

# STAAR Reading Checklist

## READING SKILLS

### August - February

- ❖ Introduce and Review Elements of Reading Genres:
  - Fiction- *Traditional Literature* (3.9A, 4.9A, 5.9A)
  - Nonfiction (3.9D, 4.9D, 5.9D)
  - Drama (3.9C, 4.9C, 5.9C)
  - Poetry (3.9B, 4.9B, 5.9B)
  - Argumentative (3.9E, 4.9E, 5.9E)
  - Paired Passage (4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)
- ❖ Use [STAAR question stems](#) during read aloud and guided reading lessons.
- ❖ Include short and long response essay questions on daily work, tests, and guided reading.

### January - March

- ❖ Introduce [STAAR reading strategies](#) for STAAR reading passages.
- ❖ Use a Daily [Recursive Review](#) over reading skills.
- ❖ Incorporate weekly [Reading Passage](#) practice.

# GRAMMAR SKILLS

## August - December

- ❖ Introduce Grammar Rules (3.11D, 4.11D, 5.11D)
  - ❑ Sentences (simple and compound)
  - ❑ Parts of Speech
  - ❑ Subject/Verb agreement
  - ❑ Punctuation
  - ❑ Capitalization
  - ❑ Spelling Rules and common Homophones
- ❖ Place rules in Grammar Notebook, so students can reference them when working on Revise/Edit questions.
- ❖ Independent Grammar Practice on specific skills

## January - March

- ❖ Introduce revise/edit strategies for STAAR stemmed questions.
- ❖ Include a quick daily review with Grammar Warm-Ups.
- ❖ Use Revise and Edit Practice Passages weekly.

# STAAR Review

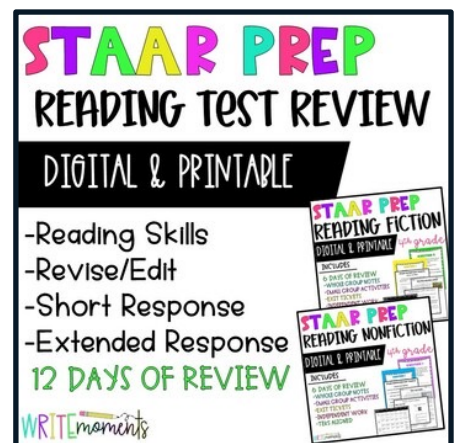
Incorporate the following 3 weeks before the test:

- Whole Group- Review of Reading Skills and Revise/Edit Skills
- Small group practice over the skills of the day
- Independent Practice of Skills
- Include short/long response questions
- Teacher pulls students still struggling with specific skills while other students work in small groups or independently.
- STAAR Reading Study Guide- go over in class and then send home for review
- STAAR Reading Challenge

All of this is included in [STAAR PREP: Reading Test Review](#)

## STAAR Reading Freebies:

- ❖ [Reading Questions Stems](#)
- ❖ [Poetry Breakout](#)
- ❖ [Revise and Edit Challenge](#)



# If you're looking for a variety of resources for the STAAR Reading Test Prep:

**STAAR READING BUNDLE**

250 PAGES

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO:

- \*TEACH
- \*LEARN
- \*PRACTICE
- \*REVIEW

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**15 Reading Resources**

STAAR Reading Recursive REVIEW

18 WEEKS OF

STAAR Reading Review BASEBALL

2020 TEKS ALIGNED STAAR Stemmed TASK CARDS

STAAR READING PASSAGES BUNDLE

STAAR READING STRATEGIES BUNDLE

STAAR PREP READING BUNDLE

DIGITAL & PRINTABLE 4th grade

INCLUDES

- 12 DAYS OF REVIEW
- WHOLE GROUP NOTES
- SMALL GROUP ACTIVITIES
- EXIT TICKETS
- INDEPENDENT WORK
- TEKS ALIGNED

STAAR PREP READING FICTION

STAAR PREP READING NONFICTION

SKILLS covered to prepare your students for 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, or 5<sup>th</sup> STAAR Reading Test

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