



POWER STANDARDS

1st Grade Language Arts

By the end of the year each student will...



Oral Language

- listen attentively and follow multi step directions.
- speak clearly, with expression and in complete sentences.

Concepts of Print

- discriminate between letters, words, and sentences.
- match oral words to print.
- identify punctuation in text (periods, question marks, exclamation points).

Phonological & Phonemic Awareness

- identify words with same beginning, middle or ending sounds.
- blend syllables and phonemes to make words.
- segment words into syllables/phonemes.

Phonics & Spelling

- write letters to represent spoken sounds of all letters of alphabet in random order.
- identify and pronounce consonants, consonant blends, digraphs, and vowel patterns.
- use letter patterns to decode words.
- write sounds heard in words in correct order.

Fluency

- read grade level text at 60 wpm with 95-100% accuracy.
- read 4 word phrases using intonation, expression, punctuation clues.
- read with automaticity, approximately 100 high frequency sight words.

Vocabulary

- learn and apply 1st grade level vocabulary.

Comprehension

- make connections, predictions, ask questions, make inferences, and draw conclusions.
- identify topic/main idea and details.
- retell important events and details in sequence.
- identify beginning, middle, end, characters, setting, problem/resolution.
- identify and discuss different genres: nursery rhymes, fairy tales, poems, realistic fiction, fantasy, and fables.
- identify information from pictures, captions, and diagrams.
- identify facts.
- complete rhymes.

Writing

- produce a complete sentence correctly.
- use proper formation of letters.

Key

- 0 - Not taught**
- 1 - Not on target for mastery**
- 2 - On target for mastery**
- 3 - Near mastery**
- 4 - Mastery**



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