

## *Fourth Grade Essential California Content Standards*

<b>English/ Language Arts</b>	<b>First Trimester</b>
Reading Comprehension 1.6	I can show that I understand words that have several meanings.
Reading Comprehension 2.6	I can tell the difference between cause and effect, and fact and opinion.
Writing Strategies 1.4	I can write in cursive forming the letters correctly and neatly so that anyone can read it.
Writing Strategies 1.6	I can find information in my texts using its index, table of contents, glossary, maps and charts, etc.
Written and Oral English Language Conventions 1.1	I can speak and write in simple and compound sentences.
Written and Oral English Language Conventions 1.3	I can speak and write using all kinds of verbs, adverbs, prepositions, and the correct connecting words in my sentences.
Written and Oral English Language Conventions 1.6	I can capitalize names of magazines, newspapers, works of art and music, organizations, and the first word inside a quotation.

<b>Mathematics</b>	<b>First Trimester</b>
Number Sense 1.1	I can read and write numbers from 1 to 999,999,999.
Number Sense 1.2	I can order and compare whole numbers and decimals.
Number Sense 1.3	I can round numbers through the millions to the nearest ten, hundred, thousand, ten thousand, or hundred thousand.
Number Sense 2.1	I can make a reasonable estimate and then add or subtract whole numbers and decimals.
Number Sense 3.1	I can show when and how to add and subtract numbers with many digits.
Algebra and Functions 2.1	I can show that equals added to equals are equal.
Algebra and Functions 2.2	I can show the equals multiplied by equals are equal.

<b>English/ Language Arts</b>	<b>Second Trimester</b>
Word Analysis, Fluency, ... 1.2	I am able to figure out the meaning of words or phrases by using word origins, synonyms, and antonyms.
Word Analysis, Fluency, ... 1.3	I am able to use root words to define unknown words in my reading.
Reading Comprehension 2.5	I can compare and contrast information on a topic after I have read several articles on the topic.
Literary Response and Analysis 3.2	I can identify the main events of a story and tell how each affected the future action in the story.
Written and Oral English Language Conventions 1.2	I can combine short sentences into more interesting sentences using adjectives, adverbs, and phrases to describe.
Written and Oral English Language Conventions 1.4	I can use commas, quotations marks, and parentheses correctly. I can use apostrophes in contractions and to show ownership.
Written and Oral English Language Conventions 1.7	I can correctly spell root words, with prefixes and suffixes, and use this skill to spell longer words.

<b>Mathematics</b>	<b>Second Trimester</b>
Number Sense 1.6	I can write decimals in tenths and hundredths and show that common fractions have equivalent decimals.
Number Sense 3.4	I can solve a division word problem by dividing a multi-digit number by a one-digit number.
Number Sense 4.2	I can understand and identify prime numbers.
Measurement and Geometry 1.1	I can measure rectangles using the correct units (area).
Measurement and Geometry 3.1	I can identify parallel and perpendicular lines.
Measurement and Geometry 3.2	I can identify the radius and diameter of a circle.
Measurement and Geometry 3.3	I can tell when figures are congruent.
Number Sense 3.2	I can multiply a multi-digit number by a two-digit number and can divide a multi-digit number by a one-digit number. I can also check my answers.
Number Sense 3.3	I can solve multiplication word problems by multiplying a multi-digit number by a two-digit number.

<b>English/ Language Arts</b>	<b>Third Trimester</b>
Reading Comprehension 2.4	I can take new information and ideas and compare them with what I already know.
Reading Comprehension 3.3	I can make predictions about ideas in articles or stories in my text by using my experiences, pictures, bold print, titles, and highlighted words.
Literary Response and Analysis 3.3	I can use my knowledge of the character's traits and the setting to predict that character's actions.
Literary Response and Analysis 3.4	I can compare and contrast similar characters in similar tales from different cultures.
Writing Strategies 1.2	I can write a composition of many paragraphs.
Writing Strategies 1.3	When I write I use an organized plan such as compare-contrast, chronological order, or asking and answering a question.
Writing Strategies 1.7	I can write using the help of several reference materials such as a dictionary, thesaurus, encyclopedia, and online.
Writing Strategies 1.8	I can find and use information in almanacs, newspapers, and periodicals.
Writing Strategies 1.10	I can edit, rearrange, and rewrite my drafts to improve my writing.

<b>Mathematics</b>	<b>Third Trimester</b>
Algebra and Functions 1.2	I can solve equations that use parentheses.
Algebra and Functions 1.3	I use parentheses to show which operation to solve first in writing an equation with two or more operations.
Algebra and Functions 1.4	I can use formulas to answer questions.
Algebra and Functions 1.5	I can use a formula to find a second number when a first number is given.
Number Sense 1.8	I can use negative numbers on a number line, in counting, and in temperature.
Number Sense 1.9	I can find a number on a number line using fractions, positive mixed numbers, and positive decimals to two decimal places.
Measurement and Geometry 2.1	I can show corresponding points for an equation on a graph.
Measurement and Geometry 2.2	I can show that the difference between x-coordinates equals the length of the horizontal line segment.
Measurement and Geometry 2.3	I can show that the difference between y-coordinates equals the length of the vertical line segment.
Measurement and Geometry 3.5	I can demonstrate that I know the definitions of right, acute, and obtuse angles. I can show that $90^\circ$ is related to a $1/4$ turn, $180^\circ$ a $1/2$ turn, $270^\circ$ a $3/4$ turn, and $360^\circ$ is a full turn.