



2025 - 2026

Grade 4 | Wit & Wisdom | ELA | Texas

Scope & Sequence (revised on 10.20.25 to reflect EOM1 scanning deadline update)

Course Overview: Wit & Wisdom is a comprehensive, knowledge-building ELA curriculum that aligns with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS). It builds students' knowledge through content-rich texts across science, history, and the arts while developing essential ELA knowledge and skills. The curriculum a) uses complex literary and informational texts from diverse genres, b) provides explicit instruction and practice in reading, writing, listening, and speaking, c) encourages student-centered discussion and inquiry to foster critical thinking and communication skills, and d) integrates knowledge acquisition with ELA skills development, as emphasized in the TEKS.

Standards: Texas Essential Knowledge & Skills for English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 4, Adopted 2017. Academic Calendars. To be completed by teacher. Table with columns: Module Number, Module Topic, Number of Core Instructional Days, Flex Days*, Number of Assessment Days, Recommended total number of class periods, Summative Assessment, Scanning Deadline**, Unit Start Date, Unit End Date, Assessment Date, Planning Notes.

FALL SEMESTER

Culture Days | First 5 days of schools

Table for Fall Semester with columns: Module Number, Module Topic, Number of Core Instructional Days, Flex Days*, Number of Assessment Days, Recommended total number of class periods, Summative Assessment, Scanning Deadline**, Unit Start Date, Unit End Date, Assessment Date, Planning Notes. Includes rows for 'A Great Heart', 'Writing Success Unit: Informational Writing', and 'Extreme Settings'.

SPRING SEMESTER

Table for Spring Semester with columns: Module Number, Module Topic, Number of Core Instructional Days, Flex Days*, Number of Assessment Days, Recommended total number of class periods, Summative Assessment, Scanning Deadline**, Unit Start Date, Unit End Date, Assessment Date, Planning Notes. Includes rows for 'Extreme Settings', 'Writing Success Unit: Argumentative Writing', 'The Redcoats Are Coming', and 'STAAR Success Unit'.

*The number of flex days shown on this document represents the average number of flex days available. Regional variances in academic calendars may impact flex day allotments.

**The scanning date listed on this document represents the last day student data will be incorporated into the district-wide analysis. The timing of test administration will differ greatly from one region to the next, with certain regions finishing testing much earlier than other regions.