

Pull out this planning calendar. Keep it in your plan book to see a year of **Scholastic News** at a glance.



2004-2005

Pull-Out Planning Calendar



Month	Topics*	Reading Skills Focus	Maps, Graphs, & Charts
September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Picking a President • Apples • Clifford: School Safety • Baby Panda <p>Posters: Friendship; Big Poetry Fun Phonics: Back to School</p>	<p>Phonics—Initial Consonants Fluency—Read-Along Predictable Text Vocabulary—Repeated Exposure to Words Comprehension—Personal Connections</p>	<p>Tracing a Route Simple Pictograph</p>
October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clifford: Fire Safety • Columbus Day • Autumn Changes • Night Animals <p>Bulletin Board: We Vote! Poster: Hispanic Heritage Month</p>	<p>Phonics—Final Consonants Fluency—Read-Along Predictable Text Vocabulary—Specific Word Instruction Comprehension—Predicting</p>	<p>Home Floor Plan Pictograph</p>
Nov/Dec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thanksgiving • Native Americans • Clifford: Winter Holidays • Hibernation <p>Posters: World Map; Big Poetry Fun Phonics: Feast</p>	<p>Phonics—Short Vowels Fluency—Choral Reading Vocabulary—Specific Word Instruction Comprehension—Posing Questions</p>	<p>Neighborhood Map Bar Graph</p>
January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Martin Luther King Jr. • Meet the President <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polar Animals • Reading Skills Practice Test 	<p>Phonics—Short Vowels Fluency—Read and Re-read</p> <p>Vocabulary—Word Web Comprehension—Understanding Text Structures</p>	<p>City Map Filling in a Bar Graph</p>
February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presidents' Day • Clifford: Valentine's Day • Dental Health • How Animals Move 	<p>Phonics—Consonant Digraphs Fluency—Partner Reading Vocabulary—Learning Words Through Context Clues Comprehension—Compare/Contrast</p>	<p>Using a Picture Key Counting by Twos</p>
March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet the Author • Life Cycle • Women's History Month • Reading Skills Practice Test <p>Bulletin Board: Weather</p>	<p>Phonics—Consonant Blends Fluency—Readers' Theater Vocabulary—Practice With Context Clues Comprehension—Sequencing</p>	<p>Habitat Map Pie Chart</p>
April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clifford: Earth Day • Animal Babies • Plants • Rain Forest <p>Posters: The Environment; Big Poetry Fun Phonics: Spring</p>	<p>Phonics—Magic e Fluency—Tape-Assisted Reading Vocabulary—Word Parts Comprehension—Main Idea/Details</p>	<p>U.S. Map Labeling a Graph</p>
May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summer Safety • Incredible Insects • Clifford: Patriotic Holidays • Ocean Habitat 	<p>Phonics—Long Vowels (digraphs) Fluency—Practice With Punctuation Vocabulary—Antonyms Comprehension—Retelling</p>	<p>Compass Rose Comparing Graph Data</p>

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