

MONTH	Open Court Unit	Resources	SRA	Assessment Piece	Other
SEP	Review Weeks First 15 Days of Open Court	Power 1,2,2,2,1 CCSS: 3, 5 6 Trait: Conventions	1 st Writer's Guide Begin with lessons 1-5. Complete lessons 6-10 (computer editing) before winter break.	Narrative: How I spent my summer vacation.	End marks, capitals, complete sentences, proper use of lines and spacing, wrapping text, best spelling. CCSS: Elaborate. Sequence. Details that include actions, thoughts, feelings. Conclusion.
OCT	Sharing Stories (5 weeks)				
NOV	Kindness (7 weeks)	Power 1,2,2,2,1 CCSS: 2, 5 6 Trait: Organization		2 nd Practical Writing Complete lessons 1-10 in order.	Expository (Informative): Pilgrims or Columbus
DEC		Power 1,2,2,2,1 CCSS: 1, 5 6 Trait: Ideas	3 rd Descriptive Writing Complete lessons 1-10 in order.	Opinion on Kindness	End marks, capitals, complete sentences, proper use of lines and spacing, wrapping text, best spelling. CCSS: State opinion. Support with details. Conclusion.
JAN	Look Again (6 weeks)	Power 1,2,2,2,1 CCSS: 2, 5 6 Trait: Sentence Fluency		Expository (Informative): Three ways animals use camouflage.	End marks, capitals, complete sentences, proper use of lines and spacing, wrapping text, best spelling, extended sentences, variety of beginnings, indentation. CCSS: Introduce topic. Give facts and definitions. Conclusion.
FEB	Fossils (6 weeks)	CCSS: 5, 6, 7, 8 6 Trait: Presentation		4 th Research Writing Use format in SRA writing guide but use Dinosaurs as a top and Biography.	Research: Dinosaurs
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APR	Courage (5 weeks)	Power 1,2,2,2,1 CCSS: 3, 5 6 Trait: Voice & Word Choice	Explanatory: Tell about a time you were courageous.		End marks, capitals, complete sentences, proper use of lines and spacing, wrapping text, best spelling, extended sentences, variety of beginnings, indentation. CCSS: Introduce topic. Detailed directions. Sequenced. Conclusion.
MAY	Our Country and Its People (7 weeks)	CCSS: 1, 5, 6, 7, 8 6 Trait: Presentation		Research: Biography Book Report	End marks, capitals, complete sentences, proper use of lines and spacing, wrapping text, best spelling, extended sentences, variety of beginnings, indentation. CCSS: Gather information on topic from multiple books (resources). Produce report. Record science observations.
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