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Week	Dates	Topic (s)/Skill	Student Expectation (SE)
1	8/22-8/26  Greyling Page 9	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Rules, Expectations, Journals	2A, 2E <i>Prefix ad-</i> means “to”, “towards” adopt, adhere, sorrow (10), clasp (14)
2	8/29-9/2  The Stray Page 24	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Common and Proper Nouns WC pg 300 Write a News Report Lit pg 40	2A, 2E, 17Ai, ii, iii, iv Suffix <i>-ation</i> means “the condition of being” participation, demonstration, distress (26), glance (26)
3	9/6-9/9  The Tail page 192	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Verbs, Verb Tenses WC 316	2A, 2E, 19Ai Prefix <i>dis-</i> changes meaning to the opposite dissatisfied, disinfect, whine (195), sprawl (200)
4	9/12-16  Dragon, Dragon Page 206	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Verbs, Descriptive Writing Lit 298	2A, 2E, 19Ai Prefix <i>re-</i> means “back”, or “return” revisit, reattach, cobbler (207), seldom (212)
5	9/19-9/23  Sept 2016 Expository	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Personal and Possessive Pronouns WC 302-314, Lit 108	2A, 2E Suffix <i>-able</i> means “capable of” solvable, enjoyable

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6	9/26-30  Satellites/Sea Lions Page 879	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Interrogative and Indefinite Pronouns WC 302-14, Lit 130 Personal Narrative Lit 63	2A, 2E, 19Avi, Prefix <i>a-</i> means "to" ashore, aside, deployed (880), comatose (881)
7	10/3-10/7  Sept 2016 Expository	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Commas WC 556-570, Lit 63	2A, 2E, 19Aii Prefix <i>un-</i> means "not" unthinkable, unfamiliar
8	10/10-10/14  Oct 2016 Nonfiction	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Commas (cont.)	2A, 2E, 16, 16A Suffix <i>-ous</i> means "full of" dangerous, courageous
9	10/17-10/21  Water Page 398	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Adjectives WC 327-337	2A, 2E Suffix <i>-ance</i> means " repentance, continuance, keen (400), vain (401)
10	10/24-10/28  Oct 2016 Literary Non-fiction	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Adverbs WC 339-346 Informal Letter Writing Lit 417	2A, 2E, 17B Prefix <i>dia-</i> means "through", "between", "across" dialogue, diameter
11	10/31-11/4  Sept 2016 Drama	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases WC 348-351, Lit 734 Writing a Summary Lit 735	2A, 2E, 19Av Prefix <i>mis-</i> means "wrong", "badly" misused, mismanaged

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12	11/7-11/11  Oranges Page 555	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Basic Sentence Parts WC 372	2A, 2E, 19Av Root <i>-phon-</i> means "sound" telephone, microphone, phonograph, phonetics, homophone, symphony
13	11/14-11/18  Poetry Collection #1 page 562	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Elements of Poetry Lit 552, 560, 637, 645 Poetry Writing	2A, 2E, 4 Root <i>-min-</i> means "very small" miniscule, minimize, cross (565), satchel (565)
14	11/21-11/25	Thanksgiving Holiday	
15	11/28-12/2  Oct 2016 Drama	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Subject-Verb Agreement WC 511-528	2A, 2E, 16, 19Ai Prefix <i>col-</i> means "together" collage, collaborate
16	12/5-12/9  Nov 2016 Poetry	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Subject-Verb Agreement WC 511-528	2A, 2E, 19 Prefix <i>super-</i> means "greater than normal" superior, supervise
17	12/12-12/16  Poetry Collection #5 page 624	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Conjunctions WC 358	2A, 2E, 19 Suffix <i>-ness</i> means "state or condition of being" likeness, harmless, nymph (588), flue (626)
18	12/19-12/23	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Conjunctions WC 358	2A, 2E, 19 Root <i>-pel-, -pul-</i> means "to drive" impulse, repel, expel
19	12/26-12/30	Winter Break	
20	1/2-1/6	Winter Break	2A, 2E, 7

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21	1/9-1/13  Nov 2016 Persuasive	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Avoiding Sentence Problems WC 446-456	2A, 2E, 19A(vii) Root <i>-vol/v-</i> means "turn", "roll" Lit 495 revolve, evolve
22	1/16-1/20  Sept 2016 Fiction	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Avoiding Sentence Problems (cont.) Transitions	2A, 2E, 18, 19Ai Spelling City Semester I Vocabulary
23	1/23-1/27  Oct 2016 Fiction	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Expository Writing	2A, 2E, 19A Prefix <i>uni-</i> "one", <i>bi-</i> "two", and <i>tri-</i> "three" unison, uniformity, tripod, bilingual, biannual, trilogy, triathlon, unique, unify, ambidextrous
24	1/30-2/3  Arachne Page 860	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Expository Writing	2A, 2E, 19C Prefix <i>sub-</i> means "under" subdue, submission, subconscious
25	2/6-2/10  Tortoise Shell Page 916	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Expository Writing	2A, 2E, 20Bi Prefix <i>ex-</i> and <i>e-</i> mean "out" evacuate, exempt, evict, evasive, estrange
26	2/13-2/17  Nov/Dec 2016 Drama	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Apostrophes WC 593-595	2A, 2E, 20Bi Suffix <i>-ity</i> means "quality", "state of being" punctuality, sensitivity

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27	2/20-2/24  Nov/Dec 2016 Drama	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Capitalization WC 604-629	2A, 2E, 19C Suffix <i>-ly</i> means “like”, “characteristic of” attentively, impatiently
28	2/27-3/3  Jan 2017 Persuasive	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) End Marks WC 551-554 *Simulated Assessments	2A, 2E, 19C
29	3/6-3/10  Jan 2016 Persuasive	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Comparisons with Adjective WC 534-543 *TELPAS Writing	2A, 2E Prefix <i>en-</i> means “inside” enamor, endanger
30	3/13-3/17	Spring Break	
31	3/20-3/24  Passages	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Singular, Plural, and Non-count Nouns WC 295	2A, 2E, 19A Prefix <i>be-</i> means “make” belittle, beside, bemoan
32	3/27-3/31  Passages	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Combining Sentences WC 438-440	2A, 2E Prefix <i>pre-</i> means “before” Premeditate, premonition

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33	4/3-4/7  Passages	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Avoiding Sentence Problems WC 446-456	2A, 2E
34	4/10-4/14  Passages	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek) Avoiding Sentence Problems WC 446-456	2A, 2E
35	4/17-4/21  Passages	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek)  Storyworks Reading Skills	2A, 2E
36	4/24-4/28  Passages	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek)  Storyworks Reading Skills	2A, 2E
37	5/1-5/5  Passages	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek)  Storyworks Reading Skills	2A, 2E

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38	5/8-5/12  STAAR	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek)	2A, 2E
39	5/15-5/19	Dictionary/Thesaurus Skills, Vocabulary, Linguistic roots and affixes (Latin/Greek)  Cursive Writing	2A, 2E