

English Language Arts Literacy Blocks



Read. Know. Build. Grow!

90 Minute Instructional Block Grades K-2

Time	Segment
13 mins	Opening - MTP
20-25 mins	Work Time - Core Curriculum {Read Alouds (with embedded Units of Study lessons)}
60 mins	Extended Reading/Small Group Rotations Students - 3 daily rotations <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 20 mins “Interest Independent Read”- 20 mins “Skill based independent practice” iRead Teacher - meets with 3 groups daily <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 5 mins check-in on Interest Read- 15 mins small group instruction on “Skills” acquisition
2 mins	Closing

*Students are required to log a minimum of 4 books per month for independent reading.

*Block components can be re-arranged as needed.

90 Minute Instructional Block Grades 3-7

Time	Segment
3 min	Opening - Core Curriculum
50 min	Work Time - Core Curriculum
35 min	Extended Reading/Small Group Rotations Students - 2 rotations daily <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 15 min “Interest Independent Read” or Reading Plus- 15 min “Content Independent Read” Teacher - meets with 2 groups daily <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 3 min check-in on Interest Read- 12 min small group instruction with Content Complex Text
2 min	Closing - Core Curriculum

*Students are required to log a minimum of 4 books per month for independent reading.

*Block components can be re-arranged as needed.

80 Minute Instructional Block Grades 8-12

Time	Segment
5 min	Opening - Core Curriculum
40 min	Work Time - Core Curriculum
30 min	Extended Reading/Small Group Rotations Students - 2 rotations daily <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 20 min “Interest Independent Read” or Reading Plus- 20 min “Content Independent Read” Teacher - meets with 2 groups daily <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 5 min check-in on Interest Read- 10 min small group instruction with Content Complex Text
5 min	Closing - Core Curriculum

*Students are required to log a minimum of 2 books per month for independent reading.

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