

Open Court 2000 Pacing Plan

Los Angeles Unified School District

Kindergarten

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Book A - School

September 2 - October 30 (42 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1-6 Boomer Goes to School	15
7-12 What Will Mommy Do When I'm at School	12
13-14 I Brought a Worm	2
15-19 Anabelle Swift, Kindergartner	10
20 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book B - Shadows

October 31 - January 29 (45 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1-5 Shadows	15
6-8 The Wolf and his Shadow	8
9-10 My Shadow	3
11-15 Bear Shadow	12
16-19 Nothing Sticks Like a Shadow	4
20 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

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Book C - Finding Friends

January 30 - March 12 (30 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1-7 The Lonely Prince	13
8-9 Making Friends	2
10-12 One Step Back	3
13-19 The Rag Coat	9
20 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book D - The Wind

March 15 - May 4 (32 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1-6 Gilberto and the Wind	12
7-8 The Wind	3
9-15 What Happens When Wind Blows	10
16-19 Wind Says Goodnight	4
20 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book E - Stick To It

May 5 - June 17 (31 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1-6 The Great Big Enormous Turnip	10
7-8 To Catch a Fish	4
9-14 Tillie and the Wall	9
15-19 Wanda's Roses	5
20 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

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Book A

September 2 - October 14 (30 days)

Lesson	Days
1-15 Unit 1: Look Who's Reading	15
1-15 Unit 2: Animals*	15

*Administer the Week 6 Assessment on the last day of the unit.

Book B

October 15 - December 1 (30 days)

Lesson	Days
1-15 Unit 3: Our Neighborhood at Work	15
1-15 Unit 4: Machines in our Garden*	15

*Administer the Week 12 Assessment on the last day of the unit.

Book C

December 2 - February 3 (30 days)

Lesson	Days
1-15 Unit 5: Things That Go	15
1-15 Unit 6: Captain Bill Pinkney's Journey*	15

*Administer the Week 18 Assessment on the last day of the unit.

Book 1 - Unit 1 - Games

February 4 - February 26 (16 days)**

Lesson	Days
1 Unit Opener/Introduction	1
2 A Game Called Piggie	2
3 Jafta	2
4 The Big Team Relay Race	3
5 Mary Mack/Fine Art	2
6 Matthew and Tilly	3
7 Unit Wrap-up	2

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Book 1 - Unit 2 - Folktales

February 27 - March 18 (15 days)**

Lesson	Days
1 Unit Opener/Introduction	1
2 The Chase	2
3 The Bossy Gallito	2
4 Anansi and the Talking Melon	3
5 The Three Billy Goats Gruff	2
6 Little Green Riding Hood	2
7 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Week 24 Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 3 - Keep Trying

March 19 - April 21 (19 days)**

Lesson	Days
1 Unit Opener/Introduction	1
2 The Little Red Hen	2
3 The Kite	3
4 The Garden	2
5 74th Street/Fine Art	2
6 The Way of an Ant	2
7 The Fox and the Grapes	2
8 The Hare and the Tortoise	2
9 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Week 26 Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 4 - Being Afraid

April 22 - May 14 (17 days)**

Lesson	Days
1 Unit Opener/Introduction	1
2 My Brother is Afraid of Just About Everything	3
3 Goblin Story	2
4 Something is There	1
5 Strange Bumps	2
6 Little Miss Muffett	1
7 Clyde Monster	2
8 The Cat and the Mice	2
9 Unit Wrap-up	2

Book 2 - Unit 5 - Homes

May 17 - June 17 (23 days)**

Lesson	Days
1 Unit Opener/Introduction	1
2 Homes Around the World	3
3 Building a House	2
4 The Three Little Pigs	2
5 Animal Homes	3
6 Make a Home	2
7 Home for a Bunny	2
8 The Rabbit Warren	2
9 Is this a House for Hermit Crab?	3
10 Unit Wrap-up	1
- Week 36 Assessment	1

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Getting Started

September 2 - September 15 (10 days)

Book 1 - Unit 1 - Sharing Stories

September 16 - October 31 (33 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Come Back, Jack	5
2 Story Hour - Starring Megan	5
3 Ant and the Three Little Pigs	5
4 Tomas and the Library Lady	5
5 Sequoyah...	5
6 Amber on the Mountain	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 1 - Unit 2 - Kindness

November 3 - January 21 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Mushroom in the Rain	5
2 The Elves and the Shoemaker	5
3 The Paper Crane	5
4 Corduroy	5
5 The Story of Three Whales	5
6 The Whales' Song	5
7 Cinderella	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

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Book 1 - Unit 3 - Look Again

January 22 - March 9 (33 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 I See Animals Hiding	5
2 Animal Camouflage	5
3 What Color is Camouflage?	5
4 They Thought They Saw Him	5
5 How the Guinea Fowl Got Her Spots	5
6 All Eyes on the Pond	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 4 - Fossils

March 10 - April 16 (23 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Dinosaur Fossils	5
2 The Dinosaur Who Lived in My Backyard	5
3 Why Did the Dinosaurs Disappear?	5
4 Monster Tracks	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 5 - Courage

April 19 - June 3 (33 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Molly the Brave and Me	5
2 Dragons and Giants	5
3 The Hole in the Dike	5
4 A Picture Book of M. L. King, Jr.	5
5 The Empty Pot	5
6 Brave as a Mountain Lion	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 6 - Our Country and Its People

June 4 - June 17 (10 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Immigrants: Coming to America	4
2 Dreamplace	4
- End-of-year Assessment	1

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3rd Grade

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Getting Started

September 2 - September 15 (10 days)

Book 1 - Unit 1 - Friendship

September 16 - November 7 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Gloria Who Might Be My Best Friend	5
2 Angel Child, Dragon Child	5
3 Stevie	5
4 Priscilla, Meet Felicity	5
5 The Tree House	5
6 How Sog Outwitted Leopard	5
7 Teammates	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 1 - Unit 2 - City Wildlife

November 10 - January 28 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 City Critters	5
2 City Lots: Living Things in Vacant Spaces	5
3 The Boy Who Didn't Believe in Spring	5
4 Urban Roosts: Where Birds Nest in the City	5
5 Make Way for Ducklings	5
6 City Superheroes	5
7 Sunflowers for Tina	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

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Book 1 - Unit 3 - Imagination

January 29 - March 16 (33 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 The Blind Men and the Elephant	5
2 Through Grandpa's Eyes	5
3 The Cat Who Became a Poet	5
4 Picasso	5
5 Roxaboxen	5
6 The Bremen Town Musicians	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 1 - Story Telling

March 17 - May 14 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 A Story, A Story	5
2 A Tale of Two Brothers	5
3 Carving the Pole	5
4 One History	5
5 Aunt Flossy's Hats	5
6 The Keeping Quilt	5
7 Home Place	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 2 - Money

May 17 - June 17 (23 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 A New Coat for Anna	5
2 Money, Money, Money	5
3 The Musical Palm Tree	5
4 Kids Did It! In Business	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

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4th Grade

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September 2 - September 8 (5 days) -

Book 1 - Unit 1 - Risks and Consequences

September 9 - October 31 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Mrs. Frisby and the Crow	5
2 Toto	5
3 Sarah, Plain and Tall	5
4 The King's Fountain	5
5 Mae Jemison: Space Scientist	5
6 Two Tickets to Freedom	5
7 The Girl Who Loved the Wind	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 1 - Unit 2 - Dreams to Jobs

November 3 - January 22 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Eddie, Incorporated	5
2 Elias Sifuentes, Restaurateur	5
3 Ice Cream Cones: A New Scoop	5
4 Food from the 'Hood: A Garden of Hope	5
5 Business is Looking Up	5
6 Birth of Baby Food	5
7 Salt	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

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Book 1 - Unit 3 - Mystery to Medicine

January 23 - March 10 (33 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Medicine Past and Present	5
2 Sewed Up His Heart	5
3 The Bridge Dancers	5
4 The New Doctor	5
5 The Story of Susan LaFlesche Picotte	5
6 Shadow of a Bull	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 4 - Surviving

March 11 - May 10 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Island of the Blue Dolphins	5
2 Arctic Explorer	5
3 Nachitos Teachings	5
4 McBroom and the Big Wind	5
5 The Big Wave	5
6 Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl	5
7 Music and Slavery	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 5 - Communication

May 11 - June 17 (28 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Whales: Songs from the Deep	5
2 Wordless Speech	5
3 Koko's Kitten	5
4 Breaking Into Print	5
5 Louis Braille...	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

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September 2 - September 8 (5 days)

Book 1 - Unit 1 - Cooperation and Competition

September 9 - October 24 (33 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Class President	5
2 The Marble Champ	5
3 Juggling	5
4 The Abacus Contest	5
5 S. O. R. Losers	5
6 Storks	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 1 - Unit 2 - Back Through the Stars

October 27 - January 22 (44 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Galileo	5
2 Telescopes	5
3 The Heavenly Zoo	5
4 Circles, Squares, and Daggers	5
5 Voyager to the Planets	5
6 A Meeting in Space	5
7 Stars	5
8 The Book That Saved the Earth	5
- Unit Wrap-up	2
- Assessment	1

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Book 1 - Unit 3 - Heritage

January 23 - March 17 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 The Land I Lost...	5
2 The Two Worlds: A Yup'ik Eskimo Family	5
3 The Night We Started Dancing	5
4 The West Side	5
5 Chinatown	5
6 The Night Journey	5
7 Parmele	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 4 - Civil War

March 18 - May 24 (43 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Half Slave and Half Free	5
2 Carrying the Running-Aways	5
3 So I Became a Soldier	5
4 Charlie Skedaddie	5
5 The Siege of Vicksburg	5
6 Under Siege	5
7 Emancipation	5
8 The Gettysburg Address	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 5 - New Frontier

May 25 - June 17 (17 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Buffalo Hunt	5
2 Old Yeller and the Bear	5
3 Death of the Iron Horse	5
- End-of-year Assessment	1

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29	30	31		

Getting Started

September 2 - September 8 (5 days)

Book 1 - Unit 1 - Perseverance

September 9 - October 24 (33 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 The Fire Builder	5
2 Amaroq, the Wolf	5
3 On Top of the World	5
4 Saint George Versus the Dragon	5
5 A Picture Book of Jesse Owens	5
6 Back to the Drawing Board	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 1 - Unit 2 - Uncovering the Past

October 27 - January 15 (40 days)*

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 Digging Up the Past	6
2 The Search for Early Americans	6
3 The Island of Bulls	6
4 The People on the Beach	6
5 His Majesty, Queen Hatshepsut	6
6 The Silk Route	6
- Unit Wrap-up and Research Presentations	2
- Assessment	1

*Time has been provided to complete the research process.

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January				
M	T	W	Th	F
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February				
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March				
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May				
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Book 1 - Unit 3 - Taking a Stand

January 16 - March 11 (38 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 The Pretty Pennies Picket	5
2 Class Discussion	5
3 The Grimke Sisters	5
4 I Have a Dream	5
5 A Long Way to Go	5
6 Gandhi	5
7 Sweeping Pittsburgh Clean	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 4 - Beyond the Notes

March 22 - May 18 (48 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	1
1 The Nightingale	5
2 Lady Merida	5
3 The Great Musician	5
4 The Sound of Flutes	5
5 The Man Who Wrote Messiah	5
6 Ray and Mr. Pit	5
7 Midori Brilliant Violinist	5
8 Mr. Einstein's Violin	5
- Unit Wrap-up	1
- Assessment	1

Book 2 - Unit 5 - Ecology

May 19 - June 17 (21 days)

Lesson	Days
- Unit Opener	2
1 Protecting Wildlife	5
2 Alejandro's Gift	5
3 Windows on Wildlife	5
- Unit Wrap-up	2
- End-of-year Assessment	2