Kindergarten Student/Teacher/Parent Compact

2019-2020

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Kindergarten Priority Standards - Reading

- With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details.
- With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
- Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print.
- Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes).
- Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
- Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding.

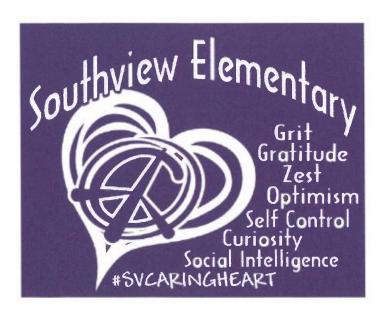


- Students are able to count, read, write, and represent numbers up to 31
- Students are able to compare and order whole numbers up to 31
- Students are able to compose and decompose numbers up to 10
- Students are able to recognize, create and extend patterns
- Students are able to recognize two and three dimensional shapes and use them to represent real world objects
- Students can measure and sort objects using measurable attributes



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Grade 1 Priority Standards - Reading

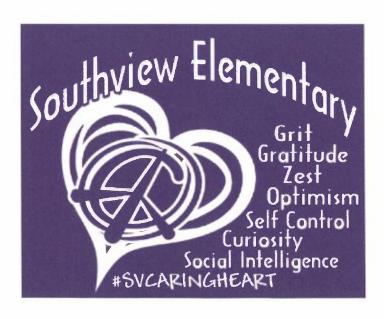
- Ask and answer questions about key details in a text
- Retell stories, including key details, and demonstrate understanding of their central message or lesson
- Explain major differences between books that tell stories and books that give information, drawing on a wide reading of a range of text types
- · Identify the main topic and retell key details of a text
- Describe characters, settings, and major events in a story, using key details
- Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension
- Use illustrations and details in a story to describe its characters, setting, or events
- Ask and answer questions to help determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases in a text
- Know and use various text features (e.g. headings, table of contents, glossaries, electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or information in a text
- Use illustrations and details in a text to describe its key ideas
- Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print
- Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes)
- Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words

Grade 1 Priority Standards - Math

- Use place value to describe whole numbers between 10 and 100 in terms of tens and ones
- Read, write, and represent whole numbers up to 120
- Find a number that is 10 more or 10 less than a given number
- Compare and order whole numbers up to 120
- Recognize the relationship between counting and addition and subtraction
- Skip count by 2s, 5s and 10s
- Represent real-world situations involving addition and subtraction basic facts, using objects and number sentences
- Use number sense and models of addition and subtraction
- Use addition or subtraction basic facts to represent a given problem situation using a number sentence
- Describe characteristics of two- and three-dimensional objects, such as triangles, squares, rectangles, circles, rectangular prisms, cylinders, cones, and spheres
- Measure the length of an object in terms of multiple copies of another object
- Tell time to the hour and half-hour
- Identify pennies, nickels, and dimes

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Grade 2 Priority Standards – Reading

- Recount stories, including fables and folktales from diverse cultures, and determine their central message, lesson or moral
- Describe how characters in a story respond to major events and challenges
- Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words
- Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension
- Acknowledge differences in the points of view of characters, including by speaking in a different voice for each character when reading dialogue aloud
- Identify the main topic of a multiparagraph text as well as the focus of specific paragraphs within the text
- Describe the connection between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a text
- Know and use various text features (e.g., captions, bold print, subheadings, glossaries, indexes, electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or information in a text efficiently
- Identify the main purpose of a text, including what the author wants to answer, explain or describe
- Compare and contrast the most important points presented by two texts on the same topic

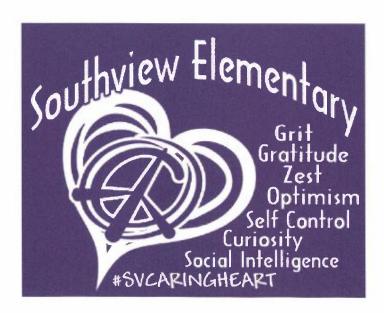
Grade 2 Priority Standards - Math

- Read, write, and represent whole numbers up to 1000
- Use strategies to generate addition and subtraction facts
- Use addition and subtraction to create and obtain information from tables, bar graphs, and tally charts
- Identify, create, and describe simple number patterns
- Use number sentences involving addition, subtraction, and unknowns to represent given problem situations
- Compare and classify two- and three-dimensional figures
- Demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between length and the numbers on a ruler
- Use time in real-world and mathematical situations
- Use money in real-world and mathematical situations
- Relationship between addition and subtraction
- Rounding/estimation



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Grade 3 Priority Standards – Reading

- Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.
- Recount stories, including fables, folktales, and myths from diverse cultures; determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text.
- Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of events.
- Distinguish their own point of view from that of the narrator or those of the characters.
- Compare and contrast the themes, settings, and plots of stories written by the same author about the same or similar characters (e.g., in books from a series).
- Determine the main idea of a text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea.
- Describe the relationship between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect.
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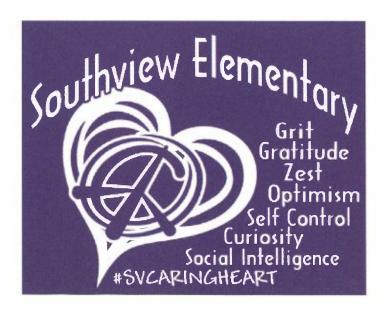
Grade 3 Priority Standards - Math

- Read, write and represent whole numbers up to 100.000.
- Use place value to describe whole numbers between 1,000 and 100,000 in terms of ten thousands, thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones
- Round numbers to the nearest 10,000, 1,000, 100, and 10. Round up and round down to estimate sums and differences.
- Compare and order whole numbers up to 100,000.
- Use a variety of strategies to <u>multiply a two- or</u> three-digit number by one-digit number.
- Understand that the size of a fractional part is relative to the size of the whole.
- Order and compare unit fractions and fractions with like denominators.



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Grade 4 Priority Standards – Reading

- Refer to details and examples in a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text
- Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text; summarize the text
- Compare and contrast the treatment of similar themes and topics (e.g., opposition of good and evil) and patterns of events (e.g., the quest) in stories, myths, and traditional literature from different cultures
- Determine the main idea of a text and explain how it is supported by key details; summarize the text
- Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text
- Integrate information from two texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably

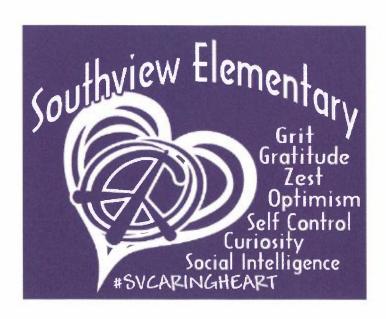


Grade 4 Priority Standards – Math

- Demonstrate mastery of multiplication and division basic facts; multiply multi-digit numbers; solve real-world and mathematical problems using arithmetic
- Represent and compare fractions and decimals in realworld and mathematical situations; use place value to understand how decimals represent quantities
- Use input-output rules, tables, and charts to represent patterns and relationships and to solve real-world and mathematical problems
- Use number sentences involving multiplication, division and unknowns to represent and solve real-world and mathematical problems; create real-world situations corresponding to number sentences.
- Name, describe, classify and sketch polygons
- Understand angle and area as measurable attributes of real-world and mathematical objects. Use various tools to measure angles and areas.
- Use translations, reflections and rotations to establish congruency and understand symmetries
- Collect, organize, display and interpret data, including data collected over a period of time and data represented by fractions and decimals

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Grade 5 Priority Standards – Reading

- Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text
- Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in a text; summarize the text
- Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described
- Determine two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details; summarize the text
- Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent
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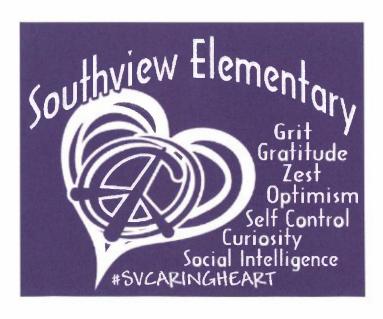


Grade 5 Priority Standards – Math

- Divide multi-digit numbers and recognize that quotients can be written as a whole number with a remainder, a fraction, mixed-number or decimal
- Read, write, represent and compare fractions and decimals
- Add and subtract: fractions, mixed numbers and
- Recognize and represent patterns of change using patterns, tables, graphs and rules
- Generate equivalent numerical expressions and evaluate expressions involving whole numbers
- Solve equations and inequalities involving variables and whole numbers
- Describe, classify, and draw representations of three-dimensional figures
- Determine the area of triangles and quadrilaterals. Determine the surface area and volume of rectangular prisms.
- Analyze data and identify mean, median, and range

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