

Book Club G3 Syllabus

Course Description: Through short stories, fiction, and poetry reading, students will practice their reading comprehension skills and form a response based on their understanding. They will apply what they have learned through a final project at the end of each unit.

Weekly Assessments:

Vocabulary and Reading Comprehension/ Reading & Writing homework related to discussion

Unit 1: Short Stories

Objective: In this unit, students will build their reading and writing foundations. Before delving into chapter books, students will practice their reading comprehension and understanding a story's main idea and details. They will also strengthen vocabulary and spelling while learning to form written responses to the text.

Text Connection
Point of View
Story Sequencing
Reading Connection

Final Project: Response to Literature Reflection and Writing

Unit 2: Novels

[List TBD]

Objective: In this unit, students will learn to read longer texts through chapter books. They will continue to expand their vocabulary and spelling through weekly quizzes. Through in-class discussions, the students will also learn to engage with the story on a deeper and more thoughtful level. Through in-class writing assignments, the class will also build writing foundations as well as learning to write longer and more detailed sentences.

Characters & Theme Introduction
Reading Connection
Plot Understanding
Theme Analysis
Descriptive Writing

Final Project: Writing Project Outline + Writing Project Final

Unit 3: Poems

Objective: Students will read poems and learn to write one of their own. They will also compare and contrast the poem with a short story or novel they read from the past semester.

Compare and Contrast
Rhyme Pattern
Figurative Language

Final Project: Final Presentation/ Poetry Writing

