

## 4TH GRADE ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS PRIORITY STANDARDS- "I CAN..."

### Reading Foundations

- I can fluently read and understand fourth grade books and text. (RF.4.4)

### Reading: Literature

- I can explain a story by referring to details and examples in the text and make inferences about it. (RL.4.1)
- I can summarize a story and determine its theme. (RL.4.2)
- I can figure out the meaning of words and phrases in a fiction text. (RL.4.4)
- I can independently read and understand fourth grade stories, plays and poems. (RL.4.10)

### Reading: Informational text

- I can explain what informational text teaches me by referring to details and examples from the text. (RI.4.1)
- I can summarize a text, identify the main topic, and explain how key details support it. (RI.4.2)
- I can figure out the meanings of words and phrases in nonfiction texts such as science and social studies texts. (RI.4.4)
- I can use information from two different informational texts to help me write or speak knowledgeably about the topic. (RI.4.9)
- I can independently read and understand fourth grade informational texts. (RI.4.10)

### Writing

- I can recall what I have learned or find new information from books or technology to help me with my research. (W.4.8)
- I can gather evidence from fiction or informational text to support my investigation, thinking and research. (W.4.9)
- I can write an organized essay to share my opinion and give reasons to support that opinion. (W.4.1)
- I can write an organized essay to inform about a topic and clearly explain ideas to support that topic (W.4.2)
- I can write an organized narrative story that include details, description, and dialogue. (W.4.3)

### Speaking & Listening

- I can effectively participate in different types of academic discussions with different people. (SL.4.1)

### Language

- I can determine the meanings of words by using the strategies I have learned and by thinking about what I have read. (L.4.4)
- I can figure out how words are related and how their meanings might be similar. (L.4.5)
- I can show that I understand figurative language. (L.4.5)
- I can figure out the meaning of and use fourth grade words that are centered around a specific topic. (L.4.6)