

# The Literacy Launch



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Early Literacy: [www.scsk12.org/earlyliteracy/](http://www.scsk12.org/earlyliteracy/)

Unit 2: Weeks 1-2

Week

1

**Key Concept:** Tools We Use

**Weekly Texts:** *The Handiest Things in the World, Discover with Tools, Timimoto, Pam Can See, We Can See*

**Workstation Activity Cards**

[Wonders Practice Book Weekly Practice](#)

Week

2

**Key Concept:** Shapes All Around Us

**Weekly Texts:** *Shapes All Around, Find the Shapes, We Like Tam, I Like Sam, Kites in Flight*

**Workstation Activity Cards**

[Wonders Practice Book Weekly Practice](#)

## Word Work

**Phonological/Phonemic Awareness:** recognize alliteration; phoneme isolation; phoneme blending; phoneme categorization

**Phonics:** Letter/Sound: Pp /p/; blend & build /p/ words; blend words with p and m, s, a

**HF Words:** a

**Fluency:** Accuracy & Rate

**Decodable:** *A Sap Map; Pam Can See*

**Additional Resources:** [Letter P Beginning Sound](#), [Alliteration Pals](#), [Phoneme Isolation](#), [High Frequency Words](#)

**Phonological/Phonemic Awareness:** phoneme isolation; onset and rime; phoneme blending; phoneme identity

**Phonics:** Letter/Sound: Tt /t/; blend & build /t/ words; blend words with m, s, a, p

**HF Words:** like

**Fluency:** Accuracy and Rate

**Decodable Texts:** *Tap the Mat; I Am Pat*

**Additional Resources:** [Letter T Beginning Sound](#), [Onset and Rime Flower](#), [Phoneme Segmenting and Blending](#), [High Frequency Words](#)

## Grammar & Writing

**Handwriting:** "Pp", words with "p"

**Grammar:** verbs

**Category Words:** color words

**Writing:** write about the text

**Additional Resources:** [Write the Letter P](#), [Letter P Handwriting](#), [Identifying Action Verb Cards](#)

**Handwriting:** "Tt", words with "t"

**Grammar:** use verbs

**Category Words:** shapes

**Writing:** write about the text and writing process

**Additional Resources:** [Write the letter T](#), [Letter T Handwriting](#), [Verb and Noun Sort](#)

## Comprehension

**Essential Question:** How do tools help us to explore?

**Skill:** Key Details

**Strategy:** Ask and Answer Questions

**Academic Language:** tools, discover, fetch, rumble, defeated

**Additional Resources:** [Identifying Key Details](#)

**Essential Question:** What shapes do you see around you?

**Skill:** Key Details

**Strategy:** Ask and Answer Questions

**Academic Language:** materials, nature, world, decoration, games

**Additional Resources:** [Identifying Key Details](#)