# **Reasoning Through Language Arts (RLA) Instructional Framework**



# **KENTUCKY SKILLS U INSTRUCTIONAL FRAMEWORK SERIES INTRODUCTION**

#### **IMPETUS FOR FRAMEWORKS**

The Kentucky Skills U Instructional Framework Series was designed to provide a common instructional foundation for all of Kentucky's adult education providers. Local adult educators (who intuitively aligned instruction with college and career readiness standards, student assessment criteria, and program performance metrics) provided the impetus for this project. (In an effort to acknowledge those who inspired this work, contributions of individual Kentucky Adult Educators are signified with a pink highlight throughout the entire framework series.)

Building upon the work done by local providers, a state-level team designed the KY Skills U Instructional Framework Series to align all instruction statewide with the LINCS Professional Development Center State Leadership Self-Assessment Tool, the LINCS Adult Education Teacher Competencies, the Data Recognition Corporation TABE 11/12 Blueprints, and the GED<sup>®</sup> Testing Service High Impact Indicators (HIIs). The result is a four-framework series comprised of:

- The Student Framework Research and strategies targeted to adult student retention and persistence, aligned with LINCS AE Teacher Competencies
- The Mathematics Instructional Framework Instructional resources aligned with TABE 11/12 levels and GED® HIIs
- The Reasoning Through Language Arts Instructional Framework Instructional resources aligned with TABE 11/12 levels and GED<sup>®</sup> HIIs
- The Instructional Technology Framework Instructional resources, accompanied by detailed screenshot and video tutorials, aligned with LINCS AE Teacher Competencies

#### **INTENDED USES OF FRAMEWORKS**

The KY Skills U Instructional Framework Series **provides comprehensive**, **assessment-aligned instructional support to adult educators**. The frameworks serve as the basis for intensive, ongoing, job-embedded professional learning in the form of provider-based professional learning communities and targeted, framework-aligned, online professional learning elective courses. The four frameworks also:

- Arm instructional leaders with research-based instructional coaching resources
- Equip providers with relevant instructional technology and distance learning tools to support instruction
- Orient providers with best practice strategies for understanding, recruiting, and retaining adult students
- Prepare volunteer tutors with high-quality instructional resources to support learners

#### INFORMATION FOR NAVIGATING FRAMEWORKS SUCCESSFULLY

To ensure quick and easy access to resources featured in the frameworks, resources have been color coded, as shown below:

KY Skills U Lesson Bank Lesson (yellow highlight)

Network Resources Open College & Career (NROC) Playlist (light grey highlight)

Open Educational Resource (OER) (no highlight)

Kentucky Skills U Educator Model Lesson Segment (pink highlight)

Videos

\*Must download for optimal quality

# TABE 11/12 ACCEPTABLE SCORE RANGES

| TEST LEVEL             | GRADE LEVEL RANGE                        | MATH      | READING   | LANGUAGE  |
|------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| l (limited<br>Literacy | K - 3 <sup>RD</sup> GRADE                | 300 - 489 | 300 - 498 | 300 - 507 |
| E (EASY)               | 1 <sup>ST</sup> - 5 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE  | 376 - 530 | 389 - 533 | 358 - 544 |
| M (MEDIUM)             | 2 <sup>ND</sup> - 8 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE  | 454 - 589 | 443 - 572 | 460 - 580 |
| D (DIFFICULT)          | 4 <sup>TH</sup> - 10 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE | 502 - 654 | 504 - 615 | 515-625   |
| A (ADVANCED)           | 7 <sup>™</sup> - 12 <sup>™</sup> GRADE   | 541-800   | 540 - 800 | 552 - 800 |



# **Reasoning Through Language Arts (RLA) Instructional Framework**

Kentucky Skills U, in conjunction with the Morehead State University Adult Education Academy, is pleased to present this instructional framework for RLA. In the framework, instructional materials from the <u>Kentucky Skills U Lesson Bank</u>, NROC Hippocampus, and Other Education Resources have been aligned with both the Data Recognition Corporation (DRC) <u>TABE 11/12</u> Blueprints and the GED<sup>®</sup> Testing Service <u>GED<sup>®</sup> High Impact Indicators</u>.

**College and Career Readiness Standards for Adult Education** ELA/Literacy Standards Key:

| RI: Reading Informational Text             | W: Writing  |
|--|---|
| RL: Reading Literature                     | WHST: Writing for History/Social Studies, Scientific and Technical Subjects |
| RH: Reading Historical/Social Studies Text | SL: Speaking and Listening  |
| RST: Reading Scientific and Technical Text | L: Language   |
|  | RF: Reading Foundations   |

The citation at the end of each standard in the following chart identifies the CCRS strand, grade, and number (or standard number and letter, where applicable). For example, RI.4.3 stands for Reading, Instructional Text, Grade 4, Standard 3.

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#### **LEVEL L High Emphasis**

| LEVEL L<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL A)                    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|--|----------|---|---|
| PHONOLOGICAL<br>AWARENESS (23%)                | RF.K.2   | Demonstrate understanding of spoken words,<br>syllables, and sounds phonemes). (RF.K.2.a, RF.K.2.b,<br>RF.K.2.c, RF.K.2.d, RF.K.2.e)                      | Syllable Types and Word Attack Strategies (IPDAE)<br>Decoding Words Part 1 Playlist |
| PHONICS AND WORD<br>RECOGNITION (23%)          | RF.1.3   | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word<br>analysis skills in decoding words. (RF.1.3.a, RF.1.3.b,<br>RF.1.3.c, RF.1.d, 1.RF.3.e, RF.1.3.f, RF.1.3.g) | Community Signage   |
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (28%)                 | RL.1.1   | Ask and answer questions about key details in a text.   | Employability Skills Lesson 1   |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (16%)                   | RI.1.4   | Ask and answer questions to help determine or<br>clarify the meaning of words and phrases in a text.  | Ask Questions to Determine Word Meaning (RI.1.4)                                    |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (10%) |          | No High Emphasis questions in this category   |   |

#### **LEVEL E High Emphasis**

| LEVEL E<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL B)                    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|--|----------|--|--|
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (15%) |          | No High Emphasis in this category  |  |
| PHONICS AND WORD<br>RECOGNITION (16%)          | RF.3.3   | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word<br>analysis skills in decoding words. (RF.3.3a, RF.3.3b,<br>RF.3.3.c, RF.3.3.d)        | Decoding Words Part 2 Playlist (RF.3.3)  |
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (37%)                 | RI.2.1   | Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where,<br>when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding<br>of key details in a text. | Complete and Partial Baths<br>SMART Goal-Setting<br>Understanding Employer's Expectations<br>What is Your Why? |

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| LEVEL E<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL B)  | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|------------------------------|----------|--|---|
| (                            | RI.3.2   | Determine the main idea of a text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea.                                       | Read for Main Ideas and Details Playlist (RI.3.2) |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (32%) | RI.3.4   | Determine the meaning of general academic and<br>domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant<br>to a grade 3 topic or subject area. | Academic Vocabulary (IPDAE)                       |

#### **LEVEL M High Emphasis**

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|  | STANDARD         | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
| (AE-CCR LEVEL C)<br>KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (47%) | RL.4.2<br>RI.4.2 | Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from<br>details in the text; summarize the text.<br>Determine the main idea of a text and explain how it<br>is supported by key details; summarize the text. | Determine the Main Idea<br>The Main Idea: Boston Tea Party<br>Themes in Short Stories (IPDAE)<br>Creativity: Through Systems Thinking<br>Determine the Main Idea<br>Goal Boosters vs. Goal Busters<br>Healthcare Worker Importance of Following Directions<br>Introduction to the Study Guide<br>The Main Idea: Boston Tea Party<br>Secial Studies and Systems           |
| DETAILS (47 %)                                     | RI.4.3           | Explain events, procedures, ideas, or concepts in a<br>historical, scientific, or technical text, including what<br>happened and why, based on specific information in<br>the text.                       | Social Studies and Systems         Using the Internet as Your Career Compass         55 System of Lean Manufacturing         Analyzing the Effects of Reducing, Reusing, and Recycling—Can You Make a         Difference?         End of Life Care         Social Studies and Systems         Workplace Systems         Informational Text: It Reads Differently (IPDAE) |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (42%)                       | RI.5.4           | Determine the meaning of general academic and<br>domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant<br>to a grade 5 topic or subject area.  | First Things First<br>Getting Your Bearings<br>Importance of Sleep<br>Researching the Job Market to Investigate Take-Home Salaries<br>The Legos of Language<br>The Main Idea: Boston Tea Party<br>What Dream Picked You?   |

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| LEVEL M<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL C)                    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION                        | RESOURCES   |
|--|----------|---|---|
|  |          |   | Your Mission Statement<br>The Following Have a Few Vocabulary Words in Context:<br>Healthcare Worker Importance of Following Directions<br>Identifying Hazards<br>Intro to OSHA<br>Lesson 3: Organizational Communication<br>SMART Goal-Setting<br>Speaking and Listening<br>The Words We Live By |
|  |          |   | Vaccinations  |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (11%) |          | No High Emphasis questions in this category |   |

#### **LEVEL D High Emphasis**

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
|--------------------------------|----------|---|--|
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (47%) | RI.7.1   | Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support<br>analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as<br>inferences drawn from the text. | Being a Good EmployeeClose Reading Strategies—Industrialization and Child LaborCommunicating Across CulturesComplete and Partial BathsConstruction & Trades: Career ExplorationDon't Let Cost Be Your Goal Buster: Ways to Pay for Higher EducationEducate, Respect, and Protect YourselfEmployee Performance and EtiquetteExpert Testimony—Research and Compilation of Data to Support a ClaimExtended ResponseFollowing Multi-Step Procedures for Trade JobsGender Pay GapGifted: Finding Your Multiple IntelligencesHealth Science Careers in Therapeutic Services: The Ability to Work as a TeamIs it Poetic JusticeInterpreting LiteratureJust the Facts Ma'am—Explicit Meanings of TextsMaking Inferences in Articles about Trade Jobs |

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D) | STANDARD  | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|-----------------------------|-----------|--|--|
|                             |           |  | Survey of Support Services and Informatics<br>Team Work and Problem Solving<br>TDL Extended Response Part 1: Analyzing the Evidence in the Texts<br>What Did I Just Say?<br>What's It All About? Logical Inferences and Citing Evidence<br>Word Choice in Texts for Energy Jobs<br>Determining the Meaning and Making Inferences through Text Connections<br>(IPDAE)   |
|                             | RST.6-8.1 | Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts.   | Looking for Evidence (IPDAE)<br>Construction & Trades: Career Exploration<br>Employee Performance and Etiquette<br>Expert Testimony—Research and Compilation of Data to Support a Claim<br>Following Multi-Step Procedures for Trade Jobs<br>Gender Pay Gap<br>Healthcare Careers in Diagnostic Services: Observing for Detecting and<br>Diagnosing "What are the Signs and Symptoms and Why Do They Matter?"<br>Healthcare Worker Importance of Following Directions<br>Just the Facts Ma'am—Explicit Meanings of Texts<br>Making Inferences in Articles about Trade Jobs<br>Survey of Support Services and Informatics<br>TDL Extended Response Part 1: Analyzing the Evidence in the Texts<br>What Did I Just Say?<br>What's It All About? Logical Inferences and Citing Evidence<br>Word Choice in Texts for Energy Jobs |
|                             | RI.6.2    | Determine a central idea of a text and how it is<br>conveyed through particular details; provide a<br>summary of the text distinct from personal opinions<br>or judgments. | A Drug-free Workplace<br>Active Listening and Lineman Interviews<br>Compare and Contrast with the Battle of Gettysburg<br>Determine the Main Idea<br>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Diagnostic Questioning OLD<br>CARTS and SOAP Notes<br>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Differentiating Between Drug<br>Use, Misuse, and Abuse<br>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: People Skills in Healthcare<br>Settings<br>Healthcare Worker Importance of Following Directions<br>Introduction to the Study Guide   |

| LEVEL D       STANDARD       STANDARD DESCRIPTION       RESOURCES         (AE-CCR LEVEL D)       Image: Comparison of the sequence of Events with Transportation Texts: Sequencing to Summarizing         Summarizing       Summarizing Workplace Texts: The Power Grid         The Main Idea. Boston Tea Party       Understanding Systems         Using Fables to Teach Character and Cultural Traditions through Speaking,       Listening, and Writing         Using Fables to Teach Character and Cultural Traditions through Speaking,       Listening, and Writing         Using the Internet at Your Career Compass       Weight and Weightlessness: Theres of The Things They Carried         Comprehending Complex Informational Texts (IPDAE)       Finding the Central Idea and Supporting Details(IPDAE)         RI.8.3       Analyze how a text makes connections among and distinctions between individuals, ideas, or events (e.g., through comparisons, analogies, or categories).       SS System of Lean Manufacturing         Climax on the Bainy River: Character, Setting, and Plot Devices       Forkith Safety         Part 2 of Essay on a Goal Achiever: Writing the First Draft       TDL Extended Response Part 2: Transitions are Like Road Signs |
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| The Chain of Command for Major TDL Companies   |
| CRAFT AND Dateline Chappaquiddick—Analyzing One of the Top 100 Speeches of the 20 <sup>th</sup>  |
| STRUCTURE (38%)  |
| First Things First   |
| Gettin' Real with Gettysburg<br>Healthcare Careers in Diagnostic Services: Vocabulary for Interpreting Charts  |
| and Print Outs   |
| Is that Gun Loaded? Effects of Structure and Word Choices on Meaning   |
| Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they My Bedside Manners' Putting Thoughts into Written Word  |
| RI.6.4 are used in a text, including figurative, connotative,  |
| and technical meanings.  |
| The Vocabulary of Saving and Investing Money   |
| Using Fables to Teach Character and Cultural Traditions through Speaking,  |
| Listening, and Writing   |
| Welding Terminology, Joint and Weld Types, Diagrams and Symbols  |
| The following lessons have a few vocabulary words in context:  |
| A Drug-free Workplace  |

| LEVEL D          | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION                                 | RESOURCES  |
|------------------|----------|--|--|
| (AE-CCR LEVEL D) |          |  |  |
|                  |          |  | Researching the Job Market to Investigate Take-Home Salaries   |
|                  |          |  | Figurative Language in Informational Text: A Closer Look at Print Media (IPDAE)                                  |
|                  |          |  | Understanding and Using Multiple Meaning Words: A Three-Part Lesson (IPDAE)                                      |
|                  |          |  | and Links to Word Meaning PowerPoints  |
|                  |          |  | What is Figurative Language? Powerpoint (IPDAE)  |
|                  |          |  | Understanding Nonfiction Text Structure (IPDAE)  |
|                  |          | Analyze the structure an author uses to organize a   | Identifying Text Structure Lesson 1  |
|                  | RI.7.5   | text, including how the major sections contribute to | Identifying Text Structure Lesson 1: Answers   |
|                  |          | the whole and to the development of the ideas.       | Identifying Text Structure Lesson 7: Revolutionary War   |
|                  |          |  | Identifying Text Structure Lesson 7: Answers   |
|                  |          |  | Dateline Chappaquiddick—Analyzing One of the Top 100 Speeches of the 20 <sup>th</sup>                            |
|                  |          | Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a  | <u>Century</u>   |
|                  | RI.8.6   | text and analyze how the author acknowledges and     | Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Differentiating Between Drug                                      |
|                  |          | responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints.      | Use, Misuse, and Abuse   |
|                  |          |  | I Approve This Message   |
|                  |          |  | Word Choice in Texts for Energy Jobs   |
|                  |          |  | Believe It or Not—Checking the Facts   |
| INTEGRATION OF   |          | Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific     | Comparing Arguments Between Texts: To Build or Not to Build?   |
| KNOWLEDGE AND    | RI.8.8   | claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is | GED Extended Response Lesson1: Analyzing the Evidence  |
| IDEAS (15%)      | RI.0.0   | sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient;   | <u>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Analyzing the Evidence and</u><br>Writing an Extended Response |
| IDEAS (15%)      |          | recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced.    | TDL Extended Response Part 1: Analyzing the Evidence in the Texts  |
|                  |          |  | UraniumFriend or Foe, Comparative Analysis in Science  |
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#### LEVEL A High Emphasis

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)                    | STANDARD  | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
|--|-----------|---|--|
|  | RI.9-10.1 | Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support<br>analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as<br>inferences drawn from the text.   | Part 1 of Essay on a Goal Achiever<br>Making Inferences and Drawing Conclusions Playlist (RI.9-10.1)   |
| KEY IDEAS<br>AND DETAILS (47%)                 | RI.9-10.2 | Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its<br>development over the course of the text, including<br>how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific<br>details; provide an objective summary of the text.  | Weight and Weightlessness: Themes of The Things They Carried<br>Reading for Main Ideas, Details, Implied Meaning, and Summary Playlist (RI.9-<br>10.2)<br>Reading Activity 2: Main Ideas Playlist (RI.9-10.2)<br>Reading Activity 3: Implied Meanings Playlist (RI.9-10.2) |
|  | RI.9-10.4 | Determine the meaning of words and phrases as<br>they are used in a text, including figurative,<br>connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the<br>cumulative impact of specific word choices on<br>meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court<br>opinion differs from that of a newspaper). | Welding Terminology, Joint and Weld Types, Diagrams and Symbols<br>The Power of Words (IPDAE)  |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (42%)                   | RI.9-10.5 | Analyze in detail how an author's ideas or claims are<br>developed and refined by particular sentences,<br>paragraphs, or larger portions of a text (e.g., a<br>section or chapter).  | Reading Activity 5: How an Author Develops Ideas Playlist (RI.9-10.5)  |
|  | RI.9-10.6 | Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how an author uses rhetoric to advance that point of view or purpose.  | Reading for POV, Purpose, and Audience Playlist (RI.9-10.6)<br>Reading Activity 1: The Penny Debate Playlist (RI.9-10.6)   |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (11%) | RI.9-10.8 | Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific<br>claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is<br>valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient;<br>identify false statements and fallacious reasoning.   | Believe It or Not—Checking the Facts<br>Evaluating Evidence and Sources Playlist (RI.9-10.8)<br>Reading Activity 4: Interpreting Bias Playlist (RI.9-10.8)<br>Reading Activity 10: Evaluating the Evidence in a Student Paper Playlist (RI.9-<br>10.8)                     |

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#### LEVEL L Medium Emphasis

| LEVEL L<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL A)                    | STANDARD         | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|--|------------------|---|---|
| PHONOLOGICAL<br>AWARENESSS (23%)               |                  | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category   |   |
| PHONICS AND WORD<br>RECOGNITION (23%)          |                  | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category   |   |
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (28%)                 | RI.1.2<br>RI.1.3 | Identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.<br>Describe the connection between two individuals, events,<br>ideas, or pieces of information in a text. | Jazz Music         Men Who Walked on the Moon         Patricia Bath         The Story of Martin Luther King Jr.         The Telephone, The Lightbulb, and Lewis Latimer         Set 1: A Hero in Disguise and Meet Rosa Parks         Set 2: The Golden Gate Bridge and London's Tower Bridge         Set 3: The American Bird and The Liberty Bell |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (16%)                   | RI.1.5           | Know and use various text features (e.g., headings, tables<br>of contents, glossaries, electronic menus, icons) to locate<br>key facts or information in a text.    | Nonfiction Text Features Video<br>Text Features Practice Assessment   |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (10%) |                  | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category   |   |

#### **LEVEL E Medium Emphasis**

| LEVEL E  | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
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| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (15%) | RI.3.7   | Use information gained from illustrations (e.g., maps,<br>photographs) and the words in a text to demonstrate<br>understanding of the text (e.g., where, when, why, and<br>how key events occur). | Interpreting Photographs: A First Step in Understanding Texts (IPDAE)<br>RI.3.7<br>Learning Map Skills Video<br>Nonfiction Text Features Video<br>Why Illustrations Are Important: Video |
| PHONICS AND WORD<br>RECOGNITION (16%)          | RF.2.3   | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis<br>skills in decoding words. (RF.2.3.a, RF.2.3.b, RF.2.3.e,<br>RF.2.3.f)   | Word Analysis Strategy Video<br>Key Word List for Practice with Word Analysis Strategy   |

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| LEVEL E         | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|-----------------|----------|---|---|
|                 |          | Describe the relationship between a series of historical    | Analyzing the Effects of Reducing, Reusing, and Recycling—Can You Make              |
| KEY IDEAS AND   | RI.3.3   | events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical | a Difference?   |
| DETAILS (37%)   | NI.5.5   | procedures in a text, using language that pertains to time, | Part 2 of Essay on a Goal Achiever: Writing the First Draft                         |
|                 |          | sequence, and cause/effect.                                 | Website for U.S. History Timelines  |
|                 | RI.3.5   | Use text features and search tools (e.g., key words,        | eSpark Learning: Using Text Features Framing Video                                  |
|                 |          | sidebars, hyperlinks) to locate information relevant to a   | Online Research: Tips for Effect Search Strategies Video                            |
|                 |          | given topic efficiently.                                    |   |
| CRAFT AND       | RI.2.6   | Identify the main purpose of a text, including what the     | Set 1: <u>A Day to Celebrate Earth</u> and <u>A Day to Celebrate Earth Question</u> |
| STRUCTURE (32%) |          | author wants to answer, explain, or describe.               | <u>Set</u>  |
|                 |          | aution wants to answer, explain, or describe.               | Set 2: Give Thanks! and Give Thanks! Question Set                                   |
|                 | RI.3.6   | Distinguish their own point of view from that of the        | First-Person View, the Holocaust, and Japanese Internment Camps                     |
|                 | KI.3.0   | author of a text.   | Author's Point of View and Cultural Context   |

## **LEVEL M Medium Emphasis**

| LEVEL M                        | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|--------------------------------|----------|---|---|
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (47%) | RI.4.1   | Refer to details and examples in a text when explaining<br>what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences<br>from the text.                                      | Back It Up-Recognizing How Authors Support Their Arguments<br>Benchmarks: How Interviews Drive the Hiring Process<br>Goal Boosters vs. Goal Busters<br>Lesson 1: Professional Assessments<br>The Words We Live By<br>We Did It! So Can You!<br>You Are an Internet Explorer<br>Explicit vs. Implicit Details Instructional Video<br>Making Inferences Video |
|                                | RL.5.1   | Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.   | Back It Up-Recognizing How Authors Support Their Arguments<br>Making Inferences in Literature<br>Making Inferences Instructional Video  |
| CRAFT AND                      | RL.5.4   | Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative language such as metaphors and similes.   | Figurative Language in Informational Text: A Closer Look at Print Media<br>(IPDAE)<br>What is Figurative Language? Powerpoint (IPDAE)   |
| STRUCTURE (42%)                | RI.4.5   | Describe the overall structure (e.g., chronology,<br>comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events,<br>ideas, concepts, or information in a text or part of a text. | First Things First<br>The 5 Types of Text Structure: Video<br>Understanding Nonfiction Text Structure (IPDAE)   |

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| LEVEL M  | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
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|  | RI.5.6   | Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic,<br>noting important similarities and differences in the point<br>of view they represent.   | Back It UpRecognizing How Authors Support Their Argument<br>Compare and Contrast with the Battle of Gettysburg<br>Consider the SourceExploring Effects of Point of View, Worldview, and<br>Life Experiences<br>Discussing Views on Surface Mining<br>End of Life Care<br>Questioning the Author (IPDAE) RI.5.6   |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (11%) | RI.4.7   | Interpret information presented visually, orally, or<br>quantitatively (e.g., in charts, graphs, diagrams, time<br>lines, animations, or interactive elements on Web pages)<br>and explain how the information contributes to an<br>understanding of the text in which it appears. | Building a Resume         Dateline Chappaquiddick—Analyzing One of the Top 100 Speeches of the         20 <sup>th</sup> Century         Employability Skills Lesson 2         Getting Your Bearings         How the Industrial Revolution Leads to the Roaring Twenties         Using Job Skills to Choose a Career         What Footprint Will You Leave? Synthesizing and Presenting Information         Graphically |
|  | RI.5.8   | Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point(s).   | Author's Point of View<br>Is it Poetic JusticeInterpreting Literature<br>Re-ordering the Sequence of Events with Transportation Texts:<br>Sequencing to Summarizing  |

#### **LEVEL D Medium Emphasis**

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|--------------------------------|----------|--|---|
|                                | RL.7.1   | Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis<br>of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn<br>from the text.                                    | Finding Evidence that Supports an Opinion (IPDAE) RI.5.8<br>Looking for Evidence (IPDAE) (RI.5.8)   |
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (47%) | RL.6.2   | Determine a theme or central idea of a text and how it is<br>conveyed through particular details; provide a summary<br>of the text distinct from personal opinions or judgments. | Compare and Contrast with the Battle of Gettysburg<br>Determine the Main Idea<br>Re-ordering the Sequence of Events with Transportation Texts:<br>Sequencing to Summarizing<br>Using Fables to Teach Character and Cultural Traditions through<br>Speaking, Listening, and Writing<br>Weight and Weightlessness: Themes of The Things They Carried<br>Themes in Short Stories (IPDAE) |

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| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)                    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
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| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (38%)                   | RL.6.4   | Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are<br>used in a text, including figurative and connotative<br>meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on<br>meaning and tone. | Is That Gun Loaded? Effect of Structure and Word Choice on Meaning<br><u>Power/Energy Vocabulary in Context</u><br><u>Using Fables to Teach Character and Cultural Traditions through</u><br><u>Speaking, Listening, and Writing</u><br><u>Understanding Literary Text: What's in a Sonnet? (IPDAE) RL.6.4</u> |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (15%) |          | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category  |  |

#### **LEVEL A Medium Emphasis**

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)   | STANDARD   | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|-------------------------------|------------|--|--|
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS(47%) | RH.9-10.1  | Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of<br>primary and secondary sources, attending to such<br>features as the date and origin of the information.   | Primary and Secondary Sources Instructional VideoPrimary Sources: Looking for the Answer in the Constitution (IPDAE)The Bill of Rights is in the News! (IPDAE)A Primary Source by Olaudah EquianoSecondary Source: The Middle PassagePrimary Source: Declaration of IndependenceSecondary Source: Analysis of the Declaration of IndependencePrimary Source: The Virginia Declaration of RightsPrimary Source: Transcript of the Gettysburg AddressSecondary Source: Slavery, the Civil War & Reconstruction: Gettysburgand the Gettysburg Address |
| DETAILS(47%)                  | RL.9-10.2  | Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail 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. | Weight and Weightlessness: Themes of The Things They Carried<br>Grace's Painful Pattern Repeated: See It?<br>The Gift of the Magi  |
|                               | RI.11-12.3 | Analyze a complex set of ideas or sequence of events and<br>explain how specific individuals, ideas, or events interact<br>and develop over the course of the text.  | Climax on the Rainy River: Character, Setting, and Plot Devices<br>Why Do Cave Fish Lose Their Eyes?   |
|                               | RH.9-10.3  | Analyze in detail a series of events described in a text;<br>determine whether earlier events caused later ones or<br>simply preceded them.  | Identifying Causes and Effects<br>The Mayflower<br>Native American Conflicts   |

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)                    | STANDARD   | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
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|  | RST.9-10.3 | Follow precisely a complex multistep procedure when<br>carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or<br>performing technical tasks attending to special cases or<br>exceptions defined in the text.    | Scientific Inquiry: Which Falls Fastest? (IPDAE)<br>Click "Sample Assignment" and "Example" on this link: Sample<br>Assignment: Scientific Experiment<br>Click "Sample Assignment" and "Quiz Questions" on this link: Quiz over<br>Science Experiment  |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (42%)                   | RST.9-10.4 | Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other<br>domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a<br>specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades<br>9–10 texts and topics. | Welding Terminology, Joint and Weld Types, Diagrams and Symbols         Antibiotic Resistance (IPDAE)         Instructors must create a free Readworks account:         Everyday Energy         How small can transistors get?         How to Make a Better Robot         Human Microbiome: The Role of Microbes in Human Health |
|  | RI.11-12.5 | Analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of the structure an<br>author uses in his or her exposition or argument,<br>including whether the structure makes points clear,<br>convincing, and engaging.        | Analyze the Effectiveness of an Argument Reading Activity 8 Playlist<br>(RI.11-12.5)   |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (11%) |            | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category  |  |

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#### **LEVEL L Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL L<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL A)           | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|---------------------------------------|----------|--|---|
| PHONOLOGICAL<br>AWARENESS (23%)       |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category                             |   |
| PHONICS AND WORD<br>RECOGNITION (23%) |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category                             |   |
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (28%)        |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category                             |   |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (16%)          |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category                             |   |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND       | RI.1.7   | Use the illustrations and details in a text to describe its key ideas. | Health Science Careers in Therapeutic Services: The Ability to Work as aTeam Part 1Introduction to Concept: Main Idea vs. Key Details VideoInstructors must create a free account to access Newsela:Boy Uncovers Treasure that Might Have Belonged to Danish King Long AgoFriendly-faced Water Wheel Keeps Baltimore Harbor CleanSocial Media, Music Become Entry Points for Kids' Interest in Poetry |
| IDEAS (10%)                           | RI.1.8   | Identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text.      | Instructors must create a free account to access Newsela:<br>Pro/Con: Mandatory Vaccinations<br>PRO/CON: Should our next Census ask about Citizenship Status?<br>PRO/CON: Is it Time to Pass Tough Gun Control Laws?<br>PRO/CON: Should all High Schoolers take Courses in Personal Finance?  |

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#### **LEVEL E Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL E<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL B)                    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
|--|----------|---|--|
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (15%) | RI.2.8   | Describe how reasons support specific points the author makes in a text.  | Instructors must create a free Newsela account:<br>Pro/Con: Mandatory Vaccinations<br>PRO/CON: Should our Next Census ask about Citizenship Status?<br>PRO/CON: Is it Time to Pass Tough Gun Control Laws?<br>PRO/CON: Should all High Schoolers take Courses in Personal Finance? |
| PHONICS AND WORD<br>RECOGNITION (16%)          |          | No Low Emphasis in this category  |  |
| KEY IDEAS AND<br>DETAILS (37%)                 |          | No Low Emphasis in this category  |  |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (32%)                   | RI.2.5   | Know and use various text features (e.g., captions,<br>bold print, subheadings, glossaries, indexes,<br>electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or<br>information in a text efficiently. | What is Your Why?<br>eSpark Learning: Nonfiction Text Features Instructional Video (RI.2.5)<br>Non-fiction Text Features Video   |

#### LEVEL M Low Emphasis

| LEVEL M<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL C)       | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|-----------------------------------|----------|--|--|
| KEY IDEAS<br>AND DETAILS<br>(47%) | RL.4.1   | Refer to details and examples in a text when<br>explaining what the text says explicitly and when<br>drawing inferences from the text. | We Did It! So Can You!         Inferences Worksheet 2         Inference Worksheet 2: Answers         Inferences Worksheet 4: Answers         Instructors must create a free account to access Readworks:         Siblings         Siblings Question Set         What's for Breakfast? Narrative Fiction         What's for Breakfast? Question Set |

| LEVEL M<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL C)                    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|--|----------|---|---|
|  | RI.5.1   | Quote accurately from a text when explaining what<br>the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences<br>from the text.   | Back It Up—Recognizing How Authors Support Their Argument<br>Goal Boosters vs. Goal Busters<br>Importance of Sleep<br>Intro to OSHA<br>Intro to the Study Guide<br>Safety in the Working Environment<br>Speaking and Listening<br>Uranium-Friend or Foe, Comparative Analysis<br>Vaccinations<br>You Are an Internet Explorer<br>Your Employee Benefits<br>Inferences Worksheet 5<br>Inferences Worksheet 5: Answers  |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (42%)                   | RI.5.5   | Compare and contrast the overall structure (e.g.,<br>chronology, comparison, cause/effect,<br>problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or<br>information in two or more texts. | Teaching Text Structures for Non-Fiction Reading Video for TeachersText Structures and Signal Words Helpful Handout5 Text Structures and Signal Words HandoutIdentifying Text Structure Worksheet 5Identifying Text Structure Worksheet 5:AnswersIdentifying Text Structure Worksheet 4: PizzaIdentifying Text Structure Worksheet 4: AnswersIdentifying Text Structure Worksheet 8: Smart PhonesIdentifying Text Structure Worksheet 8: AnswersIdentifying Text Structure Worksheet 8: Answers |
|  | RL.5.6   | Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described.   | Character Point of View<br>Fiction Writing Lab<br>Narrator Point of View  |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (11%) |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category  |   |

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#### **LEVEL D Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)       | STANDARD  | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|--|--|
|                                   | RH.6-8.1  | Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources.   | Respect, Educate, and Protect Yourself<br>Gender Pay Gap<br>Primary and Secondary Sources Instructional Video<br>Persifor Frazer's Letters Activity<br>Revolutionary Perspectives  |
| KEY IDEAS<br>AND DETAILS<br>(47%) | RST.6-8.2 | Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text; provide an accurate summary of the text distinct from prior knowledge or opinions.   | Active Listening and Lineman Interviews<br>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Analyzing the Evidence and<br>Writing an Extended Response<br>Summarizing Workplace Texts: The Power Grid  |
| (4770)                            | RH.6-8.3  | Identify key steps in a text's description of a process related to history/social studies (e.g., how a bill becomes law, how interest rates are raised or lowered).                | Amending America: How Do We Amend? Video<br>The History and Process of Voting  |
|                                   | RST.6-8.3 | Follow precisely a multistep procedure when<br>carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or<br>performing technical tasks.  | Following Multi-Step Procedures for Trade Jobs<br>Khan Academy The Scientific Method<br>Khan Academy Controlled Experiments  |
|                                   | RL.6.5    | Analyze how a particular sentence, chapter, scene,<br>or stanza fits into the overall structure of a text and<br>contributes to the development of the theme,<br>setting, or plot. | "Harlem (A Dream Deferred)" Instructional Video (RL.6.5)   |
| CRAFT AND<br>STRUCTURE (38%)      | RH.6-8.6  | Identify aspects of a text that reveal an author's<br>point of view or purpose (e.g., loaded language,<br>inclusion or avoidance of particular facts).                             | Dateline ChappaquiddickAnalyzing One of the Top 100 Speeches of the 20th<br>Century<br>I Approve This Message<br>Word Choice in Texts for Energy Jobs<br>The Author's Purpose for Writing Video<br>The Author's Point of View in Writing Video<br>The Author's Tone in Writing Video |

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)                    | STANDARD  | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|--|-----------|--|--|
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (15%) | RI.6.7    | Integrate information presented in different media<br>or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as<br>in words to develop a coherent understanding of a<br>topic or issue.                 | Analyzing the Effects of Reducing, Reusing, and RecyclingCan You Make a<br>Difference?<br>Consider the Source-Exploring the Effects of Point of View, Worldview, and<br>Life Experiences<br>Digital Fluency and Final Test<br>Getting Your Bearings<br>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Observing for Detecting and<br>Diagnosing "What are Signs and Symptoms and Why Do They Matter?"<br>Health Science Careers in Therapeutic Services: The Desire to Help Patients<br>Heal<br>LApprove This Message<br>Is that Gun Loaded? Effects of Structure and Word Choices on Meaning<br>Make a Salt Map<br>Using the Internet as Your Career Compass<br>We Did It! So Can You!<br>What Footprint Will You Leave? Synthesizing and Presenting Information<br>Graphically<br>Word Choice in Texts for Energy Jobs |
|  | RST.6-8.7 | Integrate quantitative or technical information<br>expressed in words in a text with a version of that<br>information expressed visually (e.g., in a flowchart,<br>diagram, model, graph, or table). | Construction & Trades: Career Exploration<br>Getting Your Bearings<br>Identifying Hazards<br>Make a Salt Map<br>Summarizing Workplace Texts: The Power Grid<br>Using the Internet as Your Career Compass<br>What Footprint Will You Leave? Synthesizing and Presenting Information<br>Graphically  |

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#### **LEVEL A Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)       | STANDARD    | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|--|--|
|                                   | RL.9-10.1   | Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.  | Part 1 of Essay on a Goal Achiever<br>An Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge by Ambrose Bierce<br>"An Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge" Study Guide<br>"Split Cherry Tree" by Jesse Stuart  |
| KEY IDEAS<br>AND DETAILS<br>(47%) |             | Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to the precise details of explanations or descriptions.   | A Room-Sized Computer in Your Digital Music Player<br>A Room-Sized Computer Text-Dependent Questions<br>Digitized Signals Are the Future of the Black Box<br>Digitized Signals Text-Dependent Questions<br>Small Wonders (Science and Nutrition)<br>Small Wonders Text-Dependent Questions |
|                                   | RST.11-12.2 | Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text; summarize complex concepts, processes, or information presented in a text by paraphrasing them in simpler but still accurate terms.  | Researchers Beginning to Better Understand False Memory Formation<br>(Psychology)<br>Using Cellphones and Computers to Transmit Information (Technical)<br>Variation of Traits (Science)   |
| CRAFT AND                         | RL.9-10.4   | Determine the meaning of words and phrases as<br>they are used in the text, including figurative and<br>connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative<br>impact of specific word choices on meaning and<br>tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of<br>time and place; how it sets a formal or informal<br>tone). | <u>"The Gift of The Magi"</u><br><u>Grace's Painful Pattern Repeated; See It?</u><br><u>Loveliest of Trees</u><br><u>Ozymandias</u><br><u>"Ozymandias" Question Set</u>  |
| STRUCTURE (42%)                   | RL.9-10.6   | Analyze a particular point of view or cultural<br>experience reflected in a work of literature from<br>outside the United States, drawing on a wide<br>reading of world literature.  | <u>"Fish Cheeks" by Amy Tan</u><br><u>My Mother Pieced Quilts Poem</u><br><u>My Mother Pieced Quilts Video</u>   |
|                                   | RL.11-12.6  | Analyze a case in which grasping point of view<br>requires distinguishing what is directly stated in a<br>text from what is really meant (e.g., satire,<br>sarcasm, irony, or understatement).   | Satire Part 1 Instructional Video<br>Satire Part 2 Instructional Video<br>Ask students to write a sentence frame (from Satire Part 2 Video) for the<br>following:<br>Sample Satire: Magnasoles   |

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)                    | STANDARD  | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
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|  | RH.9-10.6 | Compare the point of view of two or more authors<br>for how they treat the same or similar topics,<br>including which details they include and emphasize<br>in their respective accounts. | Primary Sources: Plessy v. Ferguson<br>PRO/CON: Should our Next Census Ask about Citizenship Status? |
| INTEGRATION OF<br>KNOWLEDGE AND<br>IDEAS (11%) |           | No Low Emphasis questions in this category  |  |

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#### **LEVEL L High Emphasis**

| LEVEL L<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL A)   | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|-------------------------------|----------|---|---|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD    | L.1.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English<br>grammar and usage when writing or speaking. (L.1.1.a, L.1.1.b,<br>L.1.1.c, L.1.1.d, L.1.1.e, L.1.1.f, L.1.1.g, L.1.1.h, L.1.1.i, L.1.1.j)       | Parts of Speech Playlist (L.1.1)  |
| ENGLISH (66%)                 | L.1.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.1.2.a, L.1.2.b, L.1.2.c, L.1.2.d, L.1.2.e)  | Prepositional Phrases, Subjects and Verbs, and End Punctuation<br>Playlist (L.1.2)  |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND | L.1.4    | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-<br>meaning words and phrases based on grade 1 reading and<br>content, choosing flexibly from an array of strategies. (L.1.4.a,<br>L.1.4.b, L.1.4.c) | <u>Understanding Affixes to Unlock Meaning (IPDAE)</u><br><u>Using Context Clues to Clarify the Meaning of an Unknown Word</u><br>(IPDAE) |
| USE (34%)                     | L.1.5    | With guidance and support from adults, demonstrate<br>understanding of word relationships and nuances in word<br>meanings. (L.1.5.a, L.1.5.b, L.1.5.c, L.1.5.d)   | Word Relationships Prezi<br>Nuances of Meaning Video  |

#### **LEVEL E High Emphasis**

| LEVEL E<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL B) | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
|-----------------------------|----------|---|--|
|                             | L.2.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English<br>grammar and usage when writing or speaking. (L.2.1.a, L.2.1.b,<br>L.2.1.d, L.2.1.f)<br>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English | Functions of the Parts of Speech Playlist (L.2.1)         Agreement: Subject-Verb and Pronoun-Antecedent Playlist (L.2.1)         Independent and Dependent Clauses Playlist (L.3.1) |
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD  | L.3.1    | grammar and usage when writing or speaking. (L.3.1.a, L.3.1.b, L.3.1.c, L.3.1.d, L.3.1.e, L.3.1.f, L.3.1.g, L.3.1.h, L.3.1.i)   |  |
| ENGLISH<br>(48%)            | L.2.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.2.2.a, L.2.2.b, L.2.2.c, L.2.2.d, L.2.2.e)  | Apostrophes Playlist (L.2.2)<br>Capitalization Playlist (L.2.2)  |
|                             | L.3.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.3.2.a, L.3.2.b, L.3.2.c, L.3.2.d, L.3.2.e, L.3.2.f, L.3.2.g)                              | Top 10 Spelling Rules Instruction<br>Academic Words to Learn to Spell  |

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| LEVEL E<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL B)      | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|----------------------------------|----------|---|---|
| VOCABULARY                       | L.2.4    | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-<br>meaning words and phrases based on grade 2 reading and<br>content, choosing flexibly from an array of strategies. (L.2.4.a,<br>L.2.4.b, L.2.4.c, L.2.4.d, L.2.4.e)                         | Determining the Meaning of New Words Playlist (L.2.4) |
| ACQUISTION AND<br>USE (22%)      | L.3.6    | Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational,<br>general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases,<br>including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships (e.g.,<br>After dinner that night we went looking for them). | Employability Skills for the Workplace (IPDAE)        |
| TEVT TYPES AND                   | W.3.1    | Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons. (W.3.1.a, W.3.1.b, W.3.1.c, W.3.1.d)  | Writing Opinion Pieces Playlist (W.3.1)               |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (30%) | W.3.2    | Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly. (W.3.2.a, W.3.2.b, W.3.2.c, W.3.2.d)   | Writing Informational Texts Playlist (W.3.2)          |

#### **LEVEL M High Emphasis**

| LEVEL M                                     | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|---|----------|--|---|
| (AE-CCR LEVEL C)                            |          |  |   |
|   | L.4.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English<br>grammar and usage when writing or speaking. (L.4.1.a, L.4.1.b,<br>L.4.1.c, L.4.1.d, L.4.1.e, L.4.1.f, L.4.1.g)                               | My Bedside Manners: Putting Thoughts into Written Word<br>Commonly Confused Words Playlist (L.4.1)  |
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD<br>ENGLISH (44%) | L.4.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English<br>capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.4.2.a,<br>L.4.2.b, L.4.2.c, L.4.2.d)  | Employability Skills Lesson 2   |
| ENGLISH (44%)                               | L.5.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English<br>capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.5.2.a,<br>L.5.2.b, L.5.2.c, L.5.2.d, L.5.2.e)                                     | Commas Part 1: Quotations, Items in a Series, Intro Phrases and<br>Clauses, and Coordinating Conjunction in a Compound Sentence<br>Playlist (L.5.2)<br>Comma Splices Playlist (L.5.2) |
| KNOWLEDGE OF<br>LANGUAGE (5%)               |          | No High Emphasis questions in this category  |   |
| VOCABUARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (26%)   | L.4.4    | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-<br>meaning words and phrases based on grade reading and content,<br>choosing flexibly from a range of strategies. (L.4.4.a, L.4.4.b,<br>L.4.4.c) | Introduction to Idioms<br>Video about Idioms<br>Article with Hyperlinks to 30 Most Common Idioms<br>Idioms Practice and Idioms Practice Answers                                       |

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| LEVEL M<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL C) | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|-----------------------------|----------|--|---|
|                             |          |  | Determining the Meaning of Unknown Words Playlist (L.4.4)   |
| TEXT TYPES AND              | W.5.1    | Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information. (W.5.1.a, W.5.1.b, W.5.1.c, W.5.1.d)         | First-Person View, the Holocaust, and Japanese Internment Camps<br>My POV About Surface Mining<br>Using Evidence to Support Point of View or Opinions (IPDAE) |
| PURPOSES (25%)              | W.4.2    | Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly. (W.4.2.a, W.4.2.b, W.4.2.c, W.4.2.d, W.4.2.e) | <u>Complete and Partial Baths</u><br>You Are an Internet Explorer   |

#### **LEVEL D High Emphasis**

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|--------------------------------|----------|--|---|
| CONVENTIONS OF                 | L.6.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English<br>grammar and usage when writing or speaking. (L.6.1.a, L.6.1.b,<br>L.6.1.c, L.6.1.d, L.6.1.e) | Active or Passive VoiceWhich is Best? (IPDAE)<br>Finding Errors in Real World Materials (IPDAE)<br>Active Vs. Passive Voice Playlist (L.6.1)<br>Creating Concise Sentences Playlist (L.6.1)<br>Dashes Playlist (L.6.1)<br>Modifiers Playlist (L.6.1)<br>Verb Tense Shift Playlist (L.6.1) |
| STANDARD<br>ENGLISH<br>(44%)   | L.6.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.6.2.a, L.6.2.b)                      | Everyday Edit<br>TDL Extended Response Part 3: Writing the Response<br>Commas Part 2: Nonrestrictive Elements, Interrupters, and<br>Coordinate Adjectives Playlist (L.6.2)<br>Sentence Fragments and Run-ons Playlist (L.6.2)   |
|                                | L.8.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.8.2.a, L.8.2.b, L.8.2.c)             | Commas and Dashes in Workplace Writing  |
| KNOWLEDGE OF<br>LANGUAGE (10%) |          | No High Emphasis questions in this category  |   |

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| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)               | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
|---|----------|---|--|
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISTION AND<br>USE (23%) | L.6.4    | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-<br>meaning words and phrases based on grade 6 reading and<br>content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.<br>(L.6.4.a, L.6.4.b, L.6.4.c, L.6.4.d) | Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Vocabulary for<br>Interpreting Charts and Print Outs<br>Power/Energy Vocabulary in Context<br>The Vocabulary of Saving and Investing Money<br>Determining the Meaning of Unknown Words (IPDAE)<br>Determining the Meaning of Unknown Words Playlist (L.6.4) |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (23%)          | W.7.1    | Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence. (W.7.1.a, W.7.1.b, W.7.1.c, W.7.1.d, W.7.1.e)   | Expert TestimonyResearch and Compilation of Data to Support a<br>Claim<br>Extended Response<br>TDL Extended Response 3: Writing the Response<br>Uranium-Friend or Foe, Comparative Analysis in Science<br>Are Cell Phones Safe? Creating a Constructed Response (IPDAE)                                    |

#### **LEVEL A High Emphasis**

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-LEVEL E)                   | STANDARD    | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|---|-------------|---|---|
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISTION AND<br>USE (23%) |             | No High Emphasis questions in this category   |   |
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD<br>ENGLISH     | L.9-10.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English<br>grammar and usage when writing or speaking. (L.9-10.1.a, L.9-<br>10.1.b)                  | Knowing What's Expected on the GED Extended Response<br>(Grammar and Usage) (IPDAE)<br>Parallel Structure Playlist (L.9-10.1)<br>Revising Your Work Playlist (L.9-10.1)<br>Sentence Variety Playlist (L.9-10.1) |
| (52%)                                     | L.9-10.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. (L.9-10.2.a, L.9-10.2.b, L.9-10.2.c) | Semicolons and Colons Playlist (L.9-10.2)   |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (25%)          | WHST.9-10.1 | Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content. (WHST.9-<br>10.1.a, WHST.9-10.1.b, WHST.9-10.1.c, WHST.9-10.1.d, WHST.9-<br>10.1.e)             | Weight and Weightlessness: Themes of The Things They Carried<br>Persuasive Writing Extensive Resource Playlist (WHST.9-10.1)  |

|              | Write informative/explanatory texts, including narration of        | Creating a Resume                        |
|--------------|--|--|
| M/UST 0 10 2 | historical events, scientific procedures/experiments, or technical | Informative Essay Playlist (WHST.9-10.2) |
| WHST.9-10.2  | processes. (WHST.9-10.2.a, WHST.9-10.2.b, WHST.9-10.2.c,           |  |
|              | WHST.9-10.2.d, WHST.9-10.2.e, WHST.9-10.2.f)                       |  |

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#### LEVEL L Medium Emphasis

| LEVEL L<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL A)                 | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|---|----------|--|--|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD ENGLISH<br>(66%) | L.K.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard<br>English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.<br>(L.K.1.a, L.K.1.b, L.K.1.d, L.K.1.e, L.K.1.f) | A Little Help with Capitals at Purdue's OWL (Online Writing Lab) (L.K.1)<br>Parts of Speech Overview at Purdue's OWL<br>Explanation of Parts of Speech Video<br>Basic Sentence Structure Video<br>Spelling Exercises (L.K.1) |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION<br>AND USE (34%)  |          | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category  |  |

## **LEVEL E Medium Emphasis**

| LEVEL E<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL B)                 | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION                          | RESOURCES |
|---|----------|---|-----------|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD ENGLISH<br>(48%) |          | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category |           |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (22%)  |          | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category |           |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (30%)            |          | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category |           |

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#### LEVEL M Medium Emphasis

| LEVEL M<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL C)                 | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|---|----------|--|--|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD ENGLISH<br>(44%) | L.5.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard<br>English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.<br>(L.5.1.a, L.5.1.b, L.5.1.c, L.5.1.d, L.5.1.e)   | Landmarks-The Role of Job Descriptions<br>My Bedside Manners: Putting Thoughts into Written Word<br>Commonly Confused Words at the OWL at Purdue (L.5.1)<br>Run-ons (L.5.1)<br>Sentence Fragments (L.5.1)<br>Verb Tense at the OWL at Purdue (L.5.1)<br>Tense Consistency at the OWL at Purdue (L.5.1) |
| KNOWLEDGE OF<br>LANGUAGE (5%)               | L.5.3    | Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. (L.5.3.a, L.5.3.b)  | Combining Sentences (IPDAE) L.5.3<br>Peer Revision and Editing (IPDAE) L.5.3   |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (26%)  | L.4.6    | Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general<br>academic and domain-specific words and phrases,<br>including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or<br>states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and<br>that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife,<br>conservation, and endangered when discussing animal<br>preservation). | <u>100 Plus Word Parts to Make You Smarter (L.4.6)</u><br><u>25 Vocabulary Lessons for Intermediate Adult Learners (Appalachian</u><br><u>State University)</u>  |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (25%)            |          | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category  |  |

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#### **LEVEL D Medium Emphasis**

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)                 | STANDARD   | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|---|------------|--|---|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD ENGLISH<br>(44%) | L.8.1      | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard<br>English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.<br>(L.8.1.a, L.8.1.b, L.8.1.c, L.8.1.d)  | Consider the SourceExploring Effects of Point of View, World View, and<br>Life Experiences<br>Dangling Modifiers and How To Correct Them at the OWL at Purdue<br>Gerunds at the OWL at Purdue<br>Participles at the OWL at Purdue<br>Infinitives at the OWL at Purdue<br>Parallel Structure at the OWL at Purdue<br>Overview of Punctuation at the OWL at Purdue<br>Using Pronouns Clearly at the OWL at Purdue   |
| KNOWLEDGE OF<br>LANGUAGE (10%)              |            | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category  |   |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (23%)  | L.8.6      | Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general<br>academic and domain-specific words and phrases;<br>gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word<br>or phrase important to comprehension or expression.                            | <u>Gifted: Finding Your Multiple Intelligences</u><br><u>Power/Energy Vocabulary in Context</u><br><u>The Legos of Language</u><br><u>The Vocabulary of Saving and Investing Money</u><br>Welding Terminology, Joint and Weld Types, Diagrams and Symbols   |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (23%)            | WHST.6-8.2 | Write informative/explanatory texts, including the<br>narration of historical events, scientific procedures/<br>experiments, or technical processes. (WHST.6-8.2.a,<br>WHST.6-8.2.b, WHST.6-8.2.c, WHST.6-8.2.d, WHST.6-<br>8.2.e, WHST.6-8.2.f) | A Drug-free Workplace<br>A Failure to Communicate<br>Commas and Dashes in Workplace Writing<br>Construction & Trades: Career Exploration<br>GED Success Stories and Steps to Higher Education<br>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Differentiating Between<br>Drug Use, Misuse, and Abuse<br>Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: What Are the Careers and<br>What Do They Involve?<br>Organizing a Work Correspondence<br>Part 2 of Essay on a Goal Achiever: Writing the First Draft<br>Using Fables to Teach Character and Cultural Traditions through<br>Speaking, Listening, and Writing<br>Writing with a Purpose (IPDAE) WHST.6-8.2 |

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# LEVEL A Medium Emphasis

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)                 | STANDARD  | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES   |
|---|-----------|---|---|
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION                   | L.11-12.4 | Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and<br>multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades<br>11-12 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a<br>range of strategies. (L.11-12.4.a, L.11-12.4.b, L.11-<br>12.4.c, L.11-12.4.d)   | Finding the Meaning of "Alleviate," "Ineffecient," and "Measure" in<br>"Measure R"Finding the Meaning of "Digital" and "Transmit" in "Using Cell Phones and<br>Technology to Transmit Information"Finding the Meaning of "Mandate," "Proclaim," and "Steadfast" in<br>"Selma to Montgomery"Multiple-Meaning Words Worksheets<br>Use Dictionary.com to Look up Words with Multiple Meaning Words |
| AND USE (23%)                               | L.11-12.6 | Acquire and use accurately general academic and<br>domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for<br>reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college<br>and career readiness level; demonstrate independence<br>in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a<br>word or phrase important to comprehension or<br>expression. | Health Care JobsList of Academic Vocabulary Words L.11-12.6For these Newsela articles, change the Lexile score to MAX:Cellphones gaining acceptance inside U.S. schools (L.11-12.6)Issue Overview: Chemical Weapons (L.11-12.6)That pilot in the cockpit may someday be a robot (L.11-12.6)   |
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD ENGLISH<br>(52%) |           | No Medium Emphasis questions in this category   |   |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (25%)            | W.9-10.1  | Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of<br>substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and<br>relevant and sufficient evidence. (W.9-10.1.a, W.9-<br>10.1.b, W.9-10.1.c, W.9-10.1.d, W.9-10.1.e)   | Weight and Weightlessness: Themes of The Things They CarriedAre Cell Phones Safe? Creating a Constructed Response (IPDAE) W.9-10.1Analyzing Your Own Writing (IPDAE) W.9-10.1Looking for Evidence (IPDAE) W.9-10.1  |

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#### **LEVEL L Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL L<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL A)                 | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|---|----------|--|--|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD<br>ENGLISH (66%) | L.K.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of<br>standard English capitalization, punctuation, and<br>spelling when writing. (L.K.2.a, L.K.2.b, L.K.2.c,<br>L.K.2.d) | Capitalization Rules Acronym MINTS VideoCapitalization PracticeCapitalization Practice AnswersSpelling Games for AdultsOnline Spelling/Typing PracticeShort and Long Vowels VideoShort Vowel Sounds VideoLong Vowels VideoShort and Long Vowels Exercise |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (34%)  |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category   |  |

#### **LEVEL E Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL E<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL B)                 | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION  | RESOURCES  |
|---|----------|---|--|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD<br>ENGLISH (48%) |          | No Low Emphasis in this category  |  |
|   | L.3.5    | Demonstrate understanding of word relationships<br>and nuances in word meanings. (L.3.5.a, L.3.5.b,<br>L.3.5.c)   | <u>eSpark Learning: Word Relationships Instructional Video (L.3.5a)</u><br><u>Multiple Meanings Worksheet (L.3.5)</u><br><u>Homophones Practice</u><br><u>Shades of Meaning Worksheet (L.3.5)</u>  |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION<br>AND USE (22%)  | L.2.6    | Use words and phrases acquired through<br>conversations, reading and being read to, and<br>responding to texts, including using adjectives and<br>adverbs to describe (e.g., When other kids are happy<br>that makes me happy). | Choose 2-3 Community from the drop-down bar:<br><u>Vocabulary Which Word? Sentences Game</u><br><u>Which Word Worksheet</u><br>Choose K-2 Spring from the drop down bar:<br><u>Vocabulary Match It Sentences Game</u><br><u>Vocabulary Match It Sentences Worksheet</u><br><u>Adjective or Adverb Practice</u> |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (30%)            |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category  |  |

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#### LEVEL M Low Emphasis

| LEVEL M<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL C)                 | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|---|----------|--|--|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD<br>ENGLISH (44%) |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category   |  |
| KNOWLEDGE OF<br>LANGUAGE (5%)               |          | No Low Emphasis in this category   |  |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (26%)  | L.5.6    | Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate<br>general academic and domain-specific words and<br>phrases, including those that signal contrast,<br>addition, and other logical relationships (e.g.,<br>however, although, nevertheless, similarly,<br>moreover, in addition). | TDL Extended Response Part 2: Transitions are Like Road SignsTransitional Words and Phrases and Their MeaningsTransitional Words ChartTransitional Words Chart with IllustrationsTransitions WorksheetTransitions Activity |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (25%)            |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category   |  |

#### **LEVEL D Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)                    | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES  |
|--|----------|--|--|
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD<br>ENGLISH<br>(44%) | L.7.1    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of<br>standard English grammar and usage when writing or<br>speaking. (L.7.1.a, L.7.1.b, L.7.1.c) | Accessory After the FactTending to Editing and Word Choice<br>Consider the SourceExploring Effects of Point of View, Worldview, and Life<br>Experiences<br>Active and Passive Voice Instruction and Worksheet<br>Active and Passive Voice Additional Practice<br>Gerunds, Participles, and Infinitives Instruction and Worksheets<br>Pronoun Case Instructional Video (First 6 Min)<br>Pronoun Case Worksheet<br>Pronoun Case Worksheet<br>Pronoun Case Worksheet Answers<br>Pronoun Antecedent Agreement Worksheet<br>Pronoun Antecedent Agreement Answers<br>Verb Mood Instruction<br>Shifts in Voice or Mood (Verbs)<br>Types of Clauses and Functions<br>Sentence Combining (Types of Sentences) Worksheet |

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| LEVEL D<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL D)                | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION   | RESOURCES   |
|--|----------|--|---|
|  |          |  | Misplaced and Dangling Modifiers Instruction and Practice<br>Active and Passive Voice Playlist<br>Agreement Playlist  |
|  |          |  | Modifiers Hippocampus Playlist  |
|  | L.7.2    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of<br>standard English capitalization, punctuation, and<br>spelling when writing.<br>(L.7.2.a, L.7.2.b) | Commas and Dashes in Workplace Writing<br>Everyday Edit<br>TDL Extended Response Part 3: Writing the Response<br>Commas Instruction<br>Commas, Semicolons, and Colons Powerpoint<br>Semicolon or Comma? Worksheet<br>Semicolon or Comma Worksheet Answers |
| KNOWLEDGE OF                               | L.6.3    | Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. (L.6.3.a, L.6.3.b)                                | Listening and Speaking Skills: The Wisdom of a Third Grade Dropout<br>TDL Extended Response Part 2: Transitions are Like Road Signs   |
| LANGUAGE (10%)                             | L.7.3    | Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. (L.7.3.a)   | Listening and Speaking Skills: The Wisdom of a Third Grade Dropout<br>TDL Extended Response Part 2: Transitions are Like Road Signs   |
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (23%) |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category   |   |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (23%)           |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this category   |   |

#### **LEVEL A Low Emphasis**

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)                 | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION                       | RESOURCES |
|---|----------|--|-----------|
| VOCABULARY<br>ACQUISITION AND<br>USE (23%)  |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this Category |           |
| CONVENTIONS OF<br>STANDARD<br>ENGLISH (52%) |          | No Low Emphasis questions in this Category |           |

| LEVEL A<br>(AE-CCR LEVEL E)      | STANDARD | STANDARD DESCRIPTION                                    | RESOURCES   |
|----------------------------------|----------|---|---|
|                                  |          | Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and      | Writing an Explanatory Essay (EngageNY)             |
|                                  |          | convey complex ideas, concepts, and information         | Informative/Explanatory Writing Playlist (W.9-10.2) |
| TEXT TYPES AND<br>PURPOSES (25%) | W.9-10.2 | clearly and accurately through the effective selection, |   |
|                                  |          | organization, and analysis of content. (W.9-10.2.a,     |   |
|                                  |          | W.9-10.2.b, W.9-10.2.c, W.9-10.2.d, W.9-10.2.e, W.9-    |   |
|                                  |          | 10.2.f)   |   |

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|-----------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Impact                | <b>Readiness Standard</b> |   |
| Indicator             |                           |   |
| R.3.1: Order          | CCRA.R.3 Analyze how      | ORDER SEQUENCE OF EVENTS IN INFORMATIONAL TEXTS:  |
| sequences of          | and why                   | CCR Level C/NRS Level 3   |
| events in texts.      | individuals, events, and  | Social Studies and Systems  |
| Primarily             | ideas                     | Analyzing the Effects of Reducing, Reusing, and Recycling—Can You Make a Difference?    |
| measured with         | develop and interact over | (Note: Partial alignment to steps to recycling)   |
| literary texts.       | the                       | CCR Levels C-D/NRS Level 3-4  |
|                       | course of a text.         | 5S System of Lean Manufacturing   |
|                       | RI.1.3                    | End of Life Care  |
|                       | RI.3.3                    | First Things First  |
|                       | RI.4.3                    | CCR Level D/NRS Level 4   |
|                       | RI.8.3                    | Following Multi-Step Procedures for Trade Jobs  |
|                       | RH.6-8.3                  | Part 2 of Essay on a Goal Achiever: Writing the First Draft                             |
|                       | RST.6-8.3                 | Forklift Safety   |
|                       | RI.11-12.3                | ORDER SEQUENCE OF EVENTS IN LITERARY TEXTS:   |
|                       | RH.9-10.3                 | CCR Level D/NRS Level 4   |
|                       | RST.9-10.3                | Climax on the Rainy River: Character, Setting, and Plot Devices                         |
|                       |                           | Re-ordering the Sequence of Events with Transportation Texts: Summarizing to Sequencing |
|                       |                           | Identifying Causes and Effects (RH.9-10.3)  |
|                       |                           | Text sets (RI.1.3):   |
|                       |                           | <u>A Hero in Disguise and Meet Rosa Parks</u>   |
|                       |                           | The Golden Gate Bridge and London's Tower Bridge  |
|                       |                           | The American Bird and The Liberty Bell  |
|                       |                           | Story Pyramid Exercise (RI.3.3)   |
|                       |                           | Informational Text: It Reads Differently (RI.4.3) (IPDAE)                               |
|                       |                           | Ordering the Sequence of Events in "The Phone Call" (RI.4.3)                            |
|                       |                           | Amending America: How Do We Amend? Video (RH.6-8.3)                                     |
|                       |                           | The History and Process of Voting (RH.6-8.3)  |
|                       |                           | Ordering the Sequence of Events in "The Breakaway" Story (RI.8.3)                       |

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|  | Source: https://www.passged.com/media/pdf/educators/curriculum-blueprint.pdf       |   |  |  |
|  |  | Ordering the Sequence of "The Way of the World" (RI.8.3)                                      |  |  |
|  |  | The Mayflower (RH.9-10.3)   |  |  |
|  |  | Native American Conflicts (RH.9-10.3)   |  |  |
|  |  | Scientific Inquiry: Which Falls Fastest? (RST.9-10.3) (IPDAE)                                 |  |  |
|  |  | Click "Sample Assignment" and "Example" on this link: <u>Sample Assignment: Scientific</u>    |  |  |
|  |  | Experiment(RST.9-10.3)  |  |  |
|  |  | Click "Sample Assignment" and "Quiz Questions" on this link: Quiz over Science Experiment     |  |  |
|  |  | <u>(RST.9-10.3)</u>   |  |  |
| R.4.1/L.4.1:                                       | CCRA.R.4 Interpret words   | CCR Levels B-C/NRS Levels 2-3   |  |  |
| Determine the                                      | and phrases as they are  | SMART Goal-Setting (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                        |  |  |
| meaning of   | used in a text, including  | CCR Level C/NRS Level 3   |  |  |
| words and  | determining technical,   | Importance of Sleep   |  |  |
| phrases as they                                    | connotative, and   | Speaking and Listening (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                    |  |  |
| are used in a                                      | figurative meaning, and  | The Words We Live By (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                      |  |  |
| text, including                                    | analyze how specific   | Vaccinations (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                              |  |  |
| determining  | word choices shape   | What Dream Picked You? (Literary and Informational)   |  |  |
| connotative and                                    | meaning or tone.   | CCR Levels C-D/NRS Levels 3-4   |  |  |
| figurative   | RI.1.4   | Dateline Chappaquiddick—Analyzing One of the Top 100 Speeches of the 20 <sup>th</sup> Century |  |  |
| meanings from                                      | RI.3.4   | First Things First  |  |  |
| context.   | RI.5.4   | Getting Your Bearings   |  |  |
| Measured with                                      | RL.5.4   | Healthcare Worker Importance of Following Directions (Note: a few vocabulary words            |  |  |
| both   | RI/RL.6.4  | discussed in context)   |  |  |
| informational                                      | RI/RL.9-10.4   | Identifying Hazards (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                       |  |  |
| and literary texts.                                | RST.9-10.4   | Intro to OSHA (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                             |  |  |
|  | L.6.4  | CCR Level D/NRS Level 4   |  |  |
|  |  | Healthcare Careers in Diagnostic Services: Vocabulary for Interpreting Charts and Print Outs  |  |  |
|  |  | Using Fables to Teach Character and Cultural Traditions through Speaking, Listening, and      |  |  |
|  |  | Writing (Literary)  |  |  |
|  |  | Gettin' Real with Gettysburg  |  |  |
|  |  | Is that Gun Loaded? Effects of Structure and Word Choices on Meaning (Literary and            |  |  |
|  |  | Informational)  |  |  |
|  |  | Power/Energy Vocabulary in Context  |  |  |

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|  | The Legos of Language  |
|  | The Main Idea: Boston Tea Party  |
|  | The Vocabulary of Saving and Investing Money   |
|  | A Drug-free Workplace (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                |
|  | Being a Good Employee (Note: a few vocabulary words discussed in context)                |
|  | My Bedside Manners: Putting Thoughts into Written Word                                   |
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|  | Ask Questions to Determine Word Meaning Playlist (RI.1.4)                                |
|  | Determining the Meaning of Words Playlist (L.6.4)  |
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|  | Academic Vocabulary (RI.3.4) (IPDAE)   |
|  | Antibiotic Resistance (RST.9-10.4) (IPDAE)   |
|  | Connotative Meaning Exercises and Answers  |
|  | Figurative Language in Informational Text: A Closer Look at Print Media (RI.6.4) (IPDAE) |
|  | What is Figurative Language? Powerpoint (RI/RL6.4) (IPDAE)                               |
|  | Understanding and Using Multiple Meaning Words: A Three-Part Lesson (RI.6.4) (IPDAE)     |
|  | and Links to Word Meaning PowerPoints  |
|  | Understanding Literary Text: What's in a Sonnet? (RL.6.4) (IPDAE)                        |
|  | The Power of Words (RI.9-10.4) (IPDAE)   |
|  | Determining the Meaning of Unknown Words (L.6.4) (IPDAE)                                 |
|  | Types of Context Clues Chart   |
|  | Context Clues Practice 1   |
|  | Context Clues Practice 1 Answers   |
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|  | RST.9-10.4 Texts:  |

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|                                |   | How to Make a Better Robot   |
|                                |   | Human Microbiome: The Role of Microbes in Human Health                                       |
|                                |   | RL.9-10.4 Texts:   |
|                                |   | "The Gift of The Magi"   |
|                                |   | Grace's Painful Pattern Repeated; See It?  |
|                                |   | Loveliest of Trees   |
|                                |   | <u>Ozymandias</u>  |
|                                |   | "Ozymandias" Question Set  |
| R.5.3: Analyze                 | CCRA.R.5 Analyze the  | CCR Levels C-D/NRS Levels 3-4  |
| transitional                   | structure of texts,   | First Things First (Note: using signal words is one part of this lesson)                     |
| language or signal             | including how specific  | CCR Level D/NRS Level 4  |
| words (words that              | sentences, paragraphs,  | Part 2 of Essay on a Goal Achiever: Writing the First Draft (Note: using signal words is one |
| indicate structural            | and larger portions of the<br>text (e.g. a section,<br>chapter, scene, or<br>standard) relate to each<br>other and the whole.<br>RI.1.5<br>RI.2.5 | part of this lesson)   |
| relationships,                 |   | TDL Extended Response Part 2: Transitions are Like Road Signs                                |
| such as                        |   | Reading Activity 5: How an Author Develops Ideas Playlist (RI.9-10.5)                        |
| consequently,<br>nevertheless, |   | Analyze the Effectiveness of an Argument Reading Activity 8 Playlist (RI.11-12.5)            |
| otherwise) and                 |   |  |
| determine how                  |   | Instructional Video on Transitions   |
| they refine                    |   | Nonfiction Text Features Video (RI.1.5)  |
| meaning,                       | RI.3.5  | Text Features Practice Assessment (RI.1.5)   |
| emphasize certain              | RI.4.5  | Non-fiction Text Features Video 2 (RI.2.5)   |
| ideas, or reinforce            | RI.5.5  | eSpark Learning: Nonfiction Text Features Instructional Video (RI.2.5)                       |
| an author's                    | RI.6.5  | eSpark Learning: Using Text Features Framing Video (RI.3.5)                                  |
| purpose.<br>Measured with      | RI.7.5  | Online Research Tips for Effective Search Strategies (RI.3.5)                                |
|                                | RI.9-10.5   | The 5 Types of Text Structure: Video (RL.4.5)  |
| both                           | RI.11-12.5  | Understanding Nonfiction Text Structure (RI.4.5) (IPDAE)                                     |
| informational and              |   | Using Quotes and Comparing and Contrasting Structure: The Invention of Basketball            |
| literary texts.                |   | (EngageNY)(RI.5.5)   |
|                                |   | Teaching Text Structures for Non-Fiction Reading Video for Teachers (RI.5.5)                 |
|                                |   | Text Structures and Signal Words Helpful Handout (RI.5.5)                                    |

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|                    |                           | 5 Text Structures and Signal Words Handout (RI.5.5)   |
|--------------------|---------------------------|---|
|                    |                           | Understanding Nonfiction Text Structure (RI.7.5) (IPDAE)  |
| R.8.3: Evaluate    | CCRA.R.8 Delineate and    | CCR Level D/NRS Level 4   |
| the relevance      | evaluate the argument     | Author's Point of View  |
| and sufficiency of | and specific claims in a  | Comparing Arguments Between Texts: To Build or Not to Build?  |
| evidence offered   | text, including the       | Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Analyzing the Evidence and Writing an                |
| in support of a    | validity of the reasoning | Extended Response   |
| claim. Primarily   | as well as the relevance  | GED Extended Response Lesson 1: Analyzing the Evidence  |
| measured with      | and sufficiency of the    | UraniumFriend or Foe, Comparative Analysis in Science   |
| informational      | evidence.                 | Believe It or Not—Checking the Facts  |
| texts.             | RI.1.8                    | Evaluating Evidence and Sources Playlist (RI.9-10.8)  |
|                    | RI.2.8                    | Reading Activity 4: Interpreting Bias Playlist (RI.9-10.8)  |
|                    | RI.5.8                    | Reading Activity 10: Evaluating the Evidence in a Student Paper Playlist (RI.9-10.8)                |
|                    | RI.8.8                    | Complete the graphic organizer for each position (one for pro and one for con):                     |
|                    | RI.9-10.8                 | Pro or Con Analysis of Reasons and Evidence Graphic Organizer.pdf                                   |
|                    |                           | RI.1.8 and RI.2.8:  |
|                    |                           | Pro/Con: Mandatory Vaccinations   |
|                    |                           | PRO/CON: Should our Next Census ask about Citizenship Status?                                       |
|                    |                           | PRO/CON: Is it Time to Pass Tough Gun Control Laws?   |
|                    |                           | PRO/CON: Should all High Schoolers take Courses in Personal Finance?                                |
|                    |                           | Finding Evidence that Supports an Opinion (IPDAE) RI.5.8  |
|                    |                           | Looking for Evidence (IPDAE) (RI.5.8)   |
|                    |                           | Analyzing the Evidence Part 1 Video   |
|                    |                           | Analyzing the Evidence Part 2 Video   |
|                    |                           | Distinguishing Between Fact and Opinion Video<br>Passage #4 of Sample GED Extended Response Prompts |
|                    |                           | Graphic Organizer for Evaluating the Sufficiency of Evidence  |
|                    |                           | Internet Filtering Graphic Organizer Answer Key Passage 1   |
|                    |                           | Internet Filtering Graphic Organizer Answer Key Passage 1   |
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| R.8.6: Identify an | CCRA.R.8 Delineate and    | CCR Level D/NRS Level 4   |
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| underlying         | evaluate the argument     | Author's Point of View  |
| premise or         | and specific claims in a  | Comparing Arguments Between Texts: To Build or Not to Build?                                  |
| assumption in an   | text, including the       | Health Science Careers in Diagnostic Services: Analyzing the Evidence and Writing an Extended |
| argument and       | validity of the reasoning | Response  |
| evaluate the       | as well as the relevance  | UraniumFriend or Foe, Comparative Analysis in Science   |
| logical support    | and sufficiency of the    | Believe It or Not—Checking the Facts  |
| and evidence       | evidence.                 | Evaluating Evidence and Sources Playlist (RI.9-10.8)  |
| provided.          | RI.1.8                    | Reading Activity 4: Interpreting Bias Playlist (RI.9-10.8)                                    |
| Primarily          | RI.2.8                    | Reading Activity 10: Evaluating the Evidence in a Student Paper Playlist (RI.9-10.8)          |
| measured with      | RI.5.8                    |   |
| informational      | RI.8.8                    |   |
| texts.             | RI.9-10.8                 |   |
|                    |                           | Complete the graphic organizer for each position (one for pro and one for con):               |
|                    |                           | Pro or Con Analysis of Reasons and Evidence Graphic Organizer.pdf                             |
|                    |                           | RI.1.8 and RI.2.8: (Hit submit to view answers.)  |
|                    |                           | Pro/Con: Mandatory Vaccinations   |
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|                    |                           | Finding Evidence that Supports an Opinion (IPDAE) (RI.5.8)                                    |
|                    |                           | Looking for Evidence (IPDAE) (RI.5.8)   |
|                    |                           | Defining Assumptions Related to Arguments   |
|                    |                           | Assumptions Practice and Answers  |
|                    |                           | Identifying Unstated Assumptions Practice   |