Subject	September-November	November-February	March-April	May-June
	Genre-Narrative	Genre-Nonfiction/Informational	Genre-Opinion	Genre- Fairytales/Narrative
	Anchor Text-The Other Side	Anchor Texts – On the Day Peter Stuyvesant Sailed into Town	Anchor Text – I Wanna Iguana	Anchor Texts- Various Fairytales
Literacy *Foundational Skills As stated in the DOE Priority Learning Standards Overview, teaching foundational skills is paramount in grade K-2. Particular foundational literacy standards should NOT be singled out or identified. Thus, FUNdations curriculum will be covered in full progression, including all lessons focusing on Print Concepts, Phonological Awareness, Phonics and Word Recognition, and Fluency.	Essential Question: How does connecting with the character help readers connect to a story? Skills: *Guided Reading Procedures-Establishing routines and structures of readers/writers *Establish small group reading routines Sentence Structure-demonstrate appropriate conventions of grammar and usage when writing and speaking *Paragraph writing-leam the basic definition, parts and structure of a paragraph. Students will write a paragraph including a topic sentence, supporting details, and a closing sentence. Portfolio Piece: Traffic Light Writing Performance Task: Sentence Structure/Paragraph Writing Standards: R1, R2, R4, R7, R8 W3, W7 SL1, SL2, SL3	Essential Questions: How do readers compare and contrast two facts on the same topic? How do writers use explanatory details to develop points? Skills: *Understanding the main topic in a text, and find supporting facts to prove it. *Writers understand facts and definitions to develop points and help readers to understand what the author wants to explain. * Understand and explain the ways in which New York City and its communities changed throughout the 1600s–1900s. *Write an expository piece with a main point and supporting facts. Portfolio Piece: Performance Task: NYC Then and Now Standards: R1, R2, R4, R7, R8 W2, W3, W7 SL1, SL2, SL3 L1, L2, L4, L6	Essential Questions: Why does asking questions about a text, help readers understand it better? How do writers support opinions through reasons and explanations? Skills: *Ask and answer questions about details and information in a text. *Write an opinion using reasons to express their main purpose *To explore content, to recognize how people make choices based on needs, wants, and resources available Portfolio Piece: Opinions Matter Performance Task: Your Opinion Standards: R1, R2, R4, R7, R8 W3 SL1, SL2, SL3	Skills: *To identify the story elements of a fairytale *To identify the standard language of a fairytale *Compare fairytales using knowledge of fairytales to write and to create our own fractured fairytales with key elements building reading and writing connections through the genre. Performance Task: Fractured Fairy Tales Standards: R1, R2, R4, R7, R8 W1, W3 SL1, SL2, SL3 L1, L2, L4, L6
	L1, L2, L6 Time spent on math topics will vary, as each topic has a	Time spent on math topics will vary, as each topic has a different	L1, L2, L4, L6 Time spent on math topics will vary, as each topic	Time spent on math topics will vary, as each
	different number of lessons	number of lessons	has a different number of lessons	topic has a different number of lessons
	Concept: Place Value (Topic 9)	Concept: Addition & Subtraction (Topics 1-7)	Concept: Measurement (Topic 13)	No Geometry Standards identified as Priority for Grade 2
	Domain: Number and Operations in Base Ten	Domain: Operations and Algebraic Thinking, Number and Operations in Base Ten	Domain: Measurement and Data	
	Essential Question: How do you use place value to find the value of numbers and describe numbers in different ways?	Essential Questions: How can you use pattems and strategies to find sums and differences for basic facts? How do you use place value to add 2-digit numbers with and without	Essential Question: How can you use pictures, equations and number lines to solve word problems involving measurements?	
Math	Skills: Count in fives, tens, and multiples of hundreds, tens, and ones, as well as number relationships involving these units, including comparing; and Understand multi-digit numbers (up to 1000) written in base-ten notation Understand that the digits of a three-digit number represent amounts of hundreds, tens, and ones. Count within 1000; skip-count by 5s, 10s, and 100s	regrouping? How do you use place value to subtract 2-digit numbers with and without regrouping? What are some strategies for adding and subtracting 3-digit numbers? Skills Use their understanding of addition to develop fluency with addition and subtraction within 100 by applying their understanding of models for addition and subtraction	Relate addition and subtraction to length Recognize addition and subtraction situations involving totals and comparison in lengths. Add and subtract to solve measurement problems using pictures and equations. Add and subtract on a number line.	
	Performance Task: Reading Record Students use place value to describe a 3-digit number, compare numbers and look for patterns.	Fluently add and subtract within 20 using mental strategies. Performance Task: Stamp Collection Students will subtract 2-digit numbers with regrouping.	Performance Task: Fishing Fun Students will add and subtract 2-4 different lengths Standards: NY-2.MD 5	
	Standards: NY-2.NBT1 NY-2.NBT2	Standards: NY-2.OA 1 NY-2.OA 2	NY-2.MD 6	

Grade 2 Units at a Glance 2020-2021- Priority Standards Focus

Social Studies
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Unit Title: Our Communities Geography

Essential Question:

How does geography influence where people choose to live and why?

Skills

- Identify natural resources people use
- Understand how maps help people find locations
- Describe what landforms and bodies of water are in the United States

Standards:

NYSSSLS Geography 3.1

*Unit also covers the Next Generation Priority Standards for Reading, Writing, Speaking & Listening, and Language

Unit Title: New York City Over Time

Essential Question:

How and why did New York City Change over time?

Skills

- Explain who lived in New York City longago
- Identify what kind of buildings people lived in years ago
- Describe what kind of work people did in New York City

Standards:

NYSSSLS History of the United States and New York 1.2 NYSSSLS History of the United States and New York 1.3 NYSSSLS History of the United States and New York 1.4 *Unit also covers the Next Generation Priority Standardsfor Reading, Writing, Speaking & Listening, and Language

Unit Title: Communities

Essential Question:

How does the community in which you live affect the experiences you have?

Skills

- Recognize the differences between rural and urban communities
- Use details from the text to discuss communities
- Write about features such as plants, animals, and/or activities that can be found in each community

Standards:

NYSSSLS Individual Development and Cultural Identity 21 NYSSSLS Individual Development and Cultural Identity 2.2 *Unit also covers the Next Generation Priority Standards for Reading, Writing, Speaking & Listening, and Language

Unit Title: Rights, Rules, and Responsibilities

Essential Question:

How can we use knowledge and information to make decisions?

Skills:

- Understanding needs and wants
- Understanding how needs and wants can help us to make better decisions
- What are the needs and wants of different groups? (Classroom, school, community, family)

Standards:

NYSSLS Economics 4.1
NYSSLS Civics, Citizenship, and Government 5.1
NYSSLS Civics, Citizenship, and Government 5.2
NYSSLS Civics, Citizenship, and Government 5.3
NYSSLS Civics, Citizenship, and Government 5.4
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Standards for Reading, Writing, Speaking &
Listening, and Language