

**Course: Kindergarten Spring 2026**

**Instructor: Julie Colella and Desiree Gilbert**

**Instructional Plan**

**Course Content Description Template**

Provide a brief overview of the course content, including key topics and themes covered throughout the course.

1. Count, identify, and sequence numbers from 1 - 100 using hands-on activities and visual aids.
2. Early reading skills are emphasized through phonics instruction which include letter recognition, phonemic awareness, and decoding CVC words and blends.
3. Explore character traits and positive behaviors through read-alouds, modeling, and classroom discussions.

**Major Assignments and Projects Template**

List the major assignments and projects for the course, including their purpose and any relevant deadlines or evaluation criteria.

**Kindergarten graduation**: End of year event celebrating student growth, learning achievements, and readiness for first grade.

**Weekly vocabulary tests**: Monitors students' understanding and use of grade-level vocabulary introduced through weekly stories and phonics.

**Letter recognition**: Assess student's ability to identify and write uppercase and lowercase letters and the corresponding sounds.

**100s chart practice**: Monitor students progress to demonstrate number recognition and counting skills.

**Required Textbooks and Instructional Materials Template**

List the textbooks and other instructional materials required for the course, including authors, publication dates, and any additional resources needed for successful completion.

Heggerty, Bluebonnet, and Really Great Reading is provided by the school.

