

NSBSD CKLA Curricular & Assessment Calendars 2023-2024

Kindergarten

Instructional Window	Core Knowledge Units of Study	Instructional Window	Foundational Skills Units of Study	Assessment Window	Assessment
August 28 – September 22, 2023	Domain 1: Nursery Rhymes and Fables	August 28 – September 15, 2023	Skills 1	September 4 – September 29, 2023	BOY mCLASS
September 25 - October 6, 2023	CBU: I Can Read Signs	September 18 – October 6, 2023	Skills 2	September 15 - November 1, 2023	Alaska Developmental Profile (ADP)
October 9 - October 24, 2023	Domain 2: The Five Senses	October 9 – October 31, 2023	Skills 3		
October 25 – November 6, 2023	Domain 3: Stories	November 1 – December 1, 2023	Skills 4		
November 8 – December 8, 2023	Domain 4: Plants	December 4, 2023 – January 19, 2024	Skills 5	December 11, 2023 – January 19, 2024	MOY mCLASS
January 8 – January 26, 2024	Domain 5: Farms	January 22 – February 16, 2024	Skills 6		
January 29 – February 2, 2024	Nigliq: An Introduction to Trade and Holidays			February 1 – March 8, 2024	WIDA ACCESS for ELLs
February 5 - 23, 2024	Domain 6: Native Americans	February 19 – March 22, 2024	Skills 7		
February 26 – March 22, 2024	Domain 8: Seasons and Weather				
March 25 – April 15, 2024	Domain 11: Taking Care of the Earth	March 25 – April 26, 2024	Skills 8		
April 16 – EOY	Domain 12: Presidents and American Symbols	April 29 - EOY	Skills 9	April 22 – May 17, 2024	EOY mCLASS

First Grade

Instructional Window	Core Knowledge Units of Study	Instructional Window	Foundational Skills Units of Study	Assessment Window	Assessment
August 28 – September 22, 2023	Domain 1: Fables and Stories	August 28 – October 20, 2023	Skills 1	September 4 – September 29, 2023	BOY mCLASS
September 25 – October 18, 2023	Domain 2: The Human Body			September 15-November 1, 2023	Alaska Developmental Profile (ADP) <i>only for eligible first graders</i>
October 19 – November 17, 2023	Domain 3: Different Lands, Similar Stories	October 23 – November 22, 2023	Skills 2		
November 20 – January 19, 2023	Domain 4: Early World Civilizations	November 27, 2023 – January 19, 2023	Skills 3	December 11, 2023 – January 19, 2024	MOY mCLASS
January 22 – February 16, 2024	Domain 5: Early American Civilizations	January 22 – March 8, 2024	Skills 4	February 1 – March 8, 2024	WIDA ACCESS for ELLs
February 19 – March 8, 2024	Domain 6: Astronomy				
March 11 – April 5, 2024	Domain 7: The History of the Earth	March 11 – April 16, 2024	Skills 5		
April 8 - 26, 2024	Domain 8: Animals and Habitats				
April 2, 2024 - EOY	Domain 9: Fairy Tales	April 17 – EOY	Skills 6	April 22 – May 17, 2024	EOY mCLASS

Second Grade

Instructional Window	Core Knowledge Units of Study	Instructional Window	Foundational Skills Units of Study	Assessment Window	Assessment
August 28 – September 15, 2023	Domain 1: Fairy Tales and Tall Tales	August 28 – October 6, 2023	Skills 1	September 4 – September 29, 2023	BOY mCLASS
September 18 – October 13, 2023	Domain 2: Early Asian Civilizations	October 9 – November 10, 2023	Skills 2	September 15-November 1, 2023	
October 16 – November 10, 2023	Domain 3: The Ancient Greek Civilization				
November 13 – December 15, 2023	Domain 4: Greek Myths	November 13, 2023 – January 19, 2024	Skills 3	December 11, 2023 – January 19, 2024	MOY mCLASS
January 8 - 12, 2024	CBU: Brown Bear Stories				
January 16 – February 2, 2024	Domain 6: Cycles in Nature	January 22 – March 8, 2024	Skills 4	February 1 – March 8, 2024	WIDA ACCESS for ELLs
February 5 - 20, 2024	Domain 8: Insects				
February 21 – March 22, 2024	Domain 9: The US Civil War	March 11, 2024 – EOY	Skills 5		
March 25 – April 19, 2024	Domain 10: The Human Body				
April 22 – April 26, 2024	CBU: Comparing and Contrasting Iñupiaq Genres			April 22 – May 17, 2024	EOY mCLASS
April 29, 2024 - EOY	Domain 12: Fighting for a Cause				

Third Grade

Instructional Window	Core Knowledge Units of Study	Assessment Window	Assessment
August 28 – September 22, 2023	Unit 1: Classic Tales: The Wind in the Willows	September 4 – September 29, 2023	BOY MAP Growth (ELA & Math) BOY mCLASS
September 25 – October 20, 2023	Unit 2: Animal Classification		
October 23 – November 17, 2023	Unit 3: The Human Body: Systems and Senses		
November 20 – January 12, 2024	Unit 5: Light and Sound	December 11, 2023 – January 19, 2024	MOY MAP Growth (ELA & Math) MOY mCLASS
January 15 - 26, 2024	CBU: Our Words, Whale Snow, Compassionate Orphan: Grandparents and Grandsons		
January 29 – February 23, 2024	Unit 7: Astronomy: Our Solar System and Beyond	February 1 – March 8, 2024	WIDA ACCESS for ELLs
February 26 – March 22, 2024	Unit 8: Native Americans: Regions and Cultures	March 18 – May 3, 2024	Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Alternative Assessments <i>as indicated in students' IEPs</i>
March 25 – April 19, 2024	Unit 10: Colonial America	March 25 – April 26, 2024	Alaska System of Academic Readiness (AK STAR)
April 22, 2024 - EOY	Unit 11: Ecology	April 22 – May 17, 2024	EOY MAP Growth (ELA & Math) EOY mCLASS

Fourth Grade

Instructional Window	Core Knowledge Units of Study	Assessment Window	Assessment
August 28 – September 22, 2023	Unit 1: Personal Narratives	September 4 – September 29, 2023	BOY MAP Growth (ELA & Math)
September 25 - 29, 2023	CBU: Qupquġiaq: The Ten-Legged Polar Bear		
October 2 – October 27, 2023	Unit 2: Empires in the Middle Ages, <i>Part I Only</i>		
October 30 – November 22, 2024	Unit 3: Poetry		
November 27 – December 15, 2023	Unit 4: Eureka! Student Inventor	December 11, 2023 – January 19, 2024	MOY MAP Growth (ELA & Math)
January 8 – February 9, 2024	Unit 5: Geology	January 22 – March 8, 2024	National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) <i>select students</i>
February 12 – March 8, 2024	Unit 6: Contemporary Fiction	February 1 – March 8, 2024	WIDA ACCESS for ELLs
March 11 – April 12, 2024	Unit 7: American Revolution	March 18 – May 3, 2024	Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Alternative Assessments <i>as indicated in students' IEPs</i>
April 15, 2024 - EOY	CBU: Time and Ptarmigan	March 25 – April 26, 2024	Alaska System of Academic Readiness (AK STAR)
		April 22 – May 17, 2024	EOY MAP Growth (ELA & Math)

Fifth Grade

Instructional Window	Core Knowledge Units of Study	Assessment Window	Assessment
August 28 – September 29, 2023	Unit 1: Personal Narratives (19 days)	September 4 – September 29, 2023	BOY MAP Growth (ELA, Math, & Science)
October 2 – 20, 2023	CBU: Prosperity, Orphans, and Muialik		
October 23 – November 22, 2023	Unit 2: Early American Civilizations		
November 27 - January 12, 2023	Unit 3: Poetry	December 11, 2023 – January 19, 2024	MOY MAP Growth (ELA, Math, & Science)
January 16 – February 16, 2024	Unit 5: The Renaissance	February 1 – March 8, 2024	WIDA ACCESS for ELLs
February 19 – March 8, 2024	CBU: Children of the Midnight Sun		
March 11 - April 12, 2024	Unit 8: Native Americans	March 18 – May 3, 2024	Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Alternative Assessments <i>as indicated in students' IEPs</i>
April 15 – EOY	Unit 9: Chemical Matter	March 25 – April 26, 2024	Alaska System of Academic Readiness (AK STAR) Alaska Science Assessment
		April 22 – May 17, 2024	EOY MAP Growth (ELA & Math)