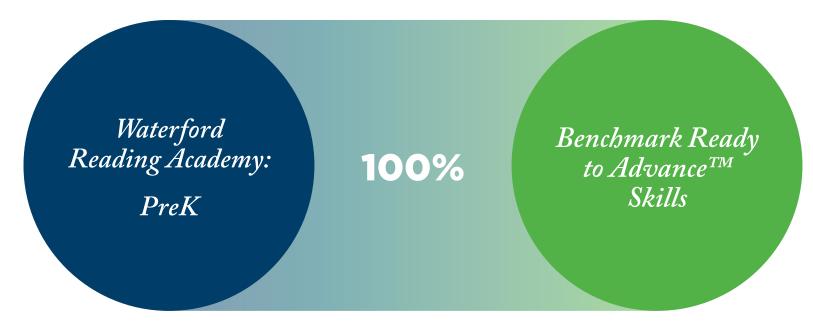


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BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
	30-48 MONTHS	
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL		
Shows concern and provides help when requested	Social-emotional videos model problem-solving strategies that include individual methods as well as seeking adult help.	 Unit 2, Pg. 202 Kind Kids Unit 5, Pg. 197 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Helper Unit 5, Pg. 218 Journal Prompt: I Helped When
Follows simple routines when assisted by adults	Rules and routines become familiar and children begin to demonstrate self-control as they progress independently through the Waterford sequence of activities.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center; Pg. 13 Reading Center Unit 1, Pg. 6 Listening Rug Rules Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 14 School Field Trip Unit 1, Pg. 39 Quiet Time Unit 5, Pg. 230 Dramatic Play: Library
Regulates own behavior with reminders or assistance from adult	Children interacting with Waterford are constantly listening to input and responding with choices, often following multi-step directions.	 Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Introduction, Pg. 16 Private Place Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down Unit 4, Pg. 47 Quiet Bottles Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments
Enjoys parallel and associative play with peers	Resources: • Good Playing Rules	 Dramatic Play Activities Center Activities Unit 1, Pg. 88 Let's Play Unit 2, Pg. 175 Dancing with Props Unit 4, Pg. 120 Good Friends Activity: Monarch of the Animals
Seeks adult help when experiencing conflict with another child	Social-emotional videos model problem-solving strategies that include individual methods as well as seeking adult help.	 Unit 5, Pg. 166 Good Friends Activity: I Ask for Help When I Need It Unit 6, Pg. 107 How to Solve a Problem Unit 6, Pg. 99 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Problem Solver
Eagerly tries new activities and materials	 Song: The Scientific Method Books: I Want to Be a Scientist Like Jane Goodall; I Want to Be a Scientist Like George Washington Carver; I Want to Be a Scientist Like Wilbur and Orville Wright; Where in the World Would You Go Today? Science Investigation 	 Center Activities Story Time Activities Dramatic Play Activities Unit 1, Pg. 6 Learning Unit 7, Pg. 212 It's Different, But It's Good!





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Interested in other people and their feelings; shows empathy	Social-emotional videos model positive, pro-social behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, collaboration, courtesy, respect, and initiative.	 Unit 2, Pg. 188 Full Buckets Unit 2, Pg. 202 Kind Kids Unit 5, Pg. 197 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Helper Unit 5, Pg. 218 Journal Prompt: I Helped When Unit 5, Pg. 226 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Good Friend Unit 5, Pg. 238 Friends Use Kind Words
Interacts with peers using pro-social behaviors to initiate pretend play	Social-emotional videos model positive, pro-social behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, collaboration, courtesy, respect, and initiative.	 Dramatic Play Activities Unit 1, Pg. 88 Let's Play Unit 6, Pg. 56 Good Friends Activity: Can I Play With You?
Begins to name differences in emotions/feelings and behaviors	 Boo Hoo Baby Find Me! Clubhouse Lost and Found It's Not Fair! Come Inside My Family Lost Keys Noisy Children Lost Dinosaur Squirrel's Blocks Resources: Feelings Posters Lots of Feelings Guess How I'm Feeling 	 Unit 2, Pg. 164 The Hungry Thing Rhyme Play Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 13 We're All Happy
Feels confident and comfortable in the classroom, using words to communicate feelings	 It's Not Fair! Do I Have To? Lost and Found Squirrel's Blocks Lost Dinosaur Resources: Guess How I'm Feeling Feelings Posters Panda and Tornado 	 Unit 1, Pg. 88 Chrysanthemum Discussion Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 26 Journal Prompt: I feel Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down





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SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Assumes roles and responsibilities in the classroom community	• Do I Have To?	 Unit 1, Pg. 11 Clean Up and Center Review Unit 2, Pg. 214 Garbage Elves Unit 3, Pg. 326 We All Have Jobs Unit 5, Pg. 197 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Helper Unit 5, Pg. 218 Journal Prompt: I Helped When
Responds with concern when a child or adult appears distressed	Boo Hoo BabyBaby's BallBaby's BerriesMusical Mayhem	 Unit 2, Pg. 188 Full Buckets Unit 2, Pg. 202 Kind Kids Unit 2, Pg. 206 Good Friends, Good Listeners Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 13 We're All Happy
Begins to understand that actions affect others (cause/effect)	 Do I Have To? Broken Lamp Baby's Ball Resources: Consequences Cards 	 Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully Unit 7, Pg. 184 Consequence Game Unit 7, Pg. 194 Good Friends Activity: I Tell the Truth
With support, increases or decreases intensity of emotions more consistently	Do I Have To?It's Not Fair!Squirrel's BlocksLost Dinosaur	 Introduction, Pg. 16 Private Place Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down Unit 4, Pg. 47 Quiet Bottles Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments
Describes own feelings and identifies preferences	 Books: José Three; Ooey, Gooey Mud; I Hate Peas; Lumpy Mush; Bad News Shoes Clubhouse Marmot's Basket It's Not Fair! Do I Have To? 	 Journal Activities Unit 1, Pg. 149 Am, Can Unit 2, Pg. 175 Dancing with Props Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 7, Pg. 139 Painting My Feelings
Engages in group activities for an age- appropriate time	Social-emotional videos model positive, pro-social behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, cooperation, collaboration, courtesy, respect, and initiative.	 Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 66 All the Way Done: Classroom Helpers Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 2, Pg. 202 Kind Kids Unit 4, Pg. 84 Working Together Unit 5, Pg. 238 Friends Use Kind Words Unit 6, Pg. 56 Good Friends Activity: Can I Play With You? Unit 7, Pg. 249 Friendship





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SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Uses appropriate voice, tone, and volume most of the time		 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center; Pg. 13 Reading Center Unit 1, Pg. 6 Listening Rug Rules Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 14 School Field Trip Unit 1, Pg. 39 Quiet Time
Makes choice and accepts consequences related to choice most of the time	 Do I Have To? Broken Lamp Baby's Ball Resources: Consequences Cards 	 Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully Unit 7, Pg. 184 Consequence Game Unit 7, Pg. 194 Good Friends Activity: I Tell the Truth
Works cooperatively to help others clean up work areas	Resources: Garbage Elves	 Unit 1, Pg. 11 Cleanup and Center Review Unit 1, Pg. 33 Cleanup Unit 2, Pg. 214 Garbage Elves
Begins to understand and accept that people have opinions that may differ from own	Books: Mine; José Three; Ooey, Gooey Mud; I Hate Peas; Lumpy Mush; Bad News Shoes; Movin' to the Music Time	Unit 4, Pg. 74 It's Okay to Say No
Controls impulses and engages in cooperative play through sharing and taking turns	 Do I Have To? It's Not Fair! Find Me! Soup's On! Lost and Found Where's Papa? Papa's Thumb Lost Keys 	 Introduction, Pg. 16 Private Place Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down Unit 4, Pg. 47 Quiet Bottles Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments Unit 4, Pg. 88 Journal Prompt: I Took Turns When
Understands that actions affect others and accepts consequences related to actions	 Do I Have To? Broken Lamp Baby's Ball Resources: Consequences Cards 	 Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully Unit 7, Pg. 184 Consequence Game Unit 7, Pg. 194 Good Friends Activity: I Tell the Truth





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SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Demonstrates cooperation and has meaningful relationships with friends	Waterford's Social-emotional videos model positive, prosocial behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, cooperation, collaboration, respect, and initiative as children learn to care for other's property as well as their own.	 Unit 1, Pg. 66 All the Way Done: Classroom Helpers Unit 4, Pg. 84 Working Together Unit 5, Pg. 226 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Good Friend Unit 5, Pg. 238 Friends Use Kind Words
Delays gratification for short periods of time	 Dinner Time The Picnic Resources: Homelink: Waiting Game 	 Unit 1, Pg.6 Listening Rug Rules Unit 1, Pg.76 Taking Turns Game Unit 4, Pg.88 Journal Prompt: I Took Turns When Unit 4, Pg.80 Waiting Game
Demonstrates awareness of competence and describes self positively	Books: Mine; José Three; Grandpa's Great AthleteBoo Hoo BabyBaby's Ball	• Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can
Makes and expresses a plan and choices, and follows through with decision	Waterford's Central Park character Squirrel, models independence and communicates his choices in engaging videos.	 Unit 4, Pg. 96 Good Friends Activity: I Try New Things Unit 6, Pg. 99 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Problem Solver Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully
With prompting, focuses and sustains attention for 10-15-minute activity	Engaging activities throughout Waterford hold children's attention as they concentrate on each task.	Unit 1, Pg. 32 Train My Brain: DeterminationUnit 7, Pg. 131 Good Friends Activity: I Pay Attention
Maintains positive relationships and interactions with adults and peers	 Clubhouse Marmot's Basket My Family Find Me! Where's Papa? Lost and Found Soup's On! 	 Introduction, Pg. 6 The Listening Rug Unit 1, Pg. 4 Arrival and Toy Time Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 20 Reflection and Dismissal Unit 3, Pg. 375 Trusted Adults Unit 4, Pg. 84 Working Together Unit 5, Pg. 226 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Good Friend Unit 5, Pg. 238 Friends Use Kind Words Unit 6, Pg. 75 Grown-up Manners





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT		
Listens and follows directions moving body safely in space	Resources: • Personal Space Circle	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot! Unit 1, Pg. 143 Builders and Bulldozers Unit 2, Pg. 169 Personal Space Circle Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail Unit 7, Pg. 187 Pathways in Space
Begins to control body movements, maintaining personal space	Resources: • Personal Space Circle	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot! Unit 1, Pg. 143 Builders and Bulldozers Unit 2, Pg. 169 Personal Space Circle Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail Unit 7, Pg. 187 Pathways in Space
With prompting, follows safety rules for self and others	 Songs: Storms; Sun Blues Book: The Germs Avoid Germs and Prevent Illness Germs Lightning Safety Resources: Emergency Preparedness for Kids Fire Safety Activities for Kids 	 Unit 3, Pg. 336 Tuesday Story: Call For Help Unit 3, Pg. 339 Emergency! Unit 3, Pg. 375 Trusted Adults Unit 6, Pg. 66 Good Friends Activity: I'm in Charge of My Body Unit 6, Pg. 117 Digital Safety Unit 7, Pg. 153 Paying Attention Helps Keep Everyone Safe Unit 7, Pg. 155 Safe Eating: Gallery Refreshments
Participates in games, showing how body parts work together for movement	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
Maintains coordination during physical activities using left and right body parts	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves





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PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT continue	ed	
Throws and catches 8-10-inch ball with both hands		Unit 6, Pg. 112 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce
Uses correct body posture, grip, and pressure to complete more complex drawings	Squirrel Sketches	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterVisual Arts Activities
Uses more small-muscle control when folding, tearing, drawing, and painting	The daily use of a touch pad or mouse helps develop dexterity and hand-eye coordination.	 Unit 1, Pg. 114 Snip, Snip, Cut Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 3, Pg. 314 Cutting Shapes Unit 4, Pg. 18 Skeleton Hands Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 5, Pg. 219 Spider Webs
Demonstrates flexibility during movements that require balance and control	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus SchoolUnit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile
Kicks a moving 8-10-inch ball to demonstrate coordination		Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce
Copies model making axial movements, reaching, twisting, bending, to explore space	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail Unit 6, Pg. 7, Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile (Yoga)
Shows age-appropriate control of small muscles when folding/tearing paper or drawing	Children use a mouse, keyboard, or touch pad during their daily Waterford sessions. The movements help develop hand strength and dexterity.	 Unit 1, Pg. 114 Snip, Snip, Cut Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 3, Pg. 314 Cutting Shapes
Demonstrates improving coordination in motion (throw, catch, kick a ball)		Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: GymUnit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce
Identifies different ways to move (hop, skip, jump, run)		 Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves





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PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT continu	ıed	
Physically responds to demonstrate understanding of location words (prepositional phrases)	 Songs: Preposition Cat; Get Over the Bugs; Position Cat; Monster Trucks First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On
Uses body parts to reach upward or outward and extend height, width	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile
Shows balance and control using gross motor skills: skip, gallop, jump using two feet	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
Demonstrates how to log roll forward and backward on floor		Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail
Demonstrates understanding of how body parts work together for movement	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves





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PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT continu	red	
Demonstrates flexibility, strength, and endurance in physical activities	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
Combines prewriting strokes to print alphabet letters to represent words	Resources: • Personal Space Circle	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot! Unit 1, Pg. 143 Builders and Bulldozers Unit 2, Pg. 169 Personal Space Circle Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail Unit 7, Pg. 187 Pathways in Space
Demonstrates coordination and balance, practicing personal safety	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot! Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATIO	N	
Uses gestures and words to describe needs and feelings	 Do I Have To? It's Not Fair! Lost and Found Squirrel's Blocks Lost Dinosaur Resources: Feelings Posters Lots of Feelings Guess How I'm Feeling 	 Unit 1, Pg. 149 Am, Can Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 26 Journal Prompt: feel Unit 4, Pg. 74 It's Okay to Say No Unit 5, Pg. 130 Good Friends Activity: Everybody Needs Help Sometimes Unit 5, Pg. 166 Good Friends Activity: Ask for Help When Need It Unit 5, Pg. 173 Asking for Help
With prompting, uses language and engages in conversations	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters and demonstrate appropriate conversation rules as characters listen to each other, develop ideas, and communicate in complete sentences.	 Morning Meetings Unit 1, Pg. 6 Listening Rug Rules Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please Unit 6, Pg. 75 Grown-Up Manners





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION	N continued	
Begins to listen and wait for a turn to speakv	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters and demonstrate appropriate conversation rules as characters listen to each other, develop ideas, and communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please Unit 6, Pg. 75 Grown-Up Manners
With support, uses illustrations to gather information for recall	Print ConceptsSum Up: Remember OrderSum Up: Five Ws	Story Time ActivitiesUnit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last
With support, answers recall questions about a story read aloud	Sum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember OrderWhat Comes Next?Describe Characters	 Story Time Activities Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last
Follows 2-3-step oral directions	Children interacting with Waterford are constantly listening to input and responding with choices. Children must be able to listen, understand, and respond appropriately, often to detailed, multi-step directions.	 Unit 1, Pg. 4 Arrival and Toy Time Unit 1, Pg. 10 Introduction to Centers Unit 1, Pg. 11 Cleanup and Center Review Unit 1, Pg. 18 Afternoon Centers Unit 1, Pg. 20 Reflection and Dismissal Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center Unit 2, Pg. 246 I Touch My Nose Like This
Uses pictures that represent two words and forms a compound word (dog/house, doghouse)	Take Away Syllables	 Unit 4, Pg. 26 Listening Activity: Segment Farm Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 46 Listening Activity: Animal Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 50 Vertebrate Compound Words
Retells or reenacts an event from a familiar story	Sum Up: Remember Order	 Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last Unit 7, Pg. 215 Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Program
With support, uses question words to ask for and gather information	Sum Up: Five WsScience InvestigationBuild Knowledge	Unit 7, Pg. 150 What Doesn't Belong
Uses plural nouns correctly in oral language (cat, cats)	Song: More than OneBook: Moose Are Not Meese	





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LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION	N continued	
With support, perceives differences in similar-sounding words	Circus Clown ClimbersChange One SoundPhoneme SubstitutionBarnyard Bash	
With support, determines meaning of unknown words using pictures and conversation	Waterford online books include bold-faced vocabulary words. When any word is selected, the word is repeated. When bold-faced words are selected, students hear a slowed pronunciation and definition in a pop-up with an illustration.	 Unit 1, Pg. 54 Morning Meeting Unit 1, Pg. 83 Pat-a-cake: Dough Time Unit 1, Pg. 112 Elephant Invitations Unit 2, Pg. 228 Little Miss Muffet: Rhymes and Whey
Describes what he/she can do, showing reasonable opinion of own abilities and limitations	Books: Mine; Grandpa's Great Athlete	• Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can
Uses plurals to identify more than one (cat, cats)	Song: More than OnePlural Nouns	
Speaks using more than one idea or phrase in a sentence	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters as they communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please
Speaks using 3-5-word sentences most of the time	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters as they communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please
Asks for and seeks help from adults and peers as needed	Social-emotional videos model problem-solving strategies that include individual methods as well as seeking adult help.	 Unit 5, Pg. 130 Good Friends Activity: Everybody Needs Help Sometimes Unit 5, Pg. 166 Good Friends Activity: I Ask for Help When I Need It Unit 5, Pg. 173 Asking for Help
With support, recognizes some high- frequency words (HFWs)	Power Words	
Follows rules for engaging in collaborative conversations most of the time	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters and demonstrate appropriate conversation rules as characters listen to each other, develop ideas, and communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please





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LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION	N continued	
Demonstrates knowledge of nonverbal conversational rules	Resources: • Emotion Cards • Lots of Feelings • Guess How I'm Feeling	 Unit 2, Pg. 164 The Hungry Thing Rhyme Play Unit 4, Pg. 4 Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 13 We're All Happy
Respects rights of others and cooperates fairly most of the time	Social-emotional videos model positive, pro-social behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, collaboration, courtesy, respect, and initiative as children learn to respect others' rights and property as well as their own.	 Unit 1, Pg. 10 Introduction to Centers Unit 1, Pg. 22 Name Song Unit 1, Pg. 31 Cleanup and Center Review
Speaks clearly and matches language to social contexts	Waterford activities introduce letter sounds with instruction demonstrating positions of the lips and tongue to form the sound correctly and clearly.	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Dramatic Play Activities Unit 1, Pg. 136 Find Someone Who Has Unit 3, Pg. 302 Rock-a-bye Baby: Lullaby Word Segmentation Unit 6, Pg. 56 Good Friends Activity: Can I Play With You?
Uses larger speaking vocabulary, adding new words with each Unit of study	Waterford activities expose children to general and domain-specific vocabulary throughout the sequence, consistently introducing and applying the correct terminology to establish meaning.	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Story Time Activities Journal Activities Center Activities
Begins to understand academic language used in the classroom	Waterford activities expose children to general and domain-specific vocabulary throughout the sequence, consistently introducing and applying the correct terminology to establish meaning.	 Unit 1, Pg. 54 Morning Meeting Unit 1, Pg. 83 Pat-a-cake: Dough Time Unit 1, Pg. 112 Elephant Invitations Unit 2, Pg. 228 Little Miss Muffet: Rhymes and Whey Journal Activities Center Activities





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	SOCIAL STUDIES	
Points to identify external body parts	Song: I Touch My Nose Like ThisBody Parts	 Unit 1, Pg. 86 Excellent Eyes Unit 2, Pg. 246 I Touch My Nose Like This: Follow Me Unit 6, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: My Body Can Do Amazing Things
Begins to associate body parts with 5 senses	 Song: Five Senses Book: I Wish I Had Ears Like a Bat, Fawn Eyes Sight Taste Smell Touch Hearing 	 Unit 1, Pg. 75 Five Senses: How Do We Know? Unit 1, Pg. 86 Excellent Eyes Unit 2, Pg. 195 Taste and Smell Snack Activity
With support, names similarities and differences in self and others	 Books: Mine; José Three; Ooey, Gooey Mud; Grandpa's Great Athlete; Movin' to the Music Time Sing Around the World Songs My Family 	 Introduction, Pg. 20 An Inclusive Classroom Unit 3, Pg. 286 Grandmas: Same and Different Unit 3, Pg. 288 Journals: My Family Unit 6, Pg. 89 Storytelling Festival
Recognizes common environmental print and connects meaning to it	Print ConceptsLetters Make Words	 Unit 1, Pg. 23 Morning Message Unit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: Books Unit 1, Pg. 82 Letters Make Words Story Time Activities
Points to identify printed words and illustrations in a book	Print ConceptsLetters Make Words	 Unit 1, Pg. 23 Morning Message Unit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: Books Unit 1, Pg. 82 Letters Make Words Story Time Activities
With support, identifies book parts: top/bottom, front/back	Print Concepts	Unit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: Books
Enjoys retelling a story using pictures for support	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) Sum Up: Remember Order Sum Up: Five Ws What Comes Next? Missing Pictures 	 Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last Unit 7, Pg. 215 Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Program





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	OCIAL STUDIES continued	
Demonstrates how to handle a book and pretends to read	Online picture story books feature animation that simulates pages turning one by one, from front to back, as the narrator sings the nursery rhyme. At the end of the story, the pages flip back to the front and the narrator reads the highlighted text. Example: Jack and Jill	 Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading Center Unit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: Books
With support, identifies roles of author and illustrator	Prior to reading each online story, the front cover of the book is displayed on the screen. The title and names of the author and illustrator are highlighted and read aloud. Print Concepts	 Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading Center Unit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: Books Story Time Activities
With support, uses details in illustrations to describe setting, characters, events	Sum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember OrderWhat Comes Next?Describe Characters	 Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last Story Time Activities
With support, segments individual words in a 3–5-word sentence		Unit 3, Pg. 274 This Little Piggy: Stand Up Sentences
Asks to be read to and asks the meaning of written text	Waterford provides many opportunities for students to select topics of interest and stories they enjoy. Students work independently as they turn pages, practice, and enjoy appropriate reading behaviors.	Story Time Activities
With support, describes characteristics of self and family	 Books: Mine; José Three My Name Is Squirrel Come Inside Squirrel Sketches Clubhouse 	• Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can
With support, names common features in home (rooms, furniture)	Waterford activities expose children to general and domain-specific vocabulary throughout the sequence, consistently introducing and applying the correct terminology to establish meaning.	Unit 4, Pg. 28 Classroom Block Play
With support, identifies daily activities associated with time (morning, night)	Book: Marty's Mixed-Up Mom	 Unit 1, Pg. 7 Schedule Unit 1, Pg. 24 Schedule Unit 1, Pg. 36 Schedule; Jump Up and Down Transition





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, begins to identify sounds and names letters: m, a	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
Segments single-syllable words in a 3-4-word sentence	Song: What Is a Sentence?	Unit 3, Pg. 274 This Little Piggy: Stand Up Sentences
With support, segments 2-syllable words into 2 syllables (kit-ten)	Syllable InstructionSyllable Safari	 Unit 5, Pg. 156 Listening Activity: Fishy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 186 Listening Activity: Hairy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 196 Listening Activity: I Spy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 202 Circus Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 218 Listening Activity: Jumbled Syllables
With support, begins to identify differences in text structures (storybooks versus informational text)	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books Traditional Tales Informational Books Math Books Science Books (See titles at end of document.) Print Concepts 	 Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading Center Story Time Activities
Uses pictures to retell events in a familiar story, not always in order	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) Sum Up: Remember Order Sum Up: Five Ws What Comes Next? Missing Pictures 	Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, matches pictures to identify 2 words that rhyme	 Rhyming Words Rhyme Rhyme Match Rhyme With Me Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) 	Unit 2, Pg. 203 Three Little Kittens: Rhyme Discrimination
With support, identifies sounds and names letters: m, a, s, t	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
With support, names 2 reasons to eat healthy and exercise	Song: HealthBook: We All ExerciseExercise and RestHealthy Food	 Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 6, Pg. 108 Exercise Makes Me Better Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile (Yoga) Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
With support, identifies differences between text that is about something real and text that is about something not real (fact/fiction)	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books Traditional Tales Informational Books Math Books Science Books (See titles at end of document.) Print Concepts 	 Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading Center Story Time Activities





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, segments and blends familiar 2-syllable words	 Syllables Syllable Safari Blend Spoken Syllables 	 Unit 5, Pg. 130 Name Syllable Unit 5, Pg. 138 Eleven Elephants: Syllable Blend and Letter Sound /e/ Unit 5, Pg. 144 Listening Activity: Elephant Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 156 Listening Activity: Fishy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 166 Listening Activity: Fast Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 176 Listening Activity: Grasshopper Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 186 Listening Activity: Hairy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 196 Listening Activity: I Spy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 218: Listening Activity: Jumbled Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 202 Circus Syllables
Uses a variety of words to describe people, places, things, and actions	Books: Mine; José Three Describe Characters	 Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 1, Pg. 145 What's in the Bag? Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can Unit 4, Pg. 112 I Can Book
With support, identifies and names lowercase letters (m, a, s, t, i, f, n, o)	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
With support, produces sounds for letters m, s, t, f, n	Letter Sound SongsLetter SoundSound RoomChoose a Sound	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions
With support, recognizes difference when adult makes a statement or asks a question	Song: What Is a Sentence? Sentence Marks	





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, names 2 ways that community workers help others	Resources: • Community Helpers	 Unit 1, Pg. 14 School Field Trip Unit 3, Pg. 326 We All Have Jobs Unit 3, Pg. 343 Which Hat Is Best? Unit 3, Pg. 375 Trusted Adults
With less support, blends syllables to say a 2-3-syllable word	Blend Spoken Syllables	 Unit 5, Pg. 186 Listening Activity: Hairy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 196 Listening Activity: I Spy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 218: Listening Activity: Jumbled Syllables
With support, identifies sounds and names letters: m, a, s, t, i, f, n, o, p, c, k, l	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
Combines two pictures to make a compound word (dog/house, doghouse)	Take Away Syllables	 Unit 4, Pg. 26 Listening Activity: Segment Farm Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 46 Listening Activity: Animal Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 50 Vertebrate Compound Words
With support, uses language to describe the location of objects	 Songs: Get Over the Bugs; Position Cat; Monster Trucks Book: Up in the Air First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	OCIAL STUDIES continued	
Using pictures for support, identifies two words that begin with the same sound	 Letter Sound Songs Initial Sound Right Initial Sound Letter Sound Coloring Game (Make a Scene) 	 Unit 4, Pg. 110 Listening Activity: Initial /ck/ Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 52 Initial Sounds and Letter Sound /p/ Unit 6, Pg. 84 Rascal's Rotten Day: Initial Sounds and Letter sound /r/ Unit 6, Pg. 88 Listening Activity: Rascally Initial Sounds
Using pictures for support, describes similarities and differences in family celebrations	Sing Around the World: Intro (e); (g); (y);	 Unit 3, Pg. 286 Grandmas: Same and Different Unit 6, Pg. 89 Storytelling Festival
Using pictures for support, names foods related to seasons and cultures	 Songs: Sing Around the World: j-Sweet Guava Jelly (Jamaica) Sing Around the World: Intro (j) 	
Using pictures for support, names objects and describes changes in the sky (day, night)	 Songs: Sun Blues; The Moon Books: Moon Song; Star Pictures Sun Moon Clouds Constellations 	 Unit 3, Pg. 276 Run, Run! Shade or Sun Unit 3, Pg. 279 Shadow Theater Unit 3, Pg. 284 Sunlight and Temperature Investigation
With support, identifies basic needs of people: air, water, food, clothing, shelter	Song: Food From PlantsBook: Everybody Needs to EatSunWater	 Unit 2, Pg. 223 Living and Nonliving Unit 2, Pg. 248 Plant or Animal Unit 2, Pg. 258 Taking Care of Living Things Unit 3, Pg. 306 How Do Plants Drink? Unit 3, Pg. 347 Where Does Our Water Come From?
Using pictures, names 2 characteristics of living things (breathe air, drink water)	Songs: Living and Nonliving; Plants are GrowingLiving or Nonliving	 Unit 2, Pg. 223 Living and Nonliving Unit 2, Pg. 258 Taking Care of Living Things Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing
Using pictures for support, describes life cycle of animals and matches parent/offspring	Song: Plants are GrowingPlantsMammalsAmphibians	 Unit 2, Pg. 223 Living and Nonliving Unit 2, Pg. 231 Do You Know Which Ones Will Grow? Chart Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing Unit 4, Pg. 118 Raising Tadpoles
With support, role-plays how to use safe practices around unfamiliar people and animals	Resources: • Trusted Adults	Unit 3, Pg. 373 Trusted Adults





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, identifies sounds and names letters: m, a, s, t, i, f, n, o, p, c, k, l, u, b, h	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
With pictures for support, produces beginning sound of CVC word (mop, fan)	 Letter Sound Songs Initial Sound Right Initial Sound Letter Sound Coloring Game (Make a Scene) 	 Unit 4, Pg. 110 Listening Activity: Initial /ck/ Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 52 Initial Sounds and Letter Sound /p/ Unit 6, Pg. 84 Rascal's Rotten Day: Initial Sounds and Letter sound /r/ Unit 6, Pg. 88 Listening Activity: Rascally Initial Sounds
With support, produces word that begins with the same sound as a pair of words (cat, car)	Initial SoundRight Initial SoundChoose a Sound	Unit 6, Pg. 52 Initial Sounds and Letter Sound /p/
EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
Blends 2-3 syllables to say familiar words (bas/ket/ball)	Blend Spoken Syllables	 Unit 5, Pg. 186 Listening Activity: Hairy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 196 Listening Activity: I Spy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 218: Listening Activity: Jumbled Syllables
With support, blends spoken phonemes into one-syllable CVC words (mop)	Blend Every Sound (Phonemes)Blend Phonemes Instruction (Chef; Machine)Blending Riddles: Individual Phonemes	Unit 7, Pg. 246 Listening Activity: Simon Says Blend Phonemes
With support, recognizes differences in a story versus a chart or poem	Distinguish between Fantasy and RealityPrint Concepts	
Names the first letter in child's first name	ABC SongsLetter PicturesLetter CheckerName Game	Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	OCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, identifies the sound of first letter in child's first name	 ABC Songs Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Letter Sound Instruction Letter Sound Screening Sound Room Name That Letter Sound Name Game 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 6, Pg. 66 Listening Activity: Friend Initial Sounds
With less support, matches pictures of words with the same beginning sound	Initial SoundRight Initial SoundChoose a Sound	Unit 6, Pg. 66 Listening Activity: Friend Initial Sounds
With support, identifies words with the same ending sound pattern (onset/rimes, cat, fat, hat)	 Final Sound Instruction Right Final Sound 	 Unit 6, Pg. 106 Six Silly Sailors: Final Sounds and Letter Sound /s/ Unit 6, Pg. 110 Listening Activity: Number Final Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 116 Together: Final Sounds and Letter Sound /t/ Unit 6, Pg. 120 Listening Activity: Final Sounds /r/ and /g/ Unit 7, Pg. 130 Listening Activity: Final Sounds Salute Unit 7, Pg. 144 Listening Activity: Initial and Final Sounds Circle
With support, dictates sentence for teacher to print words on child's paper	Before children are fluent letter writers, Waterford encourages adults to take dictation to accompany children's drawings. Providing writing for a picture teaches pre-literate children valuable lessons about the purpose for writing and the way it works.	Unit 6, Pg. 90 Thank You Notes for the Storytellers
Generates questions and investigates answers with assistance from adult	Science InvestigationBuild Knowledge	 Unit 1, Pg. 24 What Do Scientists Do? Unit 3, Pg. 306 How Do Plants Drink? Unit 3, Pg. 335 Exploring Water Unit 3, Pg. 340 The Water Cycle: Part 1 Unit 3, Pg. 344 The Water Cycle: Part 2 Unit 3, Pg. 363 Seed Investigation
With support, begins to recognize common forms of currency: coins, dollars, credit card	Song: Save Your PenniesResources:Money	 Unit 2, Pg. 160 Dramatic Play: Restaurant Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
Uses information from books to describe, compare, and contrast objects	 Book: City Mouse and the Country Mouse Compare Characters Sum Up: Five Ws Sum Up: Remember Order What Comes Next? Describe Characters 	Story Time Activities
With support, asks and answers questions related to inferences about a familiar book	Peek At the StorySum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember OrderWhat Comes Next?Describe Characters	 Unit 2, Pg. 164 The Hungry Thing Rhyme Play Unit 5, Pg. 130 Good Friends Activity: Everybody Needs Help Sometimes Story Time Activities
Retells or reenacts part of a familiar story that was read aloud	Sum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember Order	Story Time ActivitiesUnit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last
With support, identifies sounds and names letters (m, a, s, t, i, f, n, o, p, c, k, l, u, b, h, e, r, d, g, v, j)	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
With support, identifies some uppercase letters (A, S, C, G, O, I, M, T)	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
Perceives differences in similar- sounding words with support from adult (cap, cat)	Circus Clown ClimbersChange One SoundPhoneme SubstitutionBarnyard Bash	
Uses a variety of words to label and describe people, places, things, and actions	 Books: Ooey, Gooey Mud; I Hate Peas; Lumpy Mush; Bad News Shoes Describe Characters Sum Up: Five Ws 	 Unit 1, Pg. 88 Chrysanthemum Discussion Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 7, Pg. 174 Taking Care of My Teeth
Uses 4+ words in sentences with grammatical complexity	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters and demonstrate appropriate conversation rules as characters listen to each other, develop ideas, and communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please
Begins to identify connections between eating healthy and satisfying basic needs	Song: HealthBook: Everybody Needs to EatHealthy Food	Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part SaladUnit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
With support, contributes to discussion about basic needs of animals and plants	 Books: Everybody Needs to Eat; Mela's Water Pot Animals Need Water Plants and Animals Need Air Plants Need Water Healthy Plants' Needs Sun Water Plants 	 Unit 2, Pg. 223 Living and Nonliving Unit 2, Pg. 258 Taking Care of Living Things Unit 3, Pg. 306 How Do Plants Drink?
With support, tells how weather affects plant growth	 Song: Seasons Books: The Four Seasons Winter Spring Summer Fall 	
Makes inferences and predictions about a text read aloud	Peek At the StoryWhat Comes Next?	Unit 1, Pg. 112 Elephant InvitationsUnit 1, Pg. 148 Ten Little Goldfish





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/S	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, names letters and produces sounds (m, a, s, t, i, f, n, o, p, c, k, l, u, b, h, e, r, d, g, v, j)	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
With support, identifies some uppercase letters (A, S, C, G, O, I, M, T)	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
With less support, recognizes beginning and ending sounds in CVC words	 Final Sound Instruction Right Final Sound Initial Sound Right Initial Sound Choose a Sound 	 Unit 4, Pg. 110 Listening Activity: Initial /ck/ Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 52 Initial Sounds and Letter Sound /p/ Unit 6, Pg. 84 Rascal's Rotten Day: Initial Sounds and Letter sound /r/ Unit 6, Pg. 88 Listening Activity: Rascally Initial Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 106 Six Silly Sailors: Final Sounds and Letter Sound /s/ Unit 6, Pg. 110 Listening Activity: Number Final Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 116 Together: Final Sounds and Letter Sound /t/ Unit 6, Pg. 120 Listening Activity: Final Sounds /r/ and /g/ Unit 7, Pg. 130 Listening Activity: Final Sounds Salute Unit 7, Pg. 144 Listening Activity: Initial and Final Sounds Circle
With support, recognizes use of common HFWs in emergent text	Power Words	
Identifies 2 characteristics of insects: 6 legs, 3 body parts	• Insects	 Unit 5, Pg. 184 Insect Parts Unit 5, Pg. 208 Compare and Contrast: Insect and Spider Numbers © Waterford Institute, Inc. All rights reserved.





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EMERGENT LITERACY/READING/	SOCIAL STUDIES continued	
With support, identifies basic needs of an insect	• Insects	Unit 5, Pg. 170 Dramatic Play: Entomology Lab
Names 2 ways people can protect the environment (recycle, prevent pollution)	Care of WaterCare of Earth	Unit 3, Pg. 347 Where Does Our Water Come From?
Uses positions words in prepositional phrases to describe locations (under the chair)	 Songs: Preposition Song; Get Over the Bugs; Position Cat; Monster Trucks First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On
EMERGENT LITERACY/WRITING		
Listens and copies a teacher's model to fold paper and form 4 boxes	Resources: • Foldable Books • Folded Paper Airplane Pattern	• Unit 1, Pg. 110 Plan, Do, Review
Begins to use correct body posture and grip to tear paper		Unit 3, Pg. 86 Friday Story: The Perfect Square
Draws round shapes using prewriting stroke, Up and around	Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle	Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter AUnit 3, Pg. 330 Circle Party
Draws vertical lines using prewriting stroke, Touch, pull down	Dots, Lines, and Circles	Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter A
With prompting, uses correct body posture and grip when drawing		Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter A
Uses prewriting stroke, Touch, push over, to draw horizontal lines in finger paint	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	 Introduction, Pg. 8 Art Center Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 1, Pg. 38 Eric Carle Paintings





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EMERGENT LITERACY/WRITING Co	ontinued	
Combines prewriting strokes to draw round and square shapes	Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterUnit 3, Pg. 330 Circle Party
Uses prewriting strokes, Slant left and Slant right, to draw slanted lines in finger paint	Letter TraceDots, Lines, and Circles	 Introduction, Pg. 8 Art Center Unit 1, Pg. 38 Eric Carle Paintings Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions
Combines prewriting strokes to draw geometric shapes and create designs	Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterUnit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter AUnit 3, Pg. 330 Circle Party
Combines prewriting strokes to draw and combine shapes	Dots, Lines, and Circles	Unit 3, Pg. 330 Circle PartyUnit 3, Pg. 349 Making ShapesUnit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Adds scribbles and details to drawings to convey meaning	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	Introduction, Pg. 17 Writing CenterJournal Activities
Uses prewriting strokes to draw and trace geometric shapes	Dots, Lines, and Circles	Unit 3, Pg. 330 Circle PartyUnit 3, Pg. 349 Making ShapesUnit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
With pictures for support, dictates to and shares thoughts, ideas, and stories	Before children are fluent letter writers, Waterford encourages adults to take dictation to accompany children's drawings. Providing writing for a picture teaches pre-literate children valuable lessons about the purpose for writing and the way it works.	Introduction, Pg. 17 Writing CenterJournal Activities
Uses prewriting strokes to form some letters and print parts of words	Dots, Lines, and CirclesLetter Trace	 Introduction, Pg. 17 Writing Center Journal Activities Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions
Combines prewriting strokes to print uppercase letter in own first name	Letter TraceDots, Lines, and CirclesName Game	Capital Letter Introductions
With support or copying a model, prints first name; may not include correct spelling	Letter TraceName Game	 Capital Letter Introductions Unit 1, Pg. 72 Baa Baa Black Sheep: Wooly Names





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EMERGENT LITERACY/WRITING	continued	
Uses prewriting strokes to copy a model or print first name	Letter TraceName Game	Capital Letter IntroductionsUnit 1, Pg. 72 Baa Baa Black Sheep: Wooly Names
Uses prewriting strokes to draw geometric shapes and designs that express ideas and feelings	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	 Introduction, Pg. 8 Art Center Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter A Unit 3, Pg. 330 Circle Party Unit 7, Pg. 139 Painting My Feelings Visual Arts Activities
Uses scribbles or letter strings as a form of printing to express an idea	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	Capital Letter IntroductionLowercase Letter IntroductionJournal Activities
Combines prewriting strokes to print alphabet letters to represent words	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	Capital Letter IntroductionLowercase Letter IntroductionJournal Activities
Using pictures for support, retells correct sequence of events in a familiar story	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) Sum Up: Remember Order Sum Up: Five Ws What Comes Next? Missing Pictures 	 Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last Unit 7, Pg. 215 Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Program
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE		
Sorts objects that share the same characteristic (red or round)	Song: All Sorts of LaundryBook: Buttons, ButtonsSortOrder Size	 Unit 1, Pg. 119 Sorting Buttons Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 3, Pg. 338 Sort It Out Unit 3, Pg. 359 Fancy Shapes Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
Sorts objects by size (big or little)	Song: Savanna SizeOrder SizeBig and LittleTall and Short	Unit 6, Pg. 114 Length





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	1	
Recognizes and sorts objects by color: red and blue	Song: All Sorts of LaundryBook: Buttons, ButtonsSort	Unit 1, Pg. 119 Sorting Buttons
Recognizes round shape: circle	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle 	Unit 3, Pg. 320 CirclesUnit 3, Pg. 330 Circle PartyUnit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Copies teacher's model to form horizontal row with blocks		Unit 4, Pg. 28 Classroom Block PlayUnit 7, Pg. 136 Exploring Length
Identifies colors, yellow and green	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsRed, Yellow, Blue Instruction	Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites
With support, extends ABAB pattern alternating two colors (red, blue, red, blue)	Song: Train Station PatternsPattern ABPatterns	• Unit 4, Pg. 38 AB Pattern Garden
Matches objects one-to-one and forms two horizontal parallel rows	MatchOne-to-One CorrespondenceNumber CountingNumber Instruction	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 3, Pg. 333 Tortillas, Tortillas: Family Dinner Unit 6, Pg. 83 Ten Frame Game
With support, counts 1-4 objects and uses numerals to show how many	 Counting Songs (See titles at end of document.) Make and Count Groups Match Numbers One-to-one Correspondence 	 Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?
Sorts and classifies objects by color and identifies set with more (not counting)	Song: All Sorts of LaundryBook: Buttons, ButtonsSort	 Unit 1, Pg. 119 Sorting Buttons Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 3, Pg. 338 Sort It Out Unit 3, Pg. 359 Fancy Shapes Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
Identifies colors: orange, purple, brown	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsColor Practice	Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d	
With support, names shapes: circle, square	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Corners and Sides; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Combines small shapes to create a large shape	GeoboardTangrams	Introduction, Pg. 9 Block CenterUnit 3, Pg. 368 Shapes Mural
With support, understands that shapes remain the same regardless of position	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Kites; Corners and Sides, Marmot Shapes Book: Imagination Shapes Simple Shapes Space Shapes World Shapes Solid Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle Oval, Star, Semicircle, Rhombus, Octagon 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 299 Triangles Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Stacks blocks to demonstrate height concepts, tall and short	Song: Savanna Size Tall and Short	Unit 6, Pg. 114 Length
Begins to understand words for time concepts: today, yesterday, tomorrow	Calendar/Graph WeatherTodayYesterday/Today	Unit 1, Pg. 35 CalendarUnit 1, Pg. 45 Calendar: Yesterday and TodayUnit 1, Pg. 55 Calendar
With support, identifies sets with more or less quantities	 Songs: Greater Than, Less Than; More Than, Fewer Than Book: For the Birds Greater Than, Less Than More Than Fewer Than 	 Unit 6, Pg. 8 Greater Than Unit 6, Pg. 71 Less Than Unit 6, Pg. 105 Quantities to 10 Unit 6, Pg. 121 Problem Solving: Fair Division
With support, counts 1-5 objects and matches numerals to show how many	 Counting Songs (See titles at end of document.) Make and Count Groups Match Numbers One-to-one Correspondence 	 Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?
Identifies colors: white, black, pink	Song: Squirrel's Zoo Colors Color Practice	Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	1	
With support, identifies shapes: circle, rectangle, square, triangle, heart, star	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Corners and Sides; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Solid Shapes Space Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle Star, Semicircle, Octagon, Oval, Rhombus Oval, Star, Semicircle, Rhombus, Octagon 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 299 Triangles Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Identifies positions that are opposites: up, down, top, bottom, over, under, front, back	 Songs: Get Over the Bugs; Position Cat; Monster Trucks Book: Up in the Air First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On
Counts 1–5 objects, understanding that the last number counted tells how many	Make and Count GroupsMatch NumbersOne-to-One Correspondence	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 2, Pg. 161 Popcorn Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 191 Traffic Jam Count Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match
Begins to understand passage of time: days of week, seasons	Calendar/Graph WeatherTodayObserve a Simple SystemYesterday/Today	 Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing Unit 7, Pg. 225 Good Friends Activity: I Am Ready for Kindergarten





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d	
With support, names common objects in the sky and describes changes in weather	 Song: Sun Blues; The Moon; S—Star Light Start Bright (United States); Seasons Book: Star Pictures Sun Moon Constellations Build Knowledge: Moon Song Moon Patterns Winter Spring Summer Fall Calendar/Graph Weather 	 Unit 6, Pg. 38 Dramatic Play: To the Moon! Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites
Counts 1–5 objects and matches numerals to show how many	 One-to-One Correspondence Counting Songs Match Numbers Number Counting Number Instruction Number Practice Bug Bits Make and Count Groups 	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 23 Counting and Attendance Unit 3, Pg. 333 Tortillas, Tortillas: Family Dinner Unit 5, Pg. 147 Decomposing 7 Unit 5, Pg. 171 Quantities to 7 Unit 5, Pg. 180 Arrange and Count 7 Unit 5, Pg. 200 Counting in a Circle
Counts 1–5 objects in a set and identifies which set has more/less objects	 Songs: Greater Than, Less Than; More Than, Fewer Than Book: For the Birds Greater Than, Less Than More Than, Fewer Than More Than Fewer Than 	 Unit 6, Pg. 8 Greater Than Unit 6, Pg. 71 Less Than Unit 6, Pg. 105 Quantities to 10 Unit 6, Pg. 121 Problem Solving: Fair Division





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continue	d	
Using pictures for support, identifies types of weather and describes changes	 Song: Precipitation Books: That's What I Like: A Book About; The Four Seasons Weather Calendar/Graph Weather Clouds Winter Spring Summer Fall 	 Unit 3, Pg. 284 Sunlight and Temperature Investigation Unit 7, Pg. 244 Weather Report
Describes changes on Earth during fall/winter; changes in the sky (day/night)	 Songs: Precipitation; Seasons Books: That's What I Like: A Book About Seasons; Whatever the Weather Weather Calendar/Graph Weather Clouds Spring Summer Fall Winter 	 Unit 7, Pg. 233 Precipitation Unit 7, Pg. 243 What Should I Wear? Unit 7, Pg. 244 Weather Report
With support, conducts investigations and makes a prediction or hypothesis	Song: The Scientific MethodObserve a Simple SystemScience Investigation	Unit 3, Pg. 306 How Do Plants Drink?Unit 3, Pg. 363 Seed Investigation
With support, understands that observations can be recorded as data on a chart or graph	Observe a Simple SystemCalendar/Graph WeatherScience Investigation	 Unit 3, Pg. 306 How Do Plants Drink? Unit 3, Pg. 363 Seed Investigation Unit 5, Pg. 245 Can an Earthworm Tell if it's Hot or Cold?
With pictures for support, identifies and names 10 colors	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsColor PracticeRed, Yellow, and Blue	 Unit 3, Pg. 361 Fire Painting Unit 3, Pg. 368 Shades of Paint Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d	
Names and describes shapes: circle, oval, rectangle, square, triangle, heart, star	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Corners and Sides; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Solid Shapes Space Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle Star, Semicircle, Octagon, Oval, Rhombus Oval, Star, Semicircle, Rhombus, Octagon 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 299 Triangles Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Identifies how many using 1–5 objects placed in a row without counting	 Moving Target (Dots) Bug Bits Make and Count Groups Resources: Dot Cards 	 Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?
Recites number words in order, counting orally 1-10	Counting SongsNumber CountingNumber Instruction	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 45 Counting and Attendance Unit 5, Pg. 200 Counting in a Circle
Matches numerals to quantities using 1-5 objects	Number CountingMatch NumbersNumber InstructionMake and Count Groups	 Read and Write Number Activities Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 2, Pg. 235 Number Books 1-5
Using 1-5 objects, counts to identify sets with greater than, less than, equal quantities	 Songs: Greater Than, Less Than; More Than, Fewer Than Book: For the Birds Greater Than, Less Than More Than, Fewer Than More Than Fewer Than 	 Unit 6, Pg. 8 Greater Than Unit 6, Pg. 71 Less Than Unit 6, Pg. 105 Quantities to 10 Unit 6, Pg. 121 Problem Solving: Fair Division
Identifies how many using 1-5 objects placed in random order without counting	 Moving Target (Dots) Bug Bits Make and Count Groups Resources: Dot Cards 	 Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continue	d	
Uses hands as a nonstandard measurement to identify concepts: long, short, tall	 Songs: Savanna Size, Large, Larger, Largest; Order Size Big and Little Tall and Short 	Unit 6, Pg. 114 Length
Using real objects, identifies objects that are heavy or light, full or empty	Song: Savanna SizeCapacityHeavy and Light	Unit 7, Pg. 142 WeightUnit 7, Pg. 199 Volume
Follows multi-step directions and completes a Directed Drawing with less support	While interacting with Waterford, children listen to and follow multi-step directions.	 Unit 1, Pg. 4 Arrival and Toy Time Unit 1, Pg. 10 Introduction to Centers Unit 1, Pg. 11 Cleanup and Center Review Unit 1, Pg. 18 Afternoon Centers Unit 3, Pg. 310 Make a Triangle
Begins to understand what it means to be a consumer (purchase food, bus tickets)	 Books: Bugs For Sale; Bad News Shoes Pretend Play <i>Resources:</i> Money Classroom Helpers All the Way Done 	 Unit 2, Pg. 160 Dramatic Play: Restaurant Unit 3, Pg. 326 We All Have Jobs Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully
Counts 1-5 objects and matches numerals 1-5 to show how many	 Counting Songs (See titles at end of document.) Make and Count Groups Match Numbers One-to-one Correspondence 	 Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?
Understands that the last number counted tells how many objects were counted in all	Make and Count GroupsMatch NumbersOne-to-One Correspondence	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 2, Pg. 161 Popcorn Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 191 Traffic Jam Count Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match
Rote counts 1–10 or higher	Counting SongsNumber CountingNumber Instruction	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 45 Counting and Attendance Unit 5, Pg. 200 Counting in a Circle





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continue	d	
With support, sorts and classifies by 2-3 attributes (color, size, shape)	Song: All Sorts of LaundryBook: Buttons, ButtonsSort	 Unit 1, Pg. 119 Sorting Buttons Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 3, Pg. 338 Sort It Out Unit 3, Pg. 359 Fancy Shapes Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
Using pictures for support, names earth materials and describes their properties (water, rocks, soil)	WaterMaterialsRocks	 Unit 3, Pg. 340 The Water Cycle: Part 1 Unit 3, Pg. 344 The Water Cycle: Part 2 Unit 3, Pg. 347 Where Does Our Water Come From?
Using pictures for support, describes the life cycle of plants	Books: A Seed Grows; The Old Maple TreePlant Life Cycle and Growth	
Names and describes common vegetables and fruits	Books: I Hate Peas; Follow the Apples	 Unit 1, Pg. 50 Follow the Apples Investigation Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
Names two ways to care for the environment (throw away trash, conserve water)	Care of WaterCare of Earth	Unit 3, Pg. 347 Where Does Our Water Come From?
Forms 2 parallel rows using 3-5 objects and demonstrates one-to-one correspondence	One-to-one CorrespondenceNumber CountingMatch Numbers	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 3, Pg. 333 Tortillas, Tortillas: Family Dinner Unit 6, Pg. 83 Ten Frame Game
Demonstrates how to make a comparison and identify similarities and differences	 Song: All Sorts of Laundry Book: Buttons, Buttons Sort Match Make Comparisons 	 Unit 1, Pg. 119 Sorting Buttons Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 3, Pg. 338 Sort It Out Unit 3, Pg. 359 Fancy Shapes Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
Ranks and places objects in a series from big to little or tall to short	 Songs: Savanna Size, Large, Larger, Largest Order Size Big and Little Tall and Short Size 	Unit 6, Pg. 114 Length





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d	
Using 3–5 objects, creates 2 rows and compares sets to identify difference in quantities	 Songs: Greater Than, Less Than; More Than, Fewer Than Book: For the Birds Greater Than, Less Than More Than Fewer Than 	 Unit 6, Pg. 8 Greater Than Unit 6, Pg. 71 Less Than Unit 6, Pg. 105 Quantities to 10 Unit 6, Pg. 121 Problem Solving: Fair Division
With support, begins to solve simple addition word problems using 1–5 objects	Songs: Addition; On the BayouAct Out Addition	 Unit 5, Pg. 210 Counting to 8 in Relation to 5 Unit 6, Pg. 83 Ten Frame Game
Begins to understand concepts related to the passage of time: seasons, days of week, clock time	 Songs: Days of the Week; D—Days of the Week (New Zealand); Seasons Books: Mr. Romano's Secret; The Four Seasons; That's What I Like: A Book About Seasons Winter Spring Summer Fall Calendar/Graph Weather Today Observe a Simple System Yesterday/Today 	 Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing Unit 7, Pg. 225 Good Friends Activity: I Am Ready for Kindergarten
Identifies numerals and uses objects to represent values 1-5	 Number Counting Match Numbers Number Instruction Make and Count Groups Bug Bits 	 Read and Write Number Activities Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 2, Pg. 161 Popcorn Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 191 Traffic Jam Count Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 235 Number Books 1-5
With support, solves simple word problems to combine 2 sets of 1-2 objects	Songs: Addition; A Nice AdditionAct Out AdditionAdd Groups	 Unit 5, Pg. 210 Counting to 8 in Relation to 5 Unit 6, Pg. 83 Ten Frame Game





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d d	
Orally counts forward 1–5 or higher, maintaining correct sequence	Counting SongsNumber CountingNumber InstructionCounting PuzzleOrder Numbers	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 45 Counting and Attendance Unit 5, Pg. 171 Quantities to 7 Unit 5, Pg. 200 Counting in a Circle
Identifies positions that are opposites: over/under, top/bottom, left/right	 Songs: Get Over the Bugs; Position Cat; Monster Trucks First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On
Describes 2 characteristics of a common object (color, shape, use)	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Corners and Sides; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Solid Shapes Space Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle Star, Semicircle, Octagon, Oval, Rhombus Oval, Star, Semicircle, Rhombus, Octagon 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 299 Triangles Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Identifies routines associated with time concepts (morning, night)	Book: Marty's Mixed-Up Mom	 Unit 1, Pg. 7 Schedule Unit 1, Pg. 24 Schedule Unit 1, Pg. 36 Schedule; Jump Up and Down Transition Unit 1, Pg. 59 Cleanup and Review





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FINE ARTS/TECHNOLOGY		
Engages in role-play and sings songs	Music is an integral part of Waterford and includes songs specific to learning objectives, as well as the use of background classical music throughout the program.	 Dramatic Play Activities Unit 1, Pg. 26 Singing the Alphabet Unit 3, Pg. 369 Where is Thumbkin: Find the Marble Unit 7, Pg. 215 Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Program
Moves to music maintaining balance and control	Baby's Ballet	 Unit 2, Pg. 175 Dancing with Props Unit 4, Pg. 27 Mammal Rhythm Unit 4, Pg. 117 Giraffes Can Dance! Unit 5, Pg. 183 Flight of the Bumblebee
Adds details to drawings as a form of creative expression	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterVisual Arts Activities
With prompting, shows interest in and appreciation for creative works of others	Book: Lizard and the Painted RockSquirrel Sketches	 Unit 1, Pg. 38 Eric Carle Paintings Unit 7, Pg. 145 Artist's Statement Unit 7, Pg. 154 Gallery Talk
Begins to understand ways technology can be used to gather information	Print Concepts	Unit 4, Pg. 54 Help the Birds
Uses art materials for sensory experiences and exploration	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	 Introduction, Pg. 8 Art Center; Pg. 16 Sensory Table Unit 1, Pg. 19 Birthday Cupcakes Unit 1, Pg. 38 Eric Carle Paintings Unit 2, Pg. 247 Clay Portraits Unit 3, Pg. 309 Leaf Rubbings Unit 3, Pg. 361 Fire Painting Visual Arts Activities
Responds to different musical styles through movement and play and dance	 Sing Around the World Songs Book: Movin' to the Music Time Baby's Ballet Mama's Melody 	 Unit 2, Pg. 175 Dancing with Props Unit 5, Pg. 183 Flight of the Bumblebee Unit 5, Pg. 188 Insect Walking Sounds Unit 7, Pg. 187 Pathways in Space
Names and uses digital devices to create class story (computer, mouse, keyboard)	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, dragging items around screen, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES	
FINE ARTS/TECHNOLOGY continu	FINE ARTS/TECHNOLOGY continued		
Role-plays to show how to care for technology and participate in games and activities	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, dragging items around screen, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 SmartStart Orientation 	
With teacher support, uses software applications to create and express ideas		Unit 1, Pg. 38 Illustration Investigation	
With support, identifies words and sounds associated with different musical instruments		 Unit 1, Pg. 98 Dramatic Play: Music Shop Unit 1, Pg. 103 Instrument Chairs Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments Unit 6, Pg. 85 Storytelling With Instruments 	
Names common technology components (mouse, keyboard, computer, cell phone)	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, dragging items around screen, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center 	
Engages with peers, repeating familiar songs and fingerplays	 Songs: Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes; I Touch My Nose Like This Sing Around the World Songs Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) 	 Dramatic Play Activities Music Activities Unit 1, Pg. 83 Pat-a-cake: Dough Time Unit 4, Pg. 13 We're All Happy Unit 7, Pg. 215 Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Program 	
With adult support, uses technology to gather information and affirm understandings	Print Concepts	Unit 1, Pg. 38 Illustration InvestigationUnit 4, Pg. 54 Help the Birds	
With adult support, plays digital games that reinforce learning	Vivid, game-like graphics and engaging tasks in Waterford offer a wide variety of activities to hold children's interest.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 SmartStart Orientation 	





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
FINE ARTS/TECHNOLOGY continu	ed	
Understands how technology is used at school (listening to music)	Music is an integral part of Waterford and includes songs specific to learning objectives, as well as the use of background classical music throughout the program.	Music and Dance Activities
Identifies how technology affects daily life (cell phones, GPS)		 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center; SmartStart Orientation Unit 1, Pg. 38 Illustration Investigation Unit 1, Pg. 132 Erasing Mistakes Unit 4, Pg. 54 Help the Birds
	48-60 MONTHS	
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL		
Shows awareness and control of feelings most of the time	 Do I Have To? It's Not Fair! Find Me! Soup's On! Lost and Found Where's Papa? Papa's Thumb Lost Keys 	 Introduction, Pg. 16 Private Place Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down Unit 4, Pg. 47 Quiet Bottles Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments
Follows rules and routines	Rules and routines become familiar and children begin to demonstrate self-control as they progress independently through the Waterford sequence of activities.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center; Pg. 13 Reading Center Unit 1, Pg. 6 Listening Rug Rules Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 14 School Field Trip Unit 1, Pg. 39 Quiet Time Unit 5, Pg. 230 Dramatic Play: Library





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Takes care of classroom materials	Waterford's Social-emotional videos model positive, prosocial behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, cooperation, collaboration, respect, and initiative as children learn to respect other's property as well as their own.	 Center Activities Dramatic Play Activities Visual Arts Activities Introduction, Pg. 16 Sensory Table Unit 1, Pg. 10 Introduction to Centers Unit 1, Pg. 19 Birthday Cupcakes
Regulates own behavior and emotions	 Do I Have To? It's Not Fair! Find Me! Soup's On! Lost and Found Where's Papa? Papa's Thumb Lost Keys 	 Introduction, Pg. 16 Private Place Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down Unit 4, Pg. 47 Quiet Bottles Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments
Identifies differences and connections between feelings and behaviors	 Lost Dinosaur Papa's Thumb Squirrel's Blocks Resources: Lots of Feelings 	 Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 26 Journal Prompt: I feel Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down Unit 4, Pg. 47 Quiet Bottles Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments
Sustains attention and completes ageappropriate task	Engaging activities throughout Waterford hold children's attention as they concentrate on each task.	Unit 1, Pg. 32 Train My Brain: DeterminationUnit 7, Pg. 131 Good Friends Activity: I Pay Attention
Demonstrates empathy and caring for others	Boo Hoo BabyBaby's BallBaby's BerriesMusical Mayhem	 Unit 2, Pg. 188 Full Buckets Unit 2, Pg. 202 Kind Kids Unit 2, Pg. 206 Good Friends, Good Listeners Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 13 We're All Happy
Shows competence using pro-social behaviors to initiate pretend play	Social-emotional videos model positive, pro-social behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, collaboration, courtesy, respect, and initiative.	Unit 1, Pg. 88 Let's PlayUnit 6, Pg. 56 Good Friends Activity: Can I Play With You?





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Demonstrates more than one way to solve a problem	Social-emotional videos model problem-solving strategies that include individual methods as well as seeking adult help.	 Unit 6, Pg. 99 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Problem Solver Unit 6, Pg. 107 How to Solve a Problem Unit 6, Pg. 120 Journal Prompt: A Problem I Solved
Persists in solving problems independently	Social-emotional videos model problem-solving strategies that include individual methods as well as seeking adult help.	 Unit 6, Pg. 99 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Problem Solver Unit 6, Pg. 107 How to Solve a Problem Unit 6, Pg. 120 Journal Prompt: A Problem I Solved
Assumes roles and responsibilities in the classroom community	• Do I Have To?	 Unit 1, Pg. 11 Clean Up and Center Review Unit 2, Pg. 214 Garbage Elves Unit 3, Pg. 326 We All Have Jobs Unit 5, Pg. 197 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Helper Unit 5, Pg. 218 Journal Prompt: I Helped When
Shows initiative and persistence in problem-solving	Social-emotional videos model problem-solving strategies that include individual methods as well as seeking adult help.	 Unit 6, Pg. 99 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Problem Solver Unit 6, Pg. 107 How to Solve a Problem Unit 6, Pg. 120 Journal Prompt: A Problem I Solved
Understands that actions affect others (cause/effect)	Observe a Simple SystemScience InvestigationCalendar/Graph Weather	 Unit 6, Pg. 87 Wash Your Hands with Soap (and the ABCs!) Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully Unit 7, Pg. 184 Consequence Game
Initiates problem-solving strategies, seeking help as needed	Social-emotional videos model problem-solving strategies that include individual methods as well as seeking adult help.	 Unit 5, Pg. 130 Good Friends Activity: Everybody Needs Help Sometimes Unit 5, Pg. 166 Good Friends Activity: I Ask for Help When I Need It Unit 5, Pg. 173 Asking for Help Unit 6, Pg. 99 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Problem Solver Unit 6, Pg. 107 How to Solve a Problem Unit 6, Pg. 120 Journal Prompt: A Problem I Solved





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Describes own feelings and identifies preferences	 Books: José Three; Ooey, Gooey Mud; I Hate Peas; Lumpy Mush; Bad News Shoes Clubhouse Marmot's Basket It's Not Fair! Do I Have To? 	 Journal Activities Unit 1, Pg. 149 Am, Can Unit 2, Pg. 175 Dancing with Props Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 7, Pg. 139 Painting My Feelings
Engages in group activities for up to 20 minutes at a time	Engaging activities throughout Waterford hold children's attention as they concentrate on each task.	 Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 32 Train My Brain: Determination Unit 1, Pg. 66 All the Way Done: Classroom Helpers Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 2, Pg. 202 Kind Kids Unit 4, Pg. 84 Working Together Unit 5, Pg. 238 Friends Use Kind Words Unit 6, Pg. 56 Good Friends Activity: Can I Play With You? Unit 7, Pg. 131 Good Friends Activity: I Pay Attention Unit 7, Pg. 249 Friendship
Demonstrates cooperation and has meaningful relationships with friends	Social-emotional videos model positive, pro-social behaviors such as friendship, empathy, kindness, cooperation, collaboration, courtesy, respect, and initiative.	 Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 66 All the Way Done: Classroom Helpers Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 2, Pg. 202 Kind Kids Unit 4, Pg. 84 Working Together Unit 5, Pg. 238 Friends Use Kind Words Unit 6, Pg. 56 Good Friends Activity: Can I Play With You? Unit 7, Pg. 249 Friendship
Makes choices and accepts consequences related to choices	 Do I Have To? Broken Lamp Baby's Ball Resources: Consequences Cards 	 Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully Unit 7, Pg. 184 Consequence Game Unit 7, Pg. 194 Good Friends Activity: I Tell the Truth





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Works cooperatively to complete a group project	 Clubhouse Marmot's Basket Musical Mayhem Resources: Good Playing Rules 	 Unit 1, Pg. 66 All the Way Done: Classroom Helpers Unit 4, Pg. 84 Working Together
Demonstrates understanding of others' opinions and feelings that differ from own	Books: Mine; José Three; Ooey, Gooey Mud; I Hate Peas; Lumpy Mush; Bad News Shoes; Movin' to the Music Time	Unit 4, Pg. 74 It's Okay to Say No
Controls impulses and engages in cooperative play through sharing and taking turns	 Do I Have To? It's Not Fair! Find Me! Soup's On! Lost and Found Where's Papa? Papa's Thumb Lost Keys 	 Introduction, Pg. 16 Private Place Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 4, Pg. 35 Good Friends Activity: I Can Calm Down Unit 4, Pg. 47 Quiet Bottles Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments Unit 4, Pg. 88 Journal Prompt: I Took Turns When
Understands that actions affect others and accepts consequences of actions	 Do I Have To? Broken Lamp Baby's Ball Resources: Consequences Cards 	 Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully Unit 7, Pg. 184 Consequence Game Unit 7, Pg. 194 Good Friends Activity: I Tell the Truth
Delays gratification for short periods of time	 Dinner Time The Picnic Resources: Homelink: Waiting Game 	 Unit 1, Pg.6 Listening Rug Rules Unit 1, Pg.76 Taking Turns Game Unit 4, Pg.88 Journal Prompt: I Took Turns When Unit 4, Pg.80 Waiting Game
Is aware of competence and describes self positively	Books: Mine; José Three; Grandpa's Great AthleteBoo Hoo BabyBaby's Ball	• Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can
Makes and expresses choices, plans, and decisions	Waterford's Central Park character Squirrel, models independence and communicates his choices in engaging videos.	 Unit 4, Pg. 96 Good Friends Activity: I Try New Things Unit 6, Pg. 99 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Problem Solver Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully
Focuses and sustains attention for 20-minute activity	Engaging activities throughout Waterford hold children's attention as they concentrate on each task.	Unit 1, Pg. 32 Train My Brain: DeterminationUnit 7, Pg. 131 Good Friends Activity: I Pay Attention





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL continued		
Maintains positive relationships and interactions with adults and peers	 Clubhouse Marmot's Basket My Family Find Me! Where's Papa? Lost and Found Soup's On! 	 Introduction, Pg. 6 The Listening Rug Unit 1, Pg. 4 Arrival and Toy Time Unit 1, Pg. 10 Good Playing Rules Unit 1, Pg. 20 Reflection and Dismissal Unit 3, Pg. 375 Trusted Adults Unit 4, Pg. 84 Working Together Unit 5, Pg. 226 Good Friends Activity: I'm a Good Friend Unit 5, Pg. 238 Friends Use Kind Words Unit 6, Pg. 75 Grown-up Manners
PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT		
Combines prewriting strokes to print alphabet letters to represent words	Resources: • Personal Space Circle	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot! Unit 1, Pg. 143 Builders and Bulldozers Unit 2, Pg. 169 Personal Space Circle Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail Unit 7, Pg. 187 Pathways in Space
Demonstrates coordination and balance, practicing personal safety	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot! Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
Describes and follows safety rules for self and others	 Resources: Emergency Preparedness for Kids Fire Safety Activities for Kids Life Jackets and Floaties 	 Unit 3, Pg. 336 Tuesday Story: Call For Help Unit 3, Pg. 339 Emergency! Unit 3, Pg. 375 Trusted Adults Unit 6, Pg. 66 Good Friends Activity: I'm in Charge of My Body Unit 6, Pg. 117 Digital Safety Unit 7, Pg. 153 Paying Attention Helps Keep Everyone Safe Unit 7, Pg. 155 Safe Eating: Gallery Refreshments





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT continu	red	
Participates in games, showing how body parts work together for movement	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
Demonstrates coordination engaging in physical activities using left and right body parts	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
Throws and catches 8–10-inch ball with both hands		Unit 6, Pg. 112 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce
Uses correct body posture, grip, and pressure on more complex drawings	Squirrel SketchesResources:Pencil Grip	 Introduction, Pg. 8 Art Center Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter A Unit 1, Pg. 60 Turn and Talk Matching Visual Arts Activities
Demonstrates small-muscle control when folding, tearing, drawing, and painting	The daily use of a touch pad or mouse helps develop dexterity and hand-eye coordination.	 Unit 1, Pg. 114 Snip, Snip, Cut Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 3, Pg. 314 Cutting Shapes Unit 4, Pg. 18 Skeleton Hands Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 5, Pg. 219 Spider Webs
Demonstrates flexibility when exercising that requires balance and control	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus SchoolUnit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile
Kicks a moving 8-10-inch ball to demonstrate coordination		Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce





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PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT continu	ed	
Copies model making axial movements, reaching, twisting, bending, to explore space	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail Unit 6, Pg. 7, Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile (Yoga)
Shows control of tasks that require small-muscle strength and endurance	Children use a mouse, keyboard, or touch pad during their daily Waterford sessions. The movements help develop hand strength and dexterity.	 Unit 1, Pg. 114 Snip, Snip, Cut Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 3, Pg. 314 Cutting Shapes
Demonstrates coordination in motion (throw, catch, kick a ball)		Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: GymUnit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce
Identifies different ways to move (hop, skip, jump, run)		 Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
Physically moves to demonstrate understanding of location words (prepositions)	 Songs: Preposition Cat; Get Over the Bugs; Monster Trucks First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 254 Polly Put the Kettle On Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On
Uses body parts to reach upward or outward and extend height, width	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile
Demonstrates gross motor coordination and control: skip, gallop, hop	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves





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PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT continu	red	
Demonstrates how to log roll forward and backward on floor		Unit 5, Pg. 233 Slide Like a Snail
Demonstrates understandings about muscles and bones working together for movement	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	Unit 6, Pg. 108 Exercise Makes Me BetterUnit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile
Demonstrates flexibility, strength, and endurance in physical activities	Resources: • Yoga Booklet	 Unit 1, Pg. 130 We're Standing on One Foot Unit 4, Pg. 42 Birds on a Perch Unit 5, Pg. 199 Dramatic Play: Circus School Unit 6, Pg. 7 Dramatic Play: Gym Unit 6, Pg. 110 Kick, Throw, Catch, and Bounce Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile Unit 6, Pg. 122 Obstacle Course Unit 7, Pg. 238 Surfing the Waves
LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATIO	N	
Uses gestures and words to describe needs and feelings	 Do I Have To? It's Not Fair! Lost and Found Squirrel's Blocks Lost Dinosaur Resources: Feelings Posters Lots of Feelings Guess How I'm Feeling 	 Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can Unit 4, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 26 Journal Prompt: I feel Unit 4, Pg. 74 It's Okay to Say No Unit 5, Pg. 130 Good Friends Activity: Everybody Needs Help Sometimes Unit 5, Pg. 166 Good Friends Activity: I Ask for Help When I Need It Unit 5, Pg. 173 Asking for Help
Uses language and engages in conversations	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters and demonstrate appropriate conversation rules as characters listen to each other, develop ideas, and communicate in complete sentences.	 Morning Meetings Unit 1, Pg. 6 Listening Rug Rules Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please Unit 6, Pg. 75 Grown-Up Manners





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LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATIO	ON continued	
Listens and waits for a turn to speak	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters and demonstrate appropriate conversation rules as characters listen to each other, develop ideas, and communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 1, Pg. 76 Taking Turns Game Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please Unit 6, Pg. 75 Grown-Up Manners
Uses illustrations to activate prior knowledge	Peek at the Story	Story Time ActivitiesUnit 1, Pg. 112 Elephant InvitationsUnit 1, Pg. 148 Ten Little Goldfish
Answers simple questions about a story read aloud	Sum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember OrderWhat Comes Next?Describe Characters	 Story Time Activities Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last
Follows 2–3-step directions	Children interacting with Waterford are constantly listening to input and responding with choices. Children must be able to listen, understand, and respond appropriately, often to detailed, multi-step directions.	 Unit 1, Pg. 4 Arrival and Toy Time Unit 1, Pg. 10 Introduction to Centers Unit 1, Pg. 11 Cleanup and Center Review Unit 1, Pg. 18 Afternoon Centers Unit 1, Pg. 20 Reflection and Dismissal Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center Unit 2, Pg. 246 I Touch My Nose Like This
Uses pictures to combine two words and form a compound word	Song: Compound Words	 Unit 4, Pg. 26 Listening Activity: Segment Farm Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 46 Listening Activity: Animal Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 50 Vertebrate Compound Words
Uses question words to gather information	Sum Up: Five WsScience InvestigationBuild Knowledge	Unit 7, Pg. 150 What Doesn't Belong





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LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION	N continued	
Compares and describes attributes of common objects	 Songs: Let's Compare; All Sorts of Laundry Book: Buttons, Buttons Sort 	 Unit 1, Pg. 119 Sorting Buttons Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 1, Pg. 145 What's in the Bag? Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 3, Pg. 338 Sort It Out Unit 3, Pg. 359 Fancy Shapes
Uses plural nouns correctly in oral language (cat, cats)	Song: More than OneBook: Moose Are Not Meese	
Deletes a word from a compound word	Take Away Syllables	 Unit 4, Pg. 12 One, Two, Buckle My Shoe: Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 46 Listening Activity: Animal Compound Words Unit 4, Pg. 50 Vertebrate Compound Words
Uses details to retell a familiar story or describe a common object	Sum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember OrderDescribe Characters	 Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 1, Pg. 145 What's in the Bag? Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last Unit 4, Pg. 112 I Can Book
Combines more than one idea in a sentence using connecting words (and, because)	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters that demonstrate appropriate conversation rules, as characters develop ideas, ask and answer relevant questions, and communicate in complete sentences.	Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game
Determines the meaning of unknown words using conversation or pictures	Waterford online books include bold-faced vocabulary words. When any word is selected, the word is repeated. When bold-faced words are selected, students hear a slowed pronunciation and definition in a pop-up with an illustration.	 Unit 1, Pg. 54 Morning Meeting Unit 1, Pg. 83 Pat-a-cake: Dough Time Unit 1, Pg. 112 Elephant Invitations Unit 2, Pg. 228 Little Miss Muffet: Rhymes and Whey
Describes what he/she can do, showing reasonable opinion of own abilities and limitations	Books: Mine; Grandpa's Great Athlete	• Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATIO	N continued	
Uses plurals and pronouns in sentences with subject/ verb agreement	Song: More than OnePlural Nouns	
Speaks using more than one idea or phrase in a sentence	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters as they communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please
Recognizes and uses a growing number of high-frequency words (HFWs)	Power Words	
Identifies beginning sound of CVC words for letters using previously taught sounds	 Letter Sound Songs Initial Sound Right Initial Sound Letter Sound Coloring Game (Make a Scene) 	 Unit 4, Pg. 110 Listening Activity: Initial /ck/ Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 52 Initial Sounds and Letter Sound /p/ Unit 6, Pg. 84 Rascal's Rotten Day: Initial Sounds and Letter sound /r/ Unit 6, Pg. 88 Listening Activity: Rascally Initial Sounds
Identifies sounds and names letters: m, a, s, t, i, f, n, o, p, c, k, l, u, b, h, e, r, d	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
Identifies ending sound in CVC words	 Final Sound Instruction Right Final Sound 	 Unit 6, Pg. 106 Six Silly Sailors: Final Sounds and Letter Sound /s/ Unit 6, Pg. 110 Listening Activity: Number Final Sounds Unit 6, Pg. 116 Together: Final Sounds and Letter Sound /t/ Unit 6, Pg. 120 Listening Activity: Final Sounds /r/ and /g/ Unit 7, Pg. 130 Listening Activity: Final Sounds Salute Unit 7, Pg. 144 Listening Activity: Initial and Final Sounds Circle





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LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION	N continued	
Blends phonemes to sound out CVC words without pictorial support	Blend Every Sound (Phonemes)Blend Phonemes Instruction (Chef; Machine)Blending Riddles: Individual Phonemes	Unit 7, Pg. 246 Listening Activity: Simon Says Blend Phonemes
Dictates stories for teacher to print words and publish story	Before children are fluent letter writers, Waterford encourages adults to take dictation to accompany children's drawings. Providing writing for a picture teaches pre-literate children valuable lessons about the purpose for writing and the way it works.	Unit 6, Pg. 90 Thank You Notes for the Storytellers
Generates questions and investigates answers	 Song: The Scientific Method Build Knowledge Science Investigation 	 Unit 1, Pg. 24 What Do Scientists Do? Unit 3, Pg. 306 How Do Plants Drink? Unit 3, Pg. 335 Exploring Water Unit 3, Pg. 340 The Water Cycle: Part 1 Unit 3, Pg. 344 The Water Cycle: Part 2 Unit 3, Pg. 363 Seed Investigation
Recognizes coins and relates how money is used	Song: Save Your PenniesResources:Money	 Unit 2, Pg. 160 Dramatic Play: Restaurant Unit 7, Pg. 165 Good Friends Activity: I Choose Carefully
Understands the difference between a question and a statement	Song: What Is a Sentence?; Sentence MarksScience Investigation Introduction	
Uses verb tenses related to time concepts, present and past	 Song: It Happened Yesterday Calendar/Graph Weather Today Observe a Simple System Yesterday/Today 	 Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing Unit 7, Pg. 225 Good Friends Activity: I Am Ready for Kindergarten
Uses complete sentences, usually with correct subject-verb order	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters as they communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please





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LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION	N continued	
Demonstrates knowledge of rules for conversations	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters and demonstrate appropriate conversation rules as characters listen to each other, develop ideas, and communicate in complete sentences.	 Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Unit 5, Pg. 214 Set the Table, Please
Demonstrates knowledge of nonverbal conversational rules	Resources: • Emotion Cards • Lots of Feelings • Guess How I'm Feeling	 Unit 2, Pg. 164 The Hungry Thing Rhyme Play Unit 4, Pg. 4 Guess How I'm Feeling Unit 4, Pg. 13 We're All Happy
Describes safe practices used around unfamiliar people, animals, or places	Resources: • Trusted Adults	Unit 3, Pg. 373 Trusted Adults
Speaks clearly and matches language to social contexts	Waterford activities introduce letter sounds with instruction demonstrating positions of the lips and tongue to form the sound correctly and clearly.	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Dramatic Play Activities Unit 1, Pg. 136 Find Someone Who Has Unit 3, Pg. 302 Rock-a-bye Baby: Lullaby Word Segmentation Unit 6, Pg. 56 Good Friends Activity: Can I Play With You?
Uses large speaking vocabulary, adding new words daily	Waterford activities expose children to general and domain-specific vocabulary throughout the sequence, consistently introducing and applying the correct terminology to establish meaning.	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game Story Time Activities Journal Activities Center Activities
Demonstrates understanding of academic language used in classroom	Waterford activities expose children to general and domain-specific vocabulary throughout the sequence, consistently introducing and applying the correct terminology to establish meaning.	 Unit 1, Pg. 54 Morning Meeting Unit 1, Pg. 83 Pat-a-cake: Dough Time Unit 1, Pg. 112 Elephant Invitations Unit 2, Pg. 228 Little Miss Muffet: Rhymes and Whey Journal Activities Center Activities
Combines sentences that include details about a topic	Social-emotional videos model conversations and discussions between various characters that demonstrate appropriate conversation rules, as characters develop ideas, ask and answer relevant questions, and communicate in complete sentences.	Unit 5, Pg. 141 Language: Sentence Board Game





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EMERGENT LANGUAGE AND LITE	RACY	
Names/identifies external body parts	Song: I Touch My Nose Like ThisBody Parts	 Unit 1, Pg. 86 Excellent Eyes Unit 2, Pg. 246 I Touch My Nose Like This: Follow Me Unit 6, Pg. 4 Good Friends Activity: My Body Can Do Amazing Things
Associates body parts with 5 senses: eyes, ears, nose, mouth, skin	 Song: Five Senses Book: I Wish I Had Ears Like a Bat, Fawn Eyes Sight Taste Smell Touch Hearing 	 Unit 1, Pg. 75 Five Senses: How Do We Know? Unit 1, Pg. 86 Excellent Eyes Unit 2, Pg. 195 Taste and Smell Snack Activity
Describes personal characteristics about self	 Books: Mine; José Three My Name Is Squirrel Come Inside Squirrel Sketches Clubhouse 	• Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can
Identities similarities and differences in self and others	 Books: Mine; José Three; Ooey, Gooey Mud; Grandpa's Great Athlete; Movin' to the Music Time Sing Around the World Songs My Family 	 Introduction, Pg. 20 An Inclusive Classroom Unit 3, Pg. 286 Grandmas: Same and Different Unit 3, Pg. 288 Journals: My Family Unit 6, Pg. 89 Storytelling Festival
Identifies left or right	Song: Right and Left	
Identifies features in environment (school)	Book: Your BackyardResources:Exploring Your Home City with Your Children	 Unit 1, Pg. 14 School Field Trip Unit 2, Pg. 225 Where We Are Unit 4, Pg. 28 Classroom Block Play
Identifies book parts: top/bottom, front/back, cover, title, words, spaces	Print ConceptsPrint Concepts	Unit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: Books
Participates in pre-reading and reading-related activities	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) 	 Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading Center Story Time Activties





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
EMERGENT LANGUAGE AND LITER	RACY continued	
Demonstrates how to handle a book and pretend to read	Online picture story books feature animation that simulates pages turning one by one, from front to back, as the narrator sings the nursery rhyme. At the end of the story, the pages flip back to the front and the narrator reads the highlighted text. Example: Jack and Jill	 Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading Center Unit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: Books
Identifies roles of author and illustrator	Prior to reading each online story, the front cover of the book is displayed on the screen. The title and names of the author and illustrator are highlighted and read aloud.	Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading CenterUnit 1, Pg. 37 Print Knowledge: BooksStory Time Activities
Identifies details in illustrations	Sum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember OrderWhat Comes Next?Describe Characters	Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and LastStory Time Activities
Identifies and describes story parts: setting, characters, events	Sum Up: Five WsSum Up: Remember OrderWhat Comes Next?Describe Characters	 Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last Story Time Activities
Asks to be read to and asks the meaning of written text	Waterford provides many opportunities for students to select topics of interest and stories they enjoy. Students work independently as they turn pages, practice, and enjoy appropriate reading behaviors.	Story Time Activities
Describes characteristics of self and family	 Books: Mine; José Three My Name Is Squirrel Come Inside Squirrel Sketches Clubhouse 	• Unit 1, Pg. 149 I Am, I Can
Identifies common features in home and school environments	Book: Your Backyard Resources: Exploring Your Home City with Your Children	 Unit 1, Pg. 14 School Field Trip Unit 2, Pg. 225 Where We Are Unit 4, Pg. 28 Classroom Block Play
Identifies daily activities associated with time (morning, afternoon, night)	Book: Marty's Mixed-Up Mom	 Unit 1, Pg. 7 Schedule Unit 1, Pg. 24 Schedule Unit 1, Pg. 36 Schedule; Jump Up and Down Transition





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EMERGENT LANGUAGE AND LITE	RACY continued	
Identifies sounds and names letters: m, a	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
Segments single-syllable words in a 3-4-word sentence	Song: Sentences	Unit 3, Pg. 274 This Little Piggy: Stand Up Sentences
Segments words into syllables	SyllablesSyllable Safari	 Unit 5, Pg. 130 Name Syllable Unit 5, Pg. 138 Eleven Elephants: Syllable Blend and Letter Sound /e/ Unit 5, Pg. 144 Listening Activity: Elephant Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 156 Listening Activity: Fishy Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 166 Listening Activity: Fast Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 176 Listening Activity: Grasshopper Syllables Unit 5, Pg. 202 Circus Syllables
Identifies books that tell a story versus books that include facts	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books Traditional Tales Informational Books Math Books Science Books (See titles at end of document.) Print Concepts 	 Introduction, Pg. 13 Reading Center Story Time Activities





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EMERGENT LANGUAGE AND LITE	ERACY continued	
Uses pictures to retell events in a familiar story, not always in order	 Read with Me Books Read-Along Books Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) Sum Up: Remember Order Sum Up: Five Ws What Comes Next? Missing Pictures 	Unit 3, Pg. 312 Itsy Bitsy Spider: First, Next, and Last
Identifies rhyming words using pictures for support	 Rhyming Words Rhyme Rhyme Match Finish the Picture One Doesn't Rhyme Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) 	 Unit 1, Pg. 51 Fancy Rhyming Unit 1, Pg. 142 Rhyme Awareness: Humpty Dumpty and the Rhyme Cheer Unit 2, Pg. 164 The Hungry Thing Rhyme Play
Identifies sounds and names letters: m, a, s, t	 ABC Songs Letter Pictures Find the Letter Fast Letter Fun Letter Checker Name That Letter Sound Songs Letter Sound Sound Room Choose a Sound 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 4, Pg. 43 Capital Letter Scrapbook Unit 4, Pg. 46 Lowercase Letters
Identifies good habits of nutrition and exercise	Song: HealthBook: We All ExerciseExercise and RestHealthy Food	 Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 6, Pg. 108 Exercise Makes Me Better Unit 6, Pg. 118 Come Rest Awhile (Yoga) Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating





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EMERGENT LITERACY-WRITING		
Uses correct body posture, grip, and pressure to fold and tear paper		Capital Letter IntroductionsLowercase Letter IntroductionsIntroduction,Pg. 8 Art CenterVisual Arts Activities
Draws round shapes using prewriting stroke, Up and around	Dots, Lines, and CirclesCircle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle	Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter AUnit 3, Pg. 330 Circle Party
Draws vertical lines using prewriting stroke, Touch, pull down	Dots, Lines, and Circles	Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter AVisual Arts Activities
Uses correct grip and posture when drawing	Resources: Pencil Grip	Unit 1, Pg. 56 Writing Letter AUnit 1, Pg. 60 Turn and Talk Matching
Uses prewriting stroke, Touch, push over, to draw horizontal lines in finger paint	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	 Introduction, Pg. 8 Art Center Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Visual Arts Activities
Combines prewriting strokes to draw round and square shapes	Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterUnit 3, Pg. 330 Circle Party
Uses prewriting strokes, Slant left and Slant right, to draw slanted lines	Dots, Lines, and Circles	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterVisual Arts Activities
Combines prewriting strokes to draw more complex shapes and designs	Dots, Lines, and Circles	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterVisual Arts Activities
Combines prewriting strokes to print lowercase letters	Letter Trace	Lowercase Letter Introductions
Adds scribbles and details to drawings to convey meaning	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterVisual Arts Activities
Uses prewriting strokes to draw and crace geometric shapes	Dots, Lines, and Circles	Unit 3, Pg. 330 Circle PartyUnit 3, Pg. 349 Making ShapesUnit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Dictates to and shares thoughts, ideas, and stories	Before children are fluent letter writers, Waterford encourages adults to take dictation to accompany children's drawings. Providing writing for a picture teaches pre-literate children valuable lessons about the purpose for writing and the way it works.	Introduction, Pg. 17 Writing CenterJournal Activities





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EMERGENT LITERACY-WRITING co	ontinued	
Uses letters or symbols to make words or print parts of words	Dots, Lines, and CirclesLetter Trace	 Introduction, Pg. 17 Writing Center Journal Activities Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions
Uses prewriting strokes to print numerals 0-9	• Number Instruction 0; 1; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9	 Unit 1, Pg. 73 Read and Write Number 1 Unit 1, Pg. 90 Read and Write 2 Unit 1, Pg. 103 Read and Write 3 Unit 1, Pg. 139 Read and Write 4 Unit 2, Pg. 200 Read, Write, and Exercise 5 Unit 4, Pg. 89 Read and Write Zero Unit 4, Pg. 102 Read and Write 6 Unit 5, Pg. 136 Read and Write 7 Unit 5, Pg. 220 Read and Write 8 Unit 5, Pg. 248 Read and Write 9
Combines prewriting strokes to print uppercase letters: A, S, C, G, O, I, M, T	Letter Trace	Capital Letter Introductions
Attempts to write first name	Name GameLetter Trace	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Unit 1, Pg. 72 Baa Baa Black Sheep: Wooly Names
Prints lowercase and uppercase letters to write simple words	Letter Trace	Capital Letter IntroductionsLowercase Letter IntroductionsJournal Activities
Uses prewriting strokes to print numerals 1-9	• Number Instruction: 1; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9	 Unit 1, Pg. 73 Read and Write Number 1 Unit 1, Pg. 90 Read and Write 2 Unit 1, Pg. 103 Read and Write 3 Unit 1, Pg. 139 Read and Write 4 Unit 2, Pg. 200 Read, Write, and Exercise 5 Unit 4, Pg. 102 Read and Write 6 Unit 5, Pg. 136 Read and Write 7 Unit 5, Pg. 220 Read and Write 8 Unit 5, Pg. 248 Read and Write 9





BENCHMARK STANDARDS	WATERFORD DIGITAL RESOURCES	WATERFORD TEACHER RESOURCES
EMERGENT LITERACY-WRITING C	ontinued	
Combines prewriting strokes to print alphabet letters and write numerals 1–9	 Number Instruction: 1; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9 Letter Trace 	 Capital Letter Introductions Lowercase Letter Introductions Journal Activities Unit 1, Pg. 73 Read and Write Number 1 Unit 1, Pg. 90 Read and Write 2 Unit 1, Pg. 103 Read and Write 3 Unit 1, Pg. 139 Read and Write 4 Unit 2, Pg. 200 Read, Write, and Exercise 5 Unit 4, Pg. 102 Read and Write 6 Unit 5, Pg. 136 Read and Write 7 Unit 5, Pg. 220 Read and Write 8 Unit 5, Pg. 248 Read and Write 9
Prints letters and words used to label or express an idea or feeling	Letter Trace	Capital Letter IntroductionsLowercase Letter IntroductionsJournal Activities
MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE		
Identifies things that are same and different	Song: Same and DifferentMatch	Unit 3, Pg. 286 Grandmas: Same and DifferentUnit 6, Pg. 24 Fingerprints Same or Different?
Identifies objects by size, either big or little	Song: Savanna SizeOrder SizeBig and LittleTall and Short	Unit 6, Pg. 114 Length
Recognizes colors, red and blue	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsRed, Yellow, Blue Instruction	Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites
Recognizes round shapes, circle and oval	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle 	Unit 3, Pg. 320 CirclesUnit 3, Pg. 330 Circle PartyUnit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Places objects in two rows, matching one-to-one (not counting)	One-to-one CorrespondenceMatch	
Identifies colors, yellow and green	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsRed, Yellow, Blue Instruction	Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	1	
Extends ABAB patterns, alternating two colors (red, blue) or sounds (clap, stomp)	Song: Train Station PatternsPattern ABPatterns	Unit 4, Pg. 38 AB Pattern Garden
Matches objects one-to-one, forming two rows	 One-to-One Correspondence Counting Songs Match Numbers Number Counting Number Instruction Number Practice Bug Bits Make and Count Groups 	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 23 Counting and Attendance Unit 3, Pg. 333 Tortillas, Tortillas: Family Dinner Unit 5, Pg. 147 Decomposing 7 Unit 5, Pg. 171 Quantities to 7 Unit 5, Pg. 180 Arrange and Count 7 Unit 5, Pg. 200 Counting in a Circle Unit 6, Pg. 83 Ten Frame Game
Counts 1-4 objects and matches numerals to show how many	One-to-one CorrespondenceNumber CountingMatch Numbers	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 161 Popcorn Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 191 Traffic Jam Count Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match
Sorts and classifies objects by 2 attributes and identifies set with more (not counting)	 Song: All Sorts of Laundry Book: Buttons, Buttons Sort Match Make Comparisons 	 Unit 1, Pg. 119 Sorting Buttons Unit 1, Pg. 134 Texture Sort Unit 3, Pg. 319 Plant Part Salad Unit 3, Pg. 338 Sort It Out Unit 3, Pg. 359 Fancy Shapes Unit 7, Pg. 205 Healthy Eating
Identifies colors: orange, purple, brown	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsColor Practice	Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites
Names shapes and describes attributes: circle, oval, rectangle, square	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Corners and Sides; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Combines small shapes to create large shape	GeoboardTangrams	Introduction, Pg. 9 Block CenterUnit 3, Pg. 368 Shapes Mural
Stacks blocks to demonstrate height concepts, tall and short	Song: Savanna SizeTall and Short	Introduction, Pg. 9 Block CenterUnit 6, Pg. 114 Length





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d	
Identifies time concepts: today, yesterday, tomorrow	Calendar/Graph WeatherTodayYesterday/Today	Unit 1, Pg. 35 CalendarUnit 1, Pg. 45 Calendar: Yesterday and TodayUnit 1, Pg. 55 Calendar
Identifies sets with more, less, and equal quantities	 Songs: Greater Than, Less Than; More Than, Fewer Than Book: For the Birds Greater Than, Less Than More Than Fewer Than 	 Unit 6, Pg. 8 Greater Than Unit 6, Pg. 71 Less Than Unit 6, Pg. 105 Quantities to 10 Unit 6, Pg. 121 Problem Solving: Fair Division
Counts 1–5 objects and matches numerals to show how many	 Counting Songs (See titles at end of document.) Make and Count Groups Match Numbers One-to-one Correspondence 	 Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?
Identifies colors: white, black, pink	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsColor Practice	Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites
Names/compares attributes of shapes: circle, oval, rectangle, square, triangle, heart, star	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Marmot Shapes; Corners and Sides; Kites Books: Imagination Shapes; The Shape of Things Simple Shapes Solid Shapes Space Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle Star, Semicircle, Octagon, Oval, Rhombus Oval, Star, Semicircle, Rhombus, Octagon 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 299 Triangles Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Identifies positions that are opposites: up, down, top, bottom, over, under, front, back	 Songs: Get Over the Bugs; Position Cat; Monster Trucks Book: Up in the Air First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continue	ed	
Counts 1–5 objects, understanding that the last number counted tells how many	Make and Count GroupsMatch NumbersOne-to-One Correspondence	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 2, Pg. 161 Popcorn Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 191 Traffic Jam Count Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match
Discusses concepts related to time: season, events, calendar	Calendar/Graph WeatherTodayObserve a Simple SystemYesterday/Today	 Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing Unit 7, Pg. 225 Good Friends Activity: I Am Ready for Kindergarten
Identifies objects and changes in the sky related to seasons	 Song: Sun Blues; The Moon; S—Star Light Start Bright (United States); Seasons Book: Star Pictures Sun Moon Constellations Build Knowledge: Moon Song Moon Patterns Winter Spring Summer Fall Calendar/Graph Weather 	 Unit 6, Pg. 38 Dramatic Play: To the Moon! Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites
Counts 1–7 objects and matches numerals to show how many	Number CountingMatch NumbersNumber InstructionMake and Count Groups	 Read and Write Number Activities Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 235 Number Books 1-5 Unit 5, Pg. 180 Arrange and Count 7
Discusses types of weather and describes how it changes	Book: Whatever the WeatherCalendar/Graph WeatherWeather	Unit 7, Pg. 243 What Should I Wear?Unit 7, Pg. 244 Weather Report





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d d	
Describes what happens during changes on Earth and in the sky	 Song: Seasons Book: That's What I Like: A Book About Seasons; The Four Seasons; Whatever the Weather Sun Moon Build Knowledge: Moon Song Winter Spring Summer Fall Calendar/Graph Weather 	 Unit 3, Pg. 284 Sunlight and Temperature Investigation Unit 3, Pg. 284 Sunlight and Temperature Investigation Unit 7, Pg. 243 What Should I Wear? Unit 7, Pg. 244 Weather Report
Describes properties of solids and liquids and changes in heat and cold	Songs: Solid or Liquid; MatterBook: Pancakes MatterChanges in Matter	Unit 3, Pg. 335 Exploring Water
Plans and conducts investigations and experiments, making prediction or hypothesis	Song: The Scientific MethodScience Investigation	
Records observations using graphs to represent data	Song: The Scientific Method Science Investigation	 Unit 3, Pg. 284 Sunlight and Temperature Investigation Unit 3, Pg. 306 How Do Plants Drink? Unit 3, Pg. 363 Seed Investigation Unit 3, Pg. 340 The Water Cycle: Part 1 Unit 3, Pg. 344 The Water Cycle: Part 2
Identifies and names 10 colors	Song: Squirrel's Zoo ColorsColor PracticeRed, Yellow, and Blue	 Unit 3, Pg. 361 Fire Painting Unit 3, Pg. 368 Shades of Paint Unit 6, Pg. 43 Mixing Colors: Stars, Planets and Meteorites





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continue	d	
Identifies 10 shapes by their attributes: circle, oval, rectangle, square, triangle, heart, star, hexagon, diamond, octagon	Corners and Sides; Kites	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 299 Triangles Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt
Identifies 5 objects in group without counting	 Moving Target (Dots) Bug Bits Make and Count Groups Resources: Dot Cards 	 Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?
Identities 2-D and 3-D shapes that remain the same shape regardless of position	 Songs: Shapes, Shapes, Shapes; Kites; Corners and Sides, Marmot Shapes Book: Imagination Shapes Simple Shapes Space Shapes World Shapes Solid Shapes Circle, Square, Triangle, Rectangle Oval, Star, Semicircle, Rhombus, Octagon 	 Unit 3, Pg. 289 Rectangles and Squares Unit 3, Pg. 299 Triangles Unit 3, Pg. 320 Circles Unit 3, Pg. 375 Shape Hunt Unit 4, Pg. 19 Stack, Slide, Roll
Sorts and classifies 1-9 objects into sets and uses numerals to show how many in each set	 Counting Songs (See titles at end of document.) Make and Count Groups Match Numbers One-to-one Correspondence 	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Read and Write Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	1	
Using 1–9 objects, counts to identify sets with greater than, less than, or equal number of objects	 Songs: Greater Than, Less Than; More Than, Fewer Than Book: For the Birds Greater Than, Less Than More Than Fewer Than 	 Unit 6, Pg. 8 Greater Than Unit 6, Pg. 71 Less Than Unit 6, Pg. 105 Quantities to 10 Unit 6, Pg. 121 Problem Solving: Fair Division
Estimates and names how many in set of 1-5 objects without counting	 Moving Target (Dots) Bug Bits Resources: Subitizing Cards 	 Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 206 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 4, Pg. 102 Read and Write 6: Warm-up Number Dots
Uses nonstandard measurement to determine length, height, weight	Song: Measuring PlantsLength	 Unit 6, Pg. 114 Length Unit 7, Pg. 136 Exploring Length Unit 7, Pg. 142 Weight Unit 7, Pg. 147 Charting Weight
Identifies concepts of weight and capacity/volume (heavy, light, full, half-full, empty)	Heavy and LightCapacity	 Unit 7, Pg. 136 Exploring Length Unit 7, Pg. 142 Weight Unit 7, Pg. 200 Which Cup Holds More? Unit 7, Pg. 209 Exploring Volume
Investigates and describes position and motion of objects	 Songs: Get Over the Bugs; Position Cat; Monster Trucks Book: Up in the Air First, Middle, Last Over, Under, Above, Below Over, Under, and Through Top, Beside, and Bottom Inside, Outside, Between Position Above, Below, Next to, On 	 Unit 2, Pg. 221 Over, Under, Through Unit 2, Pg. 229 Top, Beside, Bottom Unit 2, Pg. 260 Bears Above, Below, Next To, On
Matches numerals 0–9 with objects that represent number values	 Counting Songs (See titles at end of document.) Make and Count Groups Match Numbers One-to-one Correspondence 	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Read and Write Number Activities Unit 1, Pg. 40 Math: Same Two Unit 1, Pg. 150 Arrange and Count 4 Unit 2, Pg. 170 Mad Dash Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 218 Group Five Pets Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	1	
Counts up to 10 objects, knowing that the last count indicates how many	 Make and Count Groups Match Numbers One-to-One Correspondence 	 Unit 1, Pg. 23 Counting and Attendance Unit 3, Pg. 333 Tortillas, Tortillas: Family Dinner Unit 5, Pg. 147 Decomposing 7 Unit 5, Pg. 171 Quantities to 7 Unit 5, Pg. 180 Arrange and Count 7 Unit 5, Pg. 200 Counting in a Circle
Rote counts 1-20 or higher	Counting SongsNumber CountingNumber InstructionCounting PuzzleOrder Numbers	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 5, Pg. 171 Quantities to 7
Divides up to 10 objects into equal groups/sets		Unit 6, Pg. 121 Problem Solving: Fair Division
Identifies and compares earth materials, properties, and use (water, rocks, soil)	WaterMaterialsRocks	 Unit 3, Pg. 340 The Water Cycle: Part 1 Unit 3, Pg. 344 The Water Cycle: Part 2 Unit 3, Pg. 347 Where Does Our Water Come From?
Discusses life cycle and needs of plants and relates to environment	Books: A Seed Grows; The Old Maple TreePlant Life Cycle and Growth	
Recognizes, observes, and discusses the relationship of organisms to their environments	 Songs: Birds; Vertebrates; Fish; Plant or Animal; Invertebrates; Plant or Animal; Book: Guess What I Am; Food From Plants; Mammals Birds Reptiles Amphibians Plants Plant or Animal Invertebrates Insects Worms Deserts Oceans Rainforests 	 Unit 4, Pg. 24 What Makes a Mammal? Unit 4, Pg. 44 What Makes a Bird? Unit 4, Pg. 76 What Makes a Fish? Unit 4, Pg. 108 What Makes an Amphibian? Unit 5, Pg. 142 What Makes a Reptile?





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	d	
Discusses ways to care for the environment	Care of WaterCare of Earth	Unit 3, Pg. 347 Where Does Our Water Come From?
Counts up to 10 objects in any arrangement	 Counting Songs Match Numbers Number Counting Number Instruction Bug Bits Make and Count Groups One-to-One Correspondence 	 Unit 1, Pg. 45 Counting and Attendance Unit 5, Pg. 171 Quantities to 7 Unit 5, Pg. 180 Arrange and Count 7 Unit 5, Pg. 200 Counting in a Circle
Understands that zero represents a set that has no objects	Song: Zero is a Big Round HoleBook: Zero in My Toy BoxNumber O Instruction	Unit 4, Pg. 70 Introduce and Count ZeroUnit 4, Pg. 81 Read and Write Zero
Shows multiple ways for representing a value: 4 (2 + 2, 3 + 1) and 5 (3 + 2, 4 + 1)	Song: Fact FamiliesBook: Facts About Families	
Completes simple addition word problems using 1-5 objects	Songs: Addition; On the BayouAct Out Addition	Unit 5, Pg. 210 Counting to 8 in Relation to 5Unit 6, Pg. 83 Ten Frame Game
Places objects in a series to demonstrate concepts: size, length, height, weight	Song: Measuring PlantsLengthHeavy and LightCapacityOrder Size	 Unit 6, Pg. 114 Length Unit 7, Pg. 136 Exploring Length Unit 7, Pg. 142 Weight Unit 7, Pg. 147 Charting Weight
Describes concepts associated with the passage of time: season, days of week, hour, minute	 Songs: Days of the Week; D—Days of the Week (New Zealand); Seasons Books: Mr. Romano's Secret; The Four Seasons; That's What I Like: A Book About Seasons Winter Spring Summer Fall Calendar/Graph Weather Today Observe a Simple System Yesterday/Today 	 Unit 1, Pg. 7 Schedule Unit 1, Pg. 24 Schedule Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing Unit 7, Pg. 225 Good Friends Activity: I Am Ready for Kindergarten





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continued	1	
Identifies numerals and uses objects to represent values 0-10	 Number Counting Match Numbers Number Instruction Make and Count Groups Bug Bits 	 Read and Write Number Activities Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 2, Pg. 161 Popcorn Number Match Unit 2, Pg. 191 Traffic Jam Count Unit 2, Pg. 208 Pizza Chef Match Unit 2, Pg. 235 Number Books 1-5
Completes simple subtraction word problems using 1–5 objects	 Songs: Bakery Subtraction; Subtract Those Cars; Circus Subtraction Book: Five Delicious Muffins Subtract Groups Act Out Subtraction 	 Unit 7, Pg. 229 Build One Less Unit 7, Pg. 247 How Many Are Hiding?
Orally counts forward 1–20 or higher, 1–30	Counting SongsNumber CountingNumber InstructionCounting PuzzleOrder Numbers	 Introduce and Count Number Activities Unit 5, Pg. 171 Quantities to 7
Identifies ordinal positions, first-fifth	 Songs: Position Cat; Monster Trucks Book: The Circus Came to Town First, Next, and Last First, Middle, Last 	
Counts backward from 5 to 1	Songs: Counting BackwardBook: A Space AdventureCount DownCounting Back	Unit 3, Pg. 280 Counting Backwards
Understands that the order of counting sequence is always the same, regardless of what is counted	 Counting Songs Make and Count Groups One-to-One Correspondence Number Counting Number Instruction Bug Bits 	 Unit 1, Pg. 45 Counting and Attendance Unit 2, Pg. 252 Find One More Unit 2, Pg. 261 Make One More





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MATHEMATICS/SCIENCE continue	d	
Describes concepts associated with the passing of time (months, seasons)	 Songs: Days of the Week; D—Days of the Week (New Zealand); Seasons; Months of the Year Books: Mr. Romano's Secret; The Four Seasons; That's What I Like: A Book About Seasons Winter Spring Summer Fall Calendar/Graph Weather Today Observe a Simple System Yesterday/Today 	 Unit 1, Pg. 35 Calendar Unit 1, Pg. 45 Calendar: Yesterday and Today Unit 3, Pg. 296 We Are All Growing Unit 7, Pg. 225 Good Friends Activity: I Am Ready for Kindergarten
Discusses ways to care for environment	Care of Water Care of Earth	Unit 3, Pg. 347 Where Does Our Water Come From?
FINE ARTS/TECHNOLOGY		
Engages in creative dramatics and role-play	Papa's PlayPretend Play	Dramatic Play ActivitiesUnit 7, Pg. 215 Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Program
Moves to music maintaining balance and control	Baby's Ballet	 Unit 2, Pg. 175 Dancing with Props Unit 4, Pg. 27 Mammal Rhythm Unit 4, Pg. 117 Giraffes Can Dance! Unit 5, Pg. 183 Flight of the Bumblebee
Uses art materials for sensory experiences and exploration	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	 Introduction, Pg. 8 Art Center; Pg. 16 Sensory Table Unit 1, Pg. 19 Birthday Cupcakes Unit 1, Pg. 38 Eric Carle Paintings Unit 2, Pg. 247 Clay Portraits Unit 3, Pg. 309 Leaf Rubbings Unit 3, Pg. 361 Fire Painting Visual Arts Activities
Responds to different musical styles through movement and play and dance	 Sing Around the World Songs Book: Movin' to the Music Time Baby's Ballet Mama's Melody 	 Unit 2, Pg. 175 Dancing with Props Unit 5, Pg. 183 Flight of the Bumblebee Unit 5, Pg. 188 Insect Walking Sounds Unit 7, Pg. 187 Pathways in Space





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FINE ARTS/TECHNOLOGY continu	red	
Adds details to drawings as a form of creative expression	Waterford encourages everyone to have writing, drawing, and art materials available for children's creations.	Introduction, Pg. 8 Art CenterVisual Arts Activities
Demonstrates interest in and appreciation for creative works of others	Book: Lizard and the Painted RockSquirrel Sketches	Unit 7, Pg. 145 Artist's StatementUnit 7, Pg. 154 Gallery Talk
Understands that technology can be used to gather topic information	Print Concepts	Unit 4, Pg. 54 Help the Birds
Names and uses digital devices to create class story (computer, mouse, keyboard)	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, dragging items around screen, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center
Demonstrates how to care for technology and participates in games and activities	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, dragging items around screen, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 SmartStart Orientation
Uses software applications to create and express ideas		Unit 1, Pg. 38 Illustration Investigation
Identifies words and sounds associated with different musical instruments		 Unit 1, Pg. 98 Dramatic Play: Music Shop Unit 1, Pg. 103 Instrument Chairs Unit 4, Pg. 57 Self-Control Instruments Unit 6, Pg. 85 Storytelling With Instruments
Uses appropriate vocabulary and care when discussing and using digital devices	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, dragging items around screen, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center





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FINE ARTS/TECHNOLOGY continue	ed	
Engages with peers, repeating familiar songs and fingerplays	 Songs: Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes; I Touch My Nose Like This Sing Around the World Songs Sing a Rhyme Songs/Books (See titles at end of document.) 	 Dramatic Play Activities Music Activities Unit 1, Pg. 83 Pat-a-cake: Dough Time Unit 4, Pg. 13 We're All Happy Unit 7, Pg. 215 Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Program
Uses technology to locate information about food sources and groups	Book: Follow the ApplesHealthy FoodResources: My Healthy Plate	
Uses vocabulary to identify and describe operations of mouse, keyboard, printer	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, dragging items around screen, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center
Understands how technology is used at school	Children select the Waterford icon to begin their sessions. While interacting with activities, children are constantly listening and responding to instruction. Responses may require moving the mouse or clicking with it, tapping the touch pad, or entering answers on the keyboard.	 Introduction, Pg. 10 Computer Center Unit 1, Pg. 28 Introduction to SmartStart and the Computer Center; SmartStart Orientation Unit 1, Pg. 38 Illustration Investigation Unit 1, Pg. 132 Erasing Mistakes Unit 4, Pg. 54 Help the Birds
Identifies how technology affects daily life	Print Concepts	Unit 4, Pg. 54 Help the Birds

WATERFORD Books and Related Activities



PRE-READING

Sing a Rhyme Songs & Books

The Apple Tree; Baa, Baa, Black Sheep; Pat-a-cake; Hey Diddle, Diddle; One Elephant Went Out to Play; The Farmer in the Dell; Ten Little Goldfish; All the Pretty Little Horses; Mother, Mother, I Am Ill; Jack and Jill; Three Little Kittens; Mary Had a Little Lamb; Little Miss Muffet; I Touch My Nose Like This; Polly, Put the Kettle On; This Little Pig; Quack, Quack, Quack; Rock-a-Bye Baby; Itsy Bitsy Spider; Tortillas, Tortillas; The Bus; My Valentine; Where Is Thumbkin?; 1, 2, Buckle My Shoe; Yankee Doodle; The Zulu Warrior

Informational Books

Opposites, Pairs, Watch the Woolly Worm

Read with Me Books

Andy's Adventure; Baby's Birthday; At Camp; I Go...; Eleven Elephants; Five; Go, Grasshopper; Hair; Who Has an Itch?; Jumbled; Here, Kitty, Kitty; Long Lewie; Magnifying Glass; New; Opposites; Pairs; The Quiet Book; Rascal's Rotten Day; Six Silly Sailors; Together; Under; Family Vacation; Watch the Woolly Worm; Rex Is in a Fix; Yummy; The Zebra

Decodable Books

He Is Happy; Sam; A Mat; Pam and Pat; Nan and the Ham; The Hat; Up on Top; The Hot Pot; Tim; Lil

BASIC READING

Traditional Tales

The Gingerbread Man, The Little Red Hen, Lizard and the Painted Rock, Anansi and the Seven Yam Hills, The Big Mitten, The Three Little Pigs, The City Mouse and the Country Mouse, Goldilocks and the Three Bears, The Magic Porridge Pot, The Three Wishes, Henny Penny, Mr. Lucky Straw, La Tortuga, The Shoemaker and the Elves, The Brothers, The Ugly Duckling

Informational Books

I Want to Be a Scientist Like Jane Goodall, I Wish I Had Ears Like a Bat, I Want to Be a Scientist Like Wilbur and Orville Wright, I Want to Be a Scientist Like George Washington Carver, Star Pictures, Animal Bodies, Water Is All Around

Readable Books (Read or Record)

Me: The Snowman: The Mitten: I Am Sam: What Am I?: Sad Sam: Dad's Surprise: Tad: Matt's Hat; What Is It?; Dan and Mac; What a Band!: Pat Can Camp: The Rabbit and the Turtle; Stop the Frogs!; Bob and Tab; Hot Rods; Happy Birthday; Go, Frog, Go; Pip, the Big Pig; What Is in the Pit?; Prints!; Who Is at the Door?; The Big Trip; Who Will Go in the Rain?; Let's Get Hats!; Slug Bug; Green Gum; Lizzy the Bee; Little Duck; Thump, Bump!; The Tree Hut; The Big Hill; What's in the Egg?; Rom and His New Pet: Chet and Chuck: What Do I Spy?; Quick! Help!; Can We Still Be Friends?; Fun in Kansas; Brave Dave and Jane; My Snowman; Space Chase Race: Oh No. Mosel: Smokel: The Note; The Snoring Boar; Shopping Day; Friends; Two Little Pines: Can Matilda Get the Cheese?: Let's Go to Yellowstone; Maddy and Clive; Brute and the Flute: Old Rosa: What Is in the Tree?: Too Much Popcorn; Old King Dune; Riding in My Jeep; Sammy and Pete; Will You Play with Me?; The Rescue: Who Am I?

Readable (Walk-through/Jump-through/ Record Titles)

Matt's Hat; What Is It?; Dan and Mac; What a Band!; Pat Can Camp; The Rabbit and the Turtle; Stop the Frogs!; What Is in the Pit?; Prints!; Who Is at the Door?; What Am I?; Sad Sam; The Big Trip; Dad's Surprise; Tad; Who Will Go in the Rain?; Let's Get Hats!; Slug Bug; Green Gum; Lizzy the Bee; Little Duck; Thump, Bump!; The Tree Hut; The Big Hill; What's in the Egg?; Rom and His New Pet; Old Rosa; What Is in the Tree?; Too Much Popcorn; Old King Dune; Riding in My Jeep; Sammy and Pete; Will You Play with Me?; The Rescue; Chet and Chuck; What Do I Spy?; Quick! Help!; Can We Still Be Friends?; Fun in Kansas; Brave Dave and Jane; My Snowman; Space Chase Race; Oh no, Mosel; Smokel; The Note; The Snoring Boar; Shopping Day; Friends; Two Little Pines: Can Matilda Get the Cheese?: Let's Go to Yellowstone; Maddy and Clive; Brute and The Flute; Who Am I?; Bob and Tab; Hot Rods; Happy Birthday; Go, Frog, Go!; Pip, the Big Pig; I Am Sam

WATERFORD Books and Related Activities



FLUENT READING

Read-Along Books

Bad News Shoes; Up and Down; The Mighty Sparrow: The Four Seasons: I Met a Monster: David Next Door; Bandage Bandit; Rocks in My Socks; Great White Bird; The Snow Lion; Turtle's Pond; The Story Cloth; Lorenzo's Llama; Snake Weaves a Rug; The Crowded House; Sound: Noise? What Noise?: The Story of Tong and Mai Nhia; Duc Tho Le's Birthday Present; Poetry Book 1; Wendel Wandered; What If You Were an Octopus?; Today I Write a Letter; I Hate Peas; The Talking Lizard; Darren's Work; Sequoyah's Talking Leaves; The Bee's Secret; The Weather on Blackberry Lane; Little Tree; Treasures from the Loom; Poetry Book 2; Mr. Croaky Toad; White-tailed Deer; The Courage to Learn; How Rivers Began; Pencil Magic; Water; The Sweater; Drawing; All on the Same Earth; Elephant Upstairs; The Pizza Book; What Will Sara Be?; Winter Snoozers; Why Wind and Water Fight; The Three Billy Goats Gruff; The Piñata Book; Discovering Dinosaurs; Macaw's Chorus; Amazing Tails; My Reptile Hospital; Movin' to the Music Time

Fluency Comprehension and Speed Titles

The Show; Dinosaur Bones; Mike and the Mice; Huge Red Plum; The Bees; My Shark; Barnaby; Animals in the House; Do You Know?; Cow on the Hill; Clouds; The Noise in the Night; Strawberry Jam; Jade's Note; Bertie; Cory's Horn; The Lion and the Mouse; Lightning Bugs; Louis Braille; Troll's Visit; Andrew's News; Sue's Slime; The Name of the Tree; The Giant and the Hare; Frank's Pranks; Through the Back Fence; Fudge for Sale; Photos for Phil; Moose Are Not Meese; Little Barry Busy

Informational Books

The Piñata Book; Discovering Dinosaurs; Treasures from the Loom; The Courage to Learn; Bee's Secret; Sound; White-tailed Deer; The Talking Lizard; Water; Sequoyah's Talking Leaves; Winter Snoozers; Amazing Tails; The Pizza Book

Readable Books (Record, Read, Listen)

The Show, Dinosaur Bones, Mike and the Mice, Huge Red Plum, The Bees, My Shark, Barnaby, Animals in the House, Do You Know?, Cow on the Hill, Clouds, The Noise in the Night, Strawberry Jam, Jade's Note, Bertie, Cory's Horn, The Lion and the Mouse, Lightning Bugs, Louis Braille, Troll's Visit, Andrew's News, Sue's Slime, The Name of the Tree, The Giant and the Hare, Frank's Pranks, Through the Back Fence, Fudge for Sale, Photos for Phil, Moose Are Not Meese, Little Barry Busy

Sentence Dictation Titles

Stop the Frogs!; Matt's Hat; What Is It?; Dan and Mac; What a Band!; What Is in the Pit?; Prints!; Who Is at the Door?; Sad Sam; The Big Trip; Dad's Surprise; Tad; Slug Bug; Green Gum; Lizzy the Bee; Little Duck; Thump, Bump!; The Big Hill; What's in the Egg?; Old Rosa; What is in the Tree?: Sammy and Pete: The Rescue: Chet and Chuck; Fun in Kansas; My Snowman; Oh No. Mosel: Smokel: The Note: The Snoring Boar: Friends; Brute and the Flute; Bob and Tab; Hot Rods: Happy Birthday: The Mitten: Pat Can Camp: The Rabbit and the Turtle; What Am I?; Who Will Go in the Rain?: Let's Get Hats!: The Tree Hut; Rom and His New Pet; Too Much Popcorn; Old King Dune: Riding in My Jeep: Will You Play With Me?; What Do I Spy?; Quick! Help!; Can We Still Be Friends?: Brave Dave and Jane: Space Chase Race; Shopping Day; Two Little Pines; Can

Matilda Get the Cheese?; Let's Go to Yellowstone; Maddy and Clive; Go, Frog, Go!; Pip, the Big Pig; I Am Sam; Who Am I?





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PRE-MATH & SCIENCE

Math Books

One Day on the Farm; Two Feet; Look for Three; Four Fine Friends; Grandpa's Great Athlete: A Book About 5; Hide and Seek Six; Just Seven; Eight at the Lake; 9 Cat Night; Ten for My Machine: The Search for Eleven: The Tasty Number Twelve; Thirteen in My Garden; Fourteen Camel Caravan; Fifteen on a Spring Day; Dinner for Sixteen; The Seventeen Machine; Eighteen Carrot Stew; Nineteen Around the World; Twenty Clay Children; Poor Wandering 1; Snowy Twos Day: 1, 2, 3, 4 in the Jungle: Give Me 5; Suzy Ladybug: 7 Train: 8 Octopus Legs: Highway 9: 10 Astronauts; When I Saw 11; I Love the Number 12; 13 Clues; 14 Camels; Fun 15; 16 Ants; Counting to 17; 18 Carrot Stew; 19 Around the World; 20 Fingers and Toes

Science Books

That's What I Like: A Book about Seasons; I Want to Be a Scientist Like Jane Goodall; Mr. Mario's Neighborhood; Mela's Water Pot; I Want to Be a Scientist Like Wilbur and Orville Wright; Follow the Apples!; I Want to Be a Scientist Like George Washington Carver; Guess What I Am; Where in the World Would You Go Today?; Star Pictures; I Wish I Had Ears Like a Bat; Creepy Crawlers

Counting Songs

Asian Counting, Marching Band Counting, Flower Counting, Country Counting, Dixieland Counting, Funky Counting, Reggae Counting, Salsa Counting, Techno Counting, Bagpipe Counting, Counting on the Mountain

Number Songs

Count to 31; Hotel 100; Poor Wandering 1; Snowy Twos Day; 1, 2, 3, 4 in the Jungle; Give Me 5; Suzy Ladybug; 7 Train; 8 Octopus Legs; Highway 9; 10 Astronauts; When I Saw 11; I Love the Number 12; 13 Clues; 14 Camels; Fun 15; 16 Ants; Counting to 17; 18 Carrot Stew; 19 Around the World; 20 Fingers and Toes

BASIC MATH & SCIENCE

Math & Science Books

One More Cat: Can You Guess? A Story for Two Voices: I Want to Be a Scientist Like Carl Linnaeus: I Want to Be a Scientist Like Antoni van Leeuwenhoek; Whatever the Weather; I Want to Be a Mathematician Like Sophie Germain: Water Is All Around; Mr. Romano's Secret: A Time Story; A Seed Grows; How Long is a Minute?; Marty's MIxed-up Mom: I Want to Be a Scientist Like Louis Pasteur; Pancakes Matter; Jump Rope Rhymes; Facts About Families: Fifteen Bayou Band: Hooray. Hooray for the One Hundredth Day!; Symmetry and Me: Animal Bodies: Everybody Needs to Eat: The Circus Came to Town: I Want to Be a Mathematician Like Thales: Bugs for Sale: Heads or Tails; Your Backyard; The Birds, the Beasts and the Bat: Halves and Fourths and Thirds: We All Exercise; Circus 20; Red Rock, River Rock; Painting by Number: I Want to Be a Scientist Like Joanne Simpson; Navajo Beads; Where in the World Would You Go Today?: I Want to Be a Scientist Like Wilbur and Orville Wright

FLUENT MATH & SCIENCE

Math & Science Books

The Snow Project; Chloe's Cracker Caper; What Sounds Say; Fossils Under Our Feet; The Boonville Nine; I Want to Be a Scientist Like Alexander von Humboldt: I Want to Be a Scientist Like Marie Curie; I Want to Be a Scientist Like Stephen Hawking; George and Jack; The Old Maple Tree; A Dinosaur's First Day; I Want to Be a Scientist Like Isaac Newton; My Family Campout; I Want to Be a Scientist Like Thomas Edison; Warm Soup for Dedushka; How Did the Chicken Cross the Road?: Inventions All Around: The Beginning of Numbers: I Want to Be a Mathematician Like Ada Byron Lovelace: Lightning Bells: Tyrannosaurus X 1; Halves and Fourths and Thirds; Navajo Beads; Red Rock, River Rock; I Want to Be a Mathematician Like Srinivasa Ramanujan; The Fraction Twins; Yangshi's Perimeter; I Want to Be a Mathematician Like Archimedes; Birds at My House; Painting by Number; The Fable Fair

WATERFORD Family Engagement Resources



SPANISH FAMILY ENGAGEMENT RESOURCES

All Waterford books and many of the resources available to families at mentor.waterford.org can be found in Spanish or with Spanish support.

SONGS

Beginning Math Songs

Odd Todd and Even Steven; Salsa Counting; On the Bayou—Addition; Subtract Those Cars; More Than, Fewer Than; A Nice Addition; Marching Band Counting; Doubles 1–5; Multiply by 0

Nursery Songs and Rhymes

Rhyming Words; A: The Apple Tree; B: Bluebird, Bluebird; C: Pat-a-Cake; D: Hey Diddle, Diddle; E: One Elephant Went Out to Play; F: The Farmer in the Dell; G: Ten Little Goldfish; H: All the Pretty Little Horses; I: Mother, Mother, I Am Ill; J: Jack and Jill; K: Three Little Kittens; L: Mary Had a Little Lamb; M: Little Miss Muffett; N: I Touch My Nose Like This (Spanish); O: Polly, Put the Kettle On; P: This Little Pig; Q: Quack, Quack, Quack; R: Little Rabbit (Chinese); S: Eensy, Weensy Spider; T: Tortillas, Tortillas (Spanish); U: The Bus; V: My Valentine; W: Wee Willie Winkie; X: A-hunting We Will Go; Y: Yankee Doodle; Z: The Zulu Warrior

Beginning Reading Songs

Comma, Comma, Comma; Homophone Monkey; Antonym Ant; Apples and Bananas; Old MacDonald's Vowels; ABC Show and Tell Sounds; ABC Tongue Twisters; ABC Picture Sounds; Sheep in the Shadows; C-K Rap; S Steals the Z; Blends; Blicky Licky Land; Apostrophe Pig; Capital Letters—Days; Chip Chop; Adjectives Describe; Lazy Letter Q; Nouns; Verbs; Adverbs; Irregular Verbs; Preposition Ship; Verbs that Link; Consonants; Pronouns, Sneaky Magic E; Silent Letters—G-H; Silent Letters—W; Drop Magic E; Bossy Mr. R; P-H and G-H Say Fff; Schwa Sound; Double the Fun; Strange Spelling; More Than One; Reading Detective—Peek at the Story

WEEKLY HOMELINK NEWSLETTERS

Weekly newsletters (28 in all) are available for teachers to share with families. The newsletters explain what children are learning during the week and provide resources and activities to involve families.

MATH HOMELINK NEWSLETTERS

Match, Position, Shapes, Counting, Patterns Sort, Size, Number Sense (1-10), Order (1-10), Count On, Measurement (length), Count Down, Addition (10), Numbers 11-15, Numbers 16-20

SCIENCE HOMELINK NEWSLETTERS

The World Around Us (5 senses), Living Things (living v. non-living), Plants, Vertebrates, Invertebrates, The Sky Above Us (sun, moon, stars), Our Earth (recycle, ecosystems), How it Works (push/pull, solid/liquid, magnets, materials)

WATERFORD MENTOR

<u>Waterford Mentor</u> is a secure website where families can log in to see their child's usage and learning achievements. Waterford families also receive short messages with ideas on how to engage in their child's learning and have access to hundreds of resources and activities.

READING HOMELINK NEWSLETTERS

Alphabet Knowledge

Comprehension and Vocabulary

Sum Up: Remember Order, Sum Up: Remember Details, Peek at the Story, Guess and Check, Connect to Me, Build Knowledge

Readiness Skills Letters

Naming Parts of the Body; First, Next, Last; One-to-One Correspondence; Opposites; Look at Details (identify same and different)

Phonological Awareness Letters

What Is Rhyming?, Which Words Rhyme?, Sentences Are Made Up of Words, Making Compound Words, Breaking Compound Words, What Is a Syllable?, Put Syllables Together to Make Words, Break Words into Syllables, The First Sound in a Word, Words with the Same First Sound, Making Words from First Sounds and the Rest



Waterford Mentor is available online and in the Mentor app (for iOS and Android).