

## ROCKBURN'S G & T CURRICULUM-BASED ENRICHMENT UNITS FOR 2016-2017

This chart shows an estimated time line for the curriculum-based enrichment units for this year.  
At any given time during the year, these units might be changed to meet the needs of the team.

Second Grade	Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade
September  Talent Spotting Lessons	September  Talent Spotting Lessons	September  Talent Spotting Lessons	September - November Writer's Workshop Students will create an original adaptation; write a short story from multiple points of view; and compare and contrast two characters.
October – January  Transportation Students will study the history of transportation in this countywide unit.	October – January  Weather and Climate How scientists gather data, use it to predict weather, and create solutions to weather related hazards.	October- January Civilizations Students will learn about ancient civilizations through research and classroom activities. Students will apply their knowledge to create a new civilization	December - February Oceanography The laserdisc program "The Great Ocean Rescue" is used to motivate this countywide unit which explores the oceans of the world.
January  Talent Spotting Lessons	January Talent Spotting Lessons  Feb- May Immigration This countywide unit has students researching immigration in the United States and centers around personal stories of immigrants that came to the United States as children	January Talent Spotting Lessons  February - May Treasure the Chesapeake  Students will explore the valuable and complex ecosystem of the bay	March – May  The Politics of Persuasion The unit extends the curriculum for the Simulated Congressional Hearings conducted by the fifth grade.
Feb – May  Can We Dig It? Students will study archaeology in this countywide unit.	September - June Math Enrichment  Support the above grade level class with challenging mathematical concepts.	September - June GT Math Program  Students who tested into the GT math class in third grade have their math class with a GT math teacher everyday.	September - June GT Math Program Students who were in GT math in the fourth grade or who tested in at the end of fourth grade have their math class with a GT math teacher everyday.



# Instructional Seminars

(Tentative Topics)

Recess Blocks



- Second Grade - Butterfly Garden, and Inventions
- Third Grade - Globetrotters, Birds (1<sup>st</sup> Semester) and Bridges (2<sup>nd</sup> Semester)
- Fourth Grade - We Care and School & Community Spirit
- Fifth Grade – WebSitters and Memory Book