

COWLISHAW ELEMENTARY PROJECT ARROW

3rd

3PA curriculum is aligned to 4th Grade Literary & Informational Text Common Core State Standards. Students' ELA learning will be enriched as they continue to build important reading skills and grow their vocabularies through challenging literature, articles, and other sources of information. Students will develop their ability to explain clearly in detail what they have read, by referring to details & information from the text. Below is a sample of the learning your child will explore in 3rd grade Project Arrow.

Grammar Island

3PA students will learn the rules of spoken and written language throughout the school year. Students will explore:

- 8 Parts of Speech
- Parts of the Sentence
- Prepositional Phrases



QUARTER 1

Literary Journeys

- Draw upon specific details in the text to describe central story elements.
- Identify the theme or main idea of a story, play, or poem.
- Explain how an author uses facts, details, & evidence to support their ideas.

QUARTER 2

Literary Journeys

- Compare ideas, characters, events, and settings in stories and myths.
- Paraphrase and respond to information presented in discussions, such as comparing and contrasting ideas and analyzing evidence speakers use to support ideas.
- Write summaries or opinions about topics supported with a set of well-organized facts, details, and examples.



QUARTER 3

Ancient Egypt

- Read and understand information presented in charts, graphs, timelines, and other illustrations.
- Compare stories from different cultures.
- Learn and use new words, including words from specific subjects.

QUARTER 4

Ancient Egypt

- Independently conduct short research projects by collecting notes and organizing information from books, articles, and online sources to learn more about a topic.
- Orally report on a topic using relevant, organized facts and details, while speaking clearly.



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