

Arvon Twp School Core Curriculum Map Cycle A odd/even years first quarter	Reading	Writing	Spelling And Vocabulary	Mathematics	Science	Social Studies
Kindergarten First Quarter A Event[s]: * Constitution Day * Open House	“All About Me”; “Color is Everywhere”; “Just for Fun” [basal themes]	Alphabet, diagrams, creative writing, cards, menus	Spelling- Phonemic awareness, phonics, high frequency words Vocabulary- using context	Sort, classify, patterns, numbers 0-12	K- 2: Earth Science- Earth materials, landforms, water on and under the Earth’s surface, properties of water	K-2: Historical thinking- Living and Working Together in our community Geographic thinking- Our Township and its neighbors
First Grade First Quarter A Event[s]: * Constitution Day * Open House	“Off We Go”; “The World Outside My Door” [basal themes]	Yesterday and Today, Poetry Nouns and Verbs	Spelling- Short vowel, long vowel Vocabulary- using context	Addition, subtraction, place value, data/graphing		

<p>Second Grade</p> <p>First Quarter A Event[s]: * Constitution Day * Open House</p>	<p>“Pet Show Today” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p> <p>Gail Gibbons [author study]</p>	<p>Parts and Kinds of Sentences, Paragraphs, Clear Common Nouns, Sequencing Steps, Time Ordered Words</p>	<p>Spelling- Short vowels,vce, consonant clusters</p> <p>Vocabulary- Using context, using a thesaurus, using a dictionary</p>	<p>Addition, subtraction, place value, data/graphing</p>		
<p>Third Grade</p> <p>First Quarter A Event[s]: * Constitution Day * Open House * MEAP</p>	<p><u>Maurice’s Room</u> [novel]</p> <p>“Oink, Oink, Oink” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p>	<p>Combining Sentences, Journal, Essay, Personal Narrative, Book Report</p>	<p>Spelling- long & short vowels, VCe, three letter clusters, diphthongs Vocabulary- rhyming words, word clues, multiple meanings, thesaurus, antonyms</p>	<p>Place Value [ch.1] Money and Time [ch.2] Addition and subtraction [ch.3]</p>	<p>3-4: Earth Science- Our Solar System; Fossils</p>	<p>3-4: Origin’s of Michigan’s Past Use Geography to Learn More About Michigan</p>
<p>Fourth Grade</p> <p>First Quarter A Event[s]: * Constitution Day * Open House * MEAP</p>	<p><u>Be a Perfect Person in Just Three Days</u> [novel]</p> <p>“It’s Cool. It’s School.” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p>	<p>Combining Sentences, Compound Predicates, Journal, Book Report</p>	<p>Spelling- consonant change silent to sounded, vowel changes long to short, word forms</p> <p>Vocabulary- thesaurus and dictionary use, clues, exact words homophones, suffix- y</p>	<p>Place value and money [ch.1] Addition and subtraction [ch,2] Relating multiplication and division [ch.3]</p>		

<p>Fifth Grade</p> <p>First Quarter A Event[s]: * Constitution Day * Open House * MEAP</p>	<p><u>Castle in the Attic</u> [novel]</p> <p>“Journey to Adventure” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p>		<p>Spelling- vowel changes, consonant changes silent to sounded, word forms</p> <p>Vocabulary-thesaurus & dictionary use, clues, exact words, confused words, metric measurement, idioms, blended words</p>	<p>Whole numbers, decimals, and integers [ch.1]</p> <p>Addition, subtraction and equations [ch.2]</p> <p>Multiplication [ch.3]</p>	<p>5-6: Earth Science: Weathering, erosion and soil; Plate tectonics, rocks, earth processes and fossils.</p>	<p>Three Cultures Interact in North America</p>
<p>Sixth Grade</p> <p>First Quarter A Event[s]: * Constitution Day * Open House * MEAP</p>	<p><u>Witch of Blackbird Pond</u> [novel]</p> <p>“Survival!” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p>	<p>Combining Sentences, Appositives, Story- plot, characters, dialog, setting</p>	<p>Spelling- silent consonants, vowel changes long to short, word forms</p> <p>Vocabulary-thesaurus & dictionary use, clues, informal meanings, compound words, homophones, Latin words in English</p>	<p>Operations with whole numbers and decimals [ch.1]</p> <p>Fractions and number theory [ch.3]</p>		<p>The World in Temporal Terms Overview and History of Ancient Civilizations of Western Hemisphere</p>

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Arvon Twp School Core Curriculum Map Cycle A odd/even years second quarter	Reading	Writing	Spelling And Vocabulary	Mathematics	Science	Social Studies
Kindergarten Second Quarter A Event[s]: * Parent/ Student/ Teacher Conf. * Holiday Program	“Family Time”; “ In the Barnyard”; “Nighttime” [basal theme]	charts, family postcards, invitations	Spelling- phonemic awareness, phonics, high frequency words Vocabulary- using context	money, addition, subtraction, geometry, fractions	K-2: Physical Science- motions, positions and properties of objects, classifying matter See above	K-2: Economics- How communities meet their wants and needs. See above

<p>First Grade</p> <p>Second Quarter A Event[s]: * Parent/ Student/ Teacher Conf. * Holiday Program</p>	<p>“Sharing Time” [basal theme]</p>	<p>Silly things, Storyboards, story, poetry, adjectives</p>	<p>Spelling- short vowel, long vowel</p> <p>Vocabulary- using context</p>	<p>money, addition, subtraction, geometry, fractions</p>		
<p>Second Grade</p> <p>Second Quarter A Event[s]: * Parent/ Student/ Teacher Conf. * Holiday Program</p>	<p>“Good Friends” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p> <p><u>Amelia Bedelia</u> [series study]</p>	<p>Complete Sentences, clear verbs, Poetry, Journal, Personal Narrative</p>	<p>Spelling- k or ck, double consonants, long a&e, -all, H- brothers, -nd, -ng, - nk</p> <p>Vocabulary- Using context, using a thesaurus, using a dictionary</p>	<p>money, addition, subtraction, geometry, fractions</p>		
<p>Third Grade</p> <p>Second Quarter A Event[s]: * Parent/ Student/ Teacher Conf. * Holiday Program</p>	<p>“Disaster” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p> <p><u>A Chair for My Mother</u> [novel]</p>	<p>Verbs, Punctuating Dialog, Commas in a series, Research Report, Play, Invitaion</p>	<p>Spelling- diphthongs, unexpected consonant patterns, r-control</p> <p>Vocabulary- exact words, choose correct meanings, synonyms and antonyms, words from other languages, measurements</p>	<p>...cont ... Addition and subtraction [ch.3]</p> <p>Measurement [ch.4]</p> <p>Multiplication concepts [ch.5]</p>	<p>3-4: Physical Science- Heat, electricity, and magnetism; Properties and states of matter.</p> <p>See above</p>	<p>3-4: Cultural Interactions in Early Michigan</p> <p>European Exploration of North America</p> <p>See above</p>

<p>Fourth Grade</p> <p>Second Quarter A Event[s]: * Parent/ Student/ Teacher Conf. * Holiday Program</p>	<p>“Super Slueth” [basal theme]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p> <p><u>Helen Keller</u> [novel]</p>	<p>Verb Tenses, Compound Sentences, Compare/ Contrast Paragraphs, Friendly Letter, Research Report, Paraphrasing</p>	<p>Spelling- word forms, vowel change schwa to short vowel</p> <p>Vocabulary- confused words, antonyms, blending word parts, suffixes</p>	<p>...cont... Relating multiplication and division [ch.3]</p> <p>Measurement and negative numbers [ch.6]</p> <p>Multiplication of whole numbers [ch.4]</p>		
<p>Fifth Grade</p> <p>Second Quarter A Event[s]: * Parent/ Student/ Teacher Conf. * Holiday Program</p>	<p>“Try to See It My Way” [basal theme]</p> <p><u>Tuck Everlasting</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contract</p>	<p>Subject-verb Agreement, Irregular Verb Tenses, News Article, Paraphrasing, Business Letter, Research Report</p>	<p>Spelling- word forms, vowel changes long to short & schwa to short, consonant changes</p> <p>Vocabulary- compound words, homophones, multiple meanings, Latin roots, words from names, confused words</p>	<p>... cont ... Multiplication [ch.3]</p> <p>Division and equations [ch.4]</p> <p>Number theory and addition and subtraction of fractions [ch.7]</p>	<p>5-6: Physical Science- Potential and kinetic energy; Transferring energy; Changes and conservation of matter</p>	<p>Settlement of North American Colonies</p>
<p>Sixth Grade</p> <p>Second Quarter A Event[s]: * Parent/ Student/ Teacher Conf. * Holiday Program</p>	<p>“Unwrapping Ancient Mysteries” [basal theme]</p> <p><u>Stuart Little</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contract</p>	<p>Regular & Irregular Verbs, Comparing & Elaborating w/ Adjectives, Double Negatives, Instructions, Biographical Sketch, Essay</p>	<p>Spelling- vowel changes schwa to short, word forms, absorbed prefixes, word roots</p> <p>Vocabulary- multiple meanings, exact words, idioms, homophones, antonyms, synonyms</p>	<p>Operations with fractions [ch.4]</p> <p>Integers and rational number [ch.6]</p>		<p>Era 1- The Beginnings of Human Society</p>

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Kindergarten Third Quarter A Event[s]: * Reading Month * Jump-Rope for Heart *Western UP Science Fair * Terra Nova	“Lets Be Friends, Playful Pets”, “I Can Do Anything” [basal themes]	K-1: Sequencing; fish reports; poetry; description; Power Write nouns/verbs	Spelling- Initial sounds, high frequency Vocabulary- using context	Time, Calendar, Measurement	K-2: Science Processes- plan, conduct, and report simple investigations	K-2: History, principles and people behind American democracy
First Grade Third Quarter A Event[s]: * Reading Month * Jump-Rope for Heart *Western UP Science Fair * Terra Nova	“Unexpected Guests”; “Family Treasures” [basal themes]		Spelling- long vowels, vowel teams Vocabulary- using context	Time, Calendar, Measurement		
					See above	See above

<p>Second Grade</p> <p>Third Quarter A Event[s]: * Reading Month * Jump-Rope for Heart *Western UP Science Fair * Terra Nova</p>	<p><u>Nate the Great and the Missing Key</u> [novel]</p> <p><u>The Dinosaur's Paw</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contract</p>	<p>Friendly Letter, Addresses, Invitation, Nouns-Common, Pronouns, Proper & Irregular , Persuasion, Sequencing,</p>	<p>Spelling- plural endings, long o&i, 'oo', 'ow", compound words, -y, homophones</p> <p>Vocabulary- Using context, using a thesaurus, using a dictionary</p>	<p>Time, Calendar, Measurement</p> <p>multiplication and division</p>		
<p>Third Grade</p> <p>Third Quarter A Event[s]: * Reading Month * Jump-Rope for Heart *Western UP Science Fair * Terra Nova</p>	<p><u>There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom</u> [novel]</p> <p><u>The Good Dog</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p>	<p>Combining Sentences, Explanation, Instructions, Description, Adjectives, Compare/ Contrast Paragraph, Letter</p>	<p>Spelling- plural endings, long o&i, 'oo', 'ow", compound words, -y, homophones</p> <p>Vocabulary- using context, using a thesaurus, using a dictionary</p>	<p>Multiplication facts [ch.6]</p> <p>Geometry and measurement [ch.7]</p> <p>Division concepts [ch.8]</p>	<p>3-4: Science Processes- Plan and conduct simple and fair investigations</p> <p>Human Body- Digestive, Circulatory & Nervous Systems, Keeping your Body Systems Healthy</p>	<p>3-4: Michigan's political and economic roots</p> <p>A New Environment [migration and immigration in Michigan]</p>
<p>Fourth Grade</p> <p>Third Quarter A Event[s]: * Reading Month * Jump-Rope for Heart *Western UP Science Fair * Terra Nova</p>	<p><u>The Whipping Boy</u> [novel]</p> <p><u>Maniac Magee</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p>	<p>Play, Adjectives, Description, Essay, Poem, Adverbs, Punctuating Dialog, Story w/ plot, characters, dialog, setting and details</p>	<p>Spelling- word forms, vowel changes schwa to long vowel, consonant changes</p> <p>Vocabulary- multiple meanings, words from Spanish, suffixes</p>	<p>One-digit divisors [ch.5]</p> <p>Geometry and Measurement [ch.10]</p>		

<p>Fifth Grade</p> <p>Third Quarter A Event[s]: * Reading Month * Jump-Rope for Heart *Western UP Science Fair * Terra Nova</p>	<p><u>Jacob Two-Two Meets the Hooded Fang</u> [novel]</p> <p><u>Snow Treasure</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contracts</p>	<p>Adjectives, Verbs, Pronouns, Description, Friendly Letter, Poem, Message, Compound Subjects and Predicates, Answering an Essay Question, Personal Narrative, Play, Punctuating Dialogue</p>	<p>Spelling- word forms, word roots, consonant changes sound of t, vowel changes</p> <p>Vocabulary- word history, exact words, onomatopoeia, regional differences, multiple meanings, antonyms</p>	<p>Multiplication and division of fractions [ch.8]</p> <p>Measurement and integers [ch.5]</p> <p>Geometry and measurement [ch.10]</p>	<p>5-6 Science processes- Design and conduct scientific investigations, Evaluate scientific explanations based on current evidence and scientific principles</p>	<p>American Revolution</p>
<p>Sixth Grade</p> <p>Third Quarter A Event[s]: * Reading Month * Jump-Rope for Heart *Western UP Science Fair * Terra Nova</p>	<p><u>Door in the Wall</u> [novel]</p> <p><u>The Push Cart War</u> [novel]</p>	<p>Indefinite, Subject & Object Pronouns, who, whose, & whom, Friendly Letter, Compare/ Contrast, Persuasion, Research Report</p>	<p>Spelling- consonant changes t to ce, vowel changes, Latin word roots, word forms</p> <p>Vocabulary- confused words, exact words, antonyms, word roots, word histories, words from myths</p>	<p>Expressions and equations [ch.6]</p> <p>Ratio, proportion and percent [ch.7]</p> <p>Geometry of plane figures [ch.9]</p>		<p>Era 2- Early Civilizations and Cultures and the Emergence of Pastoral Peoples</p>

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Kindergarten Fourth Quarter A Event[s]: * Spring Program * Field Day	K-1: Poetry “Tell me a Story” [basal theme]	K-1: Comparisons; Poetry; Power Write Adjectives	Spelling- Spelling- initial & final sounds, high frequency Vocabulary- using context	Greater numbers, addition and subtraction	K-2: Life Science- compare living and non-living things; Plant life- needs, life cycle, parts, characteristics passed on from parents to young	K-2: US Civics, Citizenship
First Grade Fourth Quarter A Event[s]: * Spring Program * Field Day			Spelling- consonant clusters, diagraphs Vocabulary- using context	Greater numbers, addition and subtraction		
Second Grade Fourth Quarter A Event[s]: * Spring Program * Field Day	Poetry “That’s Incredible” [basal theme]	Adjectives, Describing in Spatial Order, Comparisons, Description, Sensory Details	Spelling- contractions, r- control, -er, -ed, -ing Vocabulary-using context, using a thesaurus, using a dictionary	Greater numbers, addition and subtraction		

<p>Third Grade</p> <p>Fourth Quarter A Event[s]: * Spring Program * Field Day</p>	<p>Poetry</p> <p>“Weather Watch” [basal theme]</p> <p><u>Skinnybones</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contract</p>	<p>Pronouns, Thank- You Letter, Taking Messages, Persuasive Essay</p>	<p>Spelling- soft-c, diphthong, -er or -le endings, a- or be- beginnings, contractions</p> <p>Vocabulary- exact words, compound words, homophones</p>	<p>Data and Probability [ch. 10]</p> <p>Fractions and decimals [ch.11]</p>	<p>3-4: Life science- Needs of living things, differences among the same kinds of organisms, how organisms characteristics aid survival, food webs and chains</p>	<p>3-4: Government in Michigan</p> <p>Economics in Michigan</p>
<p>Fourth Grade</p> <p>Fourth Quarter A Event[s]: * Spring Program * Field Day</p>	<p>Poetry</p> <p>“Meet the Challenge” [basal theme]</p> <p><u>James and the Giant Peach</u> [novel]</p> <p>AR Contract</p>	<p>Transforming Sentences, Pronouns, Commas, Business Letter, Instructions, News Article</p>	<p>Spelling- word forms, consonant change the sounds of t & c, vowel changes, silent consonants</p> <p>Vocabulary- regional differences, exact words, idioms, suffixes, words from names, shortened forms</p>	<p>Statistics and probability [ch.9]</p> <p>Fractions and mixed numbers [ch.7]</p> <p>Decimals[ch.8]</p>		

<p>Fifth Grade</p> <p>Fourth Quarter A Event[s]: * Spring Program * Field Day</p>	<p>Poetry</p> <p>“From the Prairie to the Sea” [basal theme]</p> <p><u>Hatchet</u> [novel] AR Contract</p>	<p>Clear Pronouns, elaborating with Adjectives and Adverbs, Transforming Sentences, Explanation, Double Negatives, Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases, Story w/ plot, characters, dialogue, setting</p>	<p>Spelling- vowel changes, word origins, word roots</p> <p>Vocabulary- exact words, Greek word parts, word roots, building words, Latin roots, synonyms, suffixes</p>	<p>Data, statistics and probability [ch.6]</p> <p>Ratio and percent [ch.11]</p> <p>Integers and coordinate plane [12]</p>	<p>5-6: Life science- Producers, consumers and decomposers; Communities of living things</p>	<p>Creating New Governments and New Constitution</p>
<p>Sixth Grade</p> <p>Fourth Quarter A Event[s]: * Spring Program * Field Day * Camp Nesbit</p>	<p>Poetry</p> <p>“Finding Common Ground” [basal theme]</p> <p><u>The 21 Balloons</u> [novel] AR Contract</p>	<p>Adverbs, prepositions, prepositional phrases</p>	<p>Spelling- consonant changes, vowel changes, word forms, word roots</p> <p>Vocabulary- word roots, confused words, words from names, exact words, connotations, synonyms</p>	<p>...cont. Geometry of plane figures [ch.9]</p> <p>Geometry and measurement [ch.10]</p> <p>Coordinate graphing, equations, and integers [ch.12]</p>		<p>Era 3- Classical Traditions, World Religions, and Major Empires</p>

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