce Alphabetical Order and
of a text read aloud or information presented orally	the Starfall Dictionary
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or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood. CCR Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.	Teacher's Guide pp. 139-140 - Introduce Rainbow, Rainbow Teacher's Guide p. 167 - Introduce Georges Seurat Teacher's Guide p. 212 - Introduce Story Element Cards Teacher's Guide p. 234 - Introduce The Map Teacher's Guide pp. 249-250 - Introduce Ox-Cart Man Teacher's Guide pp. 250-252 - Introduce Scientists and Inventors Teacher's Guide pp. 262 - Introduce At the Post Office Teacher's Guide pp. 295-296 - Introduce Abraham Lincoln Teacher's Guide pp. 456-457- Review The Earth, The Sun, The Moon Teacher's Guide pp. 511 - Comprehension: Questioning Teacher's Guide pp. 761-762 - Introduce Reptiles
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood. CCR Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.	Teacher's Guide pp. 52-53 - Introduce Backpack Bear Learns the Rules by Chase Tunbridge Teacher's Guide p. 119 - Introduce Weather Teacher's Guide pp. 125-126 - Introduce Cause and Effect Teacher's Guide pp. 142 - Researching Benjamin Franklin Teacher's Guide pp. 273 - Share Expository Writings Teacher's Guide pp. 358-359 - Introduce Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero Teacher's Guide pp. 544 - Interviews to Gather Information Teacher's Guide pp. 589 - Introduce Backpack Bear's Bird Book Teacher's Guide pp. 678 - Introduce Wolves by Margaret Hillert

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.4 Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail. CCR Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.	Teacher's Guide pp. 25-26 - Introduce the Schema Anchor Chart Teacher's Guide pp. 202-203 - Write About Your Family Teacher's Guide pp. 248-260 - Adding Details Teacher's Guide pp. 268 - Add Detail to Expository Writings Teacher's Guide pp. 281-282 - Our Leaders Teacher's Guide pp. 322-323 - Introduce the Water Cycle Teacher's Guide pp. 466-467 - Introduce the Solar System Teacher's Guide pp. 720 - Prewriting: Introduce Sensory Words Teacher's Guide pp. 723 - Use Adjectives to Describe Nouns Teacher's Guide pp. 724-725 - Shared Writing About Marshmallows Teacher's Guide pp. 781-782 - Introduce Fish
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.5 Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions as desired to provide additional detail. CCR Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance	Teacher's Guide p. 268 - Add Detail to Expository Writings Teacher's Guide p. 482 - Create a Model of the Solar System: Progressive Center Teacher's Guide p. 567 - Illustrate News Article Teacher's Guide p. 668 - Create/Design Shops Teacher's Guide p. 680 - Names for Shops

understanding of presentations.	Teacher's Guide p. 848 - Illustrate Gus and Tin Man Teacher's Guide p. 895 - Illustrate <i>The Butterfly Book</i>
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.K.6 Speak audibly and	Teacher's Guide p. 165 - Celebrate "Hat Day"
express thoughts, feelings, and ideas clearly.	Teacher's Guide p. 207- Introduce Presentation Voices
	Teacher's Guide p. 238 - Introduce the Author's Chair
CCR Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and	Teacher's Guide p. 269 - Create an Invention
communicative tasks, demonstrating command of	Teacher's Guide p. 328- Author's Chair
formal English when indicated or appropriate.	Teacher's Guide pp. 380-381 - Introduce A Young Hero
	Teacher's Guide pp. 393-394 - Kindergarten Book Club
	Teacher's Guide p. 823 - Kindergarten Book Club
	Teacher's Guide pp. 840-856 - Anchor Chart Presentations
	Teacher's Guide p. 903 - Kindergarten Book Club

Language

Conventions of Standard English

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Teacher's Guide pp. 102-103 - Introduce the Writing Journal Teacher's Guide p. 162 - Activity Teacher's Guide p. 233 - Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 267-268 - Lowercase Letter Formation Teacher's Guide p. 271 - Cumulative Review
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1.A Print many upper- and lowercase letters.	Teacher's Guide p. 272 - Letter Formation Teacher's Guide pp. 323-324 - Introduce Hh/h/ Teacher's Guide p. 383 - Review Zz /z/ and Xx /x/
CCR 1.A-1.F Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Teacher's Guide pp. 385-386 - Introduce Jj/j/ Teacher's Guide p. 430 - Write Uppercase and Lowercase Letters Teacher's Guide p. 447 - Kid Writing: Part 1 Teacher's Guide p. 535 - Activity
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1.B Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs.	Teacher's Guide pp. 50-51 - Introduce High Frequency Words: is and for Teacher's Guide p. 162 - Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 271 - Cumulative Review Teacher's Guide pp. 323-324 - Introduce Hh/h/ Teacher's Guide pp. 385-386 - Introduce Jj/j/ Teacher's Guide p. 447 - Kid Writing: Part 1 Teacher's Guide p. 516 - Introduce Verbs with Inflectional Ending -s Teacher's Guide pp. 535 - Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 557-558 - Introduce High Frequency Words: all, good, what, some Teacher's Guide pp. 692 - Categorize Nouns and Verbs Teacher's Guide pp. 694 - Verbs and Verb Endings Teacher's Guide pp. 697 - Use Nouns and Verbs to Form Sentences

	Teacher's Guide p. 701 - Write Sentences Teacher's Guide p. 718 - List Nouns
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1.C Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes).	Teacher's Guide pp. 50-51 - Introduce High Frequency Words: is, for Teacher's Guide pp. 108-109 - Review Anchor Charts/Introduce Nouns: Names of Places Teacher's Guide p. 450 - Inflectional Endings Review Teacher's Guide p. 697 - Use Nouns and Verbs to Form Sentences Teacher's Guide p. 718 - List Nouns Teacher's Guide p. 723 - Use Adjectives to Describe Nouns
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1.D Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how).	Teacher's Guide p. 383 - Ways to Be Kind Teacher's Guide p. 511 - Comprehension: Questioning Teacher's Guide p. 540 - Interview Questions Teacher's Guide p. 780 - Introduce Class Adventure Story Teacher's Guide p. 788 - Plan Class Adventure Teacher's Guide p. 788 - Add Class Adventure Details
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1.E Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with).	Teacher's Guide p. 320 - Position Words/Opposites Teacher's Guide pp. 480-481 - Positional Words and Prepositions Teacher's Guide p. 504 - Introduce High Frequency Words: into, off Teacher's Guide pp. 533-534 - Introduce Zac Camps Teacher's Guide p. 798 - Introduce High Frequency Words: many, over, under
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.1.F Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities.	Teacher's Guide pp. 202-203 - Write About Your Family Teacher's Guide p. 208 - Writing About Animals Teacher's Guide p. 248 - Adding Details Teacher's Guide p. 254 - Descriptive Words Teacher's Guide p. 337 - Shared Oral Story Teacher's Guide p. 384 - Write About Ruby: Part 2 Teacher's Guide p. 479 - Backpack Bear's Starry Adventure Story Teacher's Guide p. 537 - Zac Camps: Making Predictions Teacher's Guide p. 603 - Writing Teacher's Guide p. 645 - Supporting Opinions Teacher's Guide p. 697 - Use Nouns and Verbs to Form Sentences Teacher's Guide p. 704 - Add Details to Sentences Teacher's Guide p. 735 - Add Detail to Expand Sentences

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization,	Teacher's Guide pp. 33-34 - Introduce the Capital Letter Anchor Chart

punctuation, and spelling when writing. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.2.A Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun <i>I</i> . CCR 2.A-D Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	Teacher's Guide p. 42 - Where to Use Capital Letters Teacher's Guide p. 48 - Where to Use Capital Letters Teacher's Guide pp. 62-63 - Capital Letter Anchor Charts Teacher's Guide pp. 103-104 - Introduce The Writing Journal Teacher's Guide pp. 136-137 - Kid Writing and Adult Writing Teacher's Guide p. 333 - "What's Wrong?" Teacher's Guide p. 473 - Rearrange Words to Create Sentences Teacher's Guide p. 636 - Writing Rubrics Teacher's Guide p. 791 - Capitalization and Punctuation
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.2.B Recognize and name end punctuation.	Teacher's Guide p. 60 - A Computer Teacher's Guide pp. 103-104 - Introduce The Writing Journal Teacher's Guide pp. 104-106 - Introduce the Punctuation Anchor Chart Teacher's Guide pp. 136-137 - Kid Writing and Adult Writing Teacher's Guide p. 280 - Punctuation Anchor Chart Teacher's Guide p. 286 - Punctuation Anchor Chart Teacher's Guide p. 297 - Punctuation Anchor Chart Teacher's Guide p. 320 - Punctuation: "What's Missing?" Teacher's Guide p. 537 - Punctuation Detectives Teacher's Guide p. 636 - Writing Rubrics Teacher's Guide p. 791 - Capitalization and Punctuation Teacher's Guide p. 864 - Punctuation Anchor Chart Presentation
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.2.C Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short-vowel sounds (phonemes).	Teacher's Guide p. 92 - Review Tt /t/ Teacher's Guide p. 118 - Listen for Beginning Sound Teacher's Guide pp. 152-153 - Introduce Oo /o/ Teacher's Guide pp. 154-155 - Introduce Cc /k/ Teacher's Guide p. 168 - Initial Sounds Teacher's Guide p. 192 - Introduce Rr /r/ Teacher's Guide pp. 198-199 - Introduce Ll /l/ Teacher's Guide pp. 297 - Beginning and Final Sounds Teacher's Guide pp. 333 - Beginning Sounds Teacher's Guide pp. 383 - Review Zz /z/ and Xx /ks/ Teacher's Guide pp. 420 - Listening and Writing, Page 55 Teacher's Guide pp. 443 - Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 534 - Missing Words Teacher's Guide pp. 555 - Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 555 - Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 593 - Activity Teacher's Guide pp. 638 - Blending CVC Words Teacher's Guide pp. 902 - Reading and Writing, Page 62
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.2.D Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of sound-letter relationships.	Teacher's Guide p. 135 - Introduce Inventive Spelling Teacher's Guide pp. 136-137 - Kid Writing and Adult Writing Teacher's Guide p. 208 - Writing About Animals Teacher's Guide pp. 264-265 - Blending Phonemes Teacher's Guide pp. 299 - Write About Voting Choices Teacher's Guide pp. 327 - Write About Experiments Teacher's Guide pp. 384 - Write About Ruby: Part 2 Teacher's Guide pp. 418 - Write About Experiments

Teacher's Guide p. 443 - Rhyming Words Teacher's Guide p. 443 - Activity Teacher's Guide p. 452 - Kid Writing: Part 2 Teacher's Guide p. 465 - Writing CVC Words Teacher's Guide p. 518 - Write About Our Mammal Friends
Teacher's Guide p. 518 - Write About Our Mammal Friends Teacher's Guide p. 638 - Blending CVC Words

Knowledge of Language

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.3 (L.K.3 begins in grade 2)	

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.4 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on kindergarten reading and content. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.4.A Identify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing duck is a bird and learning the verb to duck). CCR 4 A-B Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.	Teacher's Guide p. 43 - Introduce the Computer Teacher's Guide p. 57- Introduce I Am Your Flag Teacher's Guide p. 249 - Introduce Homonyms Teacher's Guide p. 261 - Homonym Tree Teacher's Guide pp. 320-321 - Introduce America the Beautiful Teacher's Guide pp. 347-348 - Introduce Miss Rumphius Teacher's Guide p. 469 - Introduce Constellations Teacher's Guide pp. 611-612 - Introduce Amazing Airplanes and Multiple Meanings of Words Teacher's Guide p. 616 - Using Maps, Introduce Peg Helps Zac
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.4.B Use the most frequently occurring inflections and affixes (e.g., -ed, -s, re-, un-, pre-, -ful, -less) as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word.	Teacher's Guide pp. 442-443 - Introduce Inflectional Ending, -s and -ed Teacher's Guide p. 450 - Inflectional Endings Review Teacher's Guide p. 455 - Inflectional Endings Cut and Paste Teacher's Guide p. 502 - Inflectional Endings Teacher's Guide p. 506 - Inflectional Endings Teacher's Guide pp. 513-514 - Introduce Inflectional Ending -ing Teacher's Guide p. 516 - Inflectional Endings Teacher's Guide p. 516 - Introduce Verbs with Inflectional Ending -s

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.5 With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.5.A Sort common objects into categories (e.g., shapes, foods) to gain a sense of the concepts the categories represent. CCR 5A-D Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	Teacher's Guide pp. 149-150 - Introduce Colors Teacher's Guide p. 358 - Recycling/Composting Teacher's Guide p. 411 - Living and Nonliving Teacher's Guide p. 521 - Mammals Teacher's Guide p. 522 - Draw and Label Mammals Teacher's Guide p. 692 - Categorize Nouns and Verbs Teacher's Guide pp. 761-762 - Introduce Reptiles Teacher's Guide pp. 781-782 - Introduce Fish Teacher's Guide pp. 820-821 - Classify Animals with Backbones (Vertebrates) Teacher's Guide pp. 823 - Draw and Label Amphibians in a Scene Teacher's Guide pp. 843-844 - Introduce Invertebrates Teacher's Guide pp. 849-850 - Arthropods Teacher's Guide pp. 874-875 - Sink or Float?
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.5.B Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms).	Teacher's Guide pp. 565-566 - Force: Push and Pull Teacher's Guide p. 601 - Compare and Contrast Teacher's Guide p. 614 - Introduce The Wright Brothers Teacher's Guide p. 685 - Compare and Contrast Teacher's Guide p. 727 - Create Mox's Menu
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.5.C Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful).	Teacher's Guide pp. 108-109 - Review Anchor Charts/ Introduce Nouns: Names of Places Teacher's Guide p. 249 - Introduce Homonyms Teacher's Guide p. 261 - Homonym Tree Teacher's Guide pp. 564-565 - Cooperation Teacher's Guide p. 565 - Force: Push and Pull Teacher's Guide p. 728 - Mox's Day, Chapter 3
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.5.D Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs describing the same general action (e.g., <i>walk, march, strut, prance</i>) by acting out the meanings.	Teacher's Guide pp. 157-158 - Introduce Mouse Paint Teacher's Guide pp. 159-160 - Introduce Caps for Sale Teacher's Guide pp. 508-510 - Introduce The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear Teacher's Guide p. 611- Introduce Amazing Airplanes and Multiple Meanings of Words Teacher's Guide pp. 695-696 - Introduce Mox Jogs Teacher's Guide p. 694 - Verbs and Verb Endings

Rhode Island Standards	Starfall K ELA Alignment
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.6 Use words and phrases	Teacher's Guide p. 241 - Our Community
acquired through conversations, reading and being	Teacher's Guide pp. 339-340 - Vocabulary Challenge
read to, and responding to texts.	Teacher's Guide p. 367 - Vocabulary Riddles
	Teacher's Guide pp. 420-421 - Introduce <i>Backpack Bear's Plant</i>
CCR Acquire and use accurately a range of general	Book
academic and domain-specific words and phrases	Teacher's Guide p. 422 - Plant Seeds

sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.

Teacher's Guide p. 423 - Activity

Teacher's Guide p. 456 - Review The Earth, The Sun, The Moon

Teacher's Guide p. 471 - Introduce Orion the Hunter

Teacher's Guide pp. 508-510 - Introduce *The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear*

Teacher's Guide p. 547 - Review Backpack Bear's Mammal Book

Teacher's Guide pp. 820-821 - Classify Animals with Backbones (Vertebrates)

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