

KNOX COUNTY SCHOOLS CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT FIRST GRADE ELA YEAR AT A GLANCE



	MODULE 1	MODULE 2	MODULE 3	MODULE 4
TOPIC	My World & Animals, Tame and Wild	Communities	Changes & Treasures	What difference can a great idea make?
Writing Focus	Narrative	Informative	Opinion / Informative	Opinion
Cross- Curricular Integration	Social Studies: Home, Families, Friends School Helping Others Neighborhoods Communities Markets Pets and Needs People in Jobs People in Communities Communities over time Transportation	Science: Animal Habitats Adult and Baby Animals Animal Adaptations; Needs Animals in Danger Food Chains Living and Nonliving Interdependence; Insects Social Studies: Family Roles, Responsibilities Rules at Home and School Working together; Groups Community Resources Leaders, Laws, Cities, Farms, Suburbs	Social Studies: Communities Working Together Changes over Time Respecting differences Cultures; Beliefs; Customs Traditions; Celebrations Capitals, National Symbols Science: Growing, changing over time Plant Needs; Parts Plants Life Cycle of a Plant Life Cycles: Adaptations Seasonal Changes Animal Behavior, Weather	Social Studies: Working together Ranch Life Responsibilities; Family roles Personal Changes Citizenship; Responsibility Problem Solving Inventors/Inventions Communication Technology; Teamwork Communities Science: Plants; Seeds Solids, Liquids, Gases Evaporation Scientific Process Simple Machines
Vocabulary	pet, room, books, brother, sister, baby, yard, friends, property, fun, rest, play, school bus, backpack, learn, bust stop, market, shop, play, sleep, behavior, care, work healthy huge, carry, play, feed, watch, nest, burrow, web, park, camp	home, provide, classroom, student, library, stores, habitat, safe, water, search, hive, honey	morning, build, sunset, young, bigger, skill, baby, adult, seed, seedling, caterpillar, butterfly, freezing, north, south, gift, grateful, charming, clever, monument, leader, experience, remember, cradle, collector, invite, discover	occasion, solve, capture, release, investigate, clues, useful, tools, improve, task, possible, question