

Essential Standards & Pacing Guide

ELA * Grade 7th Grade

As you are developing this document, please refer to Tina’s “Must-Do” activities. Also, please work to find the activities within the Units that target the Essential Standards. Thank you very much for your hard work! *You will be helping teachers across the district!

	Essential Standards	Unit/Activities	Suggested Formative Assessment(s)
Week 1	W2B,W2d, WL1	Procedures and Routines-PBIS/Assessment/Writing	Letter to Teacher
Week 2	W2d,WL1,W 6,W4,WL6	Procedures and Routines-Learn how to navigate the computer, and produce written work, PBIS(Vocab)	Reading Plus, NWEA, Compass Learning
Week 3	RI2, RL4, RI4,RL5,W3	Collection 2-Week 1: Vocabulary intro, Channel 1, Stream to Start, Journal Prompt, Level Up Powerpoint(Figurative Language)	Journal Prompt-Share
Week 4	RL5,RL4,RI4, RL7.1,RL7.3, PI.7.6a, L6	Collection 2-Week 2: Anchor Text, Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyze Story Elements, Critical Vocabulary	Quiz on Figurative Language(Google Forms)
Week 5	RL1, RI1,W2,RI4, RL4, R1, WL3, W3	Collection 2 Week 3: Close Reader, Short Response, Close Reader Application and Summary,	Summary Paragraph

Week 6	RL5,RL4,RI4, RL7.1,RL7.3, PI.7.6a,RI6,	Collection 2 Week 4: Secondary Text(Magic and The Brain), Anchor Text, Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyze Story Elements, Critical Vocabulary, Level Up Tutorial, Informational Text	Google Forms Quiz Informational Text
Week 7	RL1, RI1, W2, RI4, RL4, R1, WL3, W1	Collection 2 Week 5: Close Reader, Short Response, Close Reader Application, and Argument	Argumentative Paragraph
Week 8	RL7.1-RL7.1 0, W7.2, W7.4, L7.4a, L7.6, PI7.1, PI7.5	Collection 2 Week 6: Anchor Text, Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyze Story Elements, Critical Vocabulary	Graphic Organizer
Week 9	W3a-e, W4, W6,	Collection 2 Week 7: Writing Narrative	Performance Task(Narrative)
Week 10	RL1, RI1, W2, RI4, RL4, R1, WL3, W1	Collection 2 Week 8: Close Reader, Short Response, Close Reader Application, and Argument	Compare/Contrast Paragraph
Week 11	RI2, RL4, RI4,RL5,W3	Collection 1 Week 1: Vocabulary intro, Channel 1, Stream to Start, Journal Prompt, Level Up Powerpoint(Figurative Language)	Journal Prompt-Share
Week 12	RL5,RL4,RI4, RL7.1,RL7.3,	Collection 1 Week 2: Anchor Text, Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyze Story Elements(Setting), Critical	Google Forms Quiz-Settings

Week 12 Continued	RL 3, RL7.4b,RL7.10, PI.7.6a, PI7.1 PI 7.3, PI7.4	Vocabulary, Level Up Tutorial,	
Week 13	RL1, RI1,W2, RI4, RL4, R1, WL3, W1	Collection 1 Week 3: Close Reader, Short Response, Close Reader Application and Cite Text Evidence,	Argumentative Paragraph
Week 14	RL5,RL4,RI4, RL7.1,RL7.3, PI.7.6a-b,,RI 6, RI7.1-3, RI7.5-6, RI7.8-9,W7.4 , SL7.2, L7.6, PI7.1-2	Collection 1 Week 4: Secondary Text(Covering Issues in the News), Anchor Text, Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyze Story Elements, Critical Vocabulary, Level Up Tutorial, Informational Text	Graphic Organizer
Week 15	RI1, RI1, W2, RI4, RL4, R1, WL3, W1	Collection 1 Week 5: Close Reader, Short Response, Close Reader Application, and Argument	Argumentative Paragraph with text evidence
Week 16	W1a-e, W4, W5, W6,	Collection 1 Week 6: Writing Argumentative Essay	Performance Task-Argumentative Essay
Week 17		Continue with Writing Argumentative Essay	Performance Task-Argumentative Essay
Week 18	RI2, RL4, RI4,RL5,W3,	Collection 3 Week 1: Vocabulary intro, Channel 1, Stream to Start, Journal Prompt, Level Up Powerpoint-Context	Journal Prompt-

	L4a, L4b,	Clues/Multiple Meaning Words	
Week 19	RI7.1-5, RI7.10, L7.5a, L7.6, PI7.1,, PI7.6a	Collection 3 Week 2: Anchor Text (from Mississippi Solo), Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyze Story Elements, Critical Vocabulary	IAB (Figurative Language) Or Google Forms Quiz (Context Clues/Multiple Meaning Words)
Week 20	W2, L2, L3,RL1, RI1,W2, RI4, RL4, R1, WL3, W1	Collection 3 Week 3: Close Reader (Polar Dream), Short Response, Close Reader Application and Cite Text Evidence, Analyze text and Word Choices.	Expository Paragraph on Word Choice
Week 21	RL7.1, RL7.2, RL7.4, RL7.5, PI7.1, PI7.6a	Collection 3 Week 4: Anchor Text(Ode to Enchanted Light/Sleeping in the forest), Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyze Story Elements, Critical Vocabulary, Level Up Tutorial(Analyzing Poetry)	Google Forms-Analyzing Poetry
Week 22	RI1, RI1, W2, RI4, RL4, R1, WL3	Collection 3 Week 5: Close Reader(Poems about Nature), Short Response, Close Reader Application, and Compare/Contrast	Compare/Contrast paragraph
Week 23	W2a-f, L2, L3	Collection 3 Week 6: Writing Literary Analysis/Poetry	Performance Assessment/Poetry Analysis
Week 24	RI2, RI4, RI8,RI10, SL3,	Collection 4 Week 1: Vocabulary intro, Channel 1, Stream to Start, Journal Prompt, Level Up Powerpoint-Analyzing an Argument	Journal Prompt

Week 25	RI7.1, RI7.4-7.8, RI7.10, SL7.1, SL7.3, PI7.1-3	Collection 4 Week 2: Anchor Text (Remarks..), Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Analyzing an Argument, Critical Vocabulary	Graphic Organizer(Analyzing the Argument)
Week 26	RI7.1, RI7.4-7.8, RI7.10, SL7.1, SL7.3, PI7.1-3, W1	Collection 4 Week 3: Close Reader (Is Space Exploration..), Short Response, Close Reader Application and Cite Text Evidence, and with argument	Short Response
Week 27	RI7.1-2, RI 7.4-5, RI7.8, SL7.1, SL7.3, PI7.2, PI7.3	Collection 4 Week 4: Secondary Text(Why Exploring the Ocean...), Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast Elements of an Argument, Critical Vocabulary, Level Up Tutorial, Tone	Google Forms Quiz-Tone
Week 28	RI1, W2a, RI4, RL4, R1, WL3, L1, L2	Collection 4 Week 5: Close Reader(Stinging Tentacles),Level Up Cause and Effect Organization, Short Response, Close Reader Application, and Cause and Effect Summary	Cause and Effect Paragraph OR Graphic Organizer
Week 29	W7.1a-e, W7.7-8, W7.10, SL7.4, SL7.4a, SL7.5, SL7.6, PI7.4, PI 7.9, PI 7.11-12, PII7.1-2	Collection 4 Week 6 Performance Task-Speech	Performance Assessment/ Argumentative Speech Topic Validity of Space or Ocean Exploration

Week 30	RI7.1-5, L7.3a, L7.4a, L7.6, PI7.1-2, PI7.5, PI7.a-c	Collection 5 Week 1: Vocabulary intro, Channel 1, Stream to Start, Journal Prompt, Level Up Powerpoint-Reading for details or Text Structure	Journal Prompt
Week 31	RI7.1-5, L7.3a, L7.4a, L7.6, PI 7.1-2, PI7.5	Collections 5 Week 2: Anchor Text (From Life at Home.), Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Reading for Details, Critical Vocabulary	Graphic Organizer-Organizing text
Week 32	RI7.1-5, L7.3a, L7.4a, L7.6, PI 7.1-2, PI7.5, W2,	Collections 5 Week 3: Close Reader (Teenagers and New Tech.), Short Response, Close Reader Application and Cite Text Evidence,	Expository Paragraph with text evidence
Week 33	RI7.1-2, RI7.4-5, RI7.8, PI 7.1-3	Collections 5 Week 4: Secondary Text(Always Wanting More.), Text in Focus, Close Read Screencast, Critical Vocabulary, Level Up Tutorial-Inferences	Google Forms Quiz-Inferences
Week 34	RI7.1-2, RI7.4-5, RI7.8, PI 7.1-3, W2	Collections 5 Week 5: Close Reader(Labels and Illusions), Short Response, Close Reader Application, and Inferences Summary	Informative paragraph Central Idea
Week 35			
Week 36			
Week 37			

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