		6th Grade Reading August/September	
Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
1 (8/29-9/2)	Predicting	Skill Lesson (Sequence)- "Jerry Takes Off " Main Selection- "Tony and the Snark" **Selection Test – Use as a teaching tool. Do together.**	1: 20- 21 1: 22-38
2 (9/5 – 9/9) **Labor Day 9/5**	Predicting (NF)	Skill Lesson(Author's Viewpoint) – "Play Ball" Main Selection-"Teammates" **Selection Test** Paired Selection = "Swimming for the Gold" **(Focus on NF text features)**	1: 44-45 1: 46-59 1: 41-43
3 (9/12-9/16)	Predicting (NF) Predicting (NF) * Do during content area…	Skill Lesson(Generalizing)- "The Key" Main Selection- "Hot Dogs and Bamboo Shoots" (Selection reads as fiction) Paired Selection = "Society and Cultures" **Selection Test** *Science or Social Studies text (or other short expository piece that lends itself to the features of nonfiction text)	1: 84-85 1: 87-99 1: 102-103 - teacher choice

		6th Grade Reading September/October	
Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
4 (9/19-9/23)	Predicting(F) Predicting (NF) * Do during content area…	Skill Lesson(Character)- "Granny's Chair" Main Selection = "The Telephone Call" **Selection Test** *Science or Social Studies text (or other short expository piece that lends itself to the features of nonfiction text) **(Focus for NF Predicting)**	1: 104-105 1: 106-125 - teacher's choice
5 9/26-9/30)	Summarizing (F) *Plot Summary*	Skill Lesson(Making Judgments)- "The Truth About Wolves" Main Selection- "A Trouble-Making Crow" Paired Selection-"The Crow and the Pitcher" **Selection Test**	2: 140 - 141 2: 142-160 2: 161
6 10/3-10/7)	Summarizing (F) *Plot Summary Identifies Theme*	Skill Lesson (Predicting)- "At the Water's Edge" Main Selection-"From a Spark" Paired Selection- "Wilderness Challenge" **Selection Test**	2: 162-163 2: 164-177 2: 178-179

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7 (10/10-10/14) **10/10** **Columbus Day**	Summarizing (F/NF) *Plot Summary Identifies Theme* *First and Last Sentences Repeated Words and Synonyms*	Skill Lesson (Setting)-"The Glittering Cloud" Main Selection- "Storm-of-Dust" Paired Selection- "What is a Drought?" **Selection Test**	2: 180-181 2: 182-201 2: 204-205
8 (10/17-10/21) **End of 1st Quarter**	Summarizing (NF) *Combine Strategies*	Skill Lesson (Drawing Conclusions)-"To the Rescue" Main Selection- "Elizabeth Blackwell" *Selection is a play based on the life of Elizabeth Blackwell. The paired selection or other bookroom resource should be used for the strategy lesson. Paired Selection-"She's the Boss" **Selection Test**	3: 254-255 3: 256-279 3: 282-283
9 (10/24-10/28) **10/27 - 10/28** **PT Conferences**	Summarize (NF) *Combine Strategies*	*Science or Social Studies text (or other short expository piece that lends itself to the features of nonfiction text)	- teacher choice

		6th Grade Reading October/November/Dec.	
Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
10 (10/31-11/4)	Summarize	Poetry Selections from Units 1 & 2 Vocabulary Lesson – "The Paralympics"	Teacher choice 3: 308
11 (11/7-11/11) **11/11 Veterans Day**	Summarize (NF) *Details and Similar Words*	Skill Lesson (Cause and Effect) – "Sunday Visitors" Main Selection- "Wilma Unlimited" (Reads as fiction) **Selection Test**	3: 306-307 3: 309-320
12 (11/14-11/18	Summarizing (NF) Connecting	Paired Selection – "What Is Earth's Place in Space?" Main Selection – "The Night of the Pomegranate" **Selection Test**	3: 354-355 3: 342-351
13 & 14 (11/21-12/2) **11/23 – 11/25 Thanks-giving Break**	Summarizing (NF) Connecting	Skill Lesson (Summarizing) – "Winners Never Quit" Main Selection – "Casey at the Bat" **Selection Test** ISAT PREP RECOMMENDED	3: 324-325 3: 326-335
15 (12/5-12/9)	Connecting	***Novel Unit** ISAT PREP RECOMMENDED	
16 (12/12 – 12/16)	Connecting	***Novel Unit** ISAT PREP RECOMMENDED	

		6th Grade Reading December/January	
Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
17 (12/19 – 12/20) **Winter Break begins 12/21**	Connecting Summarizing Fiction ***Theme***	***Novel Unit** ISAT PREP RECOMMENDED	
18 (1/2-1/6) **No School 1/2**	Inferring *Oral Discussion Inferring * Review Connecting while reading main selection	*Introduce inferring with the use of comics, magazine advertisements, 2nd Step pictures, etc. Skill Lesson (Drawing Conclusions) "Dumfounded" Main Selection – "Spring Paint" **Selection Test** **ISAT PREP**	 4: 366 -367 4: 368 – 378
19 (1/9-1/13) **End of Second Quarter** **1/13 Institute Day**	Inferring	Skill Lesson – "The Sailor & The Fly" Main Selection – "A Brother's Promise" Paired Selection – "Symbols That Make Us Proud" **Selection Test** **ISAT PREP**	4: 386-387 4: 389 – 403 4: 406 – 407
20 (1/16-1/20) **1/16 MLK Day**	Inferring	Skill Lesson (Author's Purpose) "The Tortoise and The Tree" Main Selection "The Gold Coin" Poetry Unit 4 **Selection Test** **ISAT PREP**	4: 448-449 4: 451-460 4: 464-467

		6th Grade Reading January/February	
Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
21 (1/23-1/27) **1/25** **Institute Day**	Inferring	Skill Lesson (Context Clues) "For the First Time" Main Selection "from El Guero: A True Adventure Story" Literature Connection "The California Rancheros" **Selection Test** **ISAT PREP**	5: 500-501 5: 502-518 5: 520-521
22 (1/30-2/3)	Inferring Review Self Questioning	Literature Connection = "Demeter's Daughter" Skill Lesson (Main Idea/Details)– "Quilted Memories" Main Selection – "Catching The Fire" **Selection Test** **ISAT PREP**	4: 383-385 4: 408-409 4: 411 – 421
23 (2/6-2/10)	Self Questioning	Skill Lesson (Text Structure) – "Engineering" Main Selection – "The Seven Wonders of the Ancient World" **Selection Test** **ISAT PREP**	4: 426 – 427 4: 429 – 443
24 (2/13-2/17)	Self Questioning	Skill Lesson (Fact & Opinion) - "Mount Everest" Main Selection - "To the Pole" Paired Selection - "Antarctica Melts" **Selection Test** **ISAT PREP**	5: 474-475 5: 476-494 5: 496-499

		6th Grade Reading February/March	
Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
25 (2/20 - 2/24) **2/20** **President's Day**	Self Questioning Sensory Imaging Use Pictures	Skill Lesson (Steps in a Process) – "Living in Space" Main Selection – "Destination: Mars" **Selection Test** Introduction to Sensory Imaging **ISAT PREP**	5: 522-523 5: 524-539 See Coach
26 (2/27-3/2)		**ISAT TESTING**	
27 (3/5-3/9) **3/5** **Casmir Pulaski**	Sensory Imaging	Skill Lesson (Summarizing) – "To Surprise the Children" Main Selection "The Land of Expectations" **Selection Test** **(ISAT Make-ups)**	5: 544-545 5: 546-564
28 (3/12-3/16) **End of Quarter 3**	Sensory Imaging	Skill Lesson(Character) "The Pleasantest Days" Main Selection "The Trail Drive" **Selection Test**	5: 568-569 5: 570-584
(3/19-3/23)		**Spring Break**	
29 (3/26-3/30) **PT Conferences** **3/29 – 3/30**	Sensory Imaging	Skill Lesson (Generalizing) – "Almost Ready for School" Main Selection – "Noah Writes a B&B Letter" **Selection Test**	6: 598-599 6: 600-615

		6th Grade Reading April/May	
Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
30 (4/2-4/6) **4/6 No School**	Conceptual Imaging (NF)	Skill Lesson (Graphic Sources" – "Ptolemy- An Early Mapmaker" Main Selection – "The Librarian Who Measured the Earth" Paired Selection- "We See What We See? **Selection Test**	6: 640-641 6: 642-653 6: 638-639
31 (4/9-4/13)	Conceptual Imaging (NF)	Skill Lesson (Fact and Opinion) – "Three Wondrous Buildings" Main Selection – "Cutters, Carvers, and the Cathedral" Paired Selection – "Why Do Buildings Look the Way They Do?" **Selection Test**	6: 678-679 6: 680-693 6: 6:96-697
32 (4/16-4/20)	Conceptual Imaging (NF)	Paired Selection – "How Do We Know What We See?" Continue Conceptual Imaging using Science/Social Studies Text *Any basal story not yet used can be done this week.	
33 (4/23 - 4/27)	Strategy Review	* Novel Unit	
34 (4/30 – 5/4)	Strategy Review	* Novel Unit	
35 (5/7 – 5/11)	Strategy Review	* Novel Unit	

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Week	**Strategy**	**Text Lesson/Assessment**	**Unit:Page**
36 (5/14 – 5/18)	Strategy Review	* Novel Unit	
37 (5/21-5/25)		* Novel Unit	
38 (5/28 – 6/1) **5/28 Memorial Day**		**LAST WEEK OF SCHOOL**	