$\textbf{Main Criteria:} \ \textbf{Classroom Supplement Units Kindergarten}$

Secondary Criteria: Missouri Grade and Course-Level Expectations

Subject: Language Arts
Grade: K

Classroom Supplement Units Kindergarten

Pre-writing

Missouri Grade and Course-Level Expectations Language Arts

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| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.3. | With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.4. | Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.5. | Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.10. | Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.2. | With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.4. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Integration of Knowledge and Ideas |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.7. | With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the text in which they appear (e.g., what person, place, thing, or idea in the text an illustration depicts). |
| GLE / | RI.K.8. | With prompting and support, identify the reasons an author gives to support points |

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| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.10. | Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Print Concepts |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.1. | Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(a) | Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(b) | Recognize that spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(c) | Understand that words are separated by spaces in print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(d) | Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonological Awareness |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.2. | Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(a) | Recognize and produce rhyming words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(b) | Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(c) | Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(d) | Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonent-vowel-consonent, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with /I/, /r/, or /x/.) |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(e) | Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonics and Word Recognition |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.3. | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(a) | Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent sound for each consonant. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(b) | Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(c) | Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(d) | Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Fluency |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.4. | Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG | MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |

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| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Research to Build and Present Knowledge |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.7. | Participate in shared research and writing projects (e.g., explore a number of books by a favorite author and express opinions about them). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.1. | Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about kindergarten topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(a) | Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(b) | Continue a conversation through multiple exchanges. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.2. | Confirm understanding of a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.3. | Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.4. | Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.5. | Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions as desired to provide additional detail. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.6. | Speak audibly and express thoughts, feelings, and ideas clearly. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.1. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(a) | Print many upper- and lowercase letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(b) | Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(c) | Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(d) | Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(f) | Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.2. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(a) | Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun I. |

| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(b) | Recognize and name end punctuation. |
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| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(c) | Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short-vowel sounds (phonemes). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.4. | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on kindergarten reading and content. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.4(a) | ldentify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing duck is a bird and learning the verb to duck). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.5. | With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(b) | Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(c) | Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(d) | Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs describing the same general action (e.g., walk, march, strut, prance) by acting out the meanings. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.6. | Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts. |

Unit 1

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| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
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| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.4. | Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.5. | Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| GLE / | RI.K.2. | With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text. |

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| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.3. | With prompting and support, describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.4. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Integration of Knowledge and Ideas |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.7. | With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the text in which they appear (e.g., what person, place, thing, or idea in the text an illustration depicts). |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.8. | With prompting and support, identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.10. | Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Print Concepts |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.1. | Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(a) | Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(b) | Recognize that spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(c) | Understand that words are separated by spaces in print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(d) | Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonological Awareness |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.2. | Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | | Recognize and produce rhyming words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | ` ' | Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L ` ´ | Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(d) | Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonent-vowel-consonent, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with /II, /r/, or /x/.) |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(e) | Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / | | Phonics and Word Recognition |

| RF.K.3(a) RF.K.3(b) | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words. Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent sound for each consonant. |
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| RF.K.3(b) | |
| | production and production of the most frequent sound for each consonant. |
| | Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels. |
| | Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does). |
| | Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ. |
| MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| | Fluency |
| RF.K.4. | Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding. |
| MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |
| | Research to Build and Present Knowledge |
| | With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question. |
| MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| | Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about kindergarten topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. |
| | Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion). |
| SL.K.1(b) | Continue a conversation through multiple exchanges. |
| MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| | Confirm understanding of a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood. |
| | Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood. |
| MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
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| | Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail. |
| | Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions as desired to provide additional detail. |
| SL.K.6. | Speak audibly and express thoughts, feelings, and ideas clearly. |
| MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| | Conventions of Standard English |
| | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. |
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| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(a) | Print many upper- and lowercase letters. |
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| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(b) | Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(c) | Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(d) | Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(e) | Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(f) | Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.2. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(a) | Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun I. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(b) | Recognize and name end punctuation. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(c) | Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short-vowel sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(d) | Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of sound-letter relationships. |
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| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
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| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.4(a) | ldentify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing duck is a bird and learning the verb to duck). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.5. | With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(a) | Sort common objects into categories (e.g., shapes, foods) to gain a sense of the concepts the categories represent. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(b) | Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(c) | Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful). |
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| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(c) | Understand that words are separated by spaces in print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(d) | Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonological Awareness |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.2. | Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(a) | Recognize and produce rhyming words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(b) | Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(c) | Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(d) | Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonent-vowel-consonent, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with /II, /rl, or /xl.) |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(e) | Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonics and Word Recognition |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.3. | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(a) | Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent sound for each consonant. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(b) | Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(c) | Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(d) | Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Fluency |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.4. | Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Text Types and Purposes |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.2. | Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose informative/explanatory texts in which they name what they are writing about and supply some information about the topic. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Production and Distribution of Writing |

| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.5. | With guidance and support from adults, respond to questions and suggestions from peers and add details to strengthen writing as needed. |
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| STRAND: BIG IDEA / | MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |
| STANDARD CONCEPT: GLE / | | Research to Build and Present Knowledge |
| BENCHMARK | WIC 0 | |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.8. | With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.1. | Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about kindergarten topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(a) | Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(b) | Continue a conversation through multiple exchanges. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.2. | Confirm understanding of a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.3. | Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.4. | Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.5. | Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions as desired to provide additional detail. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.6. | Speak audibly and express thoughts, feelings, and ideas clearly. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.1. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(a) | Print many upper- and lowercase letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(b) | Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(c) | Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(d) | Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(e) | Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(f) | Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / | | Conventions of Standard English |

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| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.2. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(a) | Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun I. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(b) | Recognize and name end punctuation. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(c) | Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short-vowel sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(d) | Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of sound-letter relationships. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.4. | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on kindergarten reading and content. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.4(a) | ldentify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing duck is a bird and learning the verb to duck). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.4(b) | Use the most frequently occurring inflections and affixes (e.g., -ed, -s, re-, un-, pre-, -ful, -less) as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.5. | With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(a) | Sort common objects into categories (e.g., shapes, foods) to gain a sense of the concepts the categories represent. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(b) | Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(c) | Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(d) | Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs describing the same general action (e.g., walk, march, strut, prance) by acting out the meanings. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.6. | Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts. |

Unit 3

Missouri Grade and Course-Level Expectations Language Arts

| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
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| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.2. | With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.3. | With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |

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| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.4. | Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.5. | Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Integration of Knowledge and Ideas |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.7. | With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the story in which they appear (e.g., what moment in a story an illustration depicts). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.10. | Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.4. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Print Concepts |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.1. | Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(a) | Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(b) | Recognize that spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(c) | Understand that words are separated by spaces in print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(d) | Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonological Awareness |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.2. | Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(a) | Recognize and produce rhyming words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(b) | Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(c) | Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / | RF.K.2(d) | Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in |

| PROFICIENCY | | three-phoneme (consonent-vowel-consonent, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with /II, /r/, or /x/.) |
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| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(e) | Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonics and Word Recognition |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.3. | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(a) | Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent sound for each consonant. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(b) | Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(c) | Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(d) | Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Fluency |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.4. | Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Text Types and Purposes |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.3. | Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to narrate a single event or several loosely linked events, tell about the events in the order in which they occurred, and provide a reaction to what happened. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.1. | Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about kindergarten topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(a) | Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(b) | Continue a conversation through multiple exchanges. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.2. | Confirm understanding of a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.3. | Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / | | Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas |
| BENCHMARK | | |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.4. | Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail. |

| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.6. | Speak audibly and express thoughts, feelings, and ideas clearly. |
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| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.1. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(a) | Print many upper- and lowercase letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(b) | Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(c) | Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(d) | Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(e) | Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(f) | Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.2. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(a) | Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun I. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(b) | Recognize and name end punctuation. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(c) | Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short-vowel sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(d) | Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of sound-letter relationships. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.4. | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on kindergarten reading and content. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.4(a) | ldentify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing duck is a bird and learning the verb to duck). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.5. | With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(b) | Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(c) | ldentify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(d) | Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs describing the same general action (e.g., walk, march, strut, prance) by acting out the meanings. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / | L.K.6. | Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, |

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| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
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| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.2. | With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.3. | With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.4. | Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.5. | Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Integration of Knowledge and Ideas |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.7. | With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the story in which they appear (e.g., what moment in a story an illustration depicts). |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RL.K. | Reading Standards for Literature |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RL.K.10. | Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Key Ideas and Details |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.1. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.2. | With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.3. | With prompting and support, describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Craft and Structure |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.4. | With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / | | Integration of Knowledge and Ideas |

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| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.8. | With prompting and support, identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RI.K. | Reading Standards for Informational Text |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RI.K.10. | Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Print Concepts |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.1. | Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(a) | Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(b) | Recognize that spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(c) | Understand that words are separated by spaces in print. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.1(d) | Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonological Awareness |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.2. | Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(a) | Recognize and produce rhyming words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(b) | Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(c) | Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(d) | Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonent-vowel-consonent, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with /II, /r/, or /x/.) |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.2(e) | Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Phonics and Word Recognition |
| GLE / COMPONENT | RF.K.3. | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(a) | Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent sound for each consonant. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(b) | Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(c) | Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | RF.K.3(d) | Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.RF.K. | Reading Standards: Foundational Skills |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Fluency |
| GLE / | RF.K.4. | Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding. |

| COMPONENT | | |
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| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Text Types and Purposes |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.1. | Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose opinion pieces in which they tell a reader the topic or the name of the book they are writing about and state an opinion or preference about the topic or book (e.g., My favorite book is). |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.2. | Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose informative/explanatory texts in which they name what they are writing about and supply some information about the topic. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.3. | Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to narrate a single event or several loosely linked events, tell about the events in the order in which they occurred, and provide a reaction to what happened. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.W.K. | Writing Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Production and Distribution of Writing |
| GLE / COMPONENT | W.K.5. | With guidance and support from adults, respond to questions and suggestions from peers and add details to strengthen writing as needed. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.1. | Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about kindergarten topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(a) | Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | SL.K.1(b) | Continue a conversation through multiple exchanges. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Comprehension and Collaboration |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.2. | Confirm understanding of a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.3. | Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.SL.K. | Speaking and Listening Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.4. | Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.5. | Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions as desired to provide additional detail. |
| GLE / COMPONENT | SL.K.6. | Speak audibly and express thoughts, feelings, and ideas clearly. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.1. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(a) | Print many upper- and lowercase letters. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(b) | Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. |

| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(c) | Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes). |
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| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(d) | Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(e) | Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.1(f) | Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Conventions of Standard English |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.2. | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(a) | Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun I. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(b) | Recognize and name end punctuation. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(c) | Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short-vowel sounds (phonemes). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.2(d) | Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of sound-letter relationships. |
| STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD | MO.L.K. | Language Standards |
| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.4. | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on kindergarten reading and content. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.4(a) | Identify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing duck is a bird and learning the verb to duck). |
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| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.5. | With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(a) | Sort common objects into categories (e.g., shapes, foods) to gain a sense of the concepts the categories represent. |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(b) | Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(c) | Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful). |
| INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY | L.K.5(d) | Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs describing the same general action (e.g., walk, march, strut, prance) by acting out the meanings. |
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| CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK | | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use |
| GLE / COMPONENT | L.K.6. | Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts. |