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| Grade 8 | |
| **Quarter 1** | |
| Week 1: August 14-17   * M - T Introduce book format (1-2 days WHOLE GROUP) * - W - TH Unit Introduction 1- 2 days (WHOLE GROUP) | |
| Week 2: August 21-24   * M - Th The Medicine Bag (4 days WHOLE GROUP) | |
| Week 3: August 28-30   * M - W The Medicine Bag (3 days WHOLE GROUP) * TH- No School- TRIBAL FAIR DAY | |
| Week 4: September 4-7   * M- No School- LABOR DAY * T Poetry Collection Hanging Fire/ Translating Grandfather’s House (1 day SMALL GROUP) * W - TH The Setting Sun and the Rolling World (2 days SMALL GROUP) | |
| Week 5: September 11-14   * M - T Performance Task (2 Days WHOLE GROUP) * W - TH Performance - Based Assessment (2 Days WHOLE GROUP) | |
| Week 6: September 18-21   * M - Unit Introduction 1 day (WHOLE GROUP) * T - Th The Diary of Anne Frank, Act I (3 days WHOLE GROUP) | |
| Week 7: September 25-28   * M - TH The Diary of Anne Frank, Act II (4 days WHOLE GROUP) | |
| Week 8: October 2-5   * M- T Performance Task (2 days WHOLE GROUP) * W - TH Benchmark Assessment | |
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| **Quarter 2** | |
| Week 1: October 16-19   * M - Th from Anne Frank: Diary of a Young Girl (4 days SMALL GROUP) | |
| Week 2: October 23-26   * M - T Acceptance Speech for the Nobel Peace Prize (2 days SMALL GROUP) * W - Th Performance Task and/or Performance-Based assessment (2 days WHOLE GROUP) | |
| Week 3: October 30-November 2   * M - T Unit Introduction 1- 2 days (WHOLE GROUP) * W - TH Barrington Irving, Pilot and Educator (3 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | |
| Week 4: November 6-9   * M - T Barrington Irving, Pilot and Educator (2 days WHOLE GROUP) * W - TH Three Cheers for the Nanny State (2 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | |
| Week 5: November 13-16   * M - Th Three Cheers for the Nanny State (2 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | |
| Week 6: November 20-21   * M – T Ban the Ban! / Soda’s a Problem (2 days WHOLE GROUP) * W - TH Thanksgiving Break | | | |
| Week 7: November 27-30   * M - TH Follow the Rabbit-Proof Fence (4 days SMALL GROUP) | | | |
| Week 8: December 4-7   * M - Th Words Do NOT PAY- Chief Joseph (4 days SMALL GROUP) | | | |
| Week 9: December 11-14   * M – T Performance Task * W - TH Performance- Based Assessment | | | |
| Week 10: December 18-21   * M - TH Benchmark Assessment | | | |
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| **Quarter 3** | | | |
| Week 1: January 8-11   * M - T Unit Introduction (1- 2 days WHOLE GROUP) * W - TH Flowers of Algernon (1-2 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | |
| Week 2: January 15-18   * M- NO SCHOOL MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY * T - TH Flowers of Algernon (3 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | |
| Week 3: January 22-25   * M - TH Flowers of Algernon (4 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | |
| Week 4: January 29-February 1   * M - T Script: from Flowers for Algernon * W - Th Performance Task | | | |
| Week 5: February 5-8   * M - Unit Introduction (1 day WHOLE GROUP) * T - TH Uncle Marcos (3 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 6: February 12-15   * M - TH Uncle Marcos (4 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 7: February 19-22   * M – NO SCHOOL- PRESIDENTS DAY * T - Th from The Invention of Everything Else (3 days SMALL GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 8: February 26-29   * M-W 25 Years Later, Hubble Sees Beyond Troubled Start (3 days SMALL GROUP) * TH Media Sounds of a Glass America (1-2 days SMALL GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 9: March 4-7   * M-T Performance Task * W - Th Benchmark Assessment | | | | |
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| **Quarter 4** | | | |
| Week 1: March 18-21   * M - Introduce Small Group Learning (1- day SMALL GROUP) * T - TH from Blue Nines and Red Words (3 days SMALL GROUP) | | | |
| Week 2: March 25-28   * M – TH from Blue Nines and Red Words (4 days SMALL GROUP) | | | |
| Week 3: April 1-4   * M - T Media: The Theory of Multiple Intelligences Infographic (2 days SMALL GROUP) * W - TH Retort | | | |
| Week 4: April 8-11   * M - T from The People, Yes * W - Th Performance Task | | | |
| Week 5: April 15-18   * M - T Unit Introduction (2 days WHOLE GROUP) * W - Th To Fly (2 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 6: April 22-25   * M – TH to Fly (4 days WHOLE GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 7: April 29-May 2   * M - T - Nikola Tesla: The Greatest Inventor of All? (2- 3 days SMALL GROUP) * W – TH Performance Task for to Fly (2 days SMALL GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 8: May 6-9   * M - Continue Performance task for to Fly (1 -day SMALL GROUP) * T - Th Performance task for Small Group readings (2 days SMALL GROUP) | | | | |
| Week 9: May 13-16   * M - TH Performance based assessment for Unit 5 | | | | |
| Week 10: May 20-23   * Extra week to adjust for end of the year assessments. | | | | |
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