Liberty Education — Standards Crosswalk

Preschool curriculum, ages 3–6 · Mastery Series: Nursery · Preschool · Kindergarten

Primary benchmark: California Preschool Learning Foundations (Vols 1–3)
Secondary: EYFS (England, 2024) · NEL Framework (Singapore, 2022)
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Liberty target area	Where it sits in our books	California Preschool Learning Foundations	EYFS — area of learning	NEL (Singapore) — learning area
01 Early Literacy	Phonics titles, Nursery → Kindergarten; letter/sound lessons, word families	**Language and Literacy** — reading, writing, phonological awareness	**Literacy** (specific area); supported by Communication and Language	**Language and Literacy**
02 Early Numeracy	Mathematics titles, all three levels; number, counting, shape, measure	**Mathematics** — number sense, geometry, measurement, mathematical reasoning	**Mathematics** (specific area)	**Numeracy**
03 Creativity & Arts	Cross-title art and making activities; open-ended expression	**Visual and Performing Arts** (Vol 2) — art, music, drama, dance	**Expressive Arts and Design** (specific area)	**Aesthetics and Creative Expression**
04 Social & Emotional Development	Circle routines, turn-taking, feelings vocabulary across every level	**Social-Emotional Development** (Vol 1) — self-awareness, regulation, empathy, relationships	**Personal, Social and Emotional Development** (prime area)	**Social and Emotional Development**
05 Physical Development	Fine-motor practice in every lesson; movement and outdoor activities	**Physical Development** (Vol 2) — gross and fine motor, health and safety	**Physical Development** (prime area)	**Motor Skills Development**
06 Cognitive Skills	Sequencing, sorting, memory and attention tasks embedded throughout	Cross-domain: **Mathematics** reasoning, **Language** comprehension, **Science** inquiry	Cross-cutting; delivered through all seven areas	Cross-cutting; **Learning Dispositions** (curiosity, persistence, reflection)
07 STEAM	Integrated projects; design-and-make tasks in Preschool and Kindergarten	**Science** (Vol 3) + **Mathematics** + **Visual and Performing Arts**, integrated	**Understanding the World** + **Expressive Arts and Design**, integrated	**Discovery of the World** + **Aesthetics and Creative Expression**, integrated
08 Communication & Language Arts	Listening, speaking, vocabulary and storytelling in every unit	**Language and Literacy** — listening and speaking; **English-Language Development** for multilingual learners	**Communication and Language** (prime area)	**Language and Literacy**
09 Sensory Development	Sensory-rich activity prompts; texture, sound and movement play	Cross-domain; typically addressed through **Physical Development** and **Visual and Performing Arts**	Cross-cutting; **Physical Development** and **Expressive Arts and Design**	**Motor Skills Development** and **Aesthetics and Creative Expression**
10 Adaptive Learning	Layered tasks: core activity plus support and extension in each Teacher Guide	**Foundations are written as age-level expectations, explicitly not rigid**; differentiated by design	Inclusion duties under the EYFS framework; each child's unique needs planned for	Differentiated teaching expected across all learning areas
11 Problem Solving	Open-ended challenges; "what would happen if" prompts in math and science units	**Mathematics** — mathematical reasoning; **Science** — inquiry and investigation	**Mathematics** and **Understanding the World** (problem-solving, cause and effect)	**Numeracy** and **Discovery of the World**; Learning Dispositions
12 Critical Thinking	Compare, classify and explain tasks; teacher questioning prompts in every guide	**Mathematics** reasoning and **Science** inquiry; **Language** comprehension	Cross-cutting — **Understanding the World**, **Communication and Language**	**Discovery of the World**; Learning Dispositions (reflection)
13 Science	Nature, weather, living things and simple physical science across levels	**Science** (Vol 3) — scientific inquiry, physical, life and earth sciences	**Understanding the World** (specific area)	**Discovery of the World**
14 Music & Movement	Songs, rhythm and action rhymes built into phonics and transition routines	**Visual and Performing Arts** (Vol 2) — music and dance strands	**Expressive Arts and Design**; **Physical Development**	**Aesthetics and Creative Expression**; **Motor Skills Development**
15 Practical Problem Solving	Everyday tasks: sorting materials, measuring, building, fixing, following steps	**Mathematics** measurement and geometry; **Science** inquiry; **Physical Development** fine motor	**Mathematics** and **Understanding the World** in real contexts	**Numeracy** and **Discovery of the World** applied to daily life
16 Life Skills	Routines, self-care, cooperation and classroom responsibility	**Social-Emotional Development** and **Health** (Vol 2); **History-Social Science** (Vol 3)	**Personal, Social and Emotional Development**; **Understanding the World**	**Social and Emotional Development**; Learning Dispositions

How to read this. Primary benchmark is the California Preschool Learning Foundations, the framework our scope and sequence is built on. EYFS and NEL columns show where each Liberty target area lands in those frameworks — domain-level alignment, not a lesson-by-lesson audit.

Framework sources: CDE Preschool Learning Foundations Vols 1–3 · DfE EYFS statutory framework 2024 · MOE Singapore NEL Framework 2022