FOURTH GRADE: REPORT CARD COMPANION DOCUMENT ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS

READING

Word Analysis, Fluency, Vocabulary Development, Word Recognition
Read grade level text fluently.
Use word origins for word meaning.
Use root words for word meaning.
Use Greek/Latin affixes for meaning.
Use thesaurus for related words.
Interpret words/multiple meanings.
Reading Comprehension
Use structural patterns in text.
Use strategies when reading.
Make predictions about text.
Evaluate information and hypotheses.
Compare/contrast information.
Use cause/effect, fact/opinion.
Follow multi-step instructions.
Literary Response and Analysis
Describe structural differences.
Identify story elements.
Identify causes/characters' actions.
Compare/contrast tales.
Define figurative language

WRITING

Writing Strategies
Write with focus, structure, etc.
Write multi-paragraph essay.
Write to convey information.
Write legibly in cursive.
Paraphrase information sources.
Locate information in texts.
Use various reference materials.
Know organization of reference materials.
Demonstrate basic keyboarding skills.
Edit and revise text.
Writing Applications
Write narratives.
Write responses to literature.
Write informational reports.
Write summaries.
WRITTEN AND ORAL LANGUAGE CONVENTIONS
Sentence Structure, Grammar, Punctuation, Capitalization, Spelling
Use simple and compound sentences.
Combine short and related sentences.
Use regular and irregular verbs.
Write quotations correctly.
Write titles correctly.
Capitalize proper nouns.
Spell roots, inflections, etc.

LISTENING AND SPEAKING STRATEGIES

Comprehension, Organization/Delivery of Oral Communication, Speaking
Applications
Ask thoughtful questions, etc.
Summarize major ideas.
Identify how language reflects regions.
Give directions and instructions.
Use introductions and conclusions.
Use structures to convey information,
Emphasize points logically.
Use details, examples, etc., to clarify.
Use volume, etc., appropriately.
Evaluate the role of media.
Make narrative presentations.
Make informational presentations.
Deliver oral summaries.
Recite brief poems.