Preschool Unit Framework Oral Language

Big Idea	Estimated Time Frame
Pre-Reading	1 school year

Skills

Oral Language

Essential Question(s)

Can you show others what you need?

Can you tell others what you need?

Can you share information with others?

Literacy Practices: Preschool connection to Kindergarten Practices

- 1. Utilize receptive and expressive language arts to better understand self, others, and the world.
- 2. Collaborate with others to create new meaning.
- 3. Demonstrate appropriate use of speaking and writing.
- 4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown words.

KECS L/ELS 2: Demonstrates the knowledge, skills, and strategies needed for expressive communication.	Samples of Learning Intention	Samples of Success Criteria
B 2.1: Uses non-verbal communication for a variety of purposes.	I am learning to use gestures and/or movements to initiate interactions or to get needs met.	Students will use non-verbal communication to convey emotions. Students will point, touch, or gesture to get needs met.
B 2.2: Uses language (verbal, signed, symbolic) for a variety of purposes.	I am learning to use words, signs, pictures, and/or symbols to communicate.	Students will initiate communication to have needs met. Students will respond appropriately in conversations and discussions with peers and adults.

		Students will ask many types of questions.
B 2.3: Communicates with increasing clarity and use of conventional grammar.	I am learning to use multiple sentences together with correct grammar.	Students will use simple sentences to express themself.
		Students will speak clearly enough to be understood by familiar people.