

Topic/Unit Planner

Teacher (s): Wurth

Grade: 6

Subject: English/Organizational Skills/Keyboarding

Topic/sub-topics	Essential Learning	Standards	Performance Assessment	Strategies
Organizational Skills Dictionary Skills Phonetic Skills Keyboarding	1.The students will develop organizational skills. 2.The students will become proficient in using the dictionary. 3. The students will review phonetic skills. The students will learn keyboarding skills.	1A 3a 1A 3b 1A 3b 1.b.1 (technology)	The students will alphabetize words. The students will use the dictionary to answer questions about words. The students will use their phonetic skills to follow directions. The students will be able to type 20 wpm with 90% accuracy on 3 one-minute typing tests.	Class discussion. The students will be given specific questions to answer. The students will use the MAC lab twice a week using the Ultrakey program during the months of September, October, November, and December.
Major Resources: <i>Dictionary Skills, 6th Grade. 2000</i> <i>Developing Dictionary Skills</i> Ultrakey Typing Program	Skills Students will be able to alphabetize a list of words. The students will be able to use a dictionary. The students will be able to find the phonetic pronunciation of a word, part of speech, definition, and example sentences for words in the dictionary. The students will be able to use phonetics to sound out words. The students will be able to type 20wpm/90% accuracy.			