**Preschool Language Arts ELOs for each Trimester**

**1st Trimester**

ELO #1: Sits and listens to a story using eyes contact for the majority of story time for 2 minutes

ELO #2: To know what a book is and treat it kindly.

ELO# 2: Book awareness: understands there is a front and back.

ELO# 3: Name and recognize the first letter in their name

ELO# 4: Begin to draw a picture with some detail to represent a story or event be able to start to explain these thoughts

ELO# 5: Describing yourself

ELO# 6: Responding to questions

ELO# 7: Recites 4 syllables in a sentence.

ELO# 8: Verbally expresses needs, feelings, and thoughts.

ELO# 9: Writes letter like shapes to represent ideas

ELO #9 Has an appropriate pencil grip

ELO# 10: Identify 5 pictures of common objects.

ELO #12: Begin to discriminate sounds .

**2nd Trimester**

ELO #1: Sits and listens to a story using eyes contact for the majority of story time for 5 minutes

ELO #2: Able to hold a book and go page by page from the front.

ELO# 2 : Book Awareness: Understands author and title.

ELO# 3: Name the letters in their name (up to 5 letters total)

ELO# 4: Draw a picture with some detail to represent a story or event be to start to explain these thoughts

ELO# 5: Describing family and friends

ELO# 6: Responding to questions appropriately

ELO# 7: Recites 6 syllables in a sentence.

ELO# 8: Verbally expresses needs, feelings and thoughts.

ELO# 9: Write first letter in name

ELO# 10: Identify 15 pictures of common objects.

ELO# 11: Understand that words have meaning.

ELO# 12: Label 4 letter sounds.

ELO #12: Identify 4 sets of alliteration words. (Beginning sounds)

ELO# 13: Identify 5 sets of rhyming words.

**3rd Trimester**

ELO #1: Sits, listens, and contributes to a story using eyes contact for the majority of story time for 10 minutes

ELO #2: Appropriately enjoy a book.

ELO# 2: Book knowledge: predict what will happen throughout a story.

ELO# 3: Name 14 upper or lower case letters including the letters in their name

ELO# 4: Draw a detailed picture to represent a story or event and be able to explain these thoughts

ELO# 5: Describe people, places, and events that are a part of your everyday life

ELO# 6: Responding to open-ended questions

ELO #6: Know what it means to ask a question.

ELO #6: Maintains a conversation with atleast 5 exchanges.

ELO# 7: Recites 8 syllables in a sentence.

ELO #7: Repeats and segments words into parts/claps.

ELO# 8: Verbally expresses needs, feelings, and thoughts.

ELO# 9: Writes first name in Upper Case

ELO# 10: Identify 26 pictures of common objects.

ELO# 11: Understand that words have meaning.

ELO# 12: Identify 8 sets of alliteration words. (Beginning sounds)

ELO #12: Label 8 letter sounds.

ELO# 13: Identify 12 sets of rhyming words.