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In [Common Core Learning Objectives & Essential Tools](#), DataWORKS takes CCSS to a highly functional, teacher-friendly level. Each grade-level/subject-specific booklet (Math and ELA only) offers one or more READY TO TEACH learning objectives for each standard.

“With these explicit Learning Objectives, teachers can move quickly to designing well-crafted and well-delivered lessons that focus on required skills and content.”

By deciphering individual skills and concepts in CCSS and organizing them to create READY TO TEACH learning objectives, DataWORKS [Common Core Learning Objectives & Essential Tools](#) helps teachers insure they teach the required skill and content for each standard.

Common Core Learning Objectives & Essential Tools

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Now educators can be sure they are delivering required skills and content for Common Core Standards.

Each guide includes:

- ...Learning Objectives crafted from Common Core Standards.
- ...Teaching Tips to enhance lesson design and delivery.
- ...Academic and Content Vocabulary for the grade and subject.
- ...Checklist for evaluating student writing samples (ELA).
- ...Mini-posters for in-class support.

Guides sold by grade and subject (K-12, MATH or ELA).

DataWORKS Common Core Learning Objectives & Essential Tools is the solution:

- for assisting teachers in comprehending, internalizing, and implementing CCSS at a glance
- for optimizing lesson prep and classroom teaching time and helping educators transition from State Standards to CCSS

Side-by-Side Color-coded Columns

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
3.NF.1 Understand a fraction $1/b$ as the quantity formed by 1 part when a whole is partitioned into b equal parts; understand a fraction a/b as the quantity formed by a parts of size $1/b$.	1.1 Determine unit fractions of a whole. ✓ 1.2 Determine fractions of a whole. ✓	This lesson is the first time <i>fractions</i> are addressed.

Common Core State Standards may include:

- multiple objectives
- examples and directions
- non-specific language

Learning Objectives include:

- a skill (verb)
- a concept (bolded noun)
- brevity for ease of teaching
- consistency across grades

Teaching Tips include:

- examples for teaching concepts
- suggestions for lesson design
- definition of terms
- connections to other standards

Note: Learning Objectives followed by a check mark (✓) indicate an EDI lesson available for purchase at www.dataworks-ed.com.

Rigor

To insure rigor increases at each grade level, teachers must implement grade-level vocabulary and increase text complexity. DataWORKS Common Core Learning Objectives & Essential Tools refers frequently to the DataWORKS Word Lists (by grade level) found on the website and includes here recommended academic and content vocabulary for designing standards-based lessons. Recommended grade-level texts can be found in CCSS Appendix B.

Kindergarten – Reading Literature



Key Ideas and Details

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
K.RL.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.	1.1 Ask questions about text. 1.2 Answer questions about text.	Refer to poster for Question Words.
K.RL.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.	2.0 Retell stories .	
K.RL.3 With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.	3.1 Identify characters in a story. ✓ 3.2 Identify settings in a story. ✓ 3.3 Identify major events in a story.	Define <i>characters</i> , <i>setting</i> and <i>major events</i> prior to identifying.

Craft and Structure

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
K.RL.4 Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text.	4.1 Ask questions about unknown words. 4.2 Answer questions about unknown words	This standard could be embedded in other standards.
K.RL.5 Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems).	5.0 Recognize types of texts .	Refer to poster for Types of Text.
K.RL.6 With prompting and support, name the author and illustrator of a story and define the role of each in telling the story.	6.1 Name the author of a story. 6.2 Name the illustrator of a story.	Lesson should include the role of the author and illustrator. The <i>role</i> is part of the definition for each concept.

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
K.RL.7 With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the story in which they appear (e.g., what moment in a story an illustration depicts).	7.0 Describe the relationship between illustrations and the story .	The relationship could be how the illustration provides more details than the text or how the illustration shows what happens in the text.
K.RL.8 (Not applicable to literature)		
K.RL.9 With prompting and support, compare and contrast the adventures and experiences of characters in familiar stories.	9.0 Compare and contrast experiences of characters .	<i>Adventures</i> refer to daring or exciting events, and <i>experiences</i> are any events that happen to a character. Use familiar stories.

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

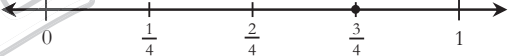
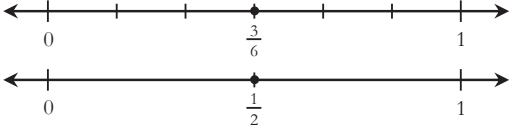
Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
K.RL.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.	10.0 Engage in group reading activities .	This standard should be embedded in the other standards. Refer to poster of Group Reading Activities.

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Grade 3 – Numbers and Operations – Fractions



Develop understanding of fractions as numbers.

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
3.NF.1 Understand a fraction $1/b$ as the quantity formed by 1 part when a whole is partitioned into b equal parts; understand a fraction a/b as the quantity formed by a parts of size $1/b$.	1.1 Determine the unit fraction of a whole. ✓ 1.2 Determine the fraction of a whole. ✓	For all the Fractions standards, CCSS notes that “Grade 3 expectations in this domain are limited to fractions with denominators 2, 3, 4, 5, and 8.” This lesson is the first time <i>fractions</i> are addressed in this domain. <i>Unit fraction</i> is also addressed in 3 rd grade 3.G.2 for understanding how each part of a shape can be expressed as a unit fraction.
3.NF.2 Understand a fraction as a number on the number line; represent fractions on a number line diagram.		This is the first time <i>number line</i> is addressed.
a. Represent a fraction $1/b$ on a number line diagram by defining the interval from 0 to 1 as the whole and partitioning it into b equal parts. Recognize that each part has size $1/b$ and that the endpoint of the part based at 0 locates the number $1/b$ on the number line.	2.0a Represent unit fractions on a number line . ✓	Students need to understand $1/b$ as a location and an interval: $1/b$ represents the endpoint of the first partition $1/b$ represents the size (length) of every partition of the number between 0 and 1.
b. Represent a fraction a/b on a number line diagram by marking off a lengths $1/b$ from 0. Recognize that the resulting interval has size a/b and that its endpoint locates the number a/b on the number line.	2.0b Represent fractions on a number line . ✓	 Location: “one-fourth, two-fourths, three-fourths. The dot is located at three-fourths.” Interval: The length of the interval from 0 to $3/4$ is three-fourths.
3.NF.3 Explain equivalence of fractions in special cases, and compare fractions by reasoning about their size.		This is the first time <i>equivalence</i> and <i>comparison</i> of <i>fractions</i> is addressed.
a. Understand two fractions as equivalent (equal) if they are the same size, or the same point on a number line.	3.0a Identify equivalent fractions on a number line.	 $\frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{6}$ because they have equal distance from 0 (<i>same size</i>) and they represent the same point on the number line.
b. Recognize and generate simple equivalent fractions, e.g., $1/2 = 2/4$, $4/6 = 2/3$. Explain why the fractions are equivalent, e.g., by using a visual fraction model.	3.0b.1 Identify equivalent fractions using pictures. 3.0b.2 Create equivalent fractions .	Students justify fractions are equivalent using arguments based on number line location and/or interval size.
c. Express whole numbers as fractions, and recognize fractions that are equivalent to whole numbers. <i>Examples: Express 3 in the form $3 = 3/1$; recognize that $6/1 = 6$; locate $4/4$ and 1 at the same point of a number line diagram.</i>	3.0c Express whole numbers as fractions . ✓	b/b fractions can be introduced as a special case of learning objective 3.NF.2b.

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Grade 3 – Writing



Text Types and Purpose

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
3.W.1 Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons.	1.0 Write an opinion piece . ✓	Consider combining the writing lessons as a unit. The unit should incorporate all the listed criteria. (1.0a – 1.0d)
a. Introduce the topic or text they are writing about, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure that lists reasons.	1.0a Introduce a topic, opinion, and reasons .	Use a prewriting technique to create an organizational structure, such as a graphic organizer that lists the topic, opinion, and reasons that support the opinion.
b. Provide reasons that support the opinion.	1.0b Provide reasons that support the opinion.	For example, the opinion <i>eating vegetables is good for you</i> could be supported by reasons such as <i>fiber, vitamins, and minerals</i> .
c. Use linking words and phrases (e.g., <i>because, therefore, since, for example</i>) to connect opinion and reasons.	1.0c Connect opinion and reasons with linking words .	
d. Provide a concluding statement or section.	1.0d Provide a concluding statement or section .	
3.W.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.	2.1 Write informative text . ✓ 2.2 Write explanatory text .	Consider combining the writing lessons as a unit. The unit should incorporate all the listed criteria (2.0a-2.0d). Explanatory describes steps and directions; while informative gives information about something. Refer to CCSS Appendix A (p.23) for further information.
a. Introduce a topic and group related information together; include illustrations when useful to aiding comprehension.	2.0a.1 Introduce a topic and group related information . 2.0a.2 Use illustrations in text.	Use a prewriting technique to create an organizational structure. An illustration, such as a diagram on the phases of the moon, can help further explain the topic of the lunar cycle.
b. Develop the topic with facts, definitions, and details.	2.0b Develop the topic with facts, definitions, and details .	
c. Use linking words and phrases (e.g., <i>also, another, and, more, but</i>) to connect ideas within categories of information.	2.0c Connect ideas within categories with linking words .	
d. Provide a concluding statement or section.	2.0d Provide a conclusion .	A <i>conclusion</i> could be a concluding statement or a section.
3.W.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.	3.0 Write a narrative . ✓	Consider combining the writing lessons as a unit. The unit should incorporate all the listed criteria (3.0 – 3.0d).
a. Establish a situation and introduce a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally.	3.0a.1 Introduce situation, narrator, or characters . 3.0a.2 Create sequence of events .	The first objective could be taught in parts. Use a prewriting technique to create an organizational structure.
b. Use dialogue and descriptions of actions, thoughts, and feelings to develop experiences and events or show the response of characters to situations.	3.0b.1 Use dialogue to develop events or characters. 3.0b.2 Use descriptions to develop events or characters.	This is the first time <i>character actions, thoughts, and feelings</i> are addressed for writing.
c. Use temporal words and phrases to signal event order.	3.0c Signal event order with temporal words .	Example: temporal words could be <i>an hour later, month, decade, etc.</i>

Grade 6 – Language



Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
6.L.4 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on <i>grade 6 reading and content</i> , choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.	4.0 Determine the meaning of multiple-meaning words . ✓	Multiple-meaning words are first addressed in kindergarten. Refer to DataWORKS Word Lists* on the website for common grade 6 words.
a. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word’s position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.	4.0a Determine the meaning of unknown words using context clues . ✓	Context clues are first addressed in kindergarten. It is recommended to use the examples in the parentheses and use grade-appropriate words.
b. Use common, grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., <i>audience, auditory, audible</i>).	4.0b Determine the meaning of words using Greek and Latin affixes and roots .	Refer to DataWORKS Word Lists on the website for common grade 6 words. Affixes refer to prefixes and suffixes.
c. Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning or its part of speech.	4.0c Determine the meaning and pronunciation of unknown words by consulting reference materials .	This is the first time <i>part of speech</i> is addressed for reference materials.
d. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).		This standard is covered as a part of 6.L.4c.
6.L.5 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	<i>See objectives below.</i>	
a. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., personification) in context.	5.0a Interpret figures of speech . ✓	This is the first time <i>personification</i> is addressed. <i>Similes</i> and <i>metaphors</i> are addressed in 4 th and 5 th grade RL.5 and Language 5.a. <i>The sun kissed the flowers</i> is an example of personification.
b. Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., cause/effect, part/whole, item/category) to better understand each of the words.	5.0b Use the relationship between particular words to better understand words.	This standard introduces types of analogies. Cause/effect: spin/dizzy; fire/burn Part/whole: wolf/pack; tree/forest Item/category: red/color; spoon/kitchenware
c. Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., <i>stingy, scrimping, economical, unwasteful, thrifty</i>).	5.0c Distinguish among the connotations of words with similar denotations . ✓	This is the first time <i>denotations</i> are addressed.
6.L.6 Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	6.1 Use academic words and phrases . 6.2 Use domain-specific words and phrases .	This standard should be embedded in vocabulary lessons for general and domain-specific words. Students are now encouraged to build vocabulary when the need arises in reading or speaking.

* See DataWORKS Word Lists (by grade level) at www.dataworks-ed.com/resources

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Grades 9 & 10 – Reading Informational Text



Craft and Structure

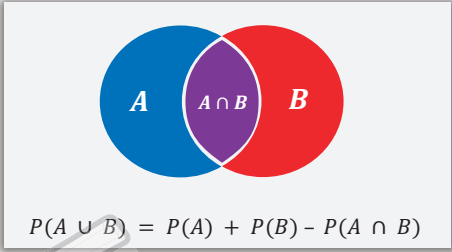
Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
9-10.RI.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).	4.1 Determine the figurative meanings of words and phrases. ✓ 4.2 Determine the connotative meanings of words and phrases. 4.3 Determine the technical meanings of words and phrases. 4.4 Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone. ✓	<i>Figurative, connotative, and technical meanings</i> are addressed in 6 th – 12 th grades RI.4. For example, for U.S. history, students could analyze MLK’s <i>I Have A Dream speech</i> . Figurative: <i>manacles of segregation</i> Connotative: <i>come to cash this check</i> Technical: <i>signed the Emancipation...</i> Specific word choice: King uses <i>freedom, justice, faith, and hope</i> to convey the hope of change in the future.
9-10.RI.5 Analyze in detail how an author’s ideas or claims are developed and refined by particular sentences, paragraphs, or larger portions of a text (e.g., a section or chapter).	5.0 Analyze how an author’s ideas or claims are developed and refined .	For example, analyze how <i>Patrick Henry</i> develops and refines his claim in his “ <i>Speech to the Second Virginia Convention</i> ” using evidence from each section, subsection, paragraph, and the sentences. <i>Develop and refine</i> means to make points clear, convincing, and engaging.
9-10.RI.6 Determine an author’s point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how an author uses rhetoric to advance that point of view or purpose.	6.1 Determine an author’s point of view . 6.2 Analyze how an author uses rhetoric to advance a point of view .	Refer to Rhetorical Analysis poster. Refer to CCSS Appendix A (p.42) for definition of <i>point of view</i> . <i>Rhetoric</i> refers to the art of using language to persuade, influence, or please (Logos, Pathos, Ethos). For example, how does MLK’s use of rhetoric advance his point of view in “ <i>Letter from Birmingham Jail</i> .”

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
9-10.RI.7 Analyze various accounts of a subject told in different mediums (e.g., a person’s life story in both print and multimedia), determining which details are emphasized in each account.	7.0 Analyze the accounts of a subject in two different mediums .	For example, analyze <i>Abraham Lincoln’s</i> assassination using a text and a film, or analyze American values in <i>Roosevelt’s Four Freedoms Speech</i> and <i>Norman Rockwell’s paintings</i> . Refer to poster for Types of Communication Mediums.
9-10.RI.8 Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; identify false statements and fallacious reasoning.	8.0 Delineate and evaluate the argument in a text.	To evaluate an argument, students must assess the <i>reasoning (valid)</i> and <i>evidence (relevant)</i> provided in the text. An <i>argument</i> refers to the overall position of the author. <i>Claims</i> support the argument, and <i>evidence</i> supports the claims. This is the first time the standard requires the students to <i>identify false statements and fallacious reasoning</i> .
9-10.RI.9 Analyze seminal U.S. documents of historical and literary significance (e.g., Washington’s Farewell Address, the Gettysburg Address, Roosevelt’s Four Freedoms speech, King’s “Letter from Birmingham Jail”), including how they address related themes and concepts.	9.0 Analyze seminal U.S. documents of historical and literary significance.	Consider using a graphic organizer to analyze the literary themes and concepts in various seminal documents. For example, compare the concept of <i>freedom</i> in Roosevelt’s Four Freedoms speech and King’s “Letter from Birmingham Jail.”

Unit 6: Applications of Probability



Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
<p>S.CP.7 Apply the Addition Rule, $P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \text{ and } B)$, and interpret the answer in terms of the model</p>	<p>7.0 Apply the Addition Rule to compute probabilities.</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$</p> </div> <p>Example: A standard deck of 52 cards. $P(\text{face card or red card}) = 12/52 + 26/52 - 6/52 = 32/52$ “32 of the 52 are either face cards or red cards.” The probability of drawing a face card plus the probability of drawing a red card minus the overlap of drawing a red face card.</p>
<p>S.CP.8 (+) Apply the general Multiplication Rule in a uniform probability model, $P(A \text{ and } B) = P(A)P(B A) = P(B)P(A B)$, and interpret the answer in terms of the model.</p>	<p>8.0 Apply the Multiplication Rule to compute probabilities.</p>	<p>Example: A standard deck of 52 cards.</p> $P(\text{face and red}) = \frac{6}{52}$ $P(\text{face})P(\text{red} \text{face}) = \frac{12}{52} \cdot \frac{6}{12} = \frac{6}{52}$ $P(\text{red})P(\text{face} \text{red}) = \frac{26}{52} \cdot \frac{6}{26} = \frac{6}{52}$
<p>S.CP.9 (+) Use permutations and combinations to compute probabilities of compound events and solve problems.</p>	<p>9.1 Solve problems involving permutations. ✓ 9.2 Solve problems involving combinations. 9.3 Compute probabilities of compound events using permutations and combinations.</p>	<p>Consider using a diagrams to build the concept of permutations and combinations. Students understand permutations and combinations as counting techniques. As usual, students should work many examples without the formulas prior to their introduction.</p> <p>The example below can also be solved without a formula by using a tree diagram.</p> <p>Example (permutations):</p> <p>Rickey, Lucas, Maria, Rigo, and Ali are finalists competing in a “matheletics” competition. The top three students will receive a prize. (i) How many different ways can these students finish 1st, 2nd, and 3rd? (ii) What is the probability that Rickey finishes 1st, Lucas finishes 2nd, and Ali finishes 3rd?</p>

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Academic Vocabulary – ELA Kindergarten

(from the Common Core Standards)

connection (2) – linked, related

↑
vocabulary
from the
standards

↑
frequency
of word
within the
standards

↑
grade-appropriate
definition

A

add – give more

B

blend (2) – say all the sounds together

C

categories – groups

clarify (2) – make something easier to understand

clearly – easy to understand

compare – look for similarities

compose (3) – write, make

confirm – check

connection (2) – linked, related

continue – go on

contrast – look for differences

conversation – two people talking with each other

D

description – words that tell about something

details – information about how something looks or acts

differences – things that are not the same

digital tools – computer programs

discussions – talking with other people

distinguish – tell apart

E

events – what happens in a story

expand – make longer

experiences (2) – what has happened to a character or you

express – say

Content Vocabulary – ELA Kindergarten

(from the Common Core Standards)

author (3) – person who wrote the book

↑
vocabulary
from the
standards

↑
frequency
of word
within the
standards

↑
grade-appropriate
definition

A

additional – more

adjectives – words that describe

affixes – parts of words added to the beginning or end of a word

alphabet – all the letters

author (3) – person who writes a book

C

capitalize – make the first letter uppercase

character (2) – person in a story

complete sentence – a sentence with a subject and a verb.

consonant (2) – a letter that is not a vowel

cover – the outside pages of a book

D

detail – information

E

events (3) – what happens in a story

I

illustration (3) – drawing

illustrator (2) – person who draws pictures for a book

informative – giving information about a topic

K

key details (6) – important information

L

lowercase (2) – smaller letter

Academic Vocabulary – Geometry

(from the Common Core Standards)

D

determine (*Units 1, 2, 6*) – to decide conclusively

derive (*Units 2, 4, 5*) – to create or develop from something else; often through observation of a set procedure

develop (*Unit 1*) – construct so as to improve something existing

disprove (*Units 4, 5*) – to convince or show to be false by logical argument

E

effect (*Unit 1*) – a change as a result of an action

establish (*Unit 2*) – set up on a firm or permanent basis

evaluate (*Unit 6*) – to find the value of

experiment (*Unit 1*) – (*noun*) a course of action taken without being sure of the outcome (*verb*) try new concepts or ways of doing things

extend (*Unit 3*) – to make longer or wider; continue

F

formal (*Unit 1*) – having a conventionally recognized form, structure, or set of rules

G

general (*Unit 6*) – true for all or most cases

generated (*Unit 3*) – produced by performing specified operations

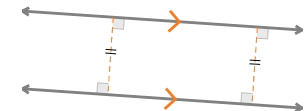
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Content Vocabulary – Geometry: Unit 4

(from the Common Core Standards)

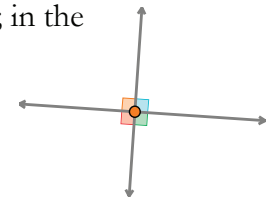
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parallel lines – two lines in a plane which do not intersect; in the xy -plane, lines with the same slope



perimeter – the distance around a polygon (see *polygon*)

perpendicular lines – two intersecting lines which create four angles of 90° ($\pi/2$ radians); in the xy -plane, lines with opposite reciprocal slopes



point – an undefined term; a location, sometimes shown with coordinates

polygon – a closed shape formed by line segments

R

rectangle – a four-sided polygon with all four angles of 90° ($\pi/2$ radians) (see *polygon*)

S

slope criteria (for perpendicular and parallel lines) – sufficient conditions needed to declare lines perpendicular or parallel based on the slope of the lines (see *perpendicular lines* and *parallel lines*)

Types of Text

8 Story

The Rabbit and the Turtle started to race. The Rabbit was winning, so he decided to take a nap. The Rabbit slept too long, and the Turtle won the race.



6 Information

Abraham Lincoln was born on February 12, 1809. He was the 16th president of the United States. Lincoln fought hard to end slavery.



8 Poetry

Rain, rain, go away!
All the children want to play.
Rain, rain, go away!
Come again another day.



8 Drama

Cast: John, Katrina

John: What are you doing?

Katrina: Homework.

John: Need any help?

Katrina: Sure! I can always use help with math.



Sample Mini-Poster
(Supplemental Material)

Kindergarten Writing Checklist

Narrative	Conventions
<p>Meets Expectations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Narrates a single event <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Names a place <input type="checkbox"/> Put events in order <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Uses only related events <input type="checkbox"/> Provides a reaction to what happened <input type="checkbox"/> Provides details 	<p>Meets Expectations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Spells correctly <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Spells simple words phonetically <input type="checkbox"/> Uses capitalization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Beginning of a sentence b. Pronoun "I" <input type="checkbox"/> Uses end punctuation <input type="checkbox"/> Writes simple sentences <input type="checkbox"/> Includes spaces between words
Opinion	Conventions
<p>Meets Expectations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> States preference or opinion clearly <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Names a topic or book <input type="checkbox"/> Links ideas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Connects sentences about one topic <input type="checkbox"/> Supplies details <input type="checkbox"/> Provides sense of closure 	<p>Meets Expectations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Spells correctly <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Spells simple words phonetically <input type="checkbox"/> Uses capitalization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Beginning of a sentence b. Pronoun "I" <input type="checkbox"/> Uses end punctuation <input type="checkbox"/> Writes simple sentences <input type="checkbox"/> Includes spaces between words
Informational/Explanatory	Conventions
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Sample Writing Checklist
(Supplemental Material)

Solving Math Problems

- 1 Determine what the question is asking.**
“What am I trying to find?”
- 2 Determine the math concept required.**
“What do I already know about this idea?”
“What operation(s) will I need to use?”
- 3 Determine relevant information.**
“What amounts am I given?”
“Which numbers do I need?”
- 4 Solve the problem, then interpret the answer.**
“What does my final answer mean?”
- 5 Check the reasonableness of your answer.**
“Does my answer make sense?”
“Did I answer the original question?”

Sample Mini-Poster
(Supplemental Material)

Presentation Techniques

for oral reports, speeches, and slideshows

Design

(provide an easy-to-follow line of reasoning)

- Select details that are relevant and important
- Organize evidence concisely in logical order
- Address opposing perspectives

Delivery

(be appropriate to purpose, audience, and task)

- Use proper eye contact
- Use adequate volume
- Use clear pronunciation
- Use proper style (images, timing, and gestures)

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Understand concepts of area and relate area to multiplication and to addition.

Standard	Learning Objective	Teaching Tips
3.MD.7 Relate area to the operations of multiplication and addition.		
d. Recognize area as additive. Find areas of rectilinear figures by decomposing them into non-overlapping rectangles and adding the areas of the non-overlapping parts, applying this technique to solve real world problems.	7.0d Find the area of composite shapes.	A composite shape is made up of two or more shapes and must be split in order to find the area.

Skill Development/Guided Practice

Solving Math Problems

- 1 Determine what the question is asking.
- 2 Determine the math concept required.
- 3 Determine relevant information.
- 4 Solve the problem, then interpret the answer.
- 5 Check the reasonableness of your answer.

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- 1 How did I/you determine what the question is asking?
- 2 How did I/you determine the math concept required?
- 3 How did I/you determine the relevant information?
- 4 How did I/you solve and interpret the problem?
- 5 How did I/you check the reasonableness of the answer?

Make sense of problems

Deep understanding

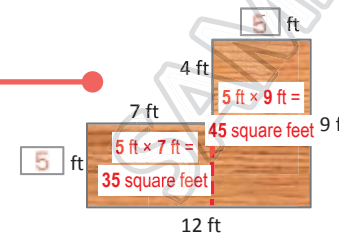
Attend to precision

Real-world problems

Application of math concept

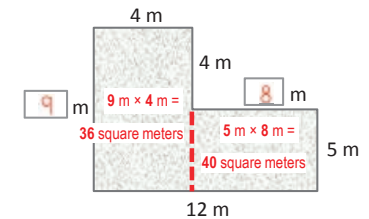
Dual Intensity: practicing and understanding

5. Hanna is building a desk in the shape shown below.
- a. Find the missing side lengths.
 - b. What is the total area of the desk?



Total area: **80** ft²

6. Caesar wants to tile his kitchen shown below.
- a. Find the missing side lengths.
 - b. What is the total area of his kitchen floor?



Total area: **76** m²

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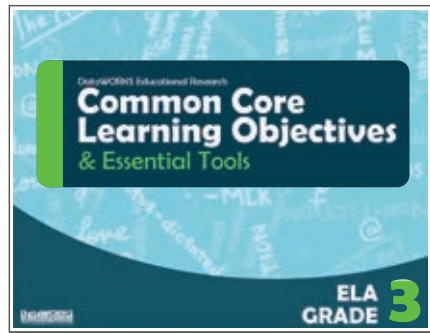
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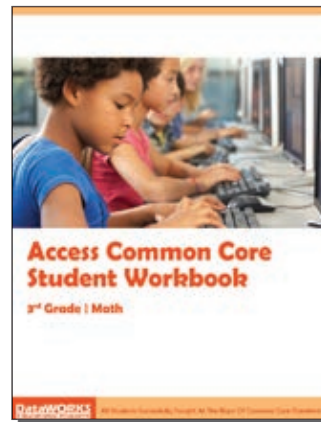
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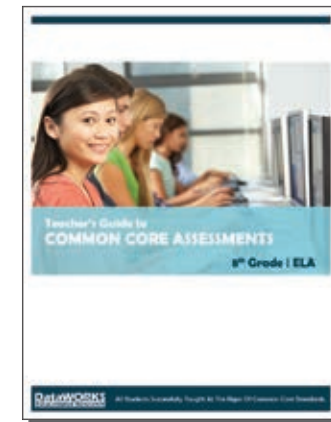
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