

2014-2015 Kingston High School

School Improvement Themes of the Month

Month	Literacy	Math	Character
September	<i>Great Short Answers (Step Up to Writing: Teacher's Guide, Secondary Level p. 52)</i>	<i>Calculate Average of a List of Numbers</i>	<i>Responsibility</i>
October	<i>Responding and Marking Text 2 Column Notes (p. 13, 23, 36, 61)</i>	<i>Conversion of Units</i>	<i>Going Above and Beyond</i>
November	<i>Citation of Sources (MLA, APA) (p. 251, 371)</i>	<i>Fractions & Percentages</i>	<i>Leadership</i>
December	<i>IVF topic sentence and summary (p. 41)</i>	<i>Recognizing Relationships and Trends</i>	<i>Showing Compassion</i>
January	<i>Vocabulary Concept Map (p. 79)</i>	<i>Mathematical Vocabulary</i>	<i>Staying Focused</i>
February	<i>Using technology to compose/revise/edit writing (p. 296)</i>	<i>Extrapolating Data</i>	<i>Showing Respect</i>
March	<i>Take a stand (thesis) (p. 108, 166)</i>	<i>Reading a Bar, Double Bar, Line or Pie Graph from a Set of Data</i>	<i>Having Honor & Trust</i>
April	<i>Provide details to support a stand (p. 192, 371)</i>	<i>Making a Bar, Double Bar, Line or Pie Graph from a Set of Data</i>	<i>Having a Great Attitude</i>
May/June	<i>Comparing/Contrasting Concepts (p. 373, 139)</i>	<i>Math Word Problems</i>	<i>Be a Great Listener</i>

Always...

*Use the CUPS method (writing; p. 424)

*Practice simple arithmetic/mental math/ times tables (no calculators)

*Read and Discuss as much as possible