



**JHA**  
**6th**  
**Grade**

The logo features the text "JHA 6th Grade" in a bold, blue, sans-serif font with a thick black outline. The word "JHA" is positioned at the top, "6th" is in the middle, and "Grade" is at the bottom. To the left of the text is a stylized globe with green continents and blue oceans, mounted on a black stand. Three orange, five-pointed stars are scattered to the left of the globe. To the right of the text are school supplies: a blue spiral notebook with a yellow cover, a yellow spiral notebook, and two orange pencils with pink erasers and green bands.

# 2024-2025 Reporting Periods

\*Days possible are the number of attendance days for that reporting period.

RP	RP Start Date	RP End Date	Days Possible	Weeks
1	8/13/24	9/6/24	18	1-4
2	9/9/24	10/4/24	20	5-8
3	10/7/24	11/1/24	20	9-12
4	11/4/24	11/29/24	14	13-15
5	12/2/24	1/3/25	14	16-18
6	1/6/25	1/31/25	19	19-22
7	2/3/25	2/28/25	18	23-26
8	3/3/25	3/28/25	20	27-30
9	3/31/25	5/2/25	19	31-34
10	5/5/25	5/29/25	18	35-38

<b>NEXT APPOINTMENT:</b>		<b>JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025</b>		
Reporting Period 1	August 12 (School Starts 8/13)	August 19	August 26	September 2 (9/2 Labor Day)
Subject	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4 (End of RP1 (9/6))
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE)  Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys- Student Book  Reader's Notebook (RN)	Lesson 1- TE Pages 186-187 Understanding Characters  Kids in Print (read aloud) TE page 378  The School Story (Anchor Text) Pages 20-31  Eleven Pages 36-40 RN Pages 1-2	Lesson 2- TE Pages 188-189 Author's Purpose/Genre: Poetry  The Assignment (read aloud) TE Page 378  Knots in My Yo-yo (Anchor Text) Pages 50-61  Sporty Poetry Pages 66-68 RN Pages 13-14	Lesson 3- TE pages 190-191 Sequence of Events/Genre: Informational Text  To Ebook or Not to Ebook (read aloud) TE page 379  The Making of a Book (Anchor Text) Pages 78-89  History of the Book Pages 94-96 RN pages 25-26	Lesson 4- TE pages 192-193 Story Structure/Genre: Science Friction and Informational Text  An Acorn's Worth (read aloud) TE page 379  The ACES Phone (Anchor Text) Pages 106-119  Silent Noise Pages 124-126 RN pages 37-38
(Optional) Novel	<u>Archimedes and the Door of Science</u>			
Keyboarding: typing.com or <a href="http://www.freetypinggame.net">www.freetypinggame.net</a>	Be able to: know home row; use left/right hand to press keys; use thumb for spacebar; hold shift key with "pinkie"; knows difference between shift key and caps lock; knows one space between words and two spaces after a period; develops speed			
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader		Physical Science Week 1 The Scientific Method	Physical Science Week 2 Properties of Matter	Physical Science Week 3 Changing Matter
<u>Social Studies</u> Student Studies Weekly Reader	Week 1 Planet Earth	Week 2 Studying the Earth	Week 3 Earliest Humans	Week 4 Human Communities
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	Visit the Kern County Museum Native American Exhibit and/or the Buena Vista Museum.			

<b>NEXT APPOINTMENT:</b>		<b>JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025</b>		
Reporting Period 2	September 9	September 16	September 23	September 30
Subject	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8 End of RP2 (10/4)
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE) Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys- Student Book Reader's Notebook (RN)	Lesson 5- TE pages 194-195 Fact and Opinion/Genre: Biography and Play Book, Camera...Action (read aloud) TE page 380 The Myers Family (Anchor Text) Pages 136-145 Sound Check Pages 150-152 RN pages 49-50	Performance Assessment Unit 1 Argumentative Essay Step 1 – Animal and Human Interactions TE pages 3-9 Step 1-Analyze the Model Pages 3-6 Step 2-Practice the Task Pages 9-16	Performance Assessment Unit 1 Argumentative Essay Animal and Human Interactions Step 3 – Perform the Task Pages 21-31	Lesson 6- TE Pages 196-197 Theme/Conclusions and Generalizations/Arg. The Power of Print (read aloud) TE page 380 The Boy Who Saved Baseball (Anchor Text) Pages 166-179 Persuading the Public Pages 184-186 RN Pages 61-62
(Optional) Novel	<u>Dateline: Troy</u>			
Keyboarding: typing.com or	Develop speed and accuracy Year end speed goal: 30 WPM Accuracy goal: 90%-100% 15-20 minutes daily practice			
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Physical Science Week 4 Force	Physical Science Week 5 Motion	Physical Science Week 6 Energy	Physical Science Week 7 Energy Transformation
<u>Social Studies</u> Student Studies Weekly Reader	Week 5 The Agricultural Evolution	Week 6 Historic Times Begin	Week 7 The Akkadian Empire	Week 8 Babylon and the Assyrian Empire
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	Mesopotamia Packet, KDM-Mosopotamia			

<b>NEXT APPOINTMENT:</b>		<b>JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025</b>		
Reporting Period 3	October 7	October 14	October 21	October 28
Subject	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12 End of RP3 (11/1)
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE)  Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys- Student Book   Reader's Notebook (RN)	Lesson 7-TE pages 198-199  Text and Graphic Features/Author's Purpose  Math All Around Us (read aloud) TE page 381  Do Not Enter (Anchor Text) Pages 196-205  The Know That is Not Pages 210-212 RN pages 73-74	Lesson 8- TE Pages 200-201  Generalizations/Genre: Realistic Fiction  The Family Fridge (read aloud) TE page 381  Science Fiction (Anchor Text) Pages 222-235  Growing Mold Pages 240-242 RN Pages 85-86	Lesson 9- TE pages 202-203  Cause and Effect/Theme  Finding North (read aloud) TE page 382  Kensuke's Kingdom (Anchor Text) Pages 252-263  Exploring Islands Pages 268-270 RN pages 97-98	Lesson 10- TE pages 204-205  Compare and Contrast/Genre: Poetry  Climate Change Comes to Alaska (read aloud) TE page 383  Children of the Midnight Sun (Anchor Text) Pages 280-291  Native American Poetry Pages 296-298 RN pages 109-110
(Optional) Novel	<u>Mar, Daughter of the Nile</u>			
Keyboarding: typing.com or	Speed and Accuracy goals:			
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Physical Science Week 8 Light and Sound	Physical Science Week 9 Machines	Physical Science Week 10 Engineering	Life Science Week 1 Classification
<u>Social Studies</u> Studies Weekly Reader	Week 9 People of Phoenicia	Week 10 Politics and Government for the Ages	Week 11 Ancient Egypt	Week 12 Egyptian Civilization
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	Egypt Packet, KDM-Egypt			

NEXT APPOINTMENT:		JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025		
Reporting Period 4	November 4	Nov 11 (11/11 Veterans' Day)	November 18	November 25- November 29
Subject	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15	Holiday End of RP4 (11/29)
Reading Unit 2  Reader's Notebook (RN)	Begin Reading <u>Freedom Walkers</u>  <b>** This is a separate book you need to get from your Resource Teacher**</b>	Continue Reading <u>Freedom Walkers</u>	Finish reading <u>Freedom Walkers</u>  Complete RN pages 121-143	H A N K S G I V I N G  B R E A K
(Optional) Novel	<u>The Golden Goblet</u> or <u>Number the Stars</u>			
Keyboarding: typing.com or	Speed and Accuracy goals: Accuracy 90%-100% Speed = 30wpm Practice 3-5 times a week for 15-20 minutes			
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Life Science Week 2 Cells, Tissue, Organs	Life Science Week 3 Genetics and Heredity	Science Fair: Get started on researching science topics of interest .	
<u>Social Studies</u> Studies Weekly Reader	Week 13 Pyramids	Week 14 The Kush Civilization	Week 15 End of RP4 (11/29) More African Kingdoms	
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	KDM-Pyramids, KDM-Earthquakes, Visit Children's Museum in San Luis Obispo and Morro Bay Museum of Natural History.			

NEXT APPOINTMENT:		JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025			
Reporting Period 5	December 2	December 9	Dec 16 (12/20 non student day)	December 23 - January 3	
Subject	Week 16	Week 17	Week 18	Holiday End of RP5 (1/3)	
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE)  Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys- Student Book  Readers Notebook (RN)	Lesson 11- TE Pages 206-207 Sequence of Events/ Understanding Characters/ Genre: Informational Text A Firefighting Uncle (read aloud) TE page 383  The Great Fire (Anchor Text) Pages 312-325  Fire: Friend or Enemy? Pages 330-334 RN Pages 145-146	Lesson 12- TE pages 208-209 Story Structure/ Sequence of Events  An Unexpected Adventure (read aloud) TE 384  Airborne (Anchor Text) Pages 344-359  Riding on Air Pages 364-366 RN pages 157-158	Lesson 13- TE Pages 210-211 Main Ideas and Details/ Genre: Biography  Discovering the Northwest Passage (read aloud) TE page 384  Onward: A Photo Biography of African American Polar Explorer (Anchor Text) Pages 376-387  The Pole! Pages 392-397 RN Page 169-170	WINTER BREAK	
Keyboarding: typing.com or	Speed & Accuracy goals: Accuracy 90%-100% Speed = 30wpm Practice 3-5 times a week for 15-20 minutes				
(Optional) Novel	<u>The Bronze Bow</u>				
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>					
<u>Science</u> Option to get started on Science Fair Project	Decide how to set up your experiment. <b>Write your research question and hypothesis.</b> Write the <b>materials</b> and <b>procedure</b> for your experiment. Read it to your family and make sure you have listed every step.	<b>Conduct the experiment and record data. Analyze your data. Include charts, graphs, tables, averages, etc. Remember to take photos or draw pictures to document your experiment if appropriate.</b>	<b>Write your conclusion. Was your hypothesis correct? Tell what factors may have influenced the outcome and what you would change next time. Write what you would do next time. Begin making your project board.</b>		
<u>Social Studies</u> Studies Weekly Reader	Week 16 Ancient Israelites	Week 17 Israelites on the Move	Week 18 Judaism Survives		
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	KDM-Volcanoes				

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Reporting Period 6	January 6	January 13	Jan 22 (1/22 ML King Jr. Day)	January 27
Subject	Week 19	Week 20	Week 21	Week 22 End of RP6 (1/31)
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE)  Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys Student Book  Readers Notebook (RN)	Lesson 14- TE Pages 212-213 Theme/Author's Purpose/Genre: Informational Text Coach Dad (read aloud) TE page 385  Any Small Goodness (Anchor Text) Pages 406-417  The Ball is in Their Court Pages 422-424 RN Page 181-182	Lesson 15- TE Pages 214-215 Text and Graphic Features Genre: Informational Text and Folktale Moon Machine (read aloud) TE page 386  Team Moon: How 400,000 People Landed Apollo 11 (Anchor Text) Pages 434-445  The Woman in the Moon Pages 450-452 RN Pages 193-194	Performance Assessment 3 Unit 3 Literary Analysis Viewpoint TE Pages 21-30  Step 1 – Analyze the Model Pages 68-72 Step 2 – Practice the Task Pages 75-84	Performance Assessment 3 Unit 3 Literary Analysis  Step 3 – Perform the Task Pages 89-105
(Optional) Novel	<u>Holes</u>			
Keyboarding: typing.com or Speed and Accuracy goals: Accuracy 90%-100% Speed = 30wpm Practice 3-5 times a week for 15-20 minutes				
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Life Science Week 4 Forensics		Life Science Week 5 Plants	Life Science Week 6 Animals
<u>Social Studies</u> Studies Weekly Reader	Week 19 The Persian Empire	Week 20 Ancient Greece	Week 21 Greek Civilization	Week 22 Greek Mythology
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	Ancient Greece Packet, KDM-Ancient Greece			



<b>NEXT APPOINTMENT:</b>		<b>JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025</b>		
Reporting Period 7	February 3	Feb 10 (2/10 Lincoln's birthday)	Feb 17 (2/17 Presidents' Day)	February 24
Subject	Week 23	Week 24	Week 25	Week 26 End of RP7 (2/28)
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE)  Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys- Student Book  Readers Notebook (RN)	Lesson 16- TE Pages 216-217 Compare and Contrast/Genre: Poetry Viking Goddess: (read aloud) TE Page 386  The Real Vikings: Craftsmen, Traders, and Fearsome Raider (Anchor Text) Pages 466-475  Poems That Boast Pages 480-482 RN Pages 205-206	Lesson 17- TE Pages 218-219 Fact and Opinion/Genre: Informational Text/Main Idea and Details Quin's Brain: The Man Behind the Emperor (read aloud) TE Page 387  The Emperor's Silent Army (Anchor Text) Pages 492-505  Ancient China: Visual Arts Pages 510-12 RN Pages 217-218	Lesson 18- TE Pages 220-221 Story Structure/Genre: Myth/Newspaper Article The Flight of Icarus (read aloud) TE Page 387  The Hero and the Minotaur (Anchor Text) Pages 522-535  The Ancient New Pages 540-542 RN Pages 229-230	Lesson 19- TE Pages 222-223 Cause and Effect/Text and Graphic Features The Scribes of Ancient Egypt (read aloud) TE Page 388  The Princess Who Became a King (Anchor Text) Pages 552-565  Kush Pages 570-572 RN Pages 241-242
(Optional) Novel	<u>Summer of the Monkeys</u> or <u>Between the Dragon and the Eagle</u>			
Keyboarding: typing.com or	Speed and Accuracy goals: Accuracy 90%-100% Speed = 30wpm Practice 3-5 times a week for 15-20 minutes			
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Life Science Week 7 Adaption	Life Science Week 8 Ecology		
<u>Social Studies</u> Studies Weekly Reader	Week 23 Alexander the Great	Week 24 Ancient India	Week 25 Indian Civilization	Week 26 Ancient China
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	India Packet, China Packet, KDM-China			

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Reporting Period 8	March 3	March 10	March 17	March 24
Subject	Week 27	Week 28	Week 29	Week 30 End of RP8 (3/28)
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE)  Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys- Student Textbook  Readers Notebook (RN)	Begin Reading <u>A Wrinkle in Time</u> Lesson 20- TE Pages 224-225 Main Idea and Details/Genre: Informational Text Vesuvius: Tales from the Eye Witness (read aloud) TE Page 388 Bodies from the Ash: Life and Death in Ancient Pompeii (Anchor Text) Pages 582-593 Since Vesuvius Pages 598-600 RN Pages 253-254	Continue Reading <u>A Wrinkle in Time</u> ** This is a separate book you need to get from your Resource Teacher** Performance Assessment 4 Unit 4 Mixed Practice on Your Own TE Pages 31-38 Task 1: Argumentative Essay Pages 109-119 Task 2: Informative Essay Pages 121-135	Performance Assessment 4 Unit 4 Mixed Practice on Your Own Task 3 – Literary Analysis Pages 137-145	Finish Reading <u>A Wrinkle in Time</u> Complete RN Pages 265-286
Optional Novel	<u>The Last Mapmaker</u> and/or <u>Echo</u>			
Keyboarding: typing.com or	Speed and Accuracy goals: Accuracy 90%-100% Speed = 30wpm Practice 3-5 times a week for 15-20 minutes			
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Earth-Space Science Week 1 Our Planet	Earth-Space Science Week 2 Shaping the Earth	Earth-Space Science Week 3 Natural Disasters	
<u>Social Studies</u> Studies Weekly Reader	Week 27 Chinese Civilian	Week 28 Ancient Rome	Week 29 The Golden Age of Rome	Week 30 The Roman Empire
Supplemental Activities, Packets. and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	Ancient Rome Packet, KDM-Ancient Rome, KDM-Roman Empire Choose a topic from the Social Studies grid and create a project to display at the end-of-year student showcase.			

<b>NEXT APPOINTMENT:</b>		<b>JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025</b>	<b>Spring Break Holiday April 14-18</b>	
Reporting Period 9	March 31	April 7	April 21 (4/21 non school day)	April 28
<b>Subject</b>	<b>Week 31</b>	<b>Week 32</b>	<b>Week 33</b>	<b>Week 34 End of RP 9 (5/02)</b>
<u>Reading</u> Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE)	Lesson 21- TE Pages 226-227 Compare and Contrast/ Characters/Sequence of Events  Ninth-Grade Rules (read aloud) TE Page 389	Lesson 22- TE Pages 228-229 Conclusions and Generalizations/Sequence of Events Flying Through Time (read aloud) TE Page 390	Lesson 23- TE Pages 230-231 Genre: Historical Fiction/Cause and Effect/Fact and Opinion  Denmark: A Nation of Heroes (read aloud) TE age 390	Lesson 24- TE Pages 232-233 Author's Purpose/Genre: Poetry An Important March (read aloud) TE Page 391
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Journeys- Student Book	All Alone in the Universe (Anchor Text) Pages 614-629	First to Fly: How Wilbur and Orville Wright Invented the Airplane Pages 642-655	Number the Stars (Anchor Text) Pages 688-690	Harriet Tubman: Conductor on the Underground Railroad (Anchor Text) Pages 700-715
Readers Notebook (RN)	DNA Detectives Pages 630-632 RN Pages 289-290	Young Pilot Sets Record Pages 660-662 RN Pages 301-302	Book Review: Number the Stars Pages 688-690 RN Pages 313-314	Home of the Brave Pages 720-722 RN Pages 325-326
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Earth-Space Science Week 4 Global Climate	Earth-Space Science Week 5 Resources	Earth-Space Science Week 6 Water	Earth-Space Science Week 7 Stars, Planets, Galaxies
<u>Social Studies</u> Studies Weekly Reader	Week 31 The Rise of Christianity	Week 32 Byzantine Empire	Week 33 Roman Contributions	Week 34 End of RP 9 (5/3) Mesoamerican Civilizations
Teacher Resource				
Keyboarding: typing.com	Speed and Accuracy goals: Accuracy 90%-100% Speed = 30wpm Practice 3-5 times a week for 15-20 minutes			
Optional Novel	<u>Hatchet</u> or <u>Tuck Everlasting</u>			
<b>Freckle 20 minutes 3 days per week</b>				
Supplemental Activities, Packets and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)	Choose a topic from the Social Studies grid and create a project to display at the end-of-year student showcase.			

<b>NEXT APPOINTMENT:</b>		<b>JHA 6th Grade 2024-2025</b>		
Reporting Period 10	May 5	May 12	May 19	May 26 (5/26 Memorial Day)
<b>Subject</b>	<b>Week 35</b>	<b>Week 36</b>	<b>Week 37</b>	<b>Week 38 End of RP10 (5/29)</b>
<u>Reading</u>	Lesson 25- TE Pages 234-235 Sequence of Events/Genre: Poetry/Genre: Play Robo Dream (read aloud) Page 392	Lesson 26- TE Pages 236-237 Main Ideas and Details/Genre: Folktale/Genre: Poetry Space Trash Pages 4-9	Lesson 27- TE Pages 238-239 Conclusions and Generalizations/ Summarize/ Genre: Poetry Denali Dog Sled Journal Pages 18-25	Lesson 28- TE Pages 240-241 Understanding Characters/ Compare and Contrast/Genre: Poetry Vanishing Act Pages 34-41
Literacy and Language Teacher Edition (TE) Reading Adventures (RA)	Robotics Pages 732-745  Dr. Sneed's Best Friend Pages 750-752 RN Pages 337-338	How the Milky Way Came to Be: A Cherokee Tale Pages 10-11  RA: Moon Pages 12-13 RN Pages 349-350	A Harsh Land of Beauty Pages 26-27  RA: "12 Below" and "Desert Day" Pages 28-29 RN Pages 361-362	The Smart Swarm Pages 42-43  RA: "Bee, I'm Expecting You" and "Straight Talk" Pages 44-45 RN Pages 371-372
	<b>CAASPP Testing</b>			
Freckle 20 minutes daily				
Keyboarding: typing.com or	Speed and Accuracy goals: Accuracy 90%-100% Speed = 30wpm Practice 3-5 times a week for 15-20 minutes			
Optional Novels	<u>The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe</u>			
<u>Science</u> Science Weekly Reader	Earth-Space Science Week 8 Planets	Earth-Space Science Week 9 Earth, Sun and Moon	Earth-Space Science Week 10 Space Exploration	
<u>Social Studies</u> Student Weekly Reader	Week 35 Andean Civilization	Week 36 Let's Review		
Supplemental Activities, Packets, and Kids Discover Magazine (KDM)				