

## GRADE 1 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

The Milton Public Schools offers two programs beginning in Grade 1, English Innovation Pathway or French Immersion. The curriculum for both programs is based on the Massachusetts Curriculum Frameworks and the Milton Public School Curriculum. In addition the French Immersion program is also guided by the National Standards for Foreign Languages.

Students in the English Innovation Pathway are taught all content and skills in English. These students also receive one period per week of Spanish instruction and receive STEM instruction through the STEM Innovation Challenge program. The goal of the English Innovation Pathway is to teach the fundamental skills needed for success in all disciplines, while providing an enhanced STEM program in grades 1-5.

Students in grade one French Immersion receive instruction entirely in French for Language Arts, Math, Science, and Social Studies. The goal of the French Immersion program is to teach the fundamental skill needed for success in all disciplines, while developing proficiency in oral and written French. French is taught through curriculum instruction instead of being taught as a separate subject.

Art, Music and Physical Education are taught in English for students in both programs.

*Click on the links below for specific subject information*

English Innovation Pathway	French Immersion
<a href="#"><u>Reading/ Language Arts</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Reading/ Language Arts</u></a> <i>Instruction in French</i>
<a href="#"><u>Mathematics</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Mathematics</u></a> <i>Instruction in French</i>
<a href="#"><u>Science</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Science</u></a> <i>Instruction in French</i>
<a href="#"><u>Social Studies</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Social Studies</u></a> <i>Instruction in French</i>
<a href="#"><u>Spanish Language &amp; Cultures</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>French Language &amp; Francophone Cultures</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>STEM Challenge</u></a> <a href="#"><u>(Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics)</u></a>	
<a href="#"><u>Music Technology Library Visual Arts CHORR</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Physical Education/Health</u></a> <i>Instruction in English</i>	