

BELVIDERE CLUSTER CURRICULUM MAP

SUBJECT: English Language Arts

GRADE: 7

PACING-->	UNIT #1 3 to 6 Weeks	UNIT #2 2-4 Weeks	UNIT #3 5-7 Weeks
TOPIC/THEME AND OBJECTIVES	<p>Building/Becoming a Community of Readers Using Literature</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The students will be able to analyze how particular elements in a story interact. The students will be able to cite textual evidence that most strongly supports analysis of inferences drawn from grade 7 texts. The students will be able to determine a theme or central idea of a text and provide an objective summary of the text. The students will be able to determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings. The students will be able to write a letter in the appropriate format using standard English conventions and focused, organized paragraphs. 	<p>Informational Text Features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The students will be able to navigate and utilize informational text pieces in order to gain understanding. The students will be able to utilize close active reading strategies, as presented through modeling to interact with informational texts. The students will be able to recognize differences in structure and features in informational texts. The students will be able to develop a logical and cohesive piece using transition words and phrases, as well as topic and concluding sentences. The students will be able to shape the style and structure of a topic based on their understanding of the audience. 	<p>Literature and Drama</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The students will be able to identify and analyze specific elements of a story or drama. Students will compare and contrast a written story, drama, or poem to its audio, filmed, staged, or multimedia version, analyzing the effects of techniques unique to each medium (e.g., lighting, sound, color, or camera focus and angles in a film). The students will be able to cite textual evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly in grade 7 texts. The students will be able to use textual evidence to support the change in a character's development. The students will be able to identify different types of conflict.
ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS & ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What makes a "good" reader and writer? What strategies does a "good" reader/writer implement? One must be a community reader and writer in order to better understand the world. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How does a writer convey information clearly and accurately to deepen the reader's understanding? How does the structure of an informational text influence better understanding for the reader? The students will be able to successfully utilize informational texts in order to maximize understanding. The students will be able to convey accurate information in order to increase the reader's knowledge of a subject, process, and/or concept through informational writing. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How are the themes in the traditional literature relative to today's society? How can the setting drive the plot of the piece? How does the structure of the drama/written work help to better or hinder one's understanding of the piece? Understanding how drama portrays a creative expression. Drama is a platform for social change.

STANDARDS	Reading (R)	Reading Literature (RL)	Reading (R)
	<p>NJSLSA.R.1 Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.R.2 Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.</p> <p>NJSLSA.R.3 Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.</p> <p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1 Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.4</u> <u>Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, voice and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.5 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.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.6 Use technology, including the Internet, to</p>	<p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>Reading Info Text (RI)</p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.1 Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.5 Analyze the structure an author uses to organize a text, including how the major sections contribute to the whole and to the development of the ideas.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RI.7.10</u> <u>By the end of the year read and comprehend literary nonfiction at grade level text-complexity or above, with scaffolding as needed.</u></p> <p>Reading Foundation Skills (RF) NONE</p> <p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1 Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.4</u> <u>Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, voice and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.5 With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing,</p>	<p>Reading (R)</p> <p>NJSLSA.R.4 Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical, connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.</p> <p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.3 Analyze how particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot).</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or drama.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.5 Analyze how a drama's or poem's form or structure (e.g., soliloquy, sonnet) contributes to its meaning.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.6 Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.</p>

	<p>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.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.10</u> <u>Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, metacognition/self correction, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</u></p> <p>Speaking/Listening (SL) NJSLSA.SL.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.1.A Come to discussions prepared, having read or researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue to probe and reflect on ideas under discussion.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.1.B Follow rules for collegial discussions, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.1.B Pose questions that elicit elaboration and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant observations and ideas that bring the discussion back on topic as needed.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.1.D Acknowledge new information expressed by others and, when warranted, modify their own views.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.3 Delineate a speaker's argument and specific</p>	<p>rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.10</u> <u>Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, metacognition/self correction, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</u></p> <p>Speaking/Listening (SL) NJSLSA.SL.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.2 Analyze the main ideas and supporting details presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how the ideas clarify a topic, text, or issue under study.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.3 Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.5 Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify claims and findings and emphasize salient points.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL.7.6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.</p> <p>Language (L) NJSLSA.L.7.1</p>	<p>NJSLSA.RL.7.7 Compare and contrast a written story, drama, or poem to its audio, filmed, staged, or multimedia version, analyzing the effects of techniques unique to each medium (e.g., lighting, sound, color, or camera focus and angles in a film).</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.9</u> <u>Compare, contrast and reflect on (e.g. practical knowledge, historical/cultural context, and background knowledge) 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.</u></p> <p>Reading Info Text (RI) <u>NJSLSA.RI.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.2 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.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.3 Analyze the interactions between individuals, events, and ideas in a text (e.g., how ideas influence individuals or events, or how individuals influence ideas or events).</p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.5 Analyze the structure an author uses to</p>
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<p>INSTRUCTIONAL PROCEDURES</p>	<p><u>Whole Group</u> Create book maps Create anchor charts as a tool for becoming a member of the reading community Mini lessons: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mentor texts of short stories; excerpts from: <i>An Hour with Abuelo</i> by Judith Ortiz Cofer; <i>Rikki-tikki-tavi</i> by Rudyard Kipling; Recognize the difference between a concise summary and a thorough response to literature applying domain specific vocabulary produce a quick write and share in large group identify basic parts of speech, capitalization, and syllabication introduce the process of becoming a lifelong reader through reading incentive program and the role of book choice</p> <p><u>Individual</u> Analyze and construct a "Get to Know You" letter. journaling as a response tool for reading identify a method of sharing that leads student to attain a level of comfort construct a project summarizing/analyzing the novel read for summer reading alternate ending of a story based on character's point of view</p> <p><u>Small Groups</u> Participate in literature circle discussion, fish bowls, book talks or reading conferences focusing on realistic fiction produce quick writes and share in small groups In groups, share student's personal thoughts, opinions, and recommendations regarding the two novels read over the summer Analyze author's purpose</p>	<p><u>Whole Group</u> grammar games and activities focusing on proofreading marks and basic parts of speech review spelling and vocabulary activities Using real world informational texts to recognize and identify informational text features and identify the structure of text Utilize note-taking strategies to record informational text. Differentiate between essential and non-essential information using a text sample. Mini lessons: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mentor texts of informational pieces; excerpts from: "A Simple Act" by Tyler Jackson, News Blog; Writing and the Importance of a Powerful "Hook" (beginning) Evaluate the relevance of information to an assigned task.</p> <p>Political and editorial cartoons offer an opportunity to have students use information <i>and</i> inference in a unique way. use and apply an understanding of symbolism, exaggeration, analogy, labeling and irony to decipher the information and the "author's" purpose.</p> <p><u>Individual</u> Produce an audience-appropriate informative piece using an identified text structure.</p> <p>Read and evaluate informational articles using Newsela.com and/or commonlit.org</p> <p>Conference with individual students to ensure comprehension.</p> <p>outline notes</p> <p>writing conferences</p>	<p><u>Whole Group</u> Analyze stage directions through Microsoft PowerPoint or Google Slides Introduce and review the effects lighting, sounds, and music have on a piece of literature</p> <p>figurative language review</p> <p>spelling and vocabulary</p> <p>grammar activities and games focusing on basic parts speech review, focusing on adjectives and adverbs, as well as transition words, phrases, and clauses</p> <p>discussions</p> <p>peer-editing</p> <p><u>Mini lessons on:</u> researching background information on historical, social or cultural context of the play.</p> <p>analyze the structure of dramatic prose (stage directions, dialogue formatting)</p> <p><u>Individual</u> produce journal responses to writing prompts</p> <p>respond to quick writes</p> <p>complete KWL Chart</p> <p>complete Give One-Get One</p> <p>silent and oral reading of dramatic prose</p>
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		<p>expository writing</p> <p><u>Small Groups</u></p> <p>Produce an audience-appropriate informative piece using an identified text structure</p> <p>discussing and analyzing informational articles</p> <p>Treasure Hunt</p>	<p>use a Venn Diagram to compose a compare and contrast essay</p> <p>compose an essay comparing and contrasting the written story to its filmed version.</p> <p><u>Small Groups</u></p> <p>participate in class discussions</p> <p>generate Reader's Theater script from familiar text</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">INSTRUCTIONAL AND SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS/ LEVELED TEXTS</p>	<p><u>Materials</u> Summer Reading Response Form Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p> <p>SmartBoard</p> <p>Teacher-generated PowerPoint</p> <p>Teacher-generated worksheets</p> <p>Youtube</p> <p>Close-reading guide</p> <p><u>Leveled Texts</u></p> <p>Holt Handbook, 2010</p> <p>Literature 7 McDougal Douglas 2008 (Hope)</p> <p>Prentice Hall Literature Grade 7 Common Core Edition. 2012 (White Twp)</p> <p>Write Source, 2010</p> <p>Readwritethink.org</p> <p>Sadlier-Oxford Vocabulary Workshop, Level B</p> <p>Readwritethink.org</p> <p>Vocabulary Their Way. Pearson Commonlit.org</p> <p>-<i>myPerspectives</i> - Pearson Realize digital</p>	<p><u>Materials</u> Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p> <p>SmartBoard</p> <p>Teacher-generated PowerPoint</p> <p>Teacher-generated worksheets</p> <p>Youtube</p> <p>Evidence Log</p> <p><u>Leveled Texts</u></p> <p>Holt Handbook, 2010</p> <p>Literature 7 McDougal Douglas 2008 (Hope)</p> <p>Prentice Hall Literature Grade 7 Common Core Edition. 2012 (White Twp)</p> <p><i>myPerspectives</i> - Pearson Realize digital text and consumable text (Harmony)</p> <p>Write Source, 2010</p> <p>Readwritethink.org</p> <p>Sadlier-Oxford Vocabulary Workshop, Level B</p> <p>Vocabulary Their Way. Pearson Commonlit.org Newsela.com</p>	<p><u>Materials</u> Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p> <p>SmartBoard</p> <p>Teacher-generated PowerPoint</p> <p>Teacher-generated worksheets</p> <p>Youtube</p> <p>Close-reading guide</p> <p><u>Leveled Texts</u></p> <p>Holt Handbook, 2010</p> <p>Literature 7 McDougal Douglas 2008 (Hope)</p> <p>Prentice Hall Literature Grade 7 Common Core Edition. 2012 (White Twp)</p> <p><i>myPerspectives</i> - Pearson Realize digital text and consumable text (Harmony)</p> <p>Write Source, 2010</p> <p>Readwritethink.org</p> <p>Sadlier-Oxford Vocabulary Workshop, Level B</p> <p>Vocabulary Their Way. Pearson Commonlit.org</p>
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	<p>text and consumable text (Harmony)</p> <p>Suggested Works: <u>Drums, Girls, and Dangerous Pies</u> by Jordan Sonnenblick <u>Hoot</u> by Carl Hiassen <u>Fair Weather</u> by Richard Peck "Two Kinds" excerpt from <i>The Joy Luck Club</i> by Amy Tan Excerpt from <i>Hope Was Here</i> by Joan Baurer Excerpt from <i>Hatchet</i> by Gary Paulsen Excerpt from <i>Riding Freedom</i> by Pam Munoz Ryan</p>	<p>Suggested Works: <u>The Story of Victor d'Aveyron, the Wild Child</u>, Eloise Montalban, Expository Nonfiction "Tutors Teach Seniors New High-Tech Tricks" by Jennifer Ludden, News Article "Silent Spring" by Rachel Carson, Descriptive Nonfiction</p>	<p>Newsela.com</p> <p>Suggested Works: "The Monsters Are Due on Maple Street" by Rod Serling</p> <p><i>A Christmas Carol: Scrooge and Marley, Acts 1 & 2</i>, Israel Horovitz, Drama</p> <p><i>The Outsiders</i> S.E. Hinton</p> <p><i>Treasure Island</i> by Robert Louis Stevenson</p> <p><i>The Necklace</i> Guy de Maupassant</p> <p><i>The Gift of the Magi</i> O. Henry</p> <p><i>The Legend of Sleepy Hollow</i> Washington Irving (adapted version)</p>
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	<p>productivity. CRP12. Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence.</p> <p><u>Technology Integration</u> -Chromebook -Online text -Google classroom</p> <p><u>Career Education</u> Architecture & Construction Arts, A/V Technology & Communications Education & Training Government & Public Administration Health Science Human Services Information Technology</p>	<p>productivity. CRP12. Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence.</p> <p><u>Technology Integration</u> -Chromebook -Online text -Google classroom</p> <p><u>Career Education</u> Arts, A/V Technology & Communications Business Management & Administration Education & Training Government & Public Administration Health Science Information Technology Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM)</p>	<p>productivity. CRP12. Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence.</p> <p><u>Technology Integration</u> -Chromebook -Online text -Google classroom</p> <p><u>Career Education</u> Arts, A/V Technology & Communications Health Science Human Services</p>
PACING-->	UNIT #4 3-5 Weeks	UNIT #5 4-6 Weeks	UNIT #6 4-5 Weeks
TOPIC/THEME AND OBJECTIVES	<p>Science Fiction and Narrative</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analyze differences in point of view, how particular lines of dialogue or excerpts in a story propel the action, reveal aspects of a character, or provoke a decision. Cite the text evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text. Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to the characters, setting, and plot; provide an objective summary of the text. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts. Utilize writing techniques: dialogue, sensory details, hook, cohesion, varied syntax, parenthetical expressions and digressions. 	<p>Functional Texts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Utilize active reading strategies to analyze texts and identify purpose of functional text, speech, advertisement, article, etc. Recognize and analyze how and why a particular viewpoint of events may differ or change over time. Compose a variety of oral and written persuasive, argumentative, and debatable pieces including final written products, speeches, brochures, commercials, newspaper articles and/or posts using powerful word choice and convincing terminology. 	<p>Folktales, Myths and Legends</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The students will be able to identify and define a variety of conflict types, as well as differentiate the subgenres of folktales, myths, and legends. The students will be able to identify, define, and analyze the development of the theme over the course of the text. The students will be able to locate and utilize textual evidence to support reasoning. The students will be able to draw on personal experiences to better empathize with and understand the inner motivations of the character. The students will be able to create well-drawn consistent characters, setting, and progression of plot in order to construct an original narrative.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> With guidance and support from peers and adults, write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and a well structured plot. 		
<p>ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS & ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How does science fiction relate to and connect with the present society? What can science fiction teach us about reality? How do writers use logical arguments to change a reader's point of view to, bring about a change on the reader's part, or to ask the reader to accept the writer's explanation or a concept, issue, or problem? Science fiction authors depict futuristic settings that, on some level, comment on present society. Argument Writing is a process through which writers argument logically to change the reader's point of view, to call action to, or to ask the reader to accept the writer's explanation of a concept, issue, or problem. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How do writers use logical arguments to change a reader's point of view to bring about change or action, change the reader's perspective, or to ask the reader to accept the writer's explanation, concept, issue, and/or problem? How does cultural ignorance cause stereotyping? How does one's culture contribute to one's perspective? How does one's understanding of a historical event contribute to one's view of the world? Functional texts, in a variety of media, critically depict an author's viewpoint. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How do folktales, myths, and legends address conflict in different manners? How do writers craft vivid, engaging narratives? How does a deeper understanding of the protagonist allow the reader to empathize with others' perspectives? A narrative writer conveys meaning through deliberate use of literary elements and narrative techniques. Folktales, myths, and legends serve as creative expression of life's conflicts throughout multicultural settings and societies.
<p>STANDARDS</p>	<p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.3 Analyze how particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot).</p>	<p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of</p>	<p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.3 Analyze how particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot).</p>

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	<p>NJSLSA.RI.7.8 Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient to support the claims.</p> <p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.10 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 tasks, purposes, and audiences.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.1d</u> <u>Establish and maintain a formal style/academic style, approach, and form.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.4</u> <u>Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, voice and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.5 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.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.6 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.</p> <p>Speaking/Listening (SL)</p>	<p><u>NJSLSA.RI.7.10</u> <u>By the end of the year read and comprehend literary nonfiction at grade level text-complexity or above, with scaffolding as needed.</u></p> <p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1 Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1.A Introduce claim(s), acknowledge alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1.B Support claim(s) with logical reasoning and relevant evidence, using accurate, credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1.C Use words, phrases, and clauses to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among claim(s), reasons, and evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1.E Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.2.A</u> <u>Introduce a topic clearly, previewing what is to follow; organize ideas, concepts, and information, using text structures (e.g., definition, classification, comparison/contrast, cause/effect, etc.) and text features (e.g., headings, graphics, and multimedia).</u></p>	<p>influence individuals or events, or how individuals influence ideas or events).</p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RI.7.10</u> <u>By the end of the year read and comprehend literary nonfiction at grade level text-complexity or above, with scaffolding as needed.</u></p> <p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1 Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.W.7.4</u> <u>Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, voice and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.5 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</p>
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	<p>general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.</p> <p>NJSLA Technology 8.1.8.B.1 Synthesize and publish information about a local or global issue or event (ex. telecollaborative project, blog, school web). 8.1.8.C.1 Collaborate to develop and publish work that provides perspectives on a global problem for discussions with learners from other countries. 8.1.8.D.1 Understand and model appropriate online behaviors related to cyber safety, cyber bullying, cyber security, and cyber ethics including appropriate use of social media. 8.1.8.D.2 Demonstrate the application of appropriate citations to digital content. 8.1.8.E.1 Effectively use a variety of search tools and filters in professional public databases to find information to solve a real world problem. 8.1.8.F.1 Explore a local issue, by using digital tools to collect and analyze data to identify a solution and make an informed decision.</p>	<p>question, drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions for further research and investigation.</p> <p>NJLSA.W.7.9 Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</p> <p>NJLSA.W.7.9.B Apply grade 7 Reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g. "Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient to support the claims").</p> <p><u>NJLSA.W.7.10</u> <u>Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, metacognition/self correction, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</u></p> <p>Speaking/Listening (SL)</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.2 Analyze the main ideas and supporting details presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how the ideas clarify a topic, text, or issue under study.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.3 Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.</p>	<p>Language (L) NONE</p> <p>NJSLA Technology 8.1.8.B.1 Synthesize and publish information about a local or global issue or event (ex. telecollaborative project, blog, school web). 8.1.8.C.1 Collaborate to develop and publish work that provides perspectives on a global problem for discussions with learners from other countries. 8.1.8.D.1 Understand and model appropriate online behaviors related to cyber safety, cyber bullying, cyber security, and cyber ethics including appropriate use of social media. 8.1.8.D.2 Demonstrate the application of appropriate citations to digital content. 8.1.8.E.1 Effectively use a variety of search tools and filters in professional public databases to find information to solve a real world problem. 8.1.8.F.1 Explore a local issue, by using digital tools to collect and analyze data to identify a solution and make an informed decision.</p>
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<p>INSTRUCTIONAL PROCEDURES</p>	<p>Whole Group how to craft a thoughtful introduction</p> <p>grammar mini-projects</p> <p>vocabulary activities</p> <p>reading, analysis, and discussion of articles relating to science fiction, such as: <i>Trip to Mars Could Damage Astronauts' Brains</i>, Laura Sanders, Science Article; Future of Space Exploration, Nola Taylor Redd, News Article</p> <p>Mini Lessons using short stories, such as: <i>Dark They Were</i>, and <i>Golden Eyed</i> by Ray</p>	<p>Whole Group Cite several pieces of verbal or textual evidence to support analysis of the text or speech.</p> <p>Debates</p> <p>Persuasive Writing pieces; such as Nobel Speech, Al Gore, Speech (written and video)</p> <p>Respond to samples of arguments and write to a prompt</p> <p>Propaganda investigation</p>	<p>Whole Group Interdisciplinary connection: Mixed-Up Myth activity</p> <p>Vocabulary and Spelling Games</p> <p>Reading Comprehension questions</p> <p>Critical thinking questions Figurative language activity - specifying on irony</p> <p>identifying/labeling qualities of a "hero", archetypal and epics</p>

	<p>Bradbury</p> <p>figurative language, symbolism, and imagery activities</p> <p>immersion in sensory details</p> <p>participate in class discussions questioning the role of the individual vs. society, the ideas of sameness vs. differences and the importance of security vs. free choice.</p> <p><u>Individual</u> conferences</p> <p>reading quizzes</p> <p>journal entries</p> <p>vocabulary activities basic sentence parts and kinds of sentence structure identification</p> <p><u>Small Groups</u></p> <p>participation on peer review and editing</p> <p>participate in small group discussions</p> <p>vocabulary activities</p>	<p>Post questions that elicit elaboration and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant observations and ideas that bring the discussion back on topic as needed. identifying phrases, clauses, and as well as effective sentence writing</p> <p><u>Individual</u> one on one conferencing with peers and teachers KWL charts independent reading/SSR</p> <p>construct an argumentative/persuasive response including counterarguments</p> <p><u>Small Groups</u></p> <p>compare and contrast two sides to an argument</p> <p>participate in small group discussions</p> <p>vocabulary activities</p>	<p>discussion of allegories, fables, myths, and legends and terminology associated with each</p> <p><u>Individual</u> Individual reading text KWL chart</p> <p>-construct an argumentative/persuasive response including counterarguments</p> <p>construct an argumentative/persuasive response including counterarguments</p> <p><u>Small Groups</u> Small group reading text/share</p> <p>Characterization Drawing activities</p> <p>literature circles</p> <p>epic/hero/gods/goddesses jigsaw</p> <p>Myths from different countries exploration activity http://teacher.scholastic.com/writewit/mff/myths.htm</p>
<p>INSTRUCTIONAL AND SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS/ LEVELED TEXTS</p>	<p><u>Materials</u> Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p>	<p><u>Materials</u> Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p>	<p><u>Materials</u> Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p>

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	<p>Suggested Works: <i>James and the Giant Peach</i> by Roald Dahl <i>The Giver</i> by Lois Lowry <i>Crater</i> by Homer Hickman <i>Among the Hidden</i> by Margaret Peterson Haddix and "The Quiet World" by Jefferey McDaniel (poem) Teacher Resource for Among the Hidden: https://digitalcommons.trinity.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1277&context=educ_understandings <i>The Legend Series</i> by Marie Lu</p>	<p><i>Comprehending Functional Text</i> (Teacher Resource Book) -</p> <p>https://ellsd68secondary.weebly.com/upload/s/4/7/5/1/47512197/functional_text_secondary.pdf</p> <p>Suggested Works: "A Young Tinkerer Builds a Windmill, Electrifying a Nation," Sarah Childress "A Simple Act" Tyler Jackson Danger! This Mission to Mars could Bore you to Death" by Maggie Koerth-Baker "The future of Space Exploration could see Humans on Mars, Alien Planets" by Nola Taylor Redd "UFO Sightings and News," by Benjamin Radford "Urban Farming is Growing a Greener Future" a photo gallery by Hillary Schwei - "Nobel Lecture," Oslo, December 10, 2007- Al Gore "How Helen Keller Learned to Talk" Helen Keller, Anne Sullivan, Interview "Wraith of Grapes Boycott" by Cesar Chavez</p>	<p>mythopedia www.myths.e2bn.org</p> <p>Vocabulary Their Way</p> <p>Suggested Works:</p> <p>Aesop's Fables</p> <p>http://www.taleswithmorals.com/</p> <p><i>Percy Jackson</i> series by Rick Riordan</p> <p>Scholastic</p> <p>http://teacher.scholastic.com/writewit/mff/myths.htm</p>
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Varied supplemental materials

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Providing study guides
Reducing the number of answer choices on a multiple choice test
Using computer word processing spell check and grammar check features

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Gifted and Talented

Alternative formative and summative assessments
Group investigations
Independent research and projects
Interest groups
Multiple intelligence options
Multiple texts
Personal agendas
Project-based/ Problem-based learning
Stations/centers
Tiered activities/assignments

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PACING-->	UNIT #7 5-6 Weeks	UNIT #8 2-3 Weeks	UNIT #9 4-6 Weeks
TOPIC/THEME AND OBJECTIVES	<p>Historical Fiction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The students will be able to compare and contrast two versions of historical events. • The students will be able to utilize close, active reading strategies as presented through modeling to interact with an informational text. • The students will be able to recognize differences in structure and features in fiction and non-fiction texts. • The students will be able to recognize how and why a particular viewpoint of historical events may differ or change over time. 	<p>Poetry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The students will be able to interpret, analyze, and criticize multiple works of poetry. • The students will be able to develop lyrical prose through the use of figurative and sensory language. • The students will be able to compose lyrical poetry that demonstrates understanding of the form, style, and function of the literary form. • The students will be able to use a variety of sentence types to create fluency in prose. 	<p>Biographies and Memoirs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The students will be able to construct a well-written memoir and/or research assignment using descriptive language and appropriate citations. • The students will be able to identify change in a character throughout the nonfictional piece. • The students will be able to make a personal connection to a character facing some type of hardship in the nonfictional piece. • The students will be able to demonstrate how the setting affects the plot of a text.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The students will be able to effectively use technology to research and cite sources, collaborate with others, and publish their work. • The students will be able to use non-fiction literature as a springboard for further inquiry into a topic. 		
<p>ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS & ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How does one's understanding of historical events impact the formation of one's identity? • How does a writer convey information clearly and accurately to deepen the reader's understanding of a topic? • How might an author present a skewed depiction of history? • Recorded history may differ from actual history depending on the author's bias, intentional or otherwise. • Informational writing conveys accurate information to increase the reader's knowledge of a subject, to help readers better understand a procedure or process, or to provide readers with an enhanced comprehension of a concept. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How does a poetic form contribute the meaning of the poem? • How does poetry help us understand and appreciate diverse cultures and perspectives? • How does the structure of poetry reveal the author's purpose? • What makes poetry a unique form of writing? • Poems are written for pleasure, instruction, and enlightenment. • Poems express the human condition through their language, style, voice, and content and through the use of literary devices. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do personal experiences shape identity? • How do writers convey purpose, position, and meaning in their work? • How might an author present a skewed depiction of an event? • Why is it important to learn about significant historical events such as the Holocaust? • Individual differences (including cultural persuasion) influence one's perception of historical events. • People rely on a variety of resources to obtain information.
<p>STANDARDS</p>	<p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.3 Analyze how particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot).</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases</p>	<p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or</p>	<p>Reading Literature (RL)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.3 Analyze how particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot).</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.6 Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.</p> <p>Reading Info Text (RI)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RI.7.1</u></p>

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analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone.</p> <p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJSLSA.W.7.1 Write arguments to support claims with clear</p>	<p>drama.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.5 Analyze how a drama's or poem's form or structure (e.g., soliloquy, sonnet) contributes to its meaning.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.6 Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.RL.7.7 Compare and contrast a written story, drama, or poem to its audio, filmed, staged, or multimedia version, analyzing the effects of techniques unique to each medium (e.g., lighting, sound, color, or camera focus and angles in a film).</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RL.7.10</u> <u>By the end of the year read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems at grade level text-complexity or above, scaffolding as needed.</u></p> <p>Reading Info Text (RI)</p> <p><u>NJSLSA.RI.7.1</u> <u>Cite several pieces of textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.</u></p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.3 Analyze the interactions between individuals, events, and ideas in a text (e.g., how ideas influence individuals or events, or how individuals influence ideas or events).</p> <p>NJSLSA.RI.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; 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	<p>reasons and relevant evidence.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.</p> <p><u>NJLSLA.W.7.4</u> <u>Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, voice and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</u></p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.5 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.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.6 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.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.7 Conduct short research projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions for further research and investigation.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.8 Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and</p>	<p><u>NJLSLA.RI.7.10</u> <u>By the end of the year read and comprehend literary nonfiction at grade level text-complexity or above, with scaffolding as needed.</u></p> <p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.</p> <p><u>NJLSLA.W.7.4</u> <u>Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, voice and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</u></p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.5 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.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.6 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.</p> <p><u>NJLSLA.W.7.10</u> <u>Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, metacognition/self correction, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</u></p> <p>Speaking/Listening (SL)</p> <p>NJLSLA.SL.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative</p>	<p>Writing (W)</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.1 Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.</p> <p><u>NJLSLA.W.7.4</u> <u>Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, voice and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</u></p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.5 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.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.6 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.</p> <p>NJLSLA.W.7.9 Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</p> <p><u>NJLSLA.W.7.10</u> <u>Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, metacognition/self correction, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks,</u></p>
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	<p>accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.</p> <p>NJLSA.W.7.9 Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</p> <p><u>NJLSA.W.7.10</u> <u>Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, metacognition/self correction, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</u></p> <p>Speaking/Listening (SL) NONE</p> <p>Language (L) NONE</p>	<p>discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.3 Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.4 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.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.5 Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify claims and findings and emphasize salient points.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.</p> <p>Language (L)</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.1 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.3 Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.4 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases</p>	<p><u>purposes, and audiences.</u></p> <p>Speaking/Listening (SL)</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.2 Analyze the main ideas and supporting details presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how the ideas clarify a topic, text, or issue under study.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.3 Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.4 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.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.5 Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify claims and findings and emphasize salient points.</p> <p>NJLSA.SL.7.6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.</p> <p>Language (L)</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.1 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.</p>
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		<p>based on grade 7 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.5 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.5.A Interpret figures of speech (e.g., literary, biblical, and mythological allusions) in context.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.5.B Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.5.C Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., refined, respectful, polite, diplomatic, condescending).</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.6 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.</p>	<p>NJLSA.L.7.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.3 Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.4 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 7 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.</p> <p>NJLSA.L.7.6 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.</p>
<p>INSTRUCTIONAL PROCEDURES</p>	<p>Whole Group Interactive Whiteboard games to introduce/review content Symbolism and recurring imagery activity Literature Circles Mini lessons focusing on elements of theme, plot, historical references, etc; such as: <i>The Circuit</i> by Francisco Jiminez, <i>Short Story</i>; an excerpt from <i>The Grapes of Wrath</i> by John Steinbeck; information pertaining to the Dust Bowl; etc. Think-Pair-Share</p> <p>Individual Writing conferences</p>	<p>Whole Group connection activity Edgar Allan Poe / William Shakespeare poetry read aloud interactive notes/games introducing terminology pertaining to poetry including stanza interactive poetry activities figurative language review activities analyze cultural and historical context of poetry</p> <p>Individual create a Wordle poem using wordle.com construct an "I Am Poem"</p>	<p>Whole Group text-based classroom discussion review of nonfiction terms and definitions analyze varied syntax and sentence beginnings discuss Latin and Greek forms</p> <p>Individual writing conferences writing response activities</p> <p>Small Groups analysis of form and function of non-fiction text peer editing</p>

	<p>journal writing punctuation identification</p> <p>Small Groups Nonfiction articles related to historical events-- reading, analysis, and discussion Sharing of student writing historical event background jigsaw</p>	<p>independent reading / SSR punctuation identification</p> <p>Small Groups compare and contrast activity collaborative poems Reader's Theater poetry Idiom activities Interactive Poetry Activities: https://www.readitwriteitlearnit.com/single-post/2017/03/28/High-Interest-Poetry-Activities (blog)</p>	<p>nonfiction articles - reading, analysis, and discussion</p>
<p>INSTRUCTIONAL AND SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS/ LEVELED TEXTS</p>	<p>Materials Discovery Education . Firsthand Immigrant Accounts . WebQuest on multiple cultures www.weenglishteacher.com Venn diagrams Youtube Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p> <p>SmartBoard</p> <p>Teacher-generated PowerPoint</p> <p>Teacher-generated worksheets</p> <p>Leveled Texts</p> <p>Holt Handbook, 2010</p> <p>Literature 7 McDougal Douglas 2008 (Hope)</p> <p>Prentice Hall Literature Grade 7 Common Core Edition. 2012 (White Twp)</p>	<p>Materials Discovery Education www.weenglishteacher.com Venn diagrams Youtube Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p> <p>SmartBoard</p> <p>Teacher-generated PowerPoint</p> <p>Teacher-generated worksheets Various Poems by Edgar Allan Poe . Various Sonnets by William Shakespeare</p> <p>Leveled Texts</p> <p>Holt Handbook, 2010</p> <p>Literature 7 McDougal Douglas 2008 (Hope)</p> <p>Prentice Hall Literature Grade 7 Common Core Edition. 2012 (White Twp)</p>	<p>Materials Discovery Education Venn diagrams Youtube Computer or iPad with Internet MyAccess</p> <p>Document Camera</p> <p>LCD projector</p> <p>SmartBoard</p> <p>Teacher-generated PowerPoint</p> <p>Teacher-generated worksheets</p> <p>Leveled Texts</p> <p>Holt Handbook, 2010</p> <p>Literature 7 McDougal Douglas 2008 (Hope)</p> <p>Prentice Hall Literature Grade 7 Common Core Edition. 2012 (White Twp)</p> <p><i>myPerspectives</i> - Pearson Realize digital text and consumable text (Harmony)</p>

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