

NPS LITERACY
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K-2 LITERACY BLOCK

Foundational Skills Block	Whole Group Explicit, Systematic, Cumulative Grade Level Phonics Instruction K-2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phonemic Awareness Daily, Cumulative Phonics Review Explicit Phonics Instruction (I do, We do, You do) Phoneme-Grapheme Mapping Reading of Decodable text Dictation Irregular “Heart” Words Explicit Letter Formation (K) 	30m
	Flexible, Skill-Based Small Group Instruction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum of 2 groups per day Differentiated explicit, systematic, cumulative phonics Lexia Core-5 Independent Reading for Fluency 	30m
Knowledge Building Block	Knowledge Building, Interactive Read Aloud <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vocabulary, Comprehension, and Oral Language Content rich, complex grade level texts 	30m
	Writing Instruction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explicit Letter Formation (G1-2) Mini-lessons, Model & Interactive Writing Independent Writing and Research Individual Writing Conferences Grammar & Language Usage 	30m
*Read Aloud (5-10m) can occur outside the literacy block		