Cocalico School District Year-at-a-Glance - Curriculum Overview

Department:	Library
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Course: Library

Grade Level: 3

Big Ideas

- To independently navigate the library media center and media center resources
- To effectively apply the steps of the research process
- To know and understand the rights and responsibilities of being a global digital citizen
- To read and appreciate various genres of literature
- To effectively use and apply technology to accomplish learning goals

Units of Study	% of Course Time	Textbooks & Supplemental Materials	Assessments	Standards Addressed
Literature Appreciation: Students will learn to read and appreciate different genres and formats of literature both print and online through individual and shared reading activities.	20%	 Fiction and Nonfiction print materials Curated digital collections including Epic!, BookFlix, SORA Shared and individual reading activities 	 Teacher observation of student participation Weekly Book Exchange Completed individual or shared reading activities 	 AASL.V.A.1 AASL.V.D AASL.II.A.3 AASL.II.D.3 AASL.I.A.1 AASL.I.B.1 AASL.I.D.3 AASL.II.D.3 AASL.II.D.2
Research Process: Students will learn to conduct both shared and individual research using the steps of the Big 6 research process, with guidance and support.	35%	 Big 6 Research materials Online databases including PebbleGo, World Book Online, CultureGrams, Epic!, SORA, TrueFlix Non-fiction texts 	 Teacher observation of student performance Completed individual or shared research projects 	 AASL.I,A.1-2 AASL.I.B.1-3 AASL.IV.B.1-4 AASL.V.A.1-2 AASL.VI.D
Digital Citizenship: Students will learn to use technology when engaging responsibly and safely in communication with peers and teachers as well as learn to safely navigate the internet when conducting searches for projects or personal use.	15%	 Common Sense Media activities Computers Schoology 	 Completed Common Sense Media activities Teacher observation or student participation 	 AASL.II.B.1 AASL.II.C.2 AASL.III.A.2 AASL.III.B AASL.III.C.1 AASL.III.D.1 AASL.VI.A.1-3 AASL.VI.C.1-2 AASL.VI.D.1-3
Library Navigation: Students will learn to independently locate and access print and online material in the library through an awareness of library organization and knowledge of online catalog and database use with guidance and support.	10%	 Destiny Online Catalog Library print collection Online databases including World Book Online, CultureGrams, etc. 	 Weekly Book Exchange Teacher observation of student performance 	 AASL. I.B.1-2 AASL.IV.A AASL.IV.B AASL.V.A
Basics of Technology: Students will learn to use computers and iPads as effective learning tools, including to create written documents and multimedia presentations with guidance and support.	20%	 Google Drive tools including Slides, Docs Coding websites, robots Keyboarding websites iPads Laptops Schoology 	 Completed green screen projects Completed Google slide projects Teacher observation of student performance 	 AASL.I.B.3 AASL.I.C.4 AASL.II.D.2 AASL.III.B AASL.III.C AASL.III.C AASL.III.D AASL.IV.D.1

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Eagle P.A.C.T. Course Connections:

The library curriculum embodies the P in P.A.C.T. Problem solving and critical thinking are the foundational skills introduced in the research process. Making sound judgements, solving authentic problems, and reflecting critically are also integrated in research and in learning how to be a global digital citizen. Literature appreciation develops the ability to understand and balance diverse views and encourages adaptability and flexibility.