



LITERACY MATTERS

2025–2026 Issue 1



ELA TRAINING DATES

Sign up on pd.jordandistrict.org

- Wit & Wisdom K-2 for New Teachers
 - [8/5/25 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.](#)
 - [9/11/25 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.](#)
- Wit & Wisdom 3-6 for New Teachers
 - [8/5/25 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.](#)
 - [9/11/25 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.](#)
- Heggerty (K-2 teachers)
 - [8/7/25 12:30–3:30 p.m.](#)
 - [9/17/25 4:15–7:15 p.m.](#)
- MSRC (3-6 teachers)
 - [8/6/25 12:30–3:30 p.m.](#)
 - [8/7/25 8:30–11:30 a.m.](#)
 - [9/17/25 4:15–7:15 p.m.](#)
- Letter Launch – optional training for kindergarten teachers, coaches, and administrators
 - [8/29/25 2:00–4:00 p.m.](#)

2025-2026 WIT & WISDOM PACING GUIDES

Pacing guides have been created for Wit & Wisdom instruction in grades K-6. These can also be found at elemliteracy.jordandistrict.org on the Standards/Pacing pages for each grade-level.

[Kindergarten](#)

[First Grade](#)

[Second Grade](#)

[Third Grade](#)

[Fourth Grade](#)

[Fifth Grade](#)

[Sixth Grade](#)

Pacing impacts everything!

K-2 Guaranteed and Viable Curriculum

Baseline

Morning Transition	5 min.	Math	60 min.
PA & Phonics	40 min.	Open Up	60 min.
UFLI	30 min.	Lunch	40 min.
Heggerty	10 min.	(including transitions)	
Fluency	15 min.	Specials	40 min.
Decodable and Grade Level Text		(Science & SS)	
Comp., Vocab. & Writing	70 min.	Recess	15 min.
Wit & Wisdom		School Flex Time	75 min.
Walk to Read	30 min.	Interventions, IM, Science, SS	
		Going Home Transition	5 min.

GUARANTEED AND VIABLE CURRICULUM K-6 & K-3 GOALS

This document includes the literacy focus and goals for K-2 and 3rd grade as well as recommended instructional minutes for all grade levels, including DLI.



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