

Date	Vocabulary	Grammar	Writing	Literature
Week One: 9/4-9/10	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Nouns & Pronouns	Growing the Intro/Conclusion – ROUGH DRAFT	Intro to Story/What is an Epic?
Week Two: 9/11-9/17	Study Synonyms	Action & Linking Verbs	Growing the Intro/Conclusion – FINAL DRAFT	Excerpt: <i>The Epic of Gilgamesh</i>
Week Three: 9/18-9/24	Test Your Word Power	Helping Verbs	Improving Writing Voice – ROUGH DRAFT	Excerpt: <i>Intro to Beowulf</i>
Week Four: 9/25-10/1	Write Sentences	Simple Verb Tenses	Improving Writing Voice – FINAL DRAFT	Excerpt: <i>Robinson Crusoe</i>
Week Five: 10/2-10/8	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Continuous Verb Tenses	The Descriptive Essay – ROUGH DRAFT	Read chapters 1-4 of <i>Johnny Tremain</i>
Week Six: 10/9-10/15	Study Synonyms	Perfect Verb Tenses	The Descriptive Essay – FINAL DRAFT	Read chapters 5-8 of <i>Johnny Tremain</i>
Week Seven: 10/16-10/22	Test Your Word Power	The Sentence	Using Figurative Language – ROUGH DRAFT	Read chapters 9-12 of <i>Johnny Tremain</i>
Week Eight: 10/23-10/29	Write Sentences	First quarter review	Using Figurative Language – FINAL DRAFT	Literature Outline
Week Nine: 10/30-11/5	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Adjectives	Literature Response	Poetry – Henry Wadsworth Longfellow
Week Ten: 11/6-11/12	Study Synonyms	Adverbs	Literature Response	Poetry – Emily Dickinson
Week Eleven: 11/13-11/19	Test Your Word Power	Adjective & Adverb Review	Literature Response	Excerpt: <i>Little Women</i>
BREAK: November 20 – 26 for THANKSGIVING				
Week Twelve: 11/27-12/3	Write Sentences	Subject Complements	Literature Response	Excerpt: <i>Little Men</i>
Week Thirteen: 12/4-12/10	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Direct Objects	Discussion for <i>The Red Badge of Courage</i>	Read <i>The Red Badge of Courage</i>
Week Fourteen: 12/11-12/17	Study Synonyms	Indirect Objects	Literature Response	Poetry – Edgar A. Guest
BREAK: December 18 – 31 for CHRISTMAS/NEW YEARS				
Week Fifteen: 1/1-1/7	Test Your Word Power	More Pronouns	The Narrative Essay – ROUGH DRAFT	<i>The Story of My Life</i>
Week Sixteen: 1/8-1/14	Write Sentences	Second Quarter Review	The Narrative Essay – FINAL DRAFT	Literature Response

Week Seventeen: 1/15-1/21	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Conjunctions & Compounds	The Historical Exposition – ROUGH DRAFT	Poetry – Langston Hughes
Week Eighteen: 1/22-1/28	Study Synonyms	More Conjunctions	The Historical Exposition – FINAL DRAFT	<i>The Voyage of the Dawn Treader</i> , chapters 1-6
Week Nineteen: 1/29-2/4	Test Your Word Power	The Run-on Sentence	Intro to Persuasive Writing – ROUGH DRAFT	<i>The Voyage of the Dawn Treader</i> , chapters 7-11
Week Twenty: 2/5-2/11	Write Sentences	Phrases vs. Clauses	Intro to Persuasive Writing – FINAL DRAFT	<i>The Voyage of the Dawn Treader</i> , chapters 12-16
Week Twenty One: 2/12-2/18	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Using Phrases – Prepositions	Literature Response	Literature Response
BREAK: February 19 – 25 for WINTER BREAK				
Week Twenty Two: 2/26-3/4	Studying Synonyms	Understanding Prepositional Phrases	Literature Response	Excerpt: <i>Island of the Blue Dolphins</i>
Week Twenty Three: 3/5-3/11	Test Your Word Power	Using the Clause	Essay Practice	Read <i>Redwall</i> – Book I, Chapters 1-10
Week Twenty Four: 3/12-3/18	Write Sentences	Third Quarter Review	Essay Practice	Read <i>Redwall</i> – Book I, Chapters 11-20
Week Twenty Five: 3/19-3/25	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Interjections & Direct Address/Parts of Speech Review	The Research Paper	Read <i>Redwall</i> – Book II, Chapters 1-11
Week Twenty Six: 3/26-4/1	Study Synonyms	More Parts of Speech Review	The Research Paper	Read <i>Redwall</i> – Book II, Chapters 12-23
Week Twenty Seven: 4/2-4/8	Test Your Word Power	Capitalization Rules Review	The Research Paper	Read <i>Redwall</i> – Book III, Chapters 1-7
BREAK: April 9 – 15 for EASTER BREAK				
Week Twenty Eight: 4/16-22	Write Sentences	Using the Comma	The Research Paper	Read <i>Redwall</i> – Book III, Chapters 8-15
Week Twenty Nine: 4/23-4/29	NEW LIST – Match Definitions	Semi Colons & Colons	The Research Paper	Writing a Book Review
Week Thirty: 4/30-5/6	Study Synonyms	Italics & Quotation Marks	The Research Paper	Biography of Choice
Week Thirty One: 5/7-5/13	Test Your Word Power	Rules for Writing Numbers & Review	The Research Paper	Biography of Choice
Week Thirty Two: 5/14-5/20	Write Sentences	Fourth Quarter Review	The Research Paper	Personal Response