

Grade	Quarter	ELA Curriculum GT
3	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Great Books (Fiction) - Starting Off Strong 2/3: <i>The Rich Man and the Shoemaker</i> • Junior Great Books (Nonfiction Inquiry) - <i>Small Acts Make a Big Difference</i>
	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poetry - Jacob's Ladder 1: <i>Under My Bed</i> • Junior Great Books (Fiction)/Journeys & Destinations - <i>The Green Man</i>
	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jacob's Ladder 2 - It's Electric • Jacob's Ladder 1/Junior Great Books -Fable: <i>The Fisherman and His Wife</i> • Jacob's Ladder 1 - <i>Daedalus and Icarus</i> (if time allows)
	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Great Books (Fiction)/William & Mary Journeys & Destinations – <i>The Ugly Duckling</i> • Junior Great Books (Nonfiction Inquiry) - <i>Egg-cellent Bird Parents</i>
4	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jacob's Ladder 1 - <i>The Circle of Life</i> • Junior Great Books (Nonfiction Inquiry) - <i>Crows: Friend or Foe?</i> • <i>Disobeying the Dog</i> from Junior Great Books ThinkIt (if time allows)
	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry - <i>Weather Watchers</i> • Junior Great Books (Fiction) - <i>Thank you, Ma'am</i> • William and Mary Literary Reflections - Poetry of Langston Hughes (if time allows)
	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jacob's Ladder 2 - <i>Exploration of Space</i> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry (5th) - <i>Out of this World Weather</i> • William and Mary Journeys & Destinations - <i>The Green Book</i> (if time allows) • Junior Great Books (Fiction) - <i>All Summer in a Day</i> (if time allows)
	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jacob's ladder 3 - <i>What is Sound?</i> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry (5th) - <i>Storytelling in the Time of Slavery</i> • Jacob's Ladder 3 - <i>The Gettysburg Address</i> (if time allows)
5	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry - <i>Home Sweet Homestead</i> (suggested additional readings: <i>The Stranger, The Hundred Dollar Bill</i>) • Jacob's Ladder 3 - <i>Population Explosion</i>
	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry – <i>The Richest Man in the World</i> • Junior Great Books Starting Off Strong 4/5 - <i>An Angel for Solomon Singer</i> by Cynthia Rylant
	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry - <i>Roads Take a Toll on Wildlife</i> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry - <i>Plain, Ordinary Mrs. Roosevelt</i> • Jacob's Ladder 3 - <i>Economics 101</i> (if time allows)
	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jacob's Ladder 3 - <i>The Road Not Taken</i> • Junior Great Books Nonfiction Inquiry - <i>Thomas Heatherwick: Making Things Happen</i> (suggested additional reading: <i>The Wright Brothers</i> piece from Junior Great Books ThinkIt)

Suggestions are made so that, if time permits, teachers may do additional readings beyond the required two in common for each quarter.