

The Literacy Launch



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Early Literacy: www.scsk12.org/earlyliteracy/

Unit 1: Weeks 2-3

Week

2

Key Concept: Get Up and Go!

Weekly Texts: *The Big Book of Rhymes, Animals in the Park, Pouch! Baby Animals on the Move! "The Tortoise and the Hare"*

[Workstation Activity Cards](#)

[Wonders Practice Book Weekly Practice](#)

Week

3

Key Concept: Use Your Senses

Weekly Texts: *Senses at the Seashore, Sam Can See, I Can See, I Smell Springtime, Taste of Purple, Rain, A Feast of the Senses*

[Workstation Activity Cards](#)

[Wonders Practice Book Weekly Practice](#)

Word Work

Phonological/Phonemic Awareness: recognize rhyme; isolation, identify & blending phonemes; alliteration

Phonics: Letter/Sound: Aa, short /a/, Mm /m/; blend & build /m/ words & words with short /a/

HF Words: we

Fluency: Accuracy & Rate

Decodable Texts: *I Am; We Can*

Additional Resources: [Letter Aa](#), [Rhyming Sort](#), [Short Vowel /a/](#), [High Frequency Words](#)

Phonological/Phonemic Awareness: phoneme isolation; onset and rime blending; phoneme blending; phoneme categorization

Phonics: Letter/Sound: identify words with S /s/; blend words with S /s/; blend with s, m, and short a /a/

HF Words: see

Fluency: Pauses

Decodable Texts: *Sam; Sam Can See*

Additional Resources: [Letter S Beginning Sound](#), [Sounds of Letter Ss](#), [Quick Pick, Onset and Rime](#), [High Frequency Words](#)

Grammar & Writing

Handwriting: "Aa", words with "a"

Grammar: nouns

Category Words: family words

Writing: write about the text

Additional Resources: [Alphabet Formation](#), [Letter A Handwriting](#), [Nouns All Around Sort](#)

Handwriting: "Ss", words with "s"

Grammar: nouns

Category Words: sensory words

Writing: Write about the text

Additional Resources: [Letter S Handwriting](#), [Noun Game](#)

Comprehension

Essential Question: How do baby animals move?

Skill: Key Details

Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions

Academic Language: adventure, movement, arrived, exciting, exhausted

Additional Resources: [Reading Key Details](#)

Essential Question: How can your senses help you learn?

Skill: Key Details

Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions

Academic Language: senses, explore, feast, kneads, finished

Additional Resources: [Key Details](#)