

Amarillo ISD GT Curriculum Scopes & Sequence
Overarching Theme: *Exploration*

<p>SECOND GRADE Theme: <i>Interactions</i></p>

AFFECTIVE	CREATIVE THINKING & PROBLEM SOLVING	CRITICAL THINKING
<p>Practice positive values and choices.</p> <p>Respond positively toward others through relationships and interactions.</p>	<p>Utilize SCAMPER techniques to create original innovative ideas (see addendum).</p> <p>Analyze inventions to discover similarities found in nature that may have inspired those inventions.</p> <p>List everyday problems, then visualize and relate numerous ways they could be solved.</p>	<p>Explore differences and similarities of information gained from at least two sources.</p> <p>Apply criteria to evaluate data from two or more points of view.</p> <p>Organize and prioritize key concepts within a discipline.</p>

RESEARCH

<i>Student Expectations</i>	<i>Resources and Skills</i>
<p>Plan, gather, and present information in small group interactions or individually.</p> <p>Utilize:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • graphic organizers • mind maps • simple outlining organizers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dictionary • non-fiction books • table of contents • index • internet with assistance • encyclopedia • thesaurus • maps

PRODUCTS & PERFORMANCES

<i>Development</i>	<i>Presentation</i>	<i>Products</i>
<p>Create three to five varied products (small group and independent) addressing two or more of the four core content areas that incorporate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • planning by student • self-evaluation through the use of a checklist or rubric 	<p>Utilize relevant advanced vocabulary to express ideas orally or in writing using visuals.</p>	<p>Acrostic*, biography*, bulletin board*, children's story*, commercial*, demonstration, discussion, drama, experiment, game, invention, labeled drawing*, letter*, photo essay*, slide(s) for individual or group slide show*</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Choose four Products from the list.</i></p> <div style="border: 1px dotted black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>A combination of developed products over time should reflect the four content areas as appropriate. *Indicates products that can be accomplished using or integrating technology.</p> </div>