Kindergarten Social Studies Integration – Bond and Kalfas Primary Schools

Social Studies Practices	Kindergarten Reading Collection	Other
Gathering, Interpreting, and Using Evidence 1. Ask questions. 2. Recognize forms of evidence used to make meaning in social studies. 3. Identify the author or creator of a book or map. 4. Identify opinions expressed by others.	IRA Text Sets: - Eric Carle: Exploring the Natural World - Lois Ehlert: Bringing Color & Texture to Life - Grace Lin: Exploring Family & Culture Shared Reading: - Look Out! - Hand in Hand: Poems About Friends - A Rainbow of Fruit - Fly Away - Up, Down, & Around	* See Extension Activities document for more details Reading Minilessons: - Writing Opinions About Books - Thinking About the Author's Message - Noticing How Authors Tell Their Stories Writing Minilessons: - Labeling a Map (IW) - Writing a Question & Answer Book (IW) * Optional Extension Activity: - Shared writing
Chronological Reasoning and Causation Retell an important life event in sequential order. Understand the concept of time measurements, including days and weeks. Identify causes and effects, using an example from his/her family life. Identify change over time in his/her life. Identify events of the past, present, and future of his/her life. Identify routines and common occurrences in his/her life.	IRA Text Sets: - Sharing Stories & Songs: Nursery Rhymes - Taking Care of Each Other: Family - Sharing Stories: Folktales - Learning How to Be Yourself - Grace Lin: Exploring Family & Culture Shared Reading:	Reading Minilessons: Writing Minilessons: - Writing About a Class Memory (IW) - Making Memory Books - Writing a How-To Book (IW) - Making How-To Books - Writing an All-About Book (IW) - Making All-About Books * Optional Extension Activity: - Create a family box
Comparison and Contextualization 1. Identify similarities and differences between home and school. 2. Identify similarities and differences between him/her and others. 3. Describe an event in his/her life.	IRA Text Sets: - Sharing Stories & Songs: Nursery Rhymes - Learning & Playing Together: School - Taking Care of Each Other: Family - The Importance of Friendship - The Place You Call Home - Living & Working Together: Community - Learning How to Be Yourself - Exploring Nonfiction - Grace Lin: Exploring Family & Culture - Celebrating Differences Shared Reading: - Hand in Hand: Poems About Friends	Reading Minilessons: Writing Minilessons: * Optional Extension Activities: - Show similarities & differences - Discussion

Ask geographic questions about where places are located and why they are located there, using location terms and geographic representations, such as maps, photographs, satellite images, and models. Identify natural events or physical features, such as land, water, air, and wind. Describe how environment affects his/her activities. Identify a pattern. Identify a human activity that changed a place.	IRA Text Sets: - Sharing Stories & Songs: Nursery Rhymes - Taking Care of Each Other: Family - The Place You Call Home - Living & Working Together: Community - Sharing the Earth: Animals - Exploring Nonfiction - Celebrating Differences Shared Reading: - Country ABCs - Stars - City Kid, Country Kid - Fly Away	Reading Minilessons: Writing Minilessons: - Labeling a Map (IW) * Optional Extension Activities: - Internet - Flag art
Economics and Economic Systems 1. Identify examples of scarcity and choices made due to scarcity. 2. Identify examples of goods and services. 3. Identify what money is and how it is used in society.	IRA Text Sets: - Exploring Fiction & Nonfiction - Exploring Nonfiction Shared Reading: - The Right Tools - One Summer Day: A Story in Pictures - Kate's Party - Crunch: A Story for Two Voices	Reading Minilessons: Writing Minilessons: * Optional Extension Activities: - Interactive writing - Shared writing
Civic Participation 1. Demonstrate respect for the rights of others. 2. Participate in activities that focus on a classroom or school issue or problem. 3. Identify the role of the individual in classroom participation. 4. Show respect in issues involving differences and conflict. 5. Identify situations in which social actions are required. 6. Identify the school principal and his/her role within the school. 7. Identify and follow rules in the classroom and school.	IRA Text Sets: - Learning & Playing Together: School - The Importance of Kindness - Living & Working Together: Community - Sharing Stories: Folktales - Celebrating Differences Shared Reading: - School Days - City Kid, Country Kid	Reading Minilessons: - Working Together in the Classroom Writing Minilessons: - Writing About our Classroom (IW) - Creating a Job Chart (IW) * Optional Extension Activities: - Firefighter visit - Library visit