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Language and Literacy include reading, writing, speaking, gathering information, using information, thinking critically, understanding others, and expressing oneself. Numeracy is reasoning with numbers and other mathematical concepts. Aspects of numeracy include number sense, operation sense, computation, measurement, geometry, probability and statistics.	
Rationale	 ★ Increased enjoyment of literature and a desire to read ★ Enhanced vocabulary ★ Ability to express ideas ★ Experiences in reading, writing, speaking, researching information, applying information and thinking critically ★ Understand mathematical concepts ★ Applying mathematics to everyday experiences ★ Ability to use mathematical ideas effectively ★ Incorporates numerical, special, graphical and statistical concepts ★ Communicate mathematical reasoning
Examples	 Materials ★ Writing materials (paper, pen, colors, screen), read-aloud videos, Activities ★ Create a poem collection of children's original poems ★ Poetry slam ★ Ad Libs
	 Interactions ★ Ongoing back-and-forth conversations between adults & children ★ Modeling and encouraging creative use of language: rhymes, etc ★ Staff encourage and model reading and writing in practical situations and for enjoyment ★ Notes for Next Time: (time used, reactions to activity, staff/children interactions)
Resources	 ★ Word puzzle creator ★ Pre-made and filterable word puzzles ★ Read-a-loud videos ★ K-12 Literacy Lesson plans and activities ★ PBS Learning media for Teachers