

Grade 4 - Year at a Glance

Trimester	Month	Reading Unit	Writing Block Focus
1	Aug.-Sept.	Launch (3-5 Days)	Narrative For supporting materials, see Unit 1: Raising the Level of Personal Narrative Writing and Unit 2: Realistic Fiction
	Sept.-Oct.	Unit 1 Interpreting Characters: The Heart of the Story	
	Oct.Nov.	Unit 2 Reading the Weather, Reading the World (Revisit text features)	Informational For supporting materials, see Unit 3: The Personal and Persuasive Essay: <i>Boxes-and-Bullets and Argument Structures for Essay Writing</i> or Unit 4: Informational Writing: <i>Building on Expository Structures to Write Lively Voice-Filled Nonfiction Picture Books</i>
	Nov.-Dec.	Unit 4 Historical Fiction Club	Historical Fiction For supporting materials, see Unit 5: Historical Fiction: <i>Tackling Complex Texts</i>
2	Jan.-Feb.	Unit 3 Reading History: NH History (Revisit text features)	Informational For supporting materials, see Unit 8: Informational Writing: <i>Reading, Research, and Writing in the Content Areas</i>
	Mar.-Apr.	If...Then Social Issues Book Clubs: Applying Analytical Lenses Across Literature and Informational Texts	Poetry For supporting materials, see Unit 6: Poetry: <i>Thematic Anthologies</i>
3	May-June	If...Then Learning Through Reading Westward Expansion	

*These are suggestions for your writing block instruction. See the ebook series *A Curricular Plan for the Writing Workshop* in the digital tote.