



Willow Charter Academy provides 165 minutes of daily literacy instruction using Heggerty Phonemic Awareness, the CKLA curriculum, and Lexia Core 5. Our high-quality early literacy instruction includes systematic and explicit teaching of phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension, along with daily opportunities for students to practice reading, writing, listening, and speaking.

Students who score below or well below grade level on the mClass DIBELS 8 screener receive an additional 30 minutes of Reading Mastery intervention each day to strengthen foundational skills and accelerate growth. Teachers in grades K–3 participate annually in professional development on the science of reading to ensure they are equipped with research-based strategies to support all learners.