

Grade 4 Outdoor Learning Curriculum Map

	Science	Social Studies	Language Arts
Big Ideas	All living things sense and respond to their environment.	The pursuit of valuable natural resources has played a key role in changing the land, people, and communities of Canada.	Exploring stories and texts helps us understand ourselves and make connections to others & the world.
Curricular Competencies	 Demonstrate curiosity about a scientific topic or problem Observe objects & events in familiar contexts Identify questions about familiar objects and events that can be investigated scientifically Make predictions based upon prior knowledge Explore and pose questions that lead to investigations Safely use appropriate tools to make observations and measurements Make observations about living & non-living things in the local environment Collect simple data Experience & interpret the local environment Identify First Peoples perspectives & knowledge as sources of information Identify some simple environmental implications of their & others' actions Contribute to care for self, others, & community through personal or collaborative approaches Transfer & apply learning to new situations Express & reflect on personal, shared, others' experience of place 	 Compare information & view-points about a selected problem or issue Summarize information & opinions about a selected problem or issue Translate information from maps to other forms of communication & vice versa Identify problems or issues that are local, national, and/or global in focus Sequence objects, images, or events, & determine continuities & changes between different time periods or places Differentiate between intended consequences, of events, decisions, or developments, & speculate about alternative outcomes Construct narratives that capture the attitudes, values, & worldviews commonly held by people at different times or places Make ethical judgments about events, decisions, & actions that consider the conditions of a particular time and place, and assess appropriate ways to respond 	 Consider different purposes, audiences, and perspectives in exploring texts Apply a variety of thinking skills to gain meaning from texts Identify how differences in context, perspectives, and voice influence meaning in texts Recognize the role of language in personal, social, and cultural identity Use personal experience and knowledge to connect to text and deepen understanding of self, community, and world Respond to text in personal and creative ways Demonstrate awareness of the oral tradition in First Peoples cultures and the purposes of First Peoples texts Identify how story in First Peoples cultures connects people to land Exchange ideas and perspectives to build shared understanding Use language in creative and playful ways to develop style Use oral storytelling processes



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	Career Education	P & HE	Arts
Big Ideas	Exploring our strengths and abilities can help us identify our goals	Understanding ourselves and the various aspects of health helps us develop a balanced lifestyle.	Creative expression is a means to explore and share one's identity within a community.
		Personal choices and social and environmental factors influence our health and well-being. Developing healthy relationships helps us feel connected, supported, and valued.	Exploring works of art exposes us to diverse values, knowledge, and perspectives.
Curricular Competencies	 Identify and appreciate their personal attributes, skills, interests, and accomplishments and their growth over time Recognize the need for others who can support their learning and personal growth Demonstrate respect for differences in the classroom Use innovative thinking when solving problems Make connections between effective work habits and success Demonstrate safe behaviours in a variety of environments Appreciate the influence of peer relationships, family, and community on personal choices and goals 	 Develop and apply fundamental movement skills in a variety of physical activities and environments Develop and demonstrate safety, fair play, and leadership in physical activities Participate daily in physical activity at moderate to vigorous intensity levels Explain the relationship of healthy eating to overall health and well-being Identify and describe factors that influence healthy choices Identify and apply strategies for pursuing personal healthy-living goals Describe and apply strategies for developing and maintaining positive relationships Describe and apply strategies that promote a safe and caring environment Describe and assess strategies for promoting mental well-being Describe factors that positively influence mental well-being and self-identity 	 Create artistic works collaboratively and as an individual using ideas inspired by imagination, inquiry, experimentation, and purposeful play Explore identity, place, culture, and belonging through arts experiences Observe, listen, describe, inquire and predict how artists use processes, materials, movements, technologies, tools, techniques, and environments to create and communicate Reflect on creative processes and make connections to other experiences Connect knowledge and skills from other areas of learning in planning, creating, and analyzing works of art Interpret and communicate ideas using symbolism to express meaning through the arts Express feelings, ideas, and experiences in creative ways Describe and respond to works of art and explore artists' intent Experience, document, perform, and share creative works in a variety of ways