

# 8th Grade Language Arts Curriculum Map

	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May
<b>Core Knowledge Poems</b>	- Buffalo Bill	- Do Not Go Gentle into that Good Night	- How Do I Love Thee - How they Brought the Good News	- I Dwell in Possibility	-The Lake Isle of Innisfree	- Lucy Gray	- Mending Wall - The Gift Outright	- Mr. Flood's Party - Polonius Speech	- Ozymandias - Sonnet 20
<b>Core Knowledge Sayings &amp; Phrases</b>	Au revoir Avant-garde Bete noire	C'est la vie Carte blanche Cause celebre	Coup de grace Coup d'etat Deja vu	Enfant terrible Fait accompli Faux pas	Madame, mademoiselle monsieur Merci	Piece to resistance	Raison d'etre	Savoir-faire	Tete-a-tete
<b>Core Knowledge</b>	The Good Earth	The Good Earth	Short Stories	Short Stories	Pilgrim's Progress	Twelfth Night	Animal Farm	Essays Speeches	Poetry
<b>Grammar Magic Lens II</b>	Parts of Speech	Parts of sentences	Phrases	Clauses	Punctuation	Punctuation	Punctuation	Sentence Practice	Sentence Practice
<b>Latin/Greek Roots</b>	Word Within the Word Root Lessons 16-17	WWW:Root List 18-19	WWW:Root List 20-21	WWW:Root List 22-23	WWW:Root List 24-25	WWW:Root List 26-27	WWW:Root List 28-29	WWW:Root List 30	Root Review and Final
<b>Writing Process (Structure)</b>	- Expository paper - Review IEW - Writing techniques	- Expository paper: Good Earth - Final paper	Short story analysis	Short story writing	- Pilgrim's Progress - Allegory explained	Persuasive Paper	- Research paper - MLA format	Speech writing	Poetry writing
<b>Literature Terms</b>	Characterization - Conflict - Flashback and foreshadowing	- Antecedent	- Plot exposition Rising action - Climax - Falling action - Resolution	- Narrator/POV - Dialect - Dialogue - Moral - Theme - Suspense	Genre	- Tragedy - Comedy - Soliloquies	- Asides - Farce - Satire	- Irony	- Denotation - Connotation - Hyperbole - Idiom - Imagery - Metaphor - Simile - Oxymoron - Rhythm - Alliteration - Consonance - Paradox Personification - Symbols - Rhyme