Academic Standards for English Language Arts*

Grades 6 - 12 April 20, 2012



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*Note: Draft version of the PA Common Core Standards, pending approval by the State Board.

INTRODUCTION

These standards describe what students should know and be able to do with the English language, pre-kindergarten through grade 12. The standards provide the targets for instruction and student learning essential for success in all academic areas, not just language arts classrooms. Although the **standards are not a curriculum** or a prescribed series of activities, school entities will use them to develop a local school curriculum that will meet local students' needs.

Five standard categories are designed to provide a Pre K - 12 continuum to reflect the demands of a college and career ready graduate:

Standard 1:	Foundational Skills begin at Pre Kindergarten and focus on early childhood, with some standards reflected through Grade
	5. These foundational skills are a necessary and important component of an effective, comprehensive reading program
	designed to develop proficient readers with the capacity to comprehend text - both literary and informational across
	disciplines.

- Standard 2: Reading Informational Text enables students to read, understand, and respond to informational text.
- Standard 3: Reading Literature enables students to read, understand, and respond to works of literature.
- Standard 4: <u>Writing</u> develops the skills of informational, argumentative, and narrative writing as well as the ability to engage in evidence-based analysis of text and research.
- Standard 5: Speaking and Listening focuses students on communication skills that enable critical listening and effective presentation of ideas.

With a focus on college and career readiness, the instructional shifts as reflected in Common Core are evident throughout the PA Common Core Standards:

- Balancing the reading of informational and literary texts so that students can access non-fiction and authentic texts as well as literature
- Focusing on close and careful reading of text so that students are learning from the text
- Building a staircase of complexity (i.e., each grade level requires a "step" of growth on the "staircase") so that students graduate college or career ready
- Supporting writing from sources (i.e., using evidence from text to inform or make an argument) so that students use evidence and respond to the ideas, events, facts, and arguments presented in the texts they read.
- Stressing an academically focused vocabulary so that students can access more complex texts

The English Language Arts Standards also provide parents and community members with information about what students should know and be able to do as they progress through the educational program and at graduation. With a clearly defined target provided by the standards, parents, students, educators and community members become partners in learning. Each standard implies an end of year goal – with the understanding that exceeding the standard is an even more desirable end goal.

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Foundational Skills (Pre K - 5)Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, the alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions. These foundational skills are not an

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Key Ideas and Details Main Idea	CC.1.2.6.A Determine two or more main or central ideas of a text and how they are conveyed through particular details; provide a summary of the text distinct from personal opinions or judgments.	CC.1.2.7.A Determine two or more central ideas in a text and analyze their development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.	CC.1.2.8.A Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to supporting ideas; provide an objective summary of the text.	CC.1.2.9-10.A Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.	CC.1.2.11-12.A Determine and analyze the relationship between two or more central ideas of a text, including the development and interaction of the central ideas; provide an objective summary of the text.
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Key Ideas and Details Text Analysis	CC.1.2.6.B Cite textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences and/or generalizations drawn from the text.	CC.1.2.7.B Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences, conclusions, and/or generalizations drawn from the text.	CC.1.2.8.B Cite the textual evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences, conclusions, and/or generalizations drawn from the text.	CC.1.2.9-10.B Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences and conclusions based on an author's explicit assumptions and beliefs about a subject. L.N.1.1.2	CC.1.2.11-12.B Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences and conclusions based on and related to an author's implicit and explicit assumptions and beliefs.
	E06.B-K.1.1.1	E07.B-K.1.1.1	E08.B-K.1.1.1	L.N.1.3.1 L.N.2.1.1 L.N.2.1.2	

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Key Ideas and Details Text Analysis	CC.1.2.6.C Analyze in detail how a key individual, event, or idea is introduced, illustrated, and elaborated in a text. E06.B-K.1.1.3	CC.1.2.7.C Analyze the interactions between individuals, events, and ideas in a text.	CC.1.2.8.C Analyze how a text makes connections among and distinctions between individuals, ideas, or events.	CC.1.2.9-10.C Apply appropriate strategies to analyze, interpret, and evaluate how an author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them. L.N.1.1.3 L.N.1.3.3 L.N.2.3.3 L.N.2.3.5 L.N.2.2.4.1 L.N.2.2.4.2 L.N.2.2.4.3	CC.1.2.11-12.C Analyze the interaction and development of a complex set of ideas, sequence of events, or specific individuals over the course of the text.
Craft and Structure Point of View	CC.1.2.6.D Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and explain how it is conveyed in the text. E06.B-C.2.1.1	CC.1.2.7.D Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author distinguishes his or her position from that of others. E07.B-C.2.1.1	CC.1.2.8.D Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author acknowledges and responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints. E08.B-C.2.1.1	CC.1.2.9-10.D Determine an author's particular point of view and analyze how rhetoric advances the point of view. L.N.2.3.6	CC.1.2.11-12.D Evaluate how an author's point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.

1.2 Reading Informational Text

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	CC.1.2.6.E	CC.1.2.7.E	CC.1.2.8.E	CC.1.2.9-10.E	CC.1.2.11-12.E
	Analyze the author's structure	Analyze the structure of the text	Analyze the structure of the text	Analyze in detail how an author's	Analyze and evaluate the
	through the use of paragraphs,	through evaluation of the	through evaluation of the	ideas or claims are developed	effectiveness of the structure
	chapters, or sections.	author's use of graphics, charts.	author's use of specific	and refined by particular	an author uses in his or her
و و		and the major sections of the	sentences and paragraphs to	sentences, paragraphs, or larger	exposition or argument,
tun		text.	develop and refine a concept.	portions of a text.	including whether the
ru ctu					structure makes points clear,
l St tru					convincing, and engaging.
Craft and Structure Text Structure				L N 1 1 2	
offt a				L.N.1.1.3	
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				L.N.2.4.1 L.N.2.4.2	
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	E06.B-C.2.1.2	E07.B-C.2.1.2	E08.B-C.2.1.2	L.N.2.4.5	
	CC.1.2.6.F	CC.1.2.7.F	CC.1.2.8.F	CC.1.2.9-10.F	CC.1.2.11-12.F
	Determine the meaning of	Determine the meaning of	Analyze the influence of the	Analyze how words and phrases	Evaluate how words and
	words and phrases as they are	words and phrases as they are	words and phrases in a text	shape meaning and tone in texts.	phrases shape meaning and
	used in grade level reading and	used in grade level reading and	including figurative,		tone in texts.
ure	content, including	content, including	connotative, and technical		
uct	interpretation of figurative	interpretation of figurative,	meanings, and how they shape		
Str	language in context.	connotative, and technical	meaning and tone.		
t and Struct Vocabulary		meanings.			
t al					
Craft and Structure Vocabulary					
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		E07.B-V.4.1.1	E08.B-V.4.1.1		
	E06.B-V.4.1.1	E07.B-V.4.1.2	E08.B-V.4.1.2		
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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas Diverse Media	CC.1.2.6.G Integrate information presented in different media or formats (e.g. visually, quantitatively) as well as in words to develop a coherent understanding of a topic or issue.	CC.1.2.7.G Compare and contrast a text to an audio, video, or multimedia version of the text, analyzing each medium's portrayal of the subject (e.g. how the delivery of a speech affects the impact of the words).	CC.1.2.8.G Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using different mediums (e.g. print or digital text, video, multimedia) to present a particular topic or idea.	CC.1.2.9-10.G Analyze various accounts of a subject told in different mediums (e.g., a person's life story in both print and multimedia), determining which details are emphasized in each account.	CC.1.2.11-12.G Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g. visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a problem.
Integration of Knowledge and Ideas Int Evaluating Arguments	CC.1.2.6.H Evaluate an author's argument by examining claims and determining if they are supported by evidence.	CC.1.2.7.H Evaluate an author's argument, reasoning, and specific claims for the soundness of the argument and the relevance of the evidence. E07.B-C.3.1.1	CC.1.2.8.H Evaluate author's arguments, reasoning, and specific claims for the soundness of the arguments and the relevance of the evidence. E08.B-C.3.1.1	L.N.2.2.1 L.N.2.4.4 CC.1.2.9-10.H Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing the validity of reasoning and relevance of evidence. L.N.2.5.4 L.N.2.5.6	CC.1.2.11-12.H Analyze seminal texts based upon reasoning, premises, purposes, and arguments.

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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas Analysis Across Texts	CC.1.2.6.I Examine how two authors present similar information in different types of text.	CC.1.2.7.I Analyze how two or more authors present and interpret facts on the same topic.	CC.1.2.8.I Analyze two or more texts that provide conflicting information on the same topic and identify where the texts disagree on matters of fact or interpretation.	CC.1.2.9-10.I Analyze seminal U.S. documents of historical and literary significance, including how they address related themes and concepts.	CC.1.2.11-12.I Analyze foundational U.S. and world documents of historical, political, and literary significance for their themes, purposes, and rhetorical features.
	E06.B-C.3.1.2	E07.B-C.3.1.2	E08.B-C.3.1.2		
Vocabulary Acquisition and Use	CC.1.2.6.J Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	CC.1.2.7.J Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	CC.1.2.8.J Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	CC.1.2.9-10.J Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression. L.N.1.2.4 L.N.1.2.1	CC.1.2.11-12.J Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
	E06.B-V.4.1.1 E06.B-V.4.1.2	E07.B-V.4.1.1 E07.B-V.4.1.2	E08.B-V.4.1.1 E08.B-V.4.1.2	L.N.1.2.2 L.N.1.2.3	

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	CC.1.2.6.K	CC.1.2.7.K	CC.1.2.8.K	CC.1.2.9-10.K	CC.1.2.11-12.K
Use	Determine or clarify the	Determine or clarify the	Determine or clarify the	Determine or clarify the meaning	Determine or clarify the
1 U	meaning of unknown and	meaning of unknown and	meaning of unknown and	of unknown and multiple-	meaning of unknown and
and	multiple-meaning words and	multiple-meaning words and	multiple-meaning words and	meaning words and phrases	multiple-meaning words and
uc	phrases based on grade level	phrases based on grade level	phrases based on grade level	based on grade level reading and	phrases based on grade level
iţi	reading and content, choosing	reading and content, choosing	reading and content, choosing	content, choosing flexibly from a	reading and content,
cquisition	flexibly from a range of	flexibly from a range of	flexibly from a range of	range of strategies and tools.	choosing flexibly from a
4cg	strategies and tools.	strategies and tools.	strategies and tools.		range of strategies and tools.
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	E06.B-V.4.1.1	E07.B-V.4.1.1	E08.B-V.4.1.1	L.N.1.2.3	
	CC.1.2.6.L	CC.1.2.7.L	CC.1.2.8.L	CC.1.2.9-10.L	CC.1.2.11-12.L
	Read and comprehend literary	Read and comprehend			
Range of Reading	non-fiction and informational	non-fiction and informational	non-fiction and informational	non-fiction and informational	literary non-fiction and
nge	text on grade level, reading	informational text on grade			
Range Readir	independently and proficiently.	independently and proficiently.	independently and proficiently.	independently and proficiently.	level, reading independently
					and proficiently.
				L.N.2.2.2	

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	CC.1.3.6.A	CC.1.3.7.A	CC.1.3.8.A	CC.1.3.9-10.A	CC.1.3.11-12.A		
	Determine a theme or central	Determine a theme or central	Determine a theme or central	Determine a theme or central idea	Determine and analyze the		
S	idea of a text and how it is	idea of a text and analyze its	idea of a text and analyze its	of a text and analyze in detail its	relationship between two or more		
Eail	conveyed through particular	development over the course	development over the course	development over the course of	themes or central ideas of a text,		
Del	details; provide a summary of the	of the text; provide an	of the text, including its	the text, including how it emerges	including the development and		
eas and Theme	text distinct from personal	objective summary of the text.	relationship to the characters,	and is shaped and refined by	interaction of the themes; provide		
aı Jer	opinions or judgments.		setting, and plot; provide an	specific details; provide an	an objective summary of the text.		
eas			objective summary of the text.	objective summary of the text.			
Key Ideas and Details Theme				1 D111			
Ke				L.F.1.1.1			
				L.F.1.1.1.2			
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	E06.A-K.1.1.2	E07.A-K.1.1.2	E08.A-K.1.1.2	L.F.1.3.2	004.044.40.0		
	CC.1.3.6.B	CC.1.3.7.B	CC.1.3.8.B	CC.1.3.9-10.B	CC.1.3.11-12.B		
S	Cite textual evidence to support	Cite several pieces of textual	Cite the textual evidence that	Cite strong and thorough textual	Cite strong and thorough textual		
ail	analysis of what the text says	evidence to support analysis of	most strongly supports an	evidence to support analysis of	evidence to support analysis of		
Det sis	explicitly as well as inferences	what the text says explicitly as	analysis of what the text says	what the text says explicitly as well as inferences and conclusions	what the text says explicitly as well as inferences and conclusions		
ld J	and/or generalizations drawn from the text.	well as inferences, conclusions, and/or generalizations drawn	explicitly as well as inferences, conclusions, and/or	based on an author's explicit	based on and related to an author's		
ar Ana	drawn from the text.	from the text.	generalizations drawn from	assumptions and beliefs about a			
Ideas and Det Text Analysis		from the text.	the text.	subject.	implicit and explicit assumptions and beliefs.		
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Key Ideas and Details Text Analysis				L.F.1.1.1			
				L.F.2.1.2			
	E06.A-K.1.1.1	E07.A-K.1.1.1	E08.A-K.1.1.1	L.F.1.3.1			
	CC.1.3.6.C	CC.1.3.7.C	CC.1.3.8.C	CC.1.3.9-10.C	CC.1.3.11-12.C		
	Describe how a particular story	Analyze how particular	Analyze how particular lines of	Analyze how complex characters	Analyze the impact of the author's		
iils	or drama's plot unfolds in a	elements of a story or drama	dialogue or incidents in a story	develop over the course of a text,	choices regarding how to develop		
eta ent	series of episodes, as well as how	interact and how setting	or drama propel the action,	interact with other characters, and	and relate elements of a story or		
d D	the characters respond or change	shapes the characters or plot.	reveal aspects of a character,	advance the plot or develop the	drama.		
ano Ele	as the plot moves toward a		or provoke a decision.	theme.			
as	resolution.						
Key Ideas and Details Literary Elements							
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X				L.F.1.1.3			
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point of xt and yed in the CC.1.3.7.D Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author distinguishes his or her position from that of others.	CC.1.3.8.D Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author acknowledges and responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints.	CC.1.3.9-10.D Determine an author's particular point of view and analyze how rhetoric advances the point of view.	CC.1.3.11-12.D Evaluate how an author's point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.
E07.A-C.2.1.1	E08.A-C.2.1.1	L.F.2.3.6	
cc.1.3.7.E Analyze the development of the meaning through the overall structure of the text.	Analyze the development of the meaning through the overall structure of multiple texts.	CC.1.3.9-10.E Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it and manipulate time create an effect. L.F.1.1.3 L.F.2.3.2 L.F.2.3.3 L.F.2.5.1	CC.1.3.11-12.E Evaluate the structure of texts including how specific sentences, paragraphs and larger portions of the texts relate to each other and the whole.
	E07.A-C.2.1.2	E07.A-C.2.1.2 E08.A-C.2.1.2	L.F.2.3.2 L.F.2.3.3 L.F.2.5.1

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	CC.1.3.6.F	CC.1.3.7.F	CC.1.3.8.F	CC.1.3.9-10.F	CC.1.3.11-12.F		
	Determine the meaning of words	Determine the meaning of	Analyze the influence of the	Analyze how words and phrases	Evaluate how words and phrases		
	and phrases as they are used in	words and phrases as they are	words and phrases in a text	shape meaning and tone in texts.	shape meaning and tone in texts.		
e	grade level reading and content,	used in grade level reading and	including figurative and				
tur	including interpretation of	content, including	connotative meanings, and				
Structure	figurative language in context.	interpretation of figurative,	how they shape meaning and				
		connotative meanings.	tone.				
t and Struct Vocabulary							
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	E06.A-C.2.1.3	E07.A-V.4.1.1	E08.A-V.4.1.1				
	E06.A-C.2.1.3 E06.A-V.4.1.1	E07.A-V.4.1.1 E07.A-V.4.1.2	E08.A-V.4.1.1 E08.A-V.4.1.2	L.F.2.3.5			
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	CC.1.3.6.G	CC.1.3.7.G	CC.1.3.8.G	CC.1.3.9-10.G	CC.1.3.11-12.G		
as	Compare and contrast the	Compare and contrast a	Analyze the extent to which a	Analyze the representation of a	Analyze multiple interpretations of		
Ide	experiences of reading a story,	written story, drama, or poem	filmed or live production of a	subject or a key scene in two			
and Ideas ion	drama, or poem to listening to or	to its audio, filmed, staged, or	story or drama stays faithful to	different artistic mediums,	a story, drama, or poem (e.g., recorded or live production of a		
	viewing an audio, video, or live	multimedia version, analyzing	or departs from the text or	including what is emphasized or	play or recorded novel or poetry),		
dgb	version of the text, including	the effects of techniques	script, evaluating the choices	absent in each treatment.	evaluating how each version		
vle	contrasting what is "seen" and	unique to each medium (e.g.	made by directors or actors.	absent in each treatment.	interprets the source text. (Include		
Knowledge and of Information	"heard" when reading the text to	lighting, sound, color, or	man sy am sectors of decers.		at least one play by Shakespeare		
of Knowledge es of Informat	what is perceived when listening	camera focus and angles in a			and one play by an American		
	or watching.	film).		L.F.2.2.1	dramatist.)		
Integration				L.F.2.2.3			
gra				L.F.2.2.4			
ıte				L.F.2.5.2			
Ir				L.F.2.5.3			

1.3 Reading Literature

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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas Text Analysis	CC.1.3.6.H Compare and contrast texts in different forms or genres in terms of their approaches to similar themes and topics as well as their use of additional literary elements.	CC.1.3.7.H Compare and contrast a fictional portrayal of a time, place, or character and a historical account of the same period as a means of understanding how authors of fiction use or alter history.	CC.1.3.8.H Analyze how a modern work of fiction draws on themes, patterns of events, or character types from traditional works, including describing how the material is rendered new.	CC.1.3.9-10.H Analyze how an author draws on and transforms themes, topics, character types, and/or other text elements from source material in a specific work. L.F.2.2.2	CC.1.3.11-12.H Demonstrate knowledge of foundational works of literature that reflect a variety of genres in the respective major periods of literature, including how two or more texts from the same period treat similar themes or topics.
	E06.A-C.3.1.1	E07.A-C.3.1.1	E08.A-C.3.1.1	L.F.2.4.1	
Vocabulary Acquisition and Use Strategies	CC.1.3.6.I Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiplemeaning words and phrases based on grade level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.	CC.1.3.7.I Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.	CC.1.3.8.I Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.	CC.1.3.9-10.I Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools. L.F.1.2.1 L.F.1.2.2 L.F.1.2.3	CC.1.3.11-12.I Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
	E06.A-V.4.1.1	E07.A-V.4.1.1	E08.A-V.4.1.1	L.F.1.2.4	

1.3 Reading Literature

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
	CC.1.3.6.J	CC.1.3.7.J	CC.1.3.8.J	CC.1.3.9-10.J	CC.1.3.11-12.J
	Acquire and use accurately	Acquire and use accurately	Acquire and use accurately	Demonstrate understanding	Acquire and use accurately general
se	grade-appropriate general	grade-appropriate general	grade-appropriate general	across content areas within grade	academic and domain-specific
1 U	academic and domain-specific	academic and domain-specific	academic and domain-specific	appropriate level texts of	words and phrases, sufficient for
and Use	words and phrases; gather	words and phrases; gather	words and phrases; gather	figurative language, word	reading, writing, speaking, and
	vocabulary knowledge when	vocabulary knowledge when	vocabulary knowledge when	relationships, and the shades of	listening at the college and career
Acquisition	considering a word or phrase	considering a word or phrase	considering a word or phrase	meaning among related words.	readiness level; demonstrate
uis	important to comprehension or	important to comprehension	important to comprehension		independence in gathering
\cd	expression.	or expression.	or expression.		vocabulary knowledge when
		4			considering a word or phrase
lar					important to comprehension or
Vocabulary					expression.
003				L.F.1.2.1	
>				L.F.1.2.2	
	E06.A-V.4.1.1	E07.A-V.4.1.1	E08.A-V.4.1.1	L.F.1.2.3	
	E06.A-V.4.1.2	E07.A-V.4.1.2	E08.A-V.4.1.2	L.F.1.2.4	
	CC.1.3.6.K	CC.1.3.7.K	CC.1.3.8.K	CC.1.3.9-10.K	CC.1.3.11-12.K
of	Read and comprehend literary	Read and comprehend literary			
Range of Reading	fiction on grade level, reading	fiction on grade level, reading			
an Rea	independently and proficiently.	independently and	independently and	independently and proficiently.	independently and proficiently.
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1.4 Writing

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
Informative/Explanatory	CC.1.4.6.A Write informative/ explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information clearly.	CC.1.4.7.A Write informative/ explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information clearly.	CC.1.4.8.A Write informative/ explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information clearly.	CC.1.4.9-10.A Write informative/ explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately.	CC.1.4.11-12.A Write informative/ explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately.
Informative/Explanatory Focus	CC.1.4.6.B Identify and introduce the topic for the intended audience. E06.C.1.2.1 E06.E.1.1.1	CC.1.4.7.B Identify and introduce the topic clearly, including a preview of what is to follow. E07.C.1.2.1 E07.E.1.1.1	CC.1.4.8.B Identify and introduce the topic clearly, including a preview of what is to follow. E08.C.1.2.1 E08.E.1.1.1	CC.1.4.9-10.B Write with a sharp distinct focus identifying topic, task, and audience. C.E.1.1.1	CC.1.4.11-12.B Write with a sharp distinct focus identifying topic, task, and audience.

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
	CC.1.4.6.C	CC.1.4.7.C	CC.1.4.8.C	CC.1.4.9-10.C	CC.1.4.11-12.C
	Develop and analyze the topic	Develop and analyze the topic	Develop and analyze the topic	Develop and analyze the topic	Develop and analyze the topic
	with relevant facts, definitions,	with relevant facts, definitions,	with relevant, well-chosen	with relevant, well-chosen, and	thoroughly by selecting the most
⋛	concrete details, quotations, or	concrete details, quotations, or	facts, definitions, concrete	sufficient facts, extended	significant and relevant facts,
[to]	other information and examples;	other information and	details, quotations, or other	definitions, concrete details,	extended definitions, concrete
lanatory	include graphics and multimedia	examples; include graphics	information and examples;	quotations, or other information	details, quotations, or other
	when useful to aiding	and multimedia when useful to	include graphics and	and examples appropriate to the	information and examples
Æ,	comprehension.	aiding comprehension.	multimedia when useful to	audience's knowledge of the topic;	appropriate to the audience's
ive/Exp Content			aiding comprehension.	include graphics and multimedia	knowledge of the topic; include
mativ Co		4		when useful to aiding	graphics and multimedia when
rm				comprehension.	useful to aiding comprehension.
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	E06.C.1.2.2	E07.C.1.2.2	E08.C.1.2.2		
	E06.E.1.1.2	E07.E.1.1.2	E08.E.1.1.2	C.E.1.1.2	



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CC.1.4.6.D Organize ideas, concepts, and information using strategies such as definition, classification, comparison/contrast, and cause/effect; use appropriate transitions to clarify the relationships among ideas and concepts; provide a concluding statement or section, include	CC.1.4.7.D Organize ideas, concepts, and information using strategies such as definition, classification, comparison/contrast, and cause/effect; use appropriate transitions to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among ideas and concepts; provide a concluding statement or section; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension.	CC.1.4.8.D Organize ideas, concepts, and information into broader categories; use appropriate and varied transitions to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among ideas and concepts; provide a concluding statement or section; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension.	CC.1.4.9-10.D Organize ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; use appropriate and varied transitions to link the major sections of the text; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension; provide a concluding statement or section.	CC.1.4.11-12.D Organize complex ideas, concepts, and information so that each new element builds on that which precedes it to create whole; use appropriate and varied transitions and syntax to link the major sections of the text; provide a concluding statement or section that supports the information presented; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension.
E06.C.1.2.1 E06.C.1.2.3 E06.C.1.2.6 E06.E.1.1.1 E06.E.1.1.3	E07.C.1.2.1 E07.C.1.2.3 E07.C.1.2.6 E07.E.1.1.1 E07.E.1.1.3	E08.C.1.2.1 E08.C.1.2.3 E08.C.1.2.6 E08.E.1.1.1 E08.E.1.1.3	0.004.4.0	
	statement or section; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension. E06.C.1.2.1 E06.C.1.2.3 E06.C.1.2.6 E06.E.1.1.1	statement or section; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension. E06.C.1.2.1 E06.C.1.2.3 E06.C.1.2.6 E06.E.1.1.1 E06.E.1.1.3 E07.C.1.2.1 E07.C.1.2.6 E07.C.1.2.6 E07.C.1.2.1 E07.C.1.2.1 E07.C.1.2.3 E07.C.1.2.6 E07.C.1.2.1	statement or section; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension. E06.C.1.2.1 E06.C.1.2.3 E06.C.1.2.6 E06.E.1.1.1 E06.E.1.1.3 E07.E.1.1.3 E08.E.1.1.3 formatting when useful to aiding comprehension. formatting when useful to aiding comprehension.	statement or section; include formatting when useful to aiding comprehension. E06.C.1.2.1 E06.C.1.2.3 E07.C.1.2.3 E07.C.1.2.3 E06.C.1.2.6 E06.E.1.1.1 E06.E.1.1.3 E07.E.1.1.3 E07.E.1.1.3 E08.E.1.1.3 E08.E.1.1.3

1.4 Writing

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
Informative/Explanatory Style	Grade 6 CC.1.4.6.E Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. • Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic. • Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities • Use precise language. • Develop and maintain a consistent voice • Establish and maintain a formal style.	Grade 7 CC.1.4.7.E Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. • Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic. • Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities • Use precise language. • Develop and maintain a consistent voice. • Establish and maintain a formal style.	Grade 8 CC.1.4.8.E Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. • Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic. • Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities • Create tone and voice through precise language. • Establish and maintain a formal style.	Grade 9-10 CC.1.4.9-10.E Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms of the discipline in which they are writing. Establish and maintain a formal style.	Grade 11-12 CC.1.4.11-12.E Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms of the discipline in which they are writing. Establish and maintain a formal style.
	E06.C.1.2.4 E06.C.1.2.5 E06.D.2.1.1 E06.D.2.1.2	E07.C.1.2.4 E07.C.1.2.5 E07.D.2.1.1 E07.D.2.1.2	E08.C.1.2.4 E08.C.1.2.5 E08.D.2.1.1 E08.D.2.1.2 E08.D.2.1.3	C.E.1.1.4 C.E.2.1.1	
	E06.D.2.1.3 E06.D.2.1.4 E06.D.2.1.5	E07.D.2.1.3 E07.D.2.1.4 E07.D.2.1.5	E08.D.2.1.4 E08.D.2.1.5 E08.D.2.1.6	C.E.2.1.2 C.E.2.1.3 C.E.2.1.4	
	E06.E.1.1.4 E06.E.1.1.5	E07.E.1.1.4 E07.E.1.1.5	E08.E.1.1.4 E08.E.1.1.5	C.E.2.1.5 C.E.2.1.6	

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	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
	CC.1.4.6.F	CC.1.4.7.F	CC.1.4.8.F	CC.1.4.9-10.F	CC.1.4.11-12.F
	Demonstrate a grade appropriate	Demonstrate a grade	Demonstrate a grade	Demonstrate a grade appropriate	Demonstrate a grade appropriate
	command of the conventions of	appropriate command of the	appropriate command of the	command of the conventions of	command of the conventions of
	standard English grammar,	conventions of standard	conventions of standard	standard English grammar, usage,	standard English grammar, usage,
	usage, capitalization,	English grammar, usage,	English grammar, usage,	capitalization, punctuation, and	capitalization, punctuation, and
	punctuation, and spelling.	capitalization, punctuation,	capitalization, punctuation,	spelling.	spelling.
		and spelling.	and spelling.		
Informative/Explanatory Conventions of Language			X		
xpian f Lang			E08.D.1,1.1		
e/E			E08.D.1.1.2		
tive			E08.D.1.1.2 E08.D.1.1.3		
ma ent		E07.D.1.1.1	E08.D.1.1.4		
ror		E07.D.1.1.2	E08.D.1.1.5		
E 3	E06.D.1.1.1	E07.D.1.1.3	E08.D.1.1.6		
	E06.D.1.1.2	E07.D.1.1.4	E08.D.1.1.7		
	E06.D.1.1.3	E07.D.1.1.5	E08.D.1.1.8		
	E06.D.1.1.4	E07.D.1.1.6	E08.D.1.1.9		
	E06.D.1.1.5	E07.D.1.1.7	E08.D.1.1.10		
	E06.D.1.1.6	E07.D.1.1.8	E08.D.1.1.11	C.E.1.1.5	
	E06.D.1.1.7	E07.D.1.1.9	E08.D.1.2.1	C.E.3.1.1	
	E06.D.1.1.8 E06.D.1.2.1	E07.D.1.2.1 E07.D.1.2.2	E08.D.1.2.2 E08.D.1.2.3	C.E.3.1.2	
	E06.D.1.2.1 E06.D.1.2.2	E07.D.1.2.2 E07.D.1.2.3	E08.D.1.2.4	C.E.3.1.3 C.E.3.1.4	
	E06.D.1.2.2 E06.D.1.2.3	E07.D.1.2.3 E07.D.1.2.4	E08.D.1.2.5	C.E.3.1.5	

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1.4 Writing

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
Opinion/Argumentative	CC.1.4.6.G Write arguments to support claims.	CC.1.4.7.G Write arguments to support claims.	CC.1.4.8.G Write arguments to support claims.	CC.1.4.9-10.G Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics.	CC.1.4.11-12.G Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics.
Opinion/Argumentative Focus	CC.1.4.6.H Introduce and state an opinion on a topic. E06.C.1.1.1	CC.1.4.7.H Introduce and state an opinion on a topic.	CC.1.4.8.H Introduce and state an opinion on a topic.	CC.1.4.9-10.H Write with a sharp distinct focus identifying topic, task, and audience. Introduce the precise claim.	CC.1.4.11-12.H Write with a sharp distinct focus identifying topic, task, and audience. Introduce the precise, knowledgeable claim.
Opinion/Argumentative Content	E06.E.1.1.1 CC.1.4.6.I Use clear reasons and relevant evidence to support claims, using credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic.	E07.E.1.1.1 CC.1.4.7.I Acknowledge alternate or opposing claims and support claim with logical reasoning and relevant evidence, using accurate, credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic.	E08.E.1.1.1 CC.1.4.8.I Acknowledge and distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims and support claim with logical reasoning and relevant evidence, using accurate, credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic.	C.P.1.1.1 CC.1.4.9-10.I Distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims; develop claim(s) fairly, supplying evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.	CC.1.4.11-12.I Distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims; develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases.
	E06.C.1.1.2 E06.E.1.1.2	E07.C.1.1.2 E07.E.1.1.2	E08.C.1.1.2 E08.E.1.1.2	C.P.1.1.2	

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	CC.1.4.6.J	CC.1.4.7.J	CC.1.4.8.J	CC.1.4.9-10.J	CC.1.4.11-12.J
	Organize the claim(s) with clear	Organize the claim(s) with	Organize the claim(s) with	Create organization that	Create organization that logically
	reasons and evidence clearly;	clear reasons and evidence	clear reasons and evidence	establishes clear relationships	sequences claim(s), counterclaims,
	clarify relationships among	clearly; clarify relationships	clearly; clarify relationships	among claim(s), counterclaims,	reasons, and evidence; Use words,
	claim(s) and reasons by using	among claim(s) and reasons by	among claim(s),	reasons, and evidence; Use words,	phrases, and clauses as well as
	words, phrases, and clauses;	using words, phrases, and	counterclaims, reasons, and	phrases, and clauses to link the	varied syntax to link the major
	provide a concluding statement	clauses to create cohesion;	evidence by using words,	major sections of the text, create	sections of the text create cohesion,
Argumentative anization	or section that follows from the	provide a concluding	phrases, and clauses to create	cohesion, and clarify the	and clarify the relationships
ltat	argument presented.	statement or section that	cohesion; provide a concluding	relationships between claim(s)	between claim(s) and reasons,
on/Argument Organization		follows from and supports the	statement or section that	and reasons, between reasons and	between reasons and evidence, and
- gun zat		argument presented.	follows from and supports the	evidence, and between claim(s)	between claim(s) and
Arg ani			argument presented.	and counterclaims; provide a	counterclaims; provide a
n/, rg				concluding statement or section	concluding statement or section
nio				that follows from and supports the argument presented.	that follows from and supports the
Opinion/ Org				argument presented.	argument presented.
	E06.C.1.1.1	E07.C.1.1.1	E08.C.1.1.1		
	E06.C.1.1.3	E07.C.1.1.3	E08.C.1.1.3		
	E06.C.1.1.5	E07.C.1.1.5	E08.C.1.1.5		
	E06.E.1.1.1	E07.E.1.1.1	E08.E.1.1.1		
	E06.E.1.1.3	E07.E.1.1.3	E08.E.1.1.3		
	E06.E.1.1.6	E07.E.1.1.6	E08.E.1.1.6	C.P.1.1.3	

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
Opinion/Argumentative Style	CC.1.4.6.K Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic. Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities. Use precise language. Develop and maintain a consistent voice Establish and maintain a formal style.	CC.1.4.7.K Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic. Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities. Use precise language. Develop and maintain a consistent voice. Establish and maintain a formal style.	CC.1.4.8.K Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. • Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic. • Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities • Create tone and voice through precise language. • Establish and maintain a formal style. E08.D.2.1.1 E08.D.2.1.2 E08.D.2.1.3 E08.D.2.1.4 E08.D.2.1.5 E08.D.2.1.6 E08.E.1.1.4	CC.1.4.9-10.K Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms of the discipline in which they are writing. Establish and maintain a formal style.	CC.1.4.11-12.K Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of composition. • Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic. • Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms of the discipline in which they are writing. • Establish and maintain a formal style.

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	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
	CC.1.4.6.L	CC.1.4.7.L	CC.1.4.8.L	CC.1.4.9-10.L	CC.1.4.11-12.L
	Demonstrate a grade appropriate	Demonstrate a grade	Demonstrate a grade	Demonstrate a grade appropriate	Demonstrate a grade appropriate
	command of the conventions of	appropriate command of the	appropriate command of the	command of the conventions of	command of the conventions of
	standard English grammar,	conventions of standard	conventions of standard	standard English grammar, usage,	standard English grammar, usage,
	usage, capitalization, punctuation	English grammar, usage,	English grammar, usage,	capitalization, punctuation and	capitalization, punctuation and
	and spelling.	capitalization, punctuation and	capitalization, punctuation and	spelling.	spelling.
		spelling.	spelling.		
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Argumentative ons of Language					
tat		4	E08.D.1.1.1		
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Arg ns		E07.D.1.1.1	E08.D.1.1.4		
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Opinion/Arg Conventions	E06.D.1.1.1	E07.D.1.1.3	E08.D.1.1.6		
pir	E06.D.1.1.2	E07.D.1.1.4	E08.D.1.1.7		
0 3	E06.D.1.1.3	E07.D.1.1.5	E08.D.1.1.8		
	E06.D.1.1.4	E07.D.1.1.6	E08.D.1.1.9		
	E06.D.1.1.5	E07.D.1.1.7	E08.D.1.1.10	0.7.4.7	
	E06.D.1.1.6	E07.D.1.1.8	E08.D.1.1.11	C.P.1.1.5	
	E06.D.1.1.7	E07.D.1.1.9	E08.D.1.2.1	C.P.3.1.1	
	E06.D.1.1.8	E07.D.1.2.1	E08.D.1.2.2	C.P.3.1.2	
	E06.D.1.2.1	E07.D.1.2.2	E08.D.1.2.3	C.P.3.1.3	
	E06.D.1.2.2	E07.D.1.2.3	E08.D.1.2.4	C.P.3.1.4	
	E06.D.1.2.3	E07.D.1.2.4	E08.D.1.2.5	C.P.3.1.5	

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
Narrative	CC.1.4.6.M Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events.	CC.1.4.7.M Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events.	CC.1.4.8.M Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events.	CC.1.4.9-10.M Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events.	CC.1.4.11-12.M Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events.
Narrative Focus	CC.1.4.6.N Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and introducing a narrator and/or characters. E06.C.1.3.1	CC.1.4.7.N Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introducing a narrator and/or characters. E07.C.1.3.1	CC.1.4.8.N Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introducing a narrator and/or characters. E08.C.1.3.1	CC.1.4.9-10.N Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple points of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters.	CC.1.4.11-12.N Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation and its significance, establishing one or multiple points of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters.
Narrative Content	CC.1.4.6.0 Use narrative techniques such as dialogue, description, and pacing, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters; use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to convey experiences and events. E06.C.1.3.2	CC.1.4.7.0 Use narrative techniques such as dialogue, description, and pacing, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters; use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to capture the action and convey experiences and events. E07.C.1.3.2	CC.1.4.8.0 Use narrative techniques such as dialogue, description, reflection, and pacing, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters; use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to capture the action and convey experiences and events. E08.C1.3.2	CC.1.4.9-10.0 Use narrative techniques such as dialogue, description, reflection, multiple plot lines, and pacing, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters; use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, settings, and/or characters.	CC.1.4.11-12.0 Use narrative techniques such as dialogue, description, reflection, multiple plot lines, and pacing, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters; use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, settings, and/or characters.
	E06.C.1.3.4	E07.C.1.3.4	E08.C1.3.4		

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8	Grade 9-10	Grade 11-12
	CC.1.4.6.P	CC.1.4.7.P	CC.1.4.8.P	CC.1.4.9-10.P	CC.1.4.11-12.P
	Organize an event sequence that	Organize an event sequence	Organize an event sequence	Create a smooth progression of	Create a smooth progression of
	unfolds naturally and logically,	that unfolds naturally and	that unfolds naturally and	experiences or events using a	experiences or events using a
	using a variety of transition	logically, using a variety of	logically using a variety of	variety of techniques to sequence	variety of techniques to sequence
	words, phrases, and clauses to	transition words, phrases, and	transition words, phrases, and	events so that they build on one	events so that they build on one
	convey sequence and signal	clauses to convey sequence	clauses to convey sequence,	another to create a coherent	another to create a coherent whole
5	shifts from one time frame or	and signal shifts from one time	signal shifts from one time	whole; provide a conclusion that	and build toward a particular tone
ative	setting to another; provide a	frame or setting to another;	frame or setting to another	follows from and reflects on what	and outcome; provide a conclusion
rat	conclusion that follows from the	provide a conclusion that	and show the relationships	is experienced, observed, or	that follows from and reflects on
Narrative	narrated experiences and events.	follows from and reflects on	among experiences and	resolved over the course of the	what is experienced, observed, or
		the narrated experiences and	events; provide a conclusion	narrative.	resolved over the course of the
		events.	that follows from and reflects		narrative.
			on the narrated experiences or		
			events.		
	E06.C.1.3.1	E07.C.1.3.1	E08.C.1.3.1		
	E06.C.1.3.1 E06.C.1.3.3	E07.C.1.3.1 E07.C.1.3.3	E08.C.1.3.1 E08.C.1.3.3		
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Narrative	Grade 6 CC.1.4.6.Q Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of writing. • Vary sentence patterns for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style. • Use precise language. • Develop and maintain a consistent voice.	Grade 7 CC.1.4.7.Q Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of writing. • Choose language that expresses ideas precisely and concisely, recognizing and eliminating wordiness and redundancy. • Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities • Use precise language. • Develop and maintain a consistent voice. E07.C.1.3.4 E07.D.2.1.1 E07.D.2.1.2 E07.D.2.1.3 E07.D.2.1.4	Grade 8 CC.1.4.8.Q Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of writing. • Use verbs in the active and passive voice and in the conditional and subjunctive mood to achieve particular effect. • Use sentences of varying lengths and complexities • Create tone and voice through precise language. E08.C.1.3.4 E08.D.2.1.1 E08.D.2.1.2 E08.D.2.1.3 E08.D.2.1.4 E08.D.2.1.5	Grade 9-10 CC.1.4.9-10.Q Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of writing. Use parallel structure. Use various types of phrases and clauses to convey meaning and add variety and interest.	Grade 11-12 CC.1.4.11-12.Q Write with an awareness of the stylistic aspects of writing. Use parallel structure. Use various types of phrases and clauses to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest. Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.

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	CC.1.4.6.R	CC.1.4.7.R	CC.1.4.8.R	CC.1.4.9-10.R	CC.1.4.11-12.R
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	usage, capitalization,	English grammar, usage,	English grammar, usage,	capitalization, punctuation, and	capitalization, punctuation, and
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	E06.D.1.1.3	E07.D.1.1.5	E08.D.1.1.8		
	E06.D.1.1.4	E07.D.1.1.6	E08.D.1.1.9		
	E06.D.1.1.5	E07.D.1.1.7	E08.D.1.1.10		
	E06.D.1.1.6	E07.D.1.1.8	E08.D.1.1.11		
	E06.D.1.1.7	E07.D.1.1.9	E08.D.1.2.1		
	E06.D.1.1.8	E07.D.1.2.1	E08.D.1.2.2		
	E06.D.1.2.1	E07.D.1.2.2	E08.D.1.2.3		
	E06.D.1.2.2	E07.D.1.2.3	E08.D.1.2.4		
	E06.D.1.2.3	E07.D.1.2.4	E08.D.1.2.5		

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Response to Literature	CC.1.4.6.S Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research, applying grade level reading standards for literature and literary non-fiction. E06.E.1.1.1	CC.1.4.7.S Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research, applying grade level reading standards for literature and literary nonfiction. E07.E.1.1.1	CC.1.4.8.S Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research, applying grade level reading standards for literature and literary nonfiction. E08.E.1.1.1	CC.1.4.9-10.S Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research, applying grade level reading standards for literature and literary non-fiction.	CC.1.4.11-12.S Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research, applying grade level reading standards for literature and literary non-fiction.
	E06.E.1.1.2 E06.E.1.1.3 E06.E.1.1.4 E06.E.1.1.5 E06.E.1.1.6	E07.E.1.1.2 E07.E.1.1.3 E07.E.1.1.4 E07.E.1.1.5 E07.E.1.1.6	E08.E.1.1.2 E08.E.1.1.3 E08.E.1.1.4 E08.E.1.1.5 E08.E.1.1.6		
Production and Distribution of Writing Writing Process	CC.1.4.6.T With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.	CC.1.4.7.T With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.	CC.1.4.8.T With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.	CC.1.4.9-10.T Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.	CC.1.4.11-12.T Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.

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Technology and Publication	CC.1.4.6.U Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing as well as to interact and collaborate with others; demonstrate sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of three pages in a single sitting.	CC.1.4.7.U Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.	CC.1.4.8.U Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and present the relationships between information and ideas efficiently as well as to interact and collaborate with others.	CC.1.4.9-10.U Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.	CC.1.4.11-12.U Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products in response to ongoing feedback, including new arguments and information.
Conducting Research	CC.1.4.6.V Conduct short research projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources and refocusing the inquiry when appropriate.	CC.1.4.7.V Conduct short research projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions for further research and investigation.	CC.1.4.8.V Conduct short research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question), drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions that allow for multiple avenues of exploration.	CC.1.4.9-10.V Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.	CC.1.4.11-12.V Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.

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Credibility, Reliability, and Validity of Sources	CC.1.4.6.W Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources; assess the credibility of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of other while avoiding plagiarism and providing basic bibliographic information for sources.	CC.1.4.7.W Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	CC.1.4.8.W Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	CC.1.4.9-10.W Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	CC.1.4.11-12.W Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limitations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and audience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.
Range of Writing	CC.1.4.6.X Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes and audiences.	CC.1.4.7.X Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes and audiences.	CC.1.4.8.X Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes and audiences.	CC.1.4.9-10.X Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes and audiences.	CC.1.4.11-12.X Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes and audiences.

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Comprehension and Collaboration Collaborative Discussion	CC.1.5.6.A Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions, on grade level topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.	CC.1.5.7.A Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions, on grade level topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.	CC.1.5.8.A Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions, on grade level topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.	CC.1.5.9-10.A Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grades level topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.	CC.1.5.11-12.A Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grades level topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.	
Comprehension and Collaboration Critical Listening	CC.1.5.6.B Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims by identifying specific reasons and evidence, and recognize arguments or claims not supported by factual evidence.	CC.1.5.7.B Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.	CC.1.5.8.B Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.	CC.1.5.9-10.B Evaluate a speaker's perspective, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric, identifying any fallacious reasoning or exaggerated or distorted evidence.	CC.1.5.11-12.B Evaluate how the speaker's perspective, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric affect the credibility of an argument through the author's stance, premises, links among ideas, word choice, points of emphasis, and tone.	

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Comprehension and Collaboration Evaluating Information	CC.1.5.6.C Interpret information presented in diverse media and formats (e.g. visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how it contributes to a topic, text, or issue under study.	CC.1.5.7.C Analyze the main ideas and supporting details presented in diverse media formats (e.g. visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how the ideas clarify a topic, text, or issue under study.	CC.1.5.8.C Analyze the purpose of information presented in diverse media formats (e.g. visually, quantitatively, orally) and evaluate the motives (e.g. social, commercial, political) behind its presentation.	CC.1.5.9-10.C Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse media or formats (e.g. visually, quantitatively, orally) evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source.	CC.1.5.11-12.C Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g. visually, quantitative, orally) in order to make informed decisions and solve problems, evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source and noting any discrepancies among the data.
Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas Purpose, Audience, and Task	CC.1.5.6.D Present claims and findings, sequencing ideas logically and using pertinent descriptions, facts, and details to accentuate main ideas or themes; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.	CC.1.5.7.D Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, details, and examples; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.	CC.1.5.8.D Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with relevant evidence, sound valid reasoning, and well-chosen details; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume and clear pronunciation.	CC.1.5.9-10.D Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning; ensure that the presentation is appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.	CC.1.5.11-12.D Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective; organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.

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Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas Context	CC.1.5.6.E Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks.	CC.1.5.7.E Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks.	CC.1.5.8.E Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks.	CC.1.5.9-10.E Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks.	CC.1.5.11-12E Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks.	
Integration of Knowledge and Ideas Multimedia	CC.1.5.6.F Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify information.	CC.1.5.7.F Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify claims and findings and emphasize salient points.	CC.1.5.8.F Integrate multimedia and visual displays into presentations to add interest, clarify information, and strengthen claims and evidence.	CC.1.5.9-10.F Make strategic use of digital media in presentations to add interest and enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence.	CC.1.5.11-12.F Make strategic use of digital media in presentations to add interest and enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence.	

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Conventions of Standard English	CC.1.5.6.G Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English when speaking based on grade 6 level and content.	CC.1.5.7.G Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English when speaking based on grade 7 level and content.	CC.1.5.8.G Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English when speaking based on grade 8 level and content.	CC.1.5.9-10.G Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English when speaking based on grade 9-10 level and content.	CC.1.5.11-12.G Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English when speaking based on grade 11-12 level and content.

