

# St. Raphael the Archangel

## Literature

### 4th & 5th Grades 2017-2018

Students will read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the appropriate skill level, with scaffolding as needed.

**Learning Goals- Students will:**

#### **Literary Elements**

- 1. Compare and contrast characters, settings, and events.**
- 2. Compare and contrast themes and topics.**
- 3. Describe the point of view of a story.**
- 4. Determine theme.**
- 5. Differentiate between fact and opinion.**
- 6. Draw inferences from a literary work.**
- 7. Identify cause and effect.**
- 8. Explain what similes and metaphors mean in a text.**
- 9. Use specific details from a text to describe a character, a setting, or an event.**
- 10. Identify the author's purpose.**
- 11. Make connections between text to self, text to text, and text to world.**
- 12. Predict outcomes.**
- 13. Recognize and explain idioms, adages, and proverbs.**
- 14. Use questioning strategies.**

#### **Comprehension**

- 1. Determine the meaning of words.**
- 2. Accurately spell words.**
- 3. Summarize the main ideas of a text.**
- 4. Visualize key aspects of a literary work.**
- 5. Read and comprehend fictional text.**
- 6. Read and comprehend non-fiction text.**
- 7. Sequence events of a story.**

#### **Fluency**

- 1. Read with accuracy.**
- 2. Read with expression.**

## **Speaking and Listening**

- 1. Actively participate in a discussion group.**
- 2. Prepare for discussions by having read, studied, or created assigned work.**
- 3. Use multimedia and visual aids to support the main idea and themes.**