

P.S. 102 Core Curriculums

Early Childhood Curriculum		
Creative Curriculum	3K and 4K	The Creative Curriculum for Preschool empowers children to be confident, creative, and caring learners through play-based, hands-on investigations—a research-based approach that incorporates language, literacy, and mathematics throughout the day.
Literacy		
NYC Public Schools is committed to ensuring all scholars receive strong instruction in the foundational skills of literacy.		
Program Name	Person Responsible	Description of Program
Heggerty 10 minutes daily	3K-2 classroom teachers	Evidence-based curriculum that provides explicit instruction and fluency practice with phonological awareness
FUNdations 30 minutes daily	K-3 classroom teachers	Evidence-based, systematic and explicit phonics instruction that incorporates reading and spelling in multiple modes
HMH Intro Reading 90 minutes daily	K-5 classroom teachers	Comprehensive reading and writing curriculum crafted to help scholars build the knowledge and skills they need to be successful readers, exceptional writers, and effective communicators
Mathematics		
In Mathematics we teach scholars to have solid understanding of concepts, and to work through problems with skill and ease.		
Number Talks 10 minutes daily	4K-5 teachers	Number talks engage scholars in “mental math” through grappling with interesting mathematics problems. Educators can use number talks regularly as introductions to the day’s mathematical practice, as “warm ups” for other lessons, or as stand-alone extended engagements with mathematical concepts.
Envision 2020 40-70 minutes daily	K-5 teachers	Math program that combines problem-based learning and visual learning to deepen scholars’ conceptual understanding.
Science		
Amplify Science 45 minutes 2x a week	K and 5	Amplify Science is a K–8 science curriculum that blends hands-on investigations, literacy-rich activities, and interactive digital tools to empower scholars to think, read, write, and argue like real scientists.
Social Studies		
Passport 45 minutes 2x a week	K and 5	In Social Studies scholars use rich content, major themes and big ideas to learn history, geography, economics, civics, citizenship, and government.