

**Reading for Information  
Grade 2  
Correlations to Nebraska Content Standards**

<b>Reading for Information Science Strand</b>	<b>Grade 2 Leveled Reader Titles</b>	<b>Nebraska Science Standards Covered in Program</b>
Life Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plants Live and Grow</li> <li>• Plants: Alive and Growing</li> <li>• Plants: Living and Growing</li> </ul>	<p>Life Science</p> <p>4.4.1 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of the characteristics of living things.</p> <p>4.4.2 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of the life cycles of living things.</p>
Earth Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All about Soil</li> <li>• What Is Soil?</li> <li>• Facts about Soil</li> </ul>	<p>Earth and Space Science</p> <p>4.5.1 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of the characteristics of earth materials.</p>
Physical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It Takes Force</li> <li>• Making Things Move</li> <li>• Facts about Force</li> </ul>	<p>Physical Science</p> <p>4.3.2 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of the position and motion of objects.</p>
Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What Should I Eat?</li> <li>• Choosing the Right Foods</li> <li>• Healthful Food Choices</li> </ul>	<p>Science in Personal and Social Perspectives</p> <p>4.7.1 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of personal health.</p>

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History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• George Washington Carver</li> <li>• César Chávez</li> <li>• Sally Ride</li> </ul>	4.2 Students will describe the contributions from the cultural and ethnic groups that made up our national heritage: Native Americans, Hispanic Americans, African Americans, European Americans, and Asian Americans.
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where We Live</li> <li>• Where Do You Live?</li> <li>• Your Land, Your Home</li> </ul>	4.1 Students will compare communities and describe how United States and Nebraska communities changed physically and demographically over time.
Civics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We Need Rules and Laws</li> <li>• Rules and Laws</li> <li>• Following Laws and Rules</li> </ul>	4.13 Students will describe the process of making laws, carrying out laws, and determining if laws have been violated.
Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Why Do We Need Money?</li> <li>• Money and Work</li> <li>• Making Money</li> </ul>	4.9 Students will demonstrate an understanding of money and the financial system used in the United States,

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<b>Reading for Information Science Strand</b>	<b>Grade 3 Leveled Reader Titles</b>	<b>Nebraska Science Standards Covered in Program</b>
Life Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environments in Action</li> <li>• Ecosystems Everywhere!</li> <li>• Ecosystems</li> </ul>	Life Science 4.4.3 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of living things and environments.
Earth Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Objects in the Sky</li> <li>• Looking at Outer Space</li> <li>• Exploring Outer Space</li> </ul>	Earth and Space Science 4.5.2 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of objects in the sky.
Physical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facts about Matter</li> <li>• Matter Matters</li> <li>• All about Matter</li> </ul>	Physical Science 4.3.1 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of the characteristics of objects and materials.

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Civics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Your Rights and Duties</li> <li>• Good Citizens</li> <li>• Rights and Responsibilities</li> </ul>	4.13 Students will describe the process of making laws, carrying out laws, and determining if laws have been violated.
Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What We Need, What We Want</li> <li>• Needs and Wants</li> <li>• Making Choices</li> </ul>	4.8 Students will describe characteristics of a market economic system and the interactions of consumers and producers.
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• United States Landforms</li> <li>• Deserts and Coasts</li> <li>• Different Climates</li> </ul>	4.12 Students will identify the geographic and human characteristics of the regions of the United States and Nebraska.
History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Diné</li> <li>• The Yurok</li> <li>• The Nimi'ipuu</li> </ul>	4.2 Students will describe the contributions from the cultural and ethnic groups that made up our national heritage: Native Americans, Hispanic Americans, African Americans, European Americans, and Asian Americans.

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Grade 4  
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Life Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Linking Living Things</li> <li>• Food Chains in Action</li> <li>• Food Chains and Food Webs</li> </ul>	Life Science 4.4.3 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of living things and environments.
Earth Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Earth Beneath Your Feet</li> <li>• Our Changing Planet</li> <li>• Earth's Changing Surface</li> </ul>	Earth and Space Science 4.5.3 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of the changes in the earth and sky.
Physical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It's Shocking!</li> <li>• Power It Up!</li> <li>• What Is Electricity?</li> </ul>	Physical Science 4.3.3 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of light, heat, electricity, and magnetism.
Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Help Your Health</li> <li>• Healthful Habits</li> <li>• Good Health and You</li> </ul>	Science in Personal and Social Perspectives 4.7.1 By the end of fourth grade, students will develop an understanding of personal health.

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History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What's Out West?</li> <li>• Go West!</li> <li>• Westward Expansion</li> </ul>	4.5 Students will describe Nebraska's history, including geographic factors, from European contact to statehood.
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regions of the United States</li> <li>• Land in the United States</li> <li>• Living in the United States</li> </ul>	4.12 Students will identify the geographic and human characteristics of the regions of the United States and Nebraska.
Civics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Our Government</li> <li>• By the People, For the People</li> <li>• Our Democracy</li> </ul>	4.13 Students will describe the process of making laws, carrying out laws, and determining if laws have been violated.
Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where We Live, Where We Work</li> <li>• Working in America</li> <li>• The World's Economy</li> </ul>	4.8 Students will describe characteristics of a market economic system and the interactions of consumers and producers.

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Life Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Your Body at Work</li> <li>• The Human Body</li> <li>• Your Body: A Complex Machine</li> </ul>	Life Science 8.4.1 By the end of eighth grade, students will develop an understanding of the structure and function in living systems.
Earth Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earth and Its Neighbors</li> <li>• Our Solar System</li> <li>• Exploring Our Solar System</li> </ul>	Earth and Space Science 8.5.3 By the end of eighth grade, students will develop an understanding of the earth in the solar system.
Physical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Making Matter Change</li> <li>• Changing Matter</li> <li>• Compounds and Mixtures</li> </ul>	Physical Science 8.3.1 By the end of eighth grade, students will develop an understanding of properties and changes in properties in matter.

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History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Plantation System</li> <li>• Slavery in Early America</li> <li>• From Plantations to Abolition</li> </ul>	<p>8.1.3 Students will describe key people, events, and ideas from colonial America.</p> <p>8.1.16 Students will identify and analyze causes, key events, and the effects of the Civil War and Reconstruction.</p>
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Geography and the Colonies</li> <li>• Settlement in Early America</li> <li>• People and the Environment</li> </ul>	<p>8.1.2 Students will analyze the major people, events, and ideas that led to the exploration and settlement of the Americas by Europeans.</p> <p>8.1.3 Students will describe key people, events, and ideas from colonial America.</p>
Civics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Your American Government</li> <li>• Crafting the Constitution</li> <li>• How a Bill Becomes a Law</li> </ul>	<p>8.1.3 Students will describe key people, events, and ideas from colonial America.</p> <p>8.1.4 Students will analyze challenges faced by the new United States government.</p> <p>8.3.8 Students will describe the purpose and function of the United States Constitution, including the Bill of Rights.</p>
Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Colonial American Trade</li> <li>• Colonial American Economics</li> <li>• Economic Choices in Early America</li> </ul>	<p>8.1.3 Students will describe key people, events, and ideas from colonial America.</p> <p>8.1.5 Students will describe growth and change in the United States from 1801-1861.</p>



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Grade 6  
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<b>Reading for Information Science Strand</b>	<b>Grade 6 Leveled Reader Titles</b>	<b>Nebraska Science Standards Covered in Program</b>
Life Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organizing Living Things</li> <li>• The Classification System</li> <li>• Classifying Living Things</li> </ul>	Unifying Concepts and Processes 8.1.1 By the end of eighth grade, students will develop an understanding of systems, order, and organization.
Earth Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earth's Resources</li> <li>• Understanding Natural Resources</li> <li>• Using Natural Resources</li> </ul>	Science in Personal and Social Perspectives 8.7.2 By the end of eighth grade, students will develop an understanding of relationships among populations, resources, and environments.
Physical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Heating Up</li> <li>• Heat Around Us</li> <li>• Understanding Heat</li> </ul>	Physical Science 8.3.3 By the end of eighth grade, students will develop an understanding of the forms of energy and how energy is transferred.
Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drugs: Know the Facts</li> <li>• Facts about Drugs</li> <li>• Drug Abuse and Prevention</li> </ul>	Science in Personal and Social Perspectives 8.7.1 By the end of eighth grade, students will develop an understanding of personal health.

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History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Egypt Long Ago</li> <li>• Ancient China</li> <li>• Ancient Greece</li> </ul>	<p>8.2.2 Students will describe the impact of ancient river valley civilizations (Mesopotamia, Egypt, India, China) on the development of world cultures.</p> <p>8.2.3 Students will describe the impact of history, culture, and geography of Greece and Rome on later civilizations.</p>
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Life-Giving Nile</li> <li>• Life in Africa and Arabia</li> <li>• Empires of the Americas</li> </ul>	<p>8.1.1 Students will analyze major cultures in the Americas before the 17<sup>th</sup> century.</p> <p>8.2.6 Students will describe the impact of life selected civilizations in Asia and Africa on the development of later cultures.</p>
Civics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government in Action</li> <li>• Global Relationships</li> <li>• Yugoslavia: A Changing Nation</li> </ul>	<p>8.3.1 Students will explain and compare the structures, functions, and powers of the three branches of government at the national, state, and local levels.</p>
Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Changing Economies</li> <li>• Economies Around the World</li> <li>• Many Economies, One World</li> </ul>	<p>8.3.5 Students will explain the structure and operation of the United States economy and the role of citizens as producers and consumers.</p> <p>8.3.6 Students will compare the United States economic system to systems in other countries.</p>