12th Grade ELA Frameworks 2015-2020

12th Grade - Unit 3 (Assessments 6,7,8) Semester 2 Theme: What impact do multiple perspectives have?

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	Reading – Literary/Informational	Writing	Speaking & Listening	Language/Conventions
Standards (Reporting Strands)	Read closely to cite, analyze and infer appropriate to task, purpose and audience.	Produce clear and consistent writing appropriate to task, purpose and audience.	Present and respond to information appropriate to task, purpose and audience.	Demonstrate command of grammar, usage and language appropriate to task, purpose and audience.
Instructional Focus Standards	1 - citing evidence 3 – analyze characters/events 6- Point of View (Irony/Satire)	1- Argument 2- explanatory writing	1-Prepare and participate	
Topical Essential Questions	How do readers analyze author's use of diction, syntax, and other literary techniques in order to create an interpretation of the text and infer an author's purpose?	How can looking at literature through different lenses enhance a reader's understanding of the text? How do writers produce a thorough and appropriate analysis of a work of literature?	How do speakers prepare and participate in discussion to glean new interpretations of a text?	
Enduring Understandings	Readers' close-read to infer and determine author's purpose and style using knowledge of literary techniques.	Readers understand and apply the different lenses to explore and interpret the text beyond the surface level understanding.	Speakers read and annotate text prior to collaborative group discussions. Group discussions, with specific roles, encourage deeper analysis and understanding of the text.	
Assessments	Back Channel Chat Questioning Techniques Discussion Stems Note-taking Active listening Character Mapping STEAL (What the character SAYS, What the character THINKS, The EFFECT the character has on others, The ACTIONS of the character, How the character LOOKS) Body Biography Hero Cycle Literary Lenses (New, Gender Studies, Archetypal, Marxist, Cultural, Psychoanalytic, etc.) Synopsis Review formatting examples Note-taking & Annotation Creating analytical thesis statements & claims		1. Evaluating Text a. Explaining theme b. Writing Argument c. Discuss with a group 2. Analyzing Characters & Events a. Evaluate Character b. Structure writing c. Writing argument 3. Literary Analysis a. Address characters b. Address events c. Create argument	

Learning I can define textual evidence ("word for word" support). I can define inference and explain how a reader uses textual evidence to reach a logical conclusion("Based on what I've read, it's most likely true that..."). **Targets** ☐ I can read closely and find answers explicitly in text and answers that require an inference. I can analyze an author's words and determine multiple pieces of textual evidence that strongly and thoroughly support both explicit and inferential auestions. ☐ I can determine places in the text that leaves matters uncertain (E.g., when the reader must draw his/her own conclusions/assumptions). ☐ I can identify an author's point of view in a text. I can analyze words stated directly in a text and determine when an author is requiring the reader to make an inference as to what is really meant (e.g., reading between the lines) ☐ I can recognize when the authors use literary techniques (e.g., satire, sarcasm, irony, or understatement) to shape the content and style of a text. I can identify elements of a story of drama (e.g., setting, events, characters). ☐ I can analyze how elements of a story or drama are developed and/or interrelated. ☐ I can analyze the impact of an author's choices in presenting elements of a story or drama. I can analyze substantive (influential) topics or texts to determine an argument that causes or has caused a debate in society. ☐ I can choose a side of the argument, identify precise, knowledgeable claims, and establish the significance of the claim(s). ☐ I can identify alternate or opposing claims that counter my argument. ☐ I can organize claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence into a logical sequence. ☐ I can anticipate my audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases and develop my claims and counterclaims by pointing out the most relevant strengths and limitations of both. ☐ I can present my argument in a formal style and objective tone. ☐ I can create cohesion and clarify relationships among claims and counterclaims using transitions as well as varied syntax. ☐ I can provide a concluding statement/section that supports my argument ☐ I can choose a topic and identify and select the most significant and relevant information (e.g., well-chosen facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, examples) to develop and share with my audience. I can define common organizational/formatting tructurea (e.g., headings, graphics multimedia) and determine the structure(s) that will allow me to organize my complex ideas so that each new element builds on what precedes it. ☐ I can analyze the information, identify domain-specific vocabulary for my topic, incorporate techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy, and organize information into broader categories using my chosen structure. I can present my information maintaining and objective tone and formal style that includes an introduction that previews what is to follow, supporting details, varied transitions, and syntax (to clarify and create cohesion when I move from one idea to another), and a concluding statement/section that supports the information presented. ☐ I can review and/or research material(s) to be discussed and determine key points and/or central ideas. I can create questions and locate key textual evidence to contribute to a discussion on the given topic, text, or issue. I can work with peers to define the rules and roles necessary to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making. ☐ I can come prepared with key points and textual evidence to contribute to a discussion and stimulate a thoughtful well-reasoned exchange of ideas. I can participate in a discussion by posing questions that connect the ideas of several speakers, responding to questions, and elaborating on my own ideas and/or the ideas of others to ensure a full range of positions on a topic or issue. ☐ I can propel conversations by clarifying, verifying, or challenging ideas and conclusions to promote divergent and creative perspectives. I can respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives; synthesize comments, claims, and evidence; resolve contradictions when possible; and determine when additional information or research is required. Tier 2 Tier 3 Structure Critique Focusing lens Vocabulary Limitation Stylistic effect Flashback **Suggestions** Effect Tone Style Evidence Perspective Literary movement Focus Psychological criticism Archetypal criticism Appropriate Historical criticism Cultural criticism Limited Marxist criticism Feminist criticism Montage Debate Motif Imagery

Recommended Text Dystopian Lit (The Giver, Hunger Games, Ready Player One, Divergent) Macbeth Short Stories Film Review

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12th Grade - Unit 4 (Assessments 9 and 10) Semester 2

Theme: What can be gained from examination and reflection?

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Instructional Focus Standards	1- Citing Evidence	1 - Argument 4 - Task, audience, and purpose	3- Evaluate speaker 4- Present information 5- Use digital media		
Topical Essential Questions	How have universal themes developed over time through literature and media? How do authors create themes that can be used over time?	How do writers communicate who they are and how their identities have been molded?	Why is utilizing and incorporating a balance of digital media important?		
Enduring Understanding s	Readers examine universal themes in literature and media to determine patterns and relevancy that integrate past and present.	Writers use their experiences, characters, themes, and a variety of literary devices to communicate their identity.	The use of textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive digital media enhances the speaker's message and engages the target audience.		
	Formative		Summative		
Assessments	Rhetorical techniques & strategies Active Listening Digital Stories Rhetorical techniques & strategies Narrative techniques		Speech Analysis a. Analyze argument b. Analyze author's purpose Commencement Speech a. Reflection b. Presentation		
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Vocabulary	Tier 2	Tier 3			
Suggestions	Engage Context Discuss Enhance Manipulate Execute Writing Process Audience	Tone Imagery Thesis Subtext Critical lens Visual Angles Message Rhetorical effects Feedback Theory Diverse purposes Sender Academic Criticism Receiver			
Recommended Text	Ted Talks Commencement Speeches Last Lecture Research				