

Carden West School

Kindergarten Program Language Arts

Kindergarten at Carden West utilizes repetition, rhythm, pace and imagery to drive and achieve student success.

Carden West's language arts program is a comprehensive curriculum designed with the philosophy of phonemic awareness, whole language, and individualized instruction.

Mae Carden designed a whimsical introduction to the alphabet through "play names" and stories followed by blends and whole words. The kindergarten team enriches and extends this program through a variety of learning modalities (journaling, literacy centers, reading groups, art and song).