



Month	Big Idea	Essential Questions	Vocabulary Words (in English & Spanish)
<b>September</b> <b>Septiembre</b>	Getting to Know Each Other	1) Who makes up your family tree? 2) What different ethnic backgrounds make up your family? 3) Who inspires you?	nationality, individuality, motivation, characteristic la nacionalidad, la individualidad, la motivación, la característica
<b>October</b> <b>Octubre</b>	Examining Published Works of Fiction	1) What defines a fairytale? 2) How can you become an author? 3) What are the parts of a short story?	moral, illustrator, myth, legend la moraleja, el ilustrador, el mito, la leyenda
<b>November</b> <b>Noviembre</b>	Understanding Colonial Lifestyles	1) What was school like for colonial children? 2) How is buying goods at stores different then to now? 3) How has social norms changed in the present?	harvest, churn, newspaper, navigate la cosecha, batir, el periódico, navegar
<b>December</b> <b>Diciembre</b>	Discovering Traditions Around the World	1) How does your culture celebrate Christmas? 2) How long does Hannukah last? 3) What can we do to spread cheer during this season?	pointsetta, menorah, festivity, principle la flor de Nochebuena, la menorá, la festividad, el principio
<b>January</b> <b>Enero</b>	Digging Up Fossils in Prehistoric Times	1) What does a paleontologist do? 2) How many different types of dinosaurs were there? 3) What are the three diet classifications of dinosaurs?	extinct, archeologist, Stone Age, geological tools extinto, el arqueólogo, la Edad de Piedra, las herramientas geológicas
<b>February</b> <b>Febrero</b>	Analyzing the Progression of Games	1) How are childhood games different from then to now? 2) When were crayons invented? 3) Who invented the first Play-Doh?	time-line, yo-yo, board game, invention la línea de tiempo, el yoyó, el juego de mesa, el invento
<b>March</b> <b>Marzo</b>	Becoming Meteorologists	1) What causes a natural disaster? 2) Why do temperatures differ in other parts of the world? 3) What are the Northern Lights?	forecast, thermometer, global warming, radar el pronóstico, el termómetro, el calentamiento global, el radar
<b>April</b> <b>Abril</b>	Exploring Animals in their Environments	1) How does the life-cycle work? 2) Which animals need certain temperatures to survive? 3) Which animals can be domesticated?	habitat, hibernate, mammal, migration el hábitat, hibernar, el mamífero, la migración
<b>May</b> <b>Mayo</b>	Researching Career Choices for our Future	1) Which professions does your family work in? 2) What skills are required for your career? 3) Why is higher education important for your future?	employer, ethics, business owner, income el empleador, la ética, el empresario, los ingresos
<b>June</b> <b>Junio</b>	Diving into the Under Water World	1) What does a marine biologist do? 2) How are different parts of the ocean discovered? 3) What sea creatures can you find in the depths of the ocean?	laboratory, submarine, coral reef, echo location el laboratorio, el submarino, el arrecife de coral, la ecolocación

Common Core Standards
<p>Kids Klub programs support teachers and schools in their work with the Common Core State Standards and the curriculum is intended to incorporate the standards in an intentional and explicit manner.</p> <p>The primary goal of the Common Core State Standards is to ensure that students have the skills and knowledge they will need for their future success in college and career. The Common Core focuses on developing and deepening students' knowledge and skills— also referred to as “habits of mind”—that will provide the necessary foundation for students to succeed academically, in work and in life.</p>
Kids Klub teaches these Common Core Habits of Mind:
<p><b>English Language Arts Standards:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrate independence</li> <li>Build strong content knowledge</li> <li>Respond to the varying demands of audience, task, purpose and discipline</li> <li>Comprehend and critique</li> <li>Value evidence</li> <li>Use technology and digital media strategically and capably</li> <li>Come to understand other perspectives and cultures</li> </ul> <p><b>Mathematics Standards:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make sense of problems, persevere in solving them</li> <li>Reason abstractly and quantitatively</li> <li>Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others</li> <li>Model with mathematics</li> <li>Use appropriate tools strategically</li> <li>Attend to precision</li> <li>Look for and make sure of structure</li> <li>Look for and express regularity in repeated reasoning</li> </ul>