Core Literacy Standards for First Grade

READING LITERATURE	READING NONFICTION
KEY IDEAS AND DETAILS	KEY IDEAS AND DETAILS
1. Ask and answer questions about key details in a text.	 Ask and answer questions about key details in a text.
 Retell stories, including key details, and demonstrate understanding of their central message or lesson. 	 Identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
 Describe characters, settings, and major events in a story, using key details. 	 Describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text.
CRAFT AND STRUCTURE	CRAFT AND STRUCTURE
 Identify words and phrases in stories or poems that suggest feelings or appeal to the senses. 	 Ask and answer questions to help determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases in a text.
 Explain major differences between books that tell stories and books that give information, drawing on a wide reading of a range of text types. 	5. Know and use various text features (e.g., headings, tables of contents, glossaries, electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or information in a text.
 Identify who is telling the story at various points in a text. 	 Distinguish between information provided by pictures or other illustrations and information provided by the words in a text.
INTEGRATION OF KNOWLEDGE AND IDEAS	INTEGRATION OF KNOWLEDGE AND IDEAS
 Use illustrations and details in a story to describe its characters, setting, or events. 	 Use the illustrations and details in a text to describe its key ideas.
8. (Not applicable to literature)	 Identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text.
9. Compare and contrast the adventures and experiences of characters in stories.	 Identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).
RANGE AND LEVEL OF TEXT COMPLEXITY	RANGE AND LEVEL OF TEXT COMPLEXITY
 With prompting and support, read prose and poetry of appropriate complexity for grade 1. 	10. With prompting and support, read informational texts appropriately complex for grade 1.