



Sachem Central School District

Sachem Grade K Curriculum Guide 2022-23 for Parents & Guardians

Parent Conference Days/Half Days: [Sachem Calendar](#) 2022-23 Sachem Family Connect Nights: Weds. 9/28, 10/19, 11/16, 12/21, 1/18, 2/15, 3/15, 4/26, 5/17, 6/14

Student Report Cards are posted each Trimester on the Parent Portal e-school. To access your account, click here [eSD Parent Portal](#).
How to [Set up eSD](#)

Trimester 1-Report Cards posted 12/17

Trimester 2-Report Cards posted 3/17

Trimester 3-Report Cards posted 6/17

ELA/Literacy: [A Guide to Readers and Different Text Levels](#)

Sachem CSD teaches literacy using a Balanced Literacy approach which includes Reading and Writing workshop, with whole group and small group instruction, conferences, independent reading, guided reading as well as Foundations for word study. Our Schoolwide units of study include creating a classroom community, launching the workshop model, fiction, non-fiction, author studies, poetry, etc.

Math - [Math Workshop Structure](#) [Reflex](#) (fluency practice) Zearn.org (supports units)

Numbers to 10	2D & 3D Shapes, Sorting and Patterns	Comparing Numbers to 10 (Length, Capacity, Weight)	Addition & Subtraction to 10	Numbers to 20 & Counting to 100	More Exploration w/ Shapes and Begin to Explore Coins
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↓↓ **Exploratory/Project Based Learning ** in Science and Social Studies ↓↓

Science

<p>Push, Pull, Go</p> <p>Students will explore the relationship between motion and force through inquiry, discussion, engineering, & problem solving.</p>	<p>Living Things and Their Needs</p> <p>Students will explore habits of living things, identify living/nonliving things, their needs, and the ways that living things can change their environment.</p>	<p>Weather and Sky</p> <p>Students will learn to observe weather and explore patterns in types of weather, and the Sun as Earth's main source of light and heat.</p>
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Social Studies Topics:

Geography & Map Skills, Community, Rules, Laws, Working Together, Our Government, Citizens, Patriotism, National Symbols, National Holidays, Places, Five Themes of Geography, Physical Characteristics, Human Characteristics, How Humans Interact with their Environment, Movement, Regions, Culture, Needs and Wants, Goods and Services, Economic Choices and Activities, Spending and Saving, Time, Changes over Time, Comparing Children Over Time, Inventions AND [Myself and Others ELA/SS Unit](#)

Social and Emotional Learning: Wellness, Lions' Quest (*Self Awareness, Self Management, Social Awareness, Relationship Skills, Responsible Decision Making, Health & Safety*),

Parent Technology & Academic Supports:

[Clever](#), [Otis for Parents](#), [Google Classroom for Parents](#), Parent [Tip Sheet](#), [ENL Family Support](#), [Kindergarten Handbook](#)
[Engage NY for Families & Parent Technology Supports](#) & [Sachem Public Library](#); [Ways to Support Your Child's Reading Growth](#)