

Fifth Grade Essential Skills

Grade Level	Content Area Essential Skills
5	<p><i>English Language Arts- Reading:</i></p> <p>Foundational Skills</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Knows and applies grade level phonics and word analysis skills to decode 2. Reads grade level text accurately and fluently <p>Literature</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Summarizes a text to determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text 2. Identifies and compares the elements (setting, plot, character, theme) of poems, drama, and prose 3. Accurately quotes from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences 4. Demonstrates understanding of grade level text <p>Informational Text</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Determines two or more main ideas of a text and explains how they are supported by key details; summarizes the text 2. Analyzes multiple accounts of the same topic noting the similarities and differences unique to various points of view 3. Compares and contrasts the structure of two or more texts (sequencing, problem/solution, description, cause and effect) <p><i>English Language Arts- Writing</i></p> <p>Text Types and Purposes</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Writes to communicate ideas and information <p>Production and Distribution</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Produces clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience 2. Strengthens writing by planning, revising, and editing <p>Research to Build and Present Knowledge</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Conducts short research projects that build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic 2. Takes notes, categorizes information, and provides a list of sources; summarizes or paraphrases information <p>Language</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Uses grade level conventions of grammar, punctuation, and spelling

	<p>2. Uses grade level vocabulary</p> <p>English Language Arts- Listening and Speaking</p> <p>Comprehension and Collaboration</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Engages effectively in discussions within a group Summarizes a text read aloud or information presented in various formats <p>Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Presents information with appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details Speaks clearly with appropriate pace, volume, and expression giving attention to context and audience
<p>5</p>	<p>MATH:</p> <p>Mathematical Reasoning</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Applies strategies to solve problems Communicates mathematical thinking, using math vocabulary <p>Operations and Algebraic Thinking</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Writes and interprets numerical expressions Demonstrates understanding of multiplication and division facts Solves multi-step word problems <p>Number Sense and Operations in Base Ten</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrates an understanding of place value Performs four operations with multi-digit numbers and decimals <p>Numbers Sense and Operations - Fractions</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Adds and subtracts fractions with unlike denominators Multiplies and divides fractions Solves word problems with fractions <p>Measurement and Data</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Converts like units within a given measurement system Represents and interprets data Understands concepts of volume Relates volume to multiplication and addition <p>Geometry</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Graph points on a coordinate plane to solve problems Classifies two dimensional figures based on properties
<p>5</p>	<p>Science - TBD</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>Social Studies - TBD</p>

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