

On-Site Gifted Program Pullout Units Menu

2011-2012

Depth & Complexity components will be incorporated within curricular units for all identified students. Curricular units will include some, but not all of the following menu options. Selection of specific units and logistical implementation of units will be determined by a team including the gifted resource teacher, the gifted program coordinator, and the building principal. Unit options will be reviewed and revised on an annual basis.

3rd Grade Units

(Late January – June)

- **Introductory Units: Thinking with Depth & Complexity and *Ways Of Being Scholarly***
- **Animals & Environment**
- **Independent Research** (Science or Social Studies Related)

4th Grade Units

(September – June)

- **Concept Introductory Units: Thinking with Depth & Complexity and *Change***
- **Rainforest Researchers**
- **Immigration**
 - **May Include Literature unit: Nory Ryan's Song and/or Maggie's Door and/or Home of the Brave**
- **Logic**
- **Great Ocean Rescue**
- **Bridge-Building** (may be implemented in grade 5)
- **Independent Research** (Science or Social Studies Related)

5th Grade Units

(September – June)

- **Concept Introductory Units: Thinking with Depth & Complexity and *Conflict***
- **Space** (With Mission Prep Day and field trip to Challenger Learning Center of Indiana)
 - **May include Literature unit: Invitation to the Game or The Hobbit or William & Mary Literature Unit**
- **Philosophy**
- **Building A Nation**
- **Independent Research** (Science or Social Studies Related)