

This 40 week schedule represents about 9 months on the calendar, allowing for 175–180 days of instruction after accounting for breaks and holidays.

The following is a suggested outline showing how the pieces of your Grade Level Collection can be puzzled together over the course of the school year. Any of the elements can be staggered and/or spread out in order to meet your particular needs, creating a varied and comprehensive learning experience.

1 = Week Number  = 1 Week in Workbook  = Review or Complete  = No Assignment

Earlybird Year Pack A • 5 days/week, 20—35 minutes/day [or: 2 days/week, 60—90 minutes/day]; • 28 Weeks

Use 5 weeks to complete the story activities. Use week 6 for projects. Use week 7 for discussion and review.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	34	36	37	38	39	40
Fall							Lionni							Winter							McCloskey																		

Taxonomy of Living Things: Introduction to Animals • 1 day/week, 60 minutes/day • 13 Weeks

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	34	36	37	38	39	40
																												1 Chapter Each Week											

Storymaker A: Farm Tales • 1 day/week, 30—45 minutes/day • 30 Weeks

Use 2 weeks to write 2 stories, 1 each week. On week 3, choose one story to edit and rewrite in the student's best handwriting.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	34	36	37	38	39	40		
2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		2 Stories		Overall Review													

Operation Lexicon: Word Collecting • 2 days/week, 15—30 minutes/day • 12 Weeks

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	34	36	37	38	39	40
																				Weeks 1-4								Weeks 5-8								Weeks 9-12			

Calendar of Days • 5 days/week, 15 minutes/day • 40 Weeks

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	34	36	37	38	39	40