

**AESD Third Grade Instructional Minutes**

**Total Instruction = 219 minutes**

**(90 minutes early dismissal day)**

**Reading/Language Arts**

*Core Reading Wonders*

**140 minutes**

**Reading**

(Phonics/Decoding, Fluency, Informational Text and Literature Comprehension Skills, Comprehension Strategies)

**Writing**

(Write Everyday, Shared Writing, Writing Traits, and Writer's Workspace)

**Speaking and Listening**

(Collaborative Conversations, Presentation, and Active Listening)

**Language**

(Grammar, Punctuation and Mechanics, Spelling, Vocabulary Acquisition, and Word Knowledge)

**Small Group**

(Differentiated Instruction, Independent Work, and Activity Cards)

**Social Studies and Science materials may be used to teach, practice, and apply reading comprehension, writing, and vocabulary skills and concepts.**

**Mathematics**

*Core Go Math!*

**\*79 minutes**

**Core Math**

All students must be provided access to the core and the time must be protected from interruptions.

**Small group instruction**

**Technology – Go Math! and Math Facts in a Flash**