2010 to 2020 Wisconsin's Standards for English Language Arts Comparison

This document compares the 2010 and 2020 Wisconsin Standards for English Language Arts by showing word-level changes in grade-level standards. It is intended to be used as a scaffold beside existing curriculum to determine where revisions may need to be made to ensure curriculum is aligned with the most recent version (2020) of Wisconsin's Standards for English Language Arts.

This document is not meant to build understanding of the revisions made to the 2020 standards. Instead, educators should see the brief professional learning modules designed to develop understanding of the 2020 standards found at https://dpi.wi.gov/ela/standards/standardsmodules.

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For Reading Foundational Skills, the following revisions were made (in addition to revisions in the language of the grade-level standards):

- The following statement is included in the Foreword (p. iii)
 - "Wisconsin's youngest students will learn reading foundational skills including developing an understanding of phonics through explicit, systematic instruction - in order to comprehend and create text."
- The location of the standards for reading foundational skills was changed. The reading foundational skills standards now appear at the beginning of the standards document, just before the reading standards. Previously, the reading foundational skills standards appeared at the end of the K 5 reading standards.
- The appendix information about foundational skills was strengthened. The 2020 appendix contains all information from the 2010 appendix with updates, including a definition of fluency and explanation of the relationship between encoding and decoding.

Print Concepts - Kindergarten	Print Concepts - Grade 1
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
RF.K.1 Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print. a. Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page.	RF.1.1 Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print. a. Recognize the distinguishing features of a sentence (e.g., first word,
b. Recognize spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters.	Capitalization, ending punctuation). Note: This standard ends in grade 1.
c. <u>Understand words are separated by spaces in print.</u>	
d. Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet.	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
RF.K.1. Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print.	RF 1.1 Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print.
a. Follow words from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page.	a. Recognize the distinguishing features of a sentence (e.g., first word,
 Recognize that spoken words are represented in written language by specific sequences of letters. 	capitalization, ending punctuation).
c. Understand that words are separated by spaces in print.	
d. Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet.	

Phonolo	ogical Awareness - Kindergarten	Phonol	ogical Awareness - Grade 1	Phonolo	ogical Awareness - Grade 2
2020 St	andard	2020 St	tandard	2020 Sta	andard
a. b. c. d.	Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). Recognize and produce rhyming words. Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonant-vowel-consonant, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with /l/, /r/, or /x/.) Add, delete, or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words.	RF.1.2 a. b. c. d.	and sounds (phonemes). Distinguish long from short vowel sounds in spoken single-syllable words. Orally produce single-syllable words by blending sounds (phonemes), including consonant blends. Isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in spoken single-syllable words. Segment spoken single-syllable words into their complete sequence of individual sounds (phonemes).	RF.2.2 a. Note: Thi	Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). Add, delete, and substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple one-syllable words to make new words, including initial, final, medial, consonant blends, short vowel sounds, and long vowel sounds. is standard ends in grade 2.
2010 St	andard	2010 St	tandard	2010 Sta	andard
c. d.	Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes). Recognize and produce rhyming words. Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonant-vowel-consonant, or CVC) words.* (This does not include CVCs ending with /I/, /r/, or /x/.) Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words.	c.	and sounds (phonemes). Distinguish long from short vowel sounds in spoken single-syllable words. Orally produce single-syllable words by blending sounds (phonemes), including consonant blends.		0 standards did not include phonologica ess at grade 2.

Phonics and Word Recognition - Kindergarten	Phonics and Word Recognition - Grade 1	Phonics and Word Recognition - Grade 2		
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard		
RF.K.3 Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.	RF.1.3 Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.	RF.2.3 Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.		
a. <u>Demonstrate basic knowledge of</u> <u>one-to-one letter-sound</u> correspondences by producing the	a. <u>Know the spelling-sound correspondences for common consonant digraphs.</u>	a. <u>Distinguish long and short vowels when reading</u> regularly spelled one-syllable words.		
primary or many of the most frequent sounds for each consonant.	b. <u>Decode and encode</u> regularly spelled one-syllable words (e.g., cat, fox, bet, cup, fit, etc.).	b. <u>Know spelling-sound correspondences for</u> <u>additional common vowel teams.</u>		
b. Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels.	c. Know final -e and common vowel team conventions for representing long vowel sounds (Examples include but are not limited to: ai, ay, oa, ea, ee, ie, ue, ow).	c. Decode and encode regularly spelled one, two, and some three syllable CVC pattern words (e.g., 1 syllable: mat. 2 syllable: picnic, 3 syllable: fantastic, etc.).		
c. Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do. does).	d. <u>Use knowledge that every syllable must have a</u> <u>vowel sound to determine the number of syllables</u> in a printed word.	d. <u>Decode words with common prefixes and suffixes</u> .		
 d. <u>Distinguish between similarly spelled</u> words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ. 	e. <u>Decode two-syllable words following basic (known)</u> patterns by breaking the words into syllables.	e. Decode regularly spelled <u>two-syllable words</u> with long vowels. <u>Encode some of these words</u> .		
Related to language standards:	f. Read words with inflectional endings (i.e., -s, -ed, -ing).	 Know when to drop the final e when adding an -ing, -ed endings. (Silent-e vowel pattern base word). 		
L.K.6c Phonetically spell simple words drawing on knowledge of letter-sound relationships.	g. <u>Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly</u> spelled words.	 Know when to double the final consonant when adding a suffixing, -ed. 		
Related to Reading Foundational standards.	Related to language standards: L.1.6d Use conventional spelling for words with common	 Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words. 		
L.K.6d Writes letters for most consonant and short vowel sounds (phonemes).	spelling patterns and draw on phonemic awareness and spelling conventions to spell other words phonetically.	Related to language standards: See L.2.6 for additional spelling/encoding/word analysis guidance.		

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a.	Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent	a.	Know the spelling-sound correspondences for common consonant digraphs.	a.	Distinguish long and short vowels when reading regularly spelled one-syllable	
	sounds for each consonant.	b.	Decode regularly spelled one-syllable words.		words.	
b.	Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels.	C.	Know final -e and common vowel team conventions for representing long vowel sounds.	b.	Know spelling-sound correspondences for additional common vowel teams.	
c.	Read common high-frequency words by sight	d.	Use knowledge that every syllable must have a vowel sound to determine the number of syllables	C.	Decode regularly spelled two-syllable words with long vowels.	
	(e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does).		in a printed word.	d.	Decode words with common prefixes and suffixes.	
d.	Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ.	e.	Decode two-syllable words following basic patterns by breaking the words into syllables.	e.	Identify words with inconsistent but	
	unier.	f.	Read words with inflectional endings.		common spelling-sound correspondences.	
		g.	Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.	f.	Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.	

Phonics	and Word Recognition - Grade 3	Phonics and Word Recognition - Grade 4		Phonics	and Word Recognition - Grade 5
2020 Standard		2020 Stan	2020 Standard		andard
RF.3.3	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.		Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.	RF.5.3 I	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
a.	Identify and know the meaning of the most common prefixes and derivational suffixes.		Use combined knowledge of all letter-sound correspondences, syllabication patterns, and	a.	Use combined knowledge of all letter-sound correspondences, syllabication patterns, and
b.	Decode words with common Latin suffixes.		morphology (e.g., roots and affixes) to read accurately unfamiliar multisyllabic words in		morphology (e.g., roots and affixes) to read accurately unfamiliar multisyllabic words in
C.	Decode multisyllable words that include all learned syllable patterns (see previous grade level standards for specific targets).	See L.4.6 f	context and out of context.	Note: Thi	context and out of context. is standard ends in grade 5.
d.	Read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.	analysis gu	didance.		6 for additional spelling/encoding/word guidance.
e.	Apply common encoding rules:			allalysis	guiuance.
	Know when to drop the final e when adding endings. (Silent-e vowel pattern base word).				
	Know when to double the final consonant when adding a suffix.				
	for additional spelling/encoding/word guidance.				
2010 Sta	andard	2020 Stan	dard	2020 Sta	andard
RF.3.3	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.		Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.	RF.5.3	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
a.	Identify and know the meaning of the most common prefixes and derivational suffixes.		Use combined knowledge of all letter-sound correspondences, syllabication patterns, and	a.	Use combined knowledge of all letter-sound correspondences, syllabication patterns, and
b.	Decode words with common Latin suffixes.		morphology (e.g., roots and affixes) to read accurately unfamiliar multisyllabic words in		morphology (e.g., roots and affixes) to read accurately unfamiliar multisyllabic words in
c.	Decode multisyllable words.		context and out of context.		context and out of context.
d.	${\sf Read\ grade-appropriate\ irregularly\ spelled\ words.}$				

Fluency - Kindergarten	Fluency - Grade 1	Fluency - Grade 2
2020 Standard RF.K.4 Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding.	2020 Standard RF.1.4 Read emergent-reader texts with purpose, understanding, and sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	2020 Standard RF.2.4 Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension. a. Read grade-level text with purpose and
	 a. Read grade-level text with purpose and understanding. b. Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings. c. Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary. 	understanding. b. Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings. c. Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
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RF.K.4 Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding.	RF.1.4 Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	RF.2.4 Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
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	 Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings. 	 Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.
	c. Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.	c. Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.

Fluency	- Grade 3	Fluency	- Grade 4	Fluency	- Grade 5	
2020 Sta	ndard	2020 Sta	ndard	2020 Sta	andard	
RF.3.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	RF.4.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	RF.5.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	
a.	Read <u>grade-level text</u> with purpose and understanding.	a.	Read <u>grade-level text</u> with purpose and understanding.	a.	Read <u>grade-level text</u> with purpose and understanding.	
b.	Read <u>grade-level text</u> orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.	b.	Read <u>grade-level text</u> orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.	b.	Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.	
C.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.	C.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.	C.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.	
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2010 Sta	ndard	2010 Standard		2010 Sta	2010 Standard	
RF.3.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	RF.4.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	RF.5.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	
a.	Read grade-level text with purpose and understanding.	a.	Read grade-level text with purpose and understanding.	a.	Read grade-level text with purpose and understanding.	
b.	Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.	b.	Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.	b.	Read grade-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.	
C.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.	C.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.	C.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.	

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Anchor Standards

Key Ideas and Details Students will:

Anchor Standard R1: Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly/implicitly and to make logical inferences

from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn

from the text.

Anchor Standard R2: Summarize key ideas and details in order to identify central ideas or themes of a text and analyze

their development.

Anchor Standard R3: Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a

text.

Craft and Structure

Anchor Standard R4: Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical,

connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or

tone.

Anchor Standard R5: Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions

of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.

Anchor Standard R6: Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text, drawing on a wide

range of diverse texts.

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Anchor Standard R7: Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats.

Anchor Standard R8: Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, including the validity of the

reasoning as well as the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.

Anchor Standard R9: Analyze and evaluate texts using knowledge of literary forms, elements, and devices through a

variety of lenses and perspectives.

Key Ideas and Details - Kindergarten	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 1	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 2	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.K.1 With prompting and support_develop and answer questions about a text. (RI&RL)	R.1.1 Develop and answer questions about <u>key ideas and</u> <u>details</u> in a text. (RI&RL)	R.2.1 Develop and answer questions <u>to demonstrate an understanding of</u> key <u>ideas</u> and details in a text. (RI&RL)	
2010 Standards	2010 Standards	2010 Standards	
RL.K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text.	RL.1.1 Ask and answer questions about key details in a text.	RL.2.1 Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text.	
RI.K.1 With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. Note: "Ask" was replaced with "develop".	RI.1.1 Ask and answer questions about key details in a text.	RI.2.1 Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text.	
	Note: "Ask" was replaced with "develop".	Note: "Ask" was replaced with "develop".	
		For reference R.3.1 (2020 Standard)	
		R.3.1 Develop and answer questions to <u>locate relevant</u> and specific details in a text to support an answer or inference. (RI&RL)	

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Key Ideas and Details - Kindergarten	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 1	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 2		
2020 Standard R.K.2 With prompting and support, retell stories (RL); share key details from a text. (RI)	R.1.2 Identify a main topic or central idea in a text with guidance and support; retell important details. (RI&RL)	R.2.2 Summarize portions of a text in order to identify a main topic or central idea and key details in a text. (RI&RL)		
RL.K.2 With prompting and support, retell familiar stories, including key details. RI.K.2 With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.	RL.1.2 Retell stories, including key details, and demonstrate understanding. RI.1.2 Identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.	RL.2.2 Recount stories, including fables and folktales from diverse cultures, and determine their central message, lesson, or moral. RI.2.2 Identify the main topic of a multi paragraph text as well as the focus of specific paragraphs within the text. Note: Theme appears in grade 3. For reference, the 2020 standard in grade 3. R.3.2 Summarize portions of a text to determine a theme or central idea and explain how it is supported by key details. (RI&RL)		

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se	ndard th prompting and support, identify characters, ttings, and important events in a story or pieces of formation in a text. (RI&RL)	R.1.3 <u>C</u>	tandard Describe characters, settings, and important Events in a story or pieces of information in In text. (RI&RL)	R.2.3 Describe how characters respond to major events and challenges. (RL) Describe the connections between ideas, concepts, or a series of events. (RI)	
	portant" in the 2020 standards replaces the word ajor" in the 2010 standards.		mportant" in the 2020 standards replaces the vord "major" in the 2010 standards.		
2010 Sta	ndard	2010 St	tandard	2010 St	tandard
RL.K.3	With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.	RL.1.3	Describe characters, settings, and major events in a story, using key details .	RL.2.3	Describe how characters in a story respond to major events and challenges.
RI.K.3	With prompting and support, describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text.	RI.1.3	Describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text.	RI.2.3	Describe the connection between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a text.
	ideas, or precess or information for exer-			For refe	rence, the 2020 standard in grade 3.
					Describe <u>a character (traits, motivations, and/or feelings)</u> drawing on specific details from the text. (RL)
					Describe the relationship among a series of events, ideas, concepts, or steps in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect. (RI)

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Craft a	nd Structure - Kindergarten	Craft a	nd Structure - Grade 1	Craft and Structure - Grade 2		
2020 St	andard	2020 St	2020 Standard		2020 Standard	
R.K.4	With prompting and support, identify specific words that express feelings or content-specific words within a text. (RI&RL)	R.1.4	Identify specific words <u>and phrases</u> that express feeling, <u>appeal to the senses</u> , or content-specific words within a text. (RI&RL)	R.2.4	Explain how specific words and phrases express feelings, appeals to the senses, or determine the meaning of content-specific words within a text. (RI&RL)	
2010 St	andard	2010 St	andard	2010 9	Standard	
RL.K.4	Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text.	RL.1.4	Identify words and phrases in stories or poems that suggest feelings or appeal to the senses.	RL.2.4	Describe how words and phrases (e.g., regular beats, alliteration, rhymes, repeated lines) supply rhythm and meaning in a story, poem, or song.	
RI.K.4	With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text.	RI.1.4	Ask and answer questions to help determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases in a text.	RI.2.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 2 topic or subject area.	
L.K.3a A unknow	isks students to ask and answer questions about n words.	1	ssks students to ask and answer questions about n words. L.1.3a parallels R.1.4		nas different content in the 2020 version than the 2010 rd; however, it builds on the 2020 version of R.1.4.	
	4, students begin determining the meanings of words ases (see R.4.4).		4, students begin determining the meanings of words ases (see R.4.4).	R.3.4	erence, the 2020 standard in grade 3. Determine the meaning of words, phrases, figurative language, and academic and content-specific words within a text. (RI&RL)	

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Craft a	Craft and Structure - Kindergarten		Craft and Structure - Grade 1		Craft and Structure - Grade 2	
2020 Standard		2020 St	andard	2020 9	2020 Standard	
R.K.5	Identify literary and informational texts. (RI&RL)	R.1.5	Identify <u>a variety of genres</u> and <u>explain major</u> <u>differences between literary texts and informational texts.</u> (RI&RL)	R.2.5	Describe the overall structure of a text, including describing how the beginning introduces the text and the ending concludes the text. (RI&RL)	
2010 St	andard	2010 St	andard	2010 9	Standard	
RL.K.5	Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems).	RL.1.5	Explain major differences between books that tell stories and books that give information, drawing on a wide reading of a range of text types.	RL.2.5	Describe the overall structure of a story, including describing how the beginning introduces the story and the ending concludes the action.	
RI.K.5	Identify the front cover, back cover, and title page of a book.	RI.1.5	Know and use various text features (e.g., headings, tables of contents, glossaries, electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or information in a text.	RI.2.5	Know and use various text features (e.g., captions, bold print, subheadings, glossaries, indexes, electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or information in a text efficiently.	
		Text fea	tures appear in R.2.6	Text fe	atures appear in R.2.6	
				For refe	erence, the 2020 standard in grade 3.	
					Identify parts of stories, dramas, and poems using terms such as chapter, scene, and stanza. (RL)	
					Identify and use text features to build comprehension. (RI)	

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Craft and Structure - Kindergarten		Craft ar	Craft and Structure - Grade 1		Craft and Structure - Grade 2		
2020 Standard		2020 St	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
R.K.6	Define the role of the author and the illustrator in presenting the ideas in a text. (RI&RL)	R.1.6	<u>Describe how illustrations and details support the</u> <u>point of view or purpose of the text</u> . (RI&RL)	R.2.6	<u>Identify examples</u> of how illustrations, <u>text features</u> , and details support the point of view or purpose of the text. (RI&RL)		
2010 St	tandard	2010 St	andard	2010	Standard		
RL.K.6	With prompting and support, name the author and illustrator of a story and define the role of each in telling the story.	RL.1.6 a text.	Identify who is telling the story at various points in	RL.2.6	Acknowledge differences in the points of view of characters, including by speaking in a different voice for each character when reading dialogue aloud.		
RI.K.6	Name the author and illustrator of a text and define the role of each in presenting the ideas or information in a text.	RI.1.6	Distinguish between information provided by pictures or other illustrations and information provided by the words in a text.		Identify the main purpose of a text, including what the author wants to answer, explain, or describe. Eference, the 2020 standard in grade 3.		
illustrat	020) asks students to go beyond naming the author and or to defining their role (which was included in the RL.K.6 (.6 (2010).	details s beyond l telling a	020) asks students to describe how illustrations and upport the point of view or purpose of a text. This goes RL.1.6 (2010), which required students to identify who is story. This skill - understanding the relationship between ions, details, and point of view or purpose is continued in		Discuss how the reader's point of view or perspective may differ from that of the author, narrator or characters in a text. (RI&RL)		

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas (Grades K - 2)

Integra	tion of Knowledge and Ideas - Kindergarten	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 1	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 2		
2020 Standard		2020 Standard	2020 Standard		
R.K.7	With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the text. (RI&RL)	R.1.7 Use illustrations and details in literary and informational texts to discuss story elements and/or topics. (RI&RL)	R.2.7 <u>Demonstrate understanding of</u> story elements and/or topics <u>by applying information gained from illustrations or text features</u> . (RI & RL)		
2010 St	andard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard		
RL.K.7	With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the story in which they appear (e.g., what moment in a story an illustration depicts).	RL.1.7 Use illustrations and details in a story to describe its characters, setting, or events.	RL.2.7 Use information gained from the illustrations and words in a print or digital text to demonstrate understanding of its characters, setting, or plot .		
		RI.1.7 Use the illustrations and details in a text to describe			
RI.K.7	With prompting and support, describe the relationship between illustrations and the text in which they appear (e.g., what person, place, thing, or idea in the text an illustration depicts).	its key ideas .	RI.2.7 Explain how specific images (e.g., a diagram showing how a machine works) contribute to and clarify a text.		
		From RL.1.7 (2010), "characters, setting, or events" was replaced with "story elements and/or topics" (2020).	R.2.7 (2020) includes elements of RI.2.7 (2010). Learners "Demonstrate understanding of topics by applying		
		From RI.1.7 (2010), "key ideas" was replaced with "topics" (2020).	information gained from illustrations or text features". This is broader than RI.2.7 (2010) which included only how "specific images contribute to and clarify a text" (2010).		
			The grade 3 2020 standard is provided for reference.		
			R.3.7 Explain how specific illustrations or text features contribute to what is conveyed by the words in a text (e.g., create mood, emphasize character or setting, or determine where, when, why, and how key events occur). (RI&RL)		

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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Kindergarten	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 1	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 2	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.K.8 With prompting and support, identify specific information to support ideas in a text. (RI)	R.1.8 Identify specific information an author or illustrator gives that supports ideas in a text. (RI)	R.2.8 Explain how specific points the author or illustrator makes in a text are supported by relevant reasons and evidence. (RI)	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.K.8 Not applicable to literature.	RL.K.8 Not applicable to literature.	RL.K.8 Not applicable to literature.	
RI.K.8 With prompting and support, identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text.	RI.1.8 Identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text.	RI.2.8 Describe how reasons support specific points the author makes in a text.	
"Reasons" (RI.K.8, 2010) was replaced with "specific information" (R.K.8, 2020). "Points" (RI.K.8, 2010) was replaced	"Reasons" (RI.K.8, 2010) was replaced with "specific information" (R.K.8, 2020). "Points" (RI.K.8, 2010) was replaced	The grade 3 2020 standard is provided for reference.	
with "ideas" (R.K.8, 2020).	with "ideas" (R.K.8, 2020).	R.3.8 Explain how claims in a text are supported by relevant reasons and evidence. (RI)	
	R.1.8 asks learners to understand information provided by authors or illustrators because informational text can include illustrators.		

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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Kindergarten		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 1	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 2	
2020 Standard		2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.K.9	With prompting and support, compare and contrast two texts; recognize that texts reflect one's own and others' cultures. (RI&RL)	R.1.9 Compare and contrast two texts; recognize that texts reflect one's own and others' culture. (RI&RL)	R.2.9 Compare and contrast <u>key points or perspectives</u> <u>presented in</u> two texts; <u>recognize that texts reflect</u> <u>one's own and others' culture.</u> (RI&RL)	
2010 St	andard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.K.9	With prompting and support, compare and contrast the adventures and experiences of characters in familiar stories.	RL.1.9 Compare and contrast the adventures and experiences of characters in stories.	RL.2.9 Compare and contrast two or more versions of the same story (e.g., Cinderella stories) by different authors or from different cultures.	
RI.K.9	With prompting and support, identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).	RI.1.9 Identify basic similarities in and differences between two texts on the same topic (e.g., in illustrations, descriptions, or procedures).	RI.2.9 Compare and contrast the most important points presented by two texts on the same topic.	
idea (the	2010) asked learners to compare and contrast a specific adventures and experiences of characters in familiar This is broadened to "compare and contrast two texts" in 020).	RL.1.9 (2010) asked learners to compare and contrast a specific idea (the adventures and experiences of characters in familiar stories). This is broadened to "compare and contrast two texts" in R.K.9 (2020).	Comparing and contrasting two or more versions of the same story (RL.2.9, 2010) could be an instructional technique used to reach R.2.9.	
l .	s in RI.K.9 (2010) are condensed into the phrase e and contrast two texts" in R.K.9 (2020).	The ideas in Rl.1.9 (2010) are condensed into the phrase "compare and contrast two texts" in R.K.9 (2020).	The grade 3 2020 standard is provided for reference. R.3.9 Recognize genres and make connections to other	
	020) is the same in grade 1 (without prompting and in grade 1).	R.1.9 (2020) is the same in kindergarten (with prompting and support in grade K).	texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, personal events, and situations. (RI&RL)	

TEXT COMPLEXITY

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

Kindergarten	Grade 1	Grade 2							
2020 Standards, Overarching Statement for all standards:									
Literate individuals are flexible; they respond to the varying d	emands of audience, task, purpose, and discipline.								
2020 Standards, Overarching Statement for Reading:									
Read and comprehend a variety of complex literary and informational texts for many purposes (including enjoyment), including texts that reflect one's experiences and experiences of others. This includes independently and proficiently understanding grade-level text.									
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard							
RL.K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.	RL.1.10 With prompting and support, read prose and poetry of appropriate complexity for grade 1.)	RL.2.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including prose and poetry, in the grades 2 3 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.							
RI.K.10 Actively engage in group reading activities with purpose and understanding.	RI.1.10 With prompting and support, read informational texts appropriately complex for grade 1.	RL.2.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including prose and poetry, in the grades 2–3 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.							

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Key Ideas and Details (3 - 5)

Key Ide	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 3		Key Ideas and Details - Grade 4		Key Ideas and Details - Grade 5	
2020 Standard		2020 9	2020 Standard		2020 Standard	
R.3.1	Develop and answer questions to <u>locate relevant</u> and specific details in a text to support an answer or inference. (RI&RL)	R.4.1	Locate and refer to relevant details and evidence when explaining what a text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	R.5.1	Locate and refer to relevant details and evidence when explaining what a text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	
2010 St	andard	2010 9	Standard	2010 St	tandard	
RL.3.1	Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.	RL.4.1	Refer to details and examples in a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.	RL.5.1	Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.	
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For refer	ence, 2020 standard in grade 2			For refe	rence, 2020 standards in grade 6	
<u>u</u>	R.2.1 Develop and answer questions to demonstrate an understanding of key ideas and details in a text. (RI&RL)			t	Cite textual evidence to support an analysis of what he text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	
2020 Standard		2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
R.3.1	Develop and answer questions to <u>locate relevant</u> and specific details in a text to support an answer or inference. (RI&RL)	R.4.1	Locate and refer to relevant details and evidence when explaining what a text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	R.5.1	Locate and refer to relevant details and evidence when explaining what a text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	

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Key Id	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 3		Key Ideas and Details - Grade 4		Key Ideas and Details - Grade 5		
2020 9	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
R.3.2	Summarize portions of a text to determine a theme or central idea and explain how it is supported by key details. (RI&RL)	R.4.2	Summarize texts, <u>from a variety of genres</u> , to determine a theme or central idea and explain how it is supported by key details. (RI&RL)	R.5.2	Summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine a theme or central idea and explain how it is supported by key details. (RI&RL)		
2010	Standard	2010 St	tandard	2010	Standard		
RL.3.2	myths from diverse cultures; determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text.	RL.4.2	Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text; summarize the text. Determine the main idea of a text and explain how it is supported by key details; summarize the text.		Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text, including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges or how the speaker in a poem reflects upon a topic; summarize the text.		
	details and explain how they support the main idea.			RI.5.2	Determine two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details; summarize the text.		
For ref	erence, 2020 standard in grade 2			For ref	erence, 2020 standard in grade 6		
	Summarize portions of a text in order to identify a main topic or central idea and <u>key</u> details in a text. (RI&RL)				Summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine a theme or central idea and how it is developed by key supporting details over the course of a text. (RI &RL)		

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Key Ideas and Details - Grade 3	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 4	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 5	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.3.3 Describe <u>a character</u> (traits, motivations, and/or <u>feelings</u>) drawing on specific details from the text. (RL)	R.4.3 Describe a character (traits, motivations, and/or feelings), setting, or event, drawing on specific details in the text. (RL)	R.5.3 <u>Compare and contrast two or more</u> characters, settings, and events, drawing on specific details in the text. (RL)	
Describe the relationship among a series of events, ideas, concepts, or steps in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect. (RI)	Explain events, <u>procedures</u> , ideas, or concepts, including what happened and why, based on specific evidence from the text. (RI)	Explain <u>the relationships or interactions between</u> <u>two or more</u> individuals, events, ideas, or concepts based on specific evidence from the text. (RI)	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.3.3 Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of events.	RL.4.3 Describe in depth a character, setting, or event in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., a character's thoughts, words, or actions).	RL.5.3 Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., how characters interact).	
RI.3.3 Describe the relationship between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or	RI.4.3 Explain events, procedures, ideas, or concepts i n a historical, scientific, or technical text , including		
steps in technical procedures in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect.	what happened and why, based on specific information in the text.	RI.5.3 Explain the relationships or interactions between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or concepts in a historical, scientific, or technical text based on specific information in the text.	
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 2		For reference, 2020 standard in grade 6.	
R.2.3 Describe how characters respond to major events and challenges. (RL)		R.6.3 In literary texts, describe how events unfold, as well as how characters respond or change as the plot moves toward a resolution. (RL)	
Describe <u>the connections between ideas, concepts, or a series of events.</u> (RI)		,, ,,	
		In informational texts, analyze how individuals, events, and ideas are introduced, related to each other, and developed. (RI)	

Craft and Structure (3 - 5)

Craft and Structure - Grade 3		Craft and Structure - Grade 4		Craft and Structure - Grade 5		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
R.3.4	Determine the meaning of words, phrases, figurative language, and academic and content-specific words within a text. (RI&RL)	R.4.4	Determine the meaning of words, phrases, figurative language, academic, and content-specific words within a text. (RI&RL)	R.5.4	Determine the meaning of words, phrases, figurative language, academic and content-specific words, and analyze their effect on meaning, tone, and mood within a text. (RI&RL)	
2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard	2010 9	standard	
RL.3.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, distinguishing literal from nonliteral language.	RL.4.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including those that allude to significant characters found in mythology (e.g., Herculean).	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.	
RI.3.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area.	RI.4.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain specific words or phrases in a text relevant to a grade 4 topic or subject area.	RI.5.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.	
	a (2020), students distinguish literal from nonliteral ge (which was previously in RL.3.4, 2010).	as they	a, students determine the meaning of words and phrases are used in a text, including those that allude to ant characters (e.g., Herculean) (previously part of RL.4.4,	metapl determ	l, students determine the meaning of similes and nors. In this standard (R.5.4, 2020), students go beyond ining meaning to analyze the impact of the simile or nor on the reader.	
	nd R.4.4 are the same. Students can refine and develop ills through instruction that varies the complexity of texts.	1	nd R.4.4 are the same. Students can refine and develop ills through instruction that varies the complexity of texts.			
For refe	rence, the 2020 standards in grade 2					
R.2.4	Explain how specific words and phrases express feelings, appeals to the senses, or determine the meaning of content-specific words within a text. (RI&RL)					

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Craft and Structure - Grade 3	Craft and Structure - Grade 4	Craft and Structure - Grade 5	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.3.5 Identify parts of stories, dramas, and poems using terms such as chapter, scene, and stanza. (RL)	R.4.5 Identify and analyze structural elements, using terms such as verse, rhythm, meter, characters, settings, dialogue, stage directions. (RL)	R.5.5 Explain how a series of chapters, scenes, or stanzas fits together to determine the overall structure of a story, drama, or poem. (RL)	
Identify and use text features to build comprehension. (RI)			
	Identify the overall structure using terms such as sequence, comparison, cause/effect, and problem/solution. (RI)	Compare and contrast the overall structure in two or more texts using terms such as sequence, comparison, cause/effect, and problem/solution. (RI)	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.3.5 Refer to parts of stories, dramas, and poems when writing or speaking about a text, using terms such as chapter, scene, and stanza; describe how each successive part builds on earlier sections.	RL.4.5 Explain major differences between poems, drama, and prose, and refer to the structural elements of poems (e.g., verse, rhythm, meter) and drama (e.g., casts of characters, setting descriptions, dialogue, stage directions) when writing or speaking about a	RL.5.5 Explain how a series of chapters, scenes, or stanzas fits together to provide the overall structure of a particular story, drama, or poem.	
RI.3.5 Use text features and search tools (e.g., key words, sidebars, hyperlinks) to locate information relevant to a given topic efficiently .	RI.4.5 Describe the overall structure (e.g., ehronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or information in a text or part of a text.	RI.5.5 Compare and contrast the overall structure (e.g., chronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or information in two or more texts.	
For reference, the 2020 standard in grade 2			
R.2.5 Describe the overall structure of a text, including describing how the beginning introduces the text and the ending concludes the text. (RI&RL)			

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Craft and Structure - Grade 3	Craft and Structure - Grade 4	Craft and Structure - Grade 5	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.3.6 <u>Discuss how the reader's</u> point of view <u>or perspective</u> may differ from that of the author, narrator or characters in a text. (RI&RL)	R.4.6 In literary text, <u>compare and contrast</u> the point of view <u>from which different stories are narrated</u> , <u>including the difference between first- and third-person narrations</u> . (RL)	R.5.6 In literary text, explain how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described. (RL)	
	In informational text, <u>compare and contrast a primary</u> and <u>secondary source</u> on the same event or topic. (RI)	In informational text, <u>analyze multiple accounts of</u> the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent. (RI)	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.3.6 Distinguish their own point of view from that of the narrator or those of the characters.	RL.4.6 Compare and contrast the point of view from which different stories are narrated, including the difference between first- and third-person narrations.	RL.5.6 Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described.	
RI.3.6 Distinguish their own point of view from that of the author of a text.	RI.4.6 Compare and contrast a firsthand and secondhand account of the same event or topic; describe the differences in focus and the information provided.	RI.5.6 Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent. For reference, the 2020 standard in grade 6 R.6.6 In literary texts, identify possible biases, the point of	
For reference, the 2020 standard in grade 2		view, and explain how it is developed and conveys meaning in diverse texts. (RL)	
R.2.6 Identify examples of how illustrations, text features, and details support the point of view or purpose of the text. (RI&RL)		In informational texts, explain how an author's geographic location, identity, and/or culture affect perspective. Analyze how the author distinguishes his or her position from that of others. (RI)	

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas (3 - 5)

Integra	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 3		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 4		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 5	
2020 Standard R.3.7 Explain how specific illustrations or text features contribute to what is conveyed by the words in a text (e.g., create mood, emphasize character or setting, or determine where, when, why, and how key events occur). (RI&RL)		2020 Standard		2020 Standard R.5.7 Analyze how visual and multimedia elements contribute to the meaning of literary and informational texts. (RI&RL)		
2010 St	tandard	2010 5	itandard	2010 9	Standard	
RL.3.7	Explain how specific aspects of a text's illustrations contribute to what is conveyed by the words in a story (e.g., create mood, emphasize aspects of a character or setting).	RL.4.7	Make connections between the text of a story or drama and a visual or oral presentation of the text, identifying where each version reflects specific descriptions and directions in the text.	RL.5.7	Analyze how visual and multimedia elements contribute to the meaning, tone, or beauty of a text (e.g., graphic novel; multimedia presentation of fiction, folktale, myth, poem).	
	Use information gained from illustrations (e.g., maps, photographs) and the words in a text to demonstrate understanding of the text (e.g., where, when, why, and how key events occur).	RI.4.7	Interpret information presented visually, orally, or quantitatively (e.g., in charts, graphs, diagrams, time lines, animations, or interactive elements on Web pages) and explain how the information contributes to an understanding of the text in which it appears.	RI.5.7	Draw on information from multiple print or digital sources, demonstrating the ability to locate an answer to a question quickly or to solve a problem efficiently. ande 8 2020 standard is provided for reference.	
The grad	de 2 2020 standard is provided for reference.					
	<u>Demonstrate understanding of</u> story elements and/or topics <u>by applying information gained from illustrations or text features</u> . (RI & RL)					

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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas (3 - 5)

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 3		Integra	ation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 4	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 5	
2020 Standard		2020 Standard		2020 Standard	
R.3.8	Explain how <u>claims in a text</u> are supported by relevant reasons and evidence. (RI)	R.4.8	Explain how claims in a text are supported by relevant reasons and evidence. (RI)	R.5.8	Explain how claims in a text are supported by relevant reasons and evidence, identifying which reasons and evidence support which claims. (RI)
2010 Standard		2010 S	tandard	2010 9	standard
RL.3.8	Not applicable to literature.	RL.4.8	Not applicable to literature.	RL.5.8	Not applicable to literature.
RI.3.8	Describe the logical connection between particular sentences and paragraphs in a text (e.g., comparison, cause/effect, first/second/third in a sequence).	RI.4.8	Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text.	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).
The grade 2 2020 standard is provided for reference.				The gro	nde 6 2020 standard is provided for reference.
R.2.8	Explain how specific points the author or illustrator makes in a text are supported by relevant reasons and evidence. (RI)			R.6.8	Trace and evaluate the development of an argument and specific claims in texts, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and relevant evidence from claims that are not. (RI)

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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas (3 - 5)

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 3		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 4		Integ	ration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 5
2020 Standard		2020 Standard		2020 Standard	
R.3.9	Recognize genres and make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, personal events, and situations. (RI&RL)	R.4.9	Recognize genres and make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, personal events, and situations. (RI&RL)	R.5.9	Make informed judgments about quality of text; make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. (RI&RL)
2010 9	Standard	2010 9	Standard	2010	Standard
RL.3.9	Compare and contrast the themes, settings, and plots of stories written by the same author about the same or similar characters (e.g., in books from a series). Compare and contrast the most important points and key details presented in two texts on the same topic.	RL.4.9	Compare and contrast the treatment of similar themes and topics (e.g., opposition of good and evil) and patterns of events (e.g., the quest) in stories, myths, and traditional literature from different cultures. Integrate information from two texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably.	RI.5.9	Compare and contrast stories in the same genre (e.g., mysteries and adventure stories) on their approaches to similar themes and topics. Integrate information from several texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably. D20 grade 6 standard is provided for reference.
The 20 R.2.9	20 grade 2 standard is provided for reference. Compare and contrast key points or perspectives presented in two texts; recognize that texts reflect one's own and others' culture. (RI&RL)				

Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5			
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2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard			
RL.3.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 2–3 text complexity band independently and proficiently.	RL.4.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, in the grades 4–5 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.	RL.5.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 4 - 5 text complexity band independently and proficiently.			
RI.3.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2—3 text complexity band independently and proficiently.	RI.4.10 By the end of year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, in the grades 4–5 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as necessary at the high end of the range.	RI.5.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 4–5 text complexity band independently and proficiently.			

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Key Ideas and Details (6 - 8)

Key Ideas and Details - Grade 6	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 7	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 8	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.6.1 <u>Cite textual evidence to support an analysis of what</u> the text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	R.7.1 Cite textual evidence to support an analysis of what the text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	R.8.1 Cite textual evidence that strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.6.1 Cite textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.	RL.7.1 Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text .	RL.8.1 Cite the textual evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text .	
RI.6.1 Cite textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.	RI.7.1 Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text .	RI.8.1 Cite the textual evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.	
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5			
R.5.1 Locate and refer to relevant details and evidence when explaining what a text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)		For reference, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10 R.9-10.1 Cite relevant textual evidence that strongly supports analysis of what the text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences; develop questions for further exploration. (RI & RL)	

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Key Ideas and Details - Grade 6	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 7	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 8	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.6.2 Summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine a theme or central idea and how it is developed by key supporting details over the course of a text. (RI &RL)	R.7.2 Summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine a theme or central idea and analyze its development over the course of the text. (RI&RL)	R.8.2 Summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine <u>one or more</u> themes or central ideas and analyze their development over the course of the text. (RI&RL)	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.6.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and how it is conveyed through particular details; provide a summary of the text distinct from personal opinions or judgments.	RL.7.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.	RL.8.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to the characters, setting, and plot; provide an objective summary of the text.	
RI.6.2 Determine a central idea of a text and how it is conveyed through particular details; provide a summary of the text distinct from personal opinions or judgments.	RI.7.2 Determine two or more central ideas in a text and analyze their development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.	RI.8.2 Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to supporting ideas; provide an objective summary of the text.	
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5 R.5.2 Summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine a theme or central idea and explain how it is supported by key details. (RI&RL)		For reference, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10	

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Key Ideas and Details - Grade 6	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 7	Key Ideas and Details - Grade 8	
R.6.3 In literary texts, describe how events unfold, as well as how characters respond or change as the plot moves toward a resolution. (RL) In informational texts, analyze how individuals, events, and ideas are introduced, related to each other, and developed. (RI)	R.7.3 In literary texts, analyze how elements of plot are related, affect one another, and contribute to meaning. (RL) In informational texts, analyze how individuals, events, and ideas are introduced, related to each other, and developed. (RI)	R.8.3 In literary texts, analyze how particular lines of dialogue or events propel the action, reveal aspects of a character, or provoke a decision. (RL) In informational texts, analyze how individuals, events, and ideas are introduced, related to each other, and developed. (RI)	
RL.6.3 Describe-how a particular story's or drama's plot unfolds in a series of episodes as well as how the characters respond or change as the plot moves toward a resolution. Rl.6.3 Analyze-in detail how a key individual, event, or idea is introduced, illustrated, and elaborated in a text (e.g., through examples or anecdotes).	2010 Standard RL.7.3 Analyze how-particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot). RI.7.3 Analyze the interactions between individuals, events, and ideas in a text (e.g., how ideas influence individuals or events, or how individuals influence ideas or events).	RL.8.3 Analyze how particular lines of dialogue or incidents in a story or drama propel the action, reveal aspects of a character, or provoke a decision. Rl.8.3 Analyze how a text makes connections among and distinctions between individuals, ideas, or events (e.g., through comparisons, analogies, or categories). For reference, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10	
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5 R.5.3 Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, and events, drawing on specific details in the text. (RL) Explain the relationships or interactions between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or concepts based on specific evidence from the text. (RI)			

Craft and Structure (6 - 8)

Craft and Structure - Grade 6	Craft and Structure - Grade 7	Craft and Structure - Grade 8	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.6.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases, including figurative and <u>connotative meanings</u> . Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and mood, <u>including words with multiple meanings within a text</u> . (RI&RL)	R.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases, including figurative and connotative meanings. Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and mood, including words with multiple meanings within a text. (RI&RL)	R.8.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases, including figurative and connotative meanings. Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and mood, including words with multiple meanings within a text. (RI&RL)	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
RL.6.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone. RI.6.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings. For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5	RL.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or drama. RI.7.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and	RL.8.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts. RI.8.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts.	
R.5.4 Determine the meaning of words, phrases, figurative	tone.	For reference, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10	
language, academic and content-specific words, a <u>nd</u> <u>analyze their effect on meaning, tone, and mood</u> <u>within a text.</u> (RI&RL)		R.9-10.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases, including figurative and connotative meanings. Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and mood. Examine technical or key terms and how language differs across genres. (RI & RL)	

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Craft and Structure - Grade 6	Craft and Structure - Grade 7	Craft and Structure - Grade 8	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
R.6.5 In literary texts, analyze how a <u>sentence, paragraph</u> , stanza, chapter, scene, or section fits into the overall structure <u>and how it contributes to the development of theme, central idea, setting, or plot</u> . (RL)	R.7.5 In literary texts, analyze how <u>structure</u> , <u>including</u> <u>genre-specific features</u> , contributes to the development of themes or central ideas. (RL)	R.8.5 In literary texts and informational texts, <u>compare</u> and contrast the structures of two or more texts in order to analyze how the differing structure of each text contributes to overall meaning, style, theme, or central idea. (RI&RL)	
In informational texts, <u>analyze how a particular sentence</u> , <u>paragraph</u> , <u>chapter</u> , <u>or section fits into the overall structure of a text and how it contributes to the development of theme or central ideas</u> . (RI)	In informational texts, analyze <u>the structure an</u> <u>author uses to organize a text</u> , including how the sections contribute to <u>the whole</u> and to the development <u>of themes or central</u> ideas. (RI)		
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
 RL.6.5 Analyze how a particular sentence, chapter, scene, or stanza fits into the overall structure of a text and contributes to the development of the theme, setting, or plot. RI.6.5 Analyze how a particular sentence, paragraph, chapter, or section fits into the overall structure of a text and contributes to the development of the ideas. 	RL.7.5 Analyze how a drama's or poem's form or structure (e.g., soliloquy, sonnet) contributes to its meaning. RI.7.5 Analyze the structure an author uses to organize a text, including how the major sections contribute to the whole and to the development of the ideas.	RL.8.5 Compare and contrast the structure of two or more texts and analyze how the differing structure of each text contributes to its meaning and style. Rl.8.5 Analyze in detail the structure of a specific paragraph in a text, including the role of particular sentences in developing and refining a key concept.	
lucus.		For reference, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10	
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5		R.9-10.5 In literary texts, <u>consider how varied aspects of</u> structure create meaning and affect the reader.	
R.5.5 Explain how a series of chapters, scenes, or stanzas fits together to determine the overall structure of a story, drama, or poem. (RL)		(RL)	
Compare and contrast the overall structure in two or more texts using terms such as sequence, comparison, cause/effect, and problem/solution. (RI)		In informational texts, <u>consider how the author's intent influences particular sentences, paragraphs, or sections</u> . (RI)	

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Craft and Structure - Grade 6	Craft and Structure - Grade 7	Craft and Structure - Grade 8
R.6.6 In literary texts, identify possible biases, the point of view, and explain how it is developed and conveys meaning in diverse texts. (RL) In informational texts, explain how an author's geographic location, identity, and/or culture affect perspective. Analyze how the author distinguishes his or her position from that of others. (RI)	R.7.6 In literary texts, analyze how an author develops and contrasts the point of view, possible biases, and the perspectives of different characters or narrators. (RL) In informational texts, explain how an author's geographic location, identity, and/or culture affect perspective. Analyze how the author distinguishes his or her position from that of others. (RI)	R.8.6 In literary texts, analyze how the differences between the point of view, perspectives, and possible biases of the characters, the audience, or reader create effects such as mood and tone. (RL) In informational texts, explain how an author's geographic location, identity, and/or culture affect perspective. Analyze how the author_addresses conflicting evidence or viewpoints. (RI)
RL.6.6 Explain how an author develops the point of view of the narrator or speaker in a text. Rl.6.6 Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and explain how it is conveyed in the text. For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5 R.5.6 In literary text, explain how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described. (RL) In informational text, analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent. (RI)	RL.7.6 Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text. Rl.7.6 Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author distinguishes his or her position from that of others.	RL.8.6 Analyze how differences in the points of view of the characters and the audience or reader (e.g., created through the use of dramatic irony) create such effects as suspense or humor. Rl.8.6 Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author acknowledges and responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints. For reference, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas (6 - 8)

Craft and Structure - Grade 6	Craft and Structure - Grade 7	Craft and Structure - Grade 8
R.6.7 Compare and contrast how different formats, including print and digital media, contribute to the understanding of a subject. (RI&RL)	R.7.7 Compare and contrast <u>a written text with audio</u> , filmed, staged, or digital versions in order to analyze the effects of techniques unique to each media and each format's portrayal of a subject. (RI&RL)	R.8.7 Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using different media— print, audio, video, stage, or digital—to present a particular subject or idea and analyze the extent to which a production remains faithful to or departs from the written text. (RI&RL)
 RL.6.7 Compare and contrast the experience of reading a story, drama, or poem to listening to or viewing an audio, video, or live version of the text, including contrasting what they "see" and "hear" when reading the text to what they perceive when they listen or watch. RI.6.7 Integrate information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words to develop a coherent understanding of a topic or issue. 	RL.7.7 Compare and contrast a story, drama, or poem to its audio, filmed, staged, or multimedia version, analyzing the effects of techniques unique to each medium (e.g., lighting, sound, color, or camera focus and angles in a film). RI.7.7 Compare and contrast a text to an audio, video, or multimedia version of the text, analyzing each medium's portrayal of the subject (e.g., how the delivery of a speech affects the impact of the words).	RL.8.7 Analyze the extent to which a filmed or live production of a story or drama stays faithful to or departs from the text or script, evaluating the choices made by the director or actors. RI.8.7 Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using different mediums (e.g., print or digital text, video, multimedia) to present a particular topic or idea. For reference, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5 R.5.7 Analyze how visual and multimedia elements contribute to the meaning of literary and informational texts. (RI&RL)		

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Craft a	Craft and Structure - Grade 6		Craft and Structure - Grade 7		Craft and Structure - Grade 8	
2020 St	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		2020 Standard	
R.6.8	Trace and evaluate the development of an argument and specific claims in texts, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and relevant evidence from claims that are not. (RI)	R.7.8 Trace and evaluate the development of an argument and specific claims in a text. <u>Assess</u> whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient. Recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced. (RI)		R.8.8	Trace and evaluate an argument and specific claims in a text. Assess whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient. Recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced. (RI)	
2010 St	andard	2010 Standard		2010 Standard		
RL.6.8	Not applicable to literature.	RL.7.8	Not applicable to literature.	RL.8.8	Not applicable to literature.	
RI.6.8	Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not.	RI.7.8	Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient to support the claims.	RI.8.8	Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced.	
For refe	For reference, 2020 standard in grade 5			For refer	rence, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10	
R.5.8	Explain how claims in a text are supported by relevant reasons and evidence, identifying which reasons and evidence support which claims. (RI)					

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Craft a	Craft and Structure - Grade 6		and Structure - Grade 7	Craft a	and Structure - Grade 8		
2020 \$	tandard	2020 9	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
R.6.9	<u>Evaluate the</u> quality of texts. Make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. (RI&RL)	R.7.9	Evaluate the quality of texts. Make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. (RI&RL)	R.8.9	<u>Choose and develop criteria to</u> evaluate the quality of texts. Make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. (RI&RL)		
2010 5	tandard	2010 9	Standard	2010 9	Standard		
RL.6.9	Compare and contrast texts in different forms or genres (e.g., stories and poems; historical novels and fantasy stories) in terms of their approaches to similar themes and topics.	RL.7.9	Compare and contrast a fictional portrayal of a time, place, or character and a historical account of the same period as a means of understanding how authors of fiction use or alter history.	RL.8.9	Analyze how a modern work of fiction draws on themes, patterns of events, or character types from myths, traditional stories, or religious works such as the Bible, including describing how the material is		
RI.6.9	Compare and contrast one author's presentation of events with that of another (e.g., a memoir written by and a biography on the same person).	RI.7.9	Analyze how two or more authors writing about the same topic shape their presentations of key information by emphasizing different evidence or advancing different interpretations of facts.	RI.8.9	rendered new: Analyze a case in which two or more texts provide conflicting information on the same topic and identify where the texts disagree on matters of fact or interpretation.		
For refe	erence, 2020 standard in grade 5			For refe	erence, 2020 standard in grade 9 - 10		
R.5.9	Make informed judgments about quality of text; make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. (RI&RL)			. 3. 70			

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity (6 - 8)

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity Grade 6	Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity Grade 7	Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity Grade 8						
020 Standards, Overarching Statement for all standards:								
Literate individuals are flexible; they respond to the varying o	lemands of audience, task, purpose, and discipline.							
2020 Standards, Overarching Statement for Reading: Read and comprehend a variety of complex literary and inform								
others. This includes independently and proficiently understa								
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard						
RL.6.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 6–8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.	RL.7.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 6 - 8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.	RL.8.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high end of grades 6–8 text complexity band independently and proficiently.						
RI.6.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades 6–8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.	RI.7.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades 6–8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as	RI.8.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literary nonfiction at the high end of the grades 6—8 text complexity band independently and proficiently.						

The 2020 Wisconsin Standards for English Language Arts replace the 2010 reading standard 10 with an overarching statement. The overarching statement aims to create readers who are able to read any grade-level (or beyond text). This happens through a curriculum that includes instruction and practice with texts in a variety of formats and genres, about a variety of topics, from varied time periods, and created by varied individuals (authors and illustrators). Further, instruction and practice provide opportunities to read for a variety of purposes, including but not limited to understanding other perspectives, gaining knowledge, self-reflection, and enjoyment.

Grade-level text is determined through a multi-dimensional model of text complexity that includes quantitative, qualitative, and reader and task dimensions. In addition, representation and diversity are critical components of text complexity and selection.

Key Ideas and Details (9 - 12)

Key Ideas	and Details - Grades 9 - 10	Key Ideas a	nd Details - Grades 11 - 12
2020 Standard		2020 Stand	ard
R.9-10.1	Cite relevant textual evidence that strongly supports analysis of what the text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences; develop questions for further exploration. (RI & RL)	R.11-12.1	Cite relevant textual evidence that strongly supports analysis of what the text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences, including determining where the text is ambiguous; develop questions for deeper understanding and for further exploration. (RI & RL)
2010 Stan	dard	2010 Standard	
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.	RL.11-12.1	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining
RI.9-10.1	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text		where the text leaves matters uncertain.
	says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.		Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 8			
R.8.1	Cite textual evidence that strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly/implicitly and make logical inferences. (RI&RL)		

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Key Ideas	and Details - Grades 9 - 10	Key Ideas a	nd Details - Grades 11 - 12
2020 Standard		2020 Stand	ard
R.9-10.2	Objectively and accurately summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine one or more themes or central ideas and analyze its development, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details. (RI & RL)	R.11-12.2	Objectively and accurately summarize a complex text to determine <u>two or more</u> themes or central ideas and analyze their development, including how they emerge and are shaped and refined by specific details. (RI & RL)
2010 Stan	dard	2010 Standard	
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.	RL.11-12.2	Determine two or more themes or central ideas of a text and analyze their development over the course of the text, including how they interact and build on one another to produce a complex account; provide an objective summary
RI.9-10.2	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course		of the text
	of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.	RI.11-12.2	Determine two or more central ideas of a text and analyze their development over the course of the text, including how they interact and build on one another to provide a complex analysis; provide an objective summary of the text.
For referen	ce, 2020 standard in grade 8		
R.8.2	Summarize texts, from a variety of genres, to determine one or more themes or central ideas and analyze their development over the course of the text. (RI&RL)		

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Key Ideas	and Details - Grades 9 - 10	Key Ideas a	nd Details - Grades 11 - 12
2020 Stan	dard	2020 Stand	ard
R.9-10.3	In literary texts, analyze how <u>complex and/or dynamic characters</u> develop, interact with other characters, advance the plot, or <u>develop a theme</u> . (RL)	R.11-12.3	In literary texts, analyze the <u>impact of the author's choices</u> . (RL)
	In informational texts, analyze how the author <u>unfolds an analysis or argument, including the sequence, the introduction and development of ideas, and the connections that exist</u> . (RI)		In informational texts, analyze a <u>complex set of ideas or sequence of events</u> and <u>explain how specific individuals, ideas, or events interact and develop</u> . (RI)
2010 Standard		2010 Stand	ard
RL.9-10.3	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.	RL.11-12.3	Analyze the impact of the author's choices regarding how to develop and relate elements of a story or drama (e.g., where a story is set, how the action is ordered, how the characters are introduced and developed).
RI.9-10.3	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.	RI.11-12.3	Analyze a complex set of ideas or sequence of events and explain how specific individuals, ideas, or events interact and develop over the course of the text.
For referen	ce, 2020 standard in grade 8		

Craft and Structure (9 - 12)

Craft and Structure - Grades 9 - 10		Craft and Structure - Grades 11 - 12	
2020 Sta	ndard	2020 Stand	ard
R.9-10.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases, including figurative and connotative meanings. Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and mood. <u>Examine technical or key terms and how language differs across genres</u> . (RI & RL)	R.11-12.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases, including figurative and connotative meanings. Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and mood, including words with multiple meanings. Analyze how an author uses and refines the meaning of technical or key term(s) over the course of a text. (RI&RL)
2010 Sta	ndard	2010 Stand	ard
RL.9-10.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).	RL.11-12.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including words with multiple meanings or language that is particularly fresh, engaging, or beautiful. (Include Shakespeare
RI.9-10.4	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative-impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).	RI.11-12.4	as well as other authors.) Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze how an author uses and refines the meaning of a key term or terms over the course of a text (e.g., how Madison defines faction in Federalist No. 10).
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 8			
n	Determine the meaning of words and phrases, including figurative and connotative neanings. Analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and mood, including words with multiple meanings within a text. (RI&RL)		

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Craft and	Structure - Grades 9 - 10	Craft and S	tructure - Grades 11 - 12	
2020 Star	2020 Standard		ard	
R.9-10.5	In literary texts, <u>consider how varied aspects of structure</u> <u>create meaning and affect the reader</u> . (RL)	R.11-12.5	In literary texts, analyze how varied aspects of structure create meaning and affect the reader. (RL)	
	In informational texts, <u>consider how the author's intent influences particular sentences</u> , <u>paragraphs</u> , <u>or sections</u> . (RI)		In informational texts, <u>analyze the impact and evaluate the effect structure has on exposition or argument in terms of clarity, persuasive/rhetorical technique, and audience appeal</u> . (RI)	
2010 Star	ndard	2010 Standard		
RL.9-10.5	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.	RL.11-12.5	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure specific parts of a text (e.g., the choice of where to begin or end a story, the choice to provide a comedic or tragic resolution) contribute to its overall structure and meaning as	
RI.9-10.5	Analyze in detail how an author's ideas or claims are developed and refined by particular sentences, paragraphs, or larger portions of a text (e.g., a section or chapter).	RI.11-12.5	well as its aesthetic impact. Analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of the structure an author uses in his or her exposition or argument, including whether the structure makes points	
For reference, 2020 standard in grade 8			clear, convincing, and engaging.	
or cc	Iliterary texts and informational texts, <u>compare and contrast the structures of two</u> more texts in order to analyze how the differing structure of each text entributes to overall meaning, style, theme, or central idea. (RI&RL)			

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Craft and	Craft and Structure - Grades 9 - 10		tructure - Grades 11 - 12	
2020 Sta	ndard	2020 Standard		
R.9-10.6	Analyze how authors <u>employ</u> point of view, perspective, and purpose <u>to shape explicit and implicit messages</u> (e.g., examine rhetorical strategies, literary elements and devices). <u>Explain how an author's geographic location, identity, and culture affect perspective</u> . (RI & RL)	R.11-12.6	Analyze how authors employ point of view, perspective, and purpose to shape explicit and implicit messages (e.g., persuasiveness, aesthetic quality, satire, sarcasm, irony, or understatement). Explain how an author's geographic location, identity, and culture affect perspective. (RI & RL)	
2010 Sta	ndard	2010 Stand	ard	
RL.9-10.	Analyze a particular point of view or cultural experience reflected in a work of literature from outside the United States, drawing on a wide reading of world literature.	RL.11-12.6	Analyze a case in which grasping point of view requires distinguishing what is directly stated in a text from what is really meant (e.g., satire, sarcasm, irony, or understatement).	
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.	RI.11-12.6	Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text in which the rhetoric is particularly effective, analyzing how style and content contribute to the power, persuasiveness, or beauty of the text.	
For refere	nce, 2020 standard in grade 8			
2	literary texts, analyze <u>how the differences between the point of view,</u> erspectives, <u>and possible biases of the characters, the audience, or reader create</u> ffects such as <u>mood and tone</u> . (RL)			
c	n informational texts, explain how an author's geographic location, identity, and/or ulture affect perspective. Analyze how the autho <u>r addresses conflicting evidence r viewpoints</u> . (RI)			

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas (9 - 12)

Integration	on of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 9 - 10	Integration	of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 11 - 12
2020 Stan	dard	2020 Stand	ard
R.9-10.7	Analyze how a subject and/or content is presented in two or more formats by determining which details are emphasized, altered, or absent in each account. (e.g., analyze the representation of a subject and/or content or key scene in two different formats). (RI & RL)	R.11-12.7	In literary texts, analyze <u>multiple adaptations of a source text</u> as presented in different formats (e.g., works of art, graphic novels, music, film, etc.), <u>specifically evaluating how each version interprets the source</u> . (RL) In informational texts, <u>integrate and evaluate sources on the same topic or argument in order to address a question, or solve a problem</u> . (RI)
2010 Stan	dard	2010 Stand	ard
RL.9-10.7	Analyze the representation of a subject or a key scene in two different artistic mediums, including what is emphasized or absent in each treatment (e.g., Auden's "Musée des Beaux Arts" and Breughel's Landscape with the Fall of Icarus).	RL.11-12.7	Analyze multiple interpretations of a story, drama, or poem (e.g., recorded or live production of a play or recorded novel or poetry), evaluating how each version interprets the source text. (Include at least one play by Shakespeare and one play by an American dramatist.)
RI.9-10.7	Analyze various accounts of a subject told in different mediums (e.g., a person's life story in both print and multimedia), determining which details are emphasized in each account.	RI.9-10.7	Analyze various accounts of a subject told in different mediums (e.g., a person's life story in both print and multimedia), determining which details are emphasized in each account.
For referen	ce, 2020 standard in grade 8		
vic ex	raluate the advantages and disadvantages of using different media— print. audio, deo, stage, or digital—to present a particular subject or idea and analyze the tent to which a production remains faithful to or departs from the written text.		

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Integrat	ion of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 9 - 10	Integration of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 11 - 12					
2020 Sta	andard	2020 Standard					
R.9-10.8	<u>Delineate</u> and evaluate an argument and specific claims in a text, assessing the validity or <u>fallacy</u> of key statements by examining whether the supporting evidence is relevant <u>and sufficient</u> . (RI)		Delineate and evaluate an argument in <u>applicable texts, applying a lens (e.g. constitutional principles, logical fallacy, legal reasoning, belief systems, codes of ethics, philosophies, etc.</u>) to assess the validity or fallacy of key arguments, determining whether the supporting evidence is relevant and sufficient. (RI)				
2010 Sta	andard	2010 Standard					
RL.9-10.	8 Not applicable to literature.	RL.11-12.8	Not applicable to literature.				
RI.9-10.8	Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; identify false statements and fallacious reasoning.	RI.11-12.8	Delineate and evaluate the reasoning in seminal U.S. texts, including the application of constitutional principles and use of legal reasoning (e.g., in U.S. Supreme Court majority opinions and dissents) and the premises, purposes,				
For refere	ence, 2020 standard in grade 8		and arguments in works of public advocacy (e.g., The Federalist, presidential addresses).				
R.8.8	Trace and evaluate an argument and specific claims in a text. Assess whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient. Recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced. (RI)		addi essesji				

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Integra	ion of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 9 - 10	Integration	of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 11 - 12
2020 St	2020 Standard		ard
R.9-10.9	Choose and develop criteria to evaluate the quality of texts. Make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. (RI&RL)	t	Choose and develop criteria to evaluate the quality of texts. Make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. (RI&RL)
2010 St	andard	2010 Standa	ard
RL.9-10	9 Analyze how an author draws on and transforms source material in a specific work (e.g., how Shakespeare treats a theme or topic from Ovid or the Bible or how a later author draws on a play by Shakespeare).	RL.11-12.9	Demonstrate knowledge of eighteenth, nineteenth—and early-twentieth-century foundational works of American literature, including how two or more texts from the same period treat similar themes or topics.
RI.9-10.	Analyze seminal U.S. documents of historical and literary significance (e.g., Washington's Farewell Address, the Gettysburg Address, Roosevelt's Four Freedoms speech, King's "Letter From Birmingham Jail"), including how they address related themes and concepts.	RI.11-12.9	Analyze seventeenth, eighteenth, and nineteenth-century foundational U.S. documents of historical and literary significance (including The Declaration of Independence, the Preamble to the Constitution, the Bill of Rights, and Lincoln's Second Inaugural Address) for their themes, purposes, and rhetorical features.
For refer	ence, 2020 standard in grade 8		
	Choose and develop criteria to evaluate the quality of texts. Make connections to other texts, ideas, cultural perspectives, identities, eras, and personal experiences. RI&RL)		

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity (9 - 12)

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity - Grades 11 - 12

2020 Standards, Overarching Statement for all standards:

Literate individuals are flexible; they respond to the varying demands of audience, task, purpose, and discipline.

2020 Standards, Overarching Statement for Reading:

Read and comprehend a variety of complex literary and informational texts for many purposes (including enjoyment), including texts that reflect one's experiences and experiences of others. This includes independently and proficiently understanding grade-level text.

RL.9 10.10 By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9 - 10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. By the end of grade 10, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high end of the grades 9 - 10 text complexity band independently and proficiently.

RI.9 10.10 By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades 9–10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. By the end of grade 10, read and comprehend literary nonfiction at the high end of the grades 9–10 text complexity band independently and proficiently.

RL.11-12.10 By the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 11 CCR text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. By the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high end of the grades 11 CCR text complexity band independently and proficiently.

RI.11-12.10 By the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades
11-CCR text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the
high end of the range. By the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literary
nonfiction at the high end of the grades 11-CCR text complexity band
independently and proficiently.

The 2020 Wisconsin Standards for English Language Arts replace the 2010 reading standard 10 with an overarching statement. The overarching statement aims to create readers who are able to read any grade-level (or beyond text). This happens through a curriculum that includes instruction and practice with texts in a variety of formats and genres, about a variety of topics, from varied time periods, and created by varied individuals (authors and illustrators). Further, instruction and practice provide opportunities to read for a variety of purposes, including but not limited to understanding other perspectives, gaining knowledge, self-reflection, and enjoyment.

Grade-level text is determined through a multi-dimensional model of text complexity that includes quantitative, qualitative, and reader and task dimensions. In addition, representation and diversity are critical components of text complexity and selection.

Writing, 2010 Standards compared to 2020 Revisions

This document is intended to be used beside existing curriculum to determine where revisions may need to be made to ensure curriculum is aligned with the most recent version (2020) of Wisconsin's Standards for English Language Arts.

For each section of the standards, the first row of each page shows the 2020 standard; each is labeled as "2020 Standard". The second row shows the corresponding 2010 standard (or standards); each is labeled as "2010 Standard".

- Red font in the 2020 standard indicates that a change was made.
- Strikethrough in the 2010 standard indicates that content was removed entirely.
- Underlining is used to show how a standard changes between grade-levels; underlining is included only on the 2020 standard.

For Writing, the following revisions were made (in addition to revisions in the language of the grade-level standards):

- This overarching statement was added and can be found on p. 15 of the Introduction, as well as on each page with grade-level standards:
 - "[Students Will]Write routinely for a range of culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic tasks, purposes, and audiences over extended time frames (time for inquiry, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames."
- Standard 10 was eliminated
- Writing Standard 4 was updated to reflect students' ability to make intentional and informed decisions when they produce writing, as well as produce writing that are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task, purpose, and audience.
- Writing Standard 1 was updated to elevate three writing modes in the standards, creative writing, formal writing, and
 reflective writing. Writing is a recursive process, which is why standard one is presented uniformly across all grade
 levels.
- 2010 Standards W 1-3 have been redistributed into 2020 writing standards W2 and W3 to intentionally connect with the 2020 writing standard W1 with greater coherence.
- Writing Standard 6 was updated to reflect students' ability to use and intentionally select a variety of forms and technologies to produce and publish clear and coherent writing.

Text Ty	Text Types and Purposes - Kindergarten		pes and Purposes - Grade 1	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 2			
2020 9	2020 Standard		andard	2020 Standard			
W.K.1	Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	W.1.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	W.2.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.		
2010 9	Standards	2010 S	tandards	2010 St	tandards		
W.K.1	(see W.K.2a) Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose opinion pieces in which they tell a reader the topic or the name of the book they are writing about and state an opinion or preference about the topic or book (e.g., My favorite book is).	W.1.1.	(see W.K.2a) e opinion pieces in which they introduce the topic or name the book they are writing about, state an opinion, supply a reason for the opinion, and provide some sense of closure.	W.2.1	(see W.K.2a) Write opinion pieces in which they introduce the topic or book they are writing about, state an opinion, supply reasons that support the opinion, use linking words (e.g., because, and, also) to connect opinion and reasons, and provide a concluding statement or section.		
2020 9	Standard	2020 Standard		2020 Standard			
W.K.2	Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose text in a variety of modes: a. Opinion pieces in which they tell the reader the topic or the name of the book they are writing about and state an opinion or preference about the topic or book. b. Informative/explanatory text in which they name what they are writing about and supply some information about the topic. c. Convey events, real or imagined and narrate a single event or several loosely linked events, tell about the events in the order in which they occurred, and provide a reaction to what happened.	W.1.2	 Write text in a variety of modes: a. Opinion pieces in which they introduce the topic or name the text they are writing about, state an opinion, supply a reason for the opinion, and provide some sense of closure. b. Informative/explanatory text in which they name a topic, supply some facts about the topic, and provide some sense of closure. c. Convey events, real or imagined, through narratives in which they recount two or more appropriately sequenced events, include some details regarding what happened, use temporal words to signal event order, and provide some sense of closure. 	W.2.2	 Write text in a variety of modes: a. Opinion pieces in which they introduce the topic or text they are writing about, state an opinion, supply reasons that support the opinion, using words for emphasis, addition, contrast, or order to connect opinion and reasons, and provide a concluding statement or section. b. Informative/explanatory text in which they introduce a topic, use facts and definitions to develop points, and provide a concluding statement or section. c. Convey events, real or imagined, through narratives in which they recount a well elaborated event or short sequence of events, include details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings, use temporal words to signal event order, and provide a sense of closure. 		

Text Ty	Text Types and Purposes - Kindergarten		Text Types and Purposes - Grade 1		pes and Purposes - Grade 2
2010 S	andard	2010 S	tandard	2010 St	tandard
W.K.2	(see W.K.3b 2020) Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose informative/explanatory texts in which they name what they are writing about and supply some information about the topic.	W.1.2	(see W.K.3b 2020)Write informative/explanatory texts in which they name a topic, supply some facts about the topic, and provide some sense of closure.	W.2.2	(see W.K.3b 2020)Write informative/explanatory texts in which they introduce a topic, use facts and definitions to develop points, and provide a concluding statement or section.
2020 S	andard	2020 S	tandard	2020 St	tandard
W.K.3	Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose text that utilizes: a. Organization: provide a sense of structure, attempt an introduction. b. Word Choice (including domain specific): use words familiar to the student.	W.1.3	 Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: provide a beginning, middle and a simple ending. b. Transitions: simple word transitions and temporal words/pictures that link ideas. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): experiments with descriptive words to describe feelings, events and images. 	W.2.3	Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: provide a beginning, middle and ending, that works cohesively to promote the central theme of the text. b. Transitions: use transitions to link and build connections between ideas, text, and events. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): uses descriptive words to demonstrate creativity and to provide vivid examples of feelings, events and images.
2010 S	andard	2010 S	tandard	2010 St	tandard
W.K.3	(see W.K.2c 2020)Use a combination of drawing, dictating, to narrate a single event or several loosely linked events, tell about the events in the order in which they occurred, and provide a reaction to what happened.	W.1.3	(see W.K.2c 2020) Write narratives in which they recount two or more appropriately sequenced events, include some details regarding what happened, use temporal words to signal event order, and provide some sense of closure.	W.2.3	(see W.K.2c 2020) Write narratives in which they recount a well-elaborated event or short sequence of events, include details to describe actions, thoughts, and feelings, use temporal words to signal event order, and provide a sense of closure.

Produc	tion and Distribution of Writing - Kindergarten	Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 1	Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 2		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard		
W.K.4	With guidance and support from adults, use a combination of drawing, dictating and writing to compose text in which the development and organization are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task and purpose. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.1.4 With guidance and support from adults, <u>produce</u> <u>writing in which the development and</u> <u>organization are culturally-sustaining and</u> <u>rhetorically authentic to task and purpose.</u> (<u>Grade-specific expectations for writing types are</u> <u>defined in standards 1–3 above.</u>)	W.2.4 With guidance and support from adults, produce writing in which the development and organization are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task and purpose. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)		
2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard		
W.K.4	(Begins in grade 3)	W.1.4 (Begins in grade 3)	W.2. 4. (Begins in grade 3)		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard		
W.K.5	With guidance and support from adults, respond to questions and suggestions from peers and add details to strengthen writing as needed.	W.1.5 With guidance and support from adults and peers, focus on a topic, respond to questions and suggestions from peers, and add details to strengthen writing as needed.	W.2.5 With guidance and support from adults and peers, focus on a topic <u>and strengthen writing as needed</u> by revising and editing.		
2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard		
W.K.5	With guidance and support from adults, respond to questions and suggestions from peers and add details to strengthen writing as needed.	W.1.5 With guidance and support from adults, focus on a topic, respond to questions and suggestions from peers, and add details to strengthen writing as needed.	W.2.5. With guidance and support from adults and peers, focus on a topic and strengthen writing as needed by revising and editing.		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard		
W.K.6	With guidance and support from adults, explore a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers. Learn to produce writing through printing (including forming most printed upper and lower case letters), cursive, and/or typing.	W.1.6 With guidance and support from adults, <u>use a</u> variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers. Learn to produce writing through printing (including forming most printed upper and lower case letters), cursive, and/or typing.	W.2.6 With guidance and support from adults, use a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers. Learn to produce writing through printing (including forming most printed upper and lower case letters), cursive, and/or typing.		
2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard		
W.K.6	With guidance and support from adults, explore a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers.	W.1.6 With guidance and support from adults, use a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers.	W.2.6. With guidance and support from adults, use a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers.		

Inquiry	Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Kindergarten		to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 1	Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 2			
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard		2020 Standard			
W.K.7	Participate in shared inquiry and writing projects (e.g., explore a number of books by a favorite author and express opinions about them).		Participate in shared inquiry and writing projects (e.g., explore a number of "how-to" books on a given topic and use them to write a sequence of instructions).	W.2.7	Participate in shared and independent inquiry and writing projects (e.g., read a number of books on a single topic to produce a report; record science observations).		
2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard	2010 St	tandard		
W.K.7	Participate in shared research and writing projects (e.g., explore a number of books by a favorite author and express opinions about them).	W.1.7	Participate in shared research and writing projects (e.g., explore a number of "how-to" books on a given topic and use them to write a sequence of instructions).	W.2.7	Participate in shared research and writing projects (e.g., read a number of books on a single topic to produce a report; record science observations).		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard			2020 Standard		
W.K.8	With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.	W.1.8	With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.	W.2.8	Recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.		
2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard			2010 Standard		
W.K.8	With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.	W.1.8	With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.	W.2.8	Recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard			2020 Standard		
W.K.9	With guidance and support from adults, recall facts from literary and informational text to research characters, setting, key detail, specified information, and ideas presented in a text.	W.1.9	With guidance and support from adults, recall and use facts from literary and informational text to support reflection and inquiry on characters, setting, key details, specified information, and ideas presented in a text.	W.2.9	With guidance and support from adults <u>and</u> <u>peers. recall and use facts from literary and</u> <u>informational text to support reflection and</u> <u>inquiry on characters, setting, key details, specified information, and ideas presented in a text.</u>		
2010 S	tandard	2010 9	tandard	2010 St	tandard		
W.K.9	Begins in grade 4)	W.1.9	(Begins in grade 4)	W.2.9	(Begins in grade 4)		

Text Ty	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 3		pes and Purposes - Grade 4	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 5			
2020 9	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
W.3.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	W.4.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	W.5.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.		
2010	Standards	2010	Standards	2010 St	tandards		
W.3.1	(see W.3.2a 2020)Write opinion pieces on topics or Texts, Supporting a point of view with reasons.	W.4.1	(see W.4.2a 2020)Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.	W.5.1	(see W.5.2a 2020) Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.		
	a. (introduce the topic or text they are writing about, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure that lists reasons. b. Provide reasons that support the opinion.		a. (see standard W.4.2a 2020) Introduce a topic or text clearly, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure in which related ideas are grouped to support the writer's purpose.		a. (see standard W5.2a 2020) Introduce a topic or text clearly, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure in which ideas are logically grouped to support the writer's purpose.		
	c. Use linking words and phrases (e.g., because, therefore, since, for example) to connect opinion and reasons.		b. Provide reasons that are supported by facts and details.		b. Provide logically ordered reasons that are supported by facts and details.		
	d.(see standard 3.3a 2020) Provide a concluding statement or section .		c. Link opinion and reasons using words and phrases (e.g., for instance, in order to, in addition).		c. Link opinion and reasons using words, phrases, and clauses (e.g., consequently, specifically).		
			d. (see standard 3.3a 2020) Provide a concluding statement or section related to the opinion presented.		d. Provide a concluding statement or section related to the opinion presented.		

Text Typ	es and Purposes - Grade 3	Text Typ	oes and Purposes - Grade 4	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 5		
2020 Standard		2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
W.3.2	Write text in a variety of modes: a. Opinion pieces in which the student supports a	W.4.2	Write text in a variety of modes: a. Opinion pieces in which the student introduces	W.5.2	Write text in a variety of modes: a. Opinion pieces that support a point of view about	
	point of view about a topic or text they are writing about, state an opinion, list reasons that support the opinion.		the topic or text they are writing about, state an opinion and create an organizational structure in which related ideas are grouped to support the writer's purpose. List reasons that support the opinion.		a topic or text clearly, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure in which ideas are logically ordered to support facts, details, and the writer's purpose.	
	 Informative/explanatory texts in which they introduce a topic, use facts, definitions and details to develop points. 		b. Informative texts in which they clearly introduce a topic, group related information in		b. Informative text that introduces a topic clearly, use topic- and genre-specific language to provide a general observation, focus, and group related	
	c. Convey events, real or imagined, through narrative/short stories to develop experiences or events using descriptive details and clear event sequences to establish a situation and introduce a narrator and/or characters. Use dialogue and		paragraphs and sections; include formatting (e.g., headings), illustrations, and multimedia when useful to aid comprehension. Use facts, definitions and details to develop points.		information logically. Include formatting (e.g., headings), illustrations, and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension and to link ideas within and across categories of information.	
	description of actions, thoughts and feelings to develop experiences and events or show the responses of characters to situations.		c. Convey events, real or imagined, through narrative/short stories which orients a reader by establishing a real or imagined situation and introducing a narrator and characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, description, and pacing, to develop experiences and events or show the responses of characters to situations.		c. Convey events, real or imagined, through narrative/short stories which orients a reader by establishing a real or imagined situation and introducing a narrator and characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, description, and pacing to develop experiences and events or show the responses of characters to situations.	

Text Types and Purposes - Grade 3		Text Types and Purposes - Grade 4	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 5		
2010	Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard		
W.3.2	(see W3.2b 2020) Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.	W.4.2 (see W4.2b 2020) Write informative /explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.	W.5.2 (see W.5.2b 2020) Write informative /explanatory texts to examine atopic and convey ideas and information clearly.		
	a. Introduce a topic a nd group related information together; include illustrations when useful to aiding comprehension. b. Develop the topic with facts, definitions, and	a. Introduce a topic clearly and group related information in paragraphs and sections; include formatting (e.g., headings), illustrations, and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.	a. Introduce a topic clearly, provide a general observation and focus, and group related information logically; include formatting (e.g., headings), illustrations, and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.		
	details. c. Use linking words and phrases (e.g., also, another, and, more, but) to connect ideas	b. Develop the topic with facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples related to the topic.	b. Develop the topic with facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples related to the topic		
	within categories of information. d. (see W.3.3a) Provide a concluding statement or section.	c. Link ideas within categories of information using words and phrases (e.g., another, for example, also, because) .	c. Link ideas within and across categories of information using words, phrases, and clauses (e.g., in contrast, especially).		
		d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.	d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.		
		e. (see W.4.3a) Provide a concluding statement -or -section related to the information or explanation presented.	e.(see W.5.3a) Provide a concluding statement or section related to the information or explanation Presented.		
•	pes and Purposes - Grade 3	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 4	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 5		
2020	Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard		

W.3.3	Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: include an introduction that establishes a purpose and provides a concluding statement appropriate to the mode of writing. b. Transitions: use of prompts, words and phrases to signal event order and to link and build connections between ideas, text, and events. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): use words familiar to the student for emphasis, addition, contrast, or order to connect categories or information, and to convey meaning.	W.4.3	Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: include an introduction that establishes a purpose and provides a concluding statement related to the body of the composition. Structure of text reflects the purpose. b. Transitions: use of phrases to signal event order and to link and build connections between ideas, text, and events. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): experiments with words to provide emphasis, addition, contrast, or order to connect themes and ideas.	W.5.3	Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: include an introduction that establishes a purpose and engages the reader. Text builds to a concluding statement appropriate to the mode of writing and related to the body of the composition. b. Transitions: use a variety of transitional words and phrases that logically connect and develop ideas. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): creatively selects unique words for emphasis, addition, contrast, or order.		
Text Typ	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 3		es and Purposes - Grade 4	Text Types and Purposes - Grade 5			
2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard	2010 9	2010 Standard		
W.3.3	(see W.3.2c 2020) Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences. a. Establish a situation and introduce a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally. b. Use dialogue and descriptions of actions, thoughts, and feelings to develop experiences and events or show the response of characters to situations. c. Use temporal words and phrases to signal event order. d. Provide a sense of closure.	W.4.3	(see W.4.2c 2020) Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences. a. Orient the reader by establishing a situation and introducing a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally. b. Use dialogue and description to develop experiences and events or show the responses of characters to situations. c. Use a variety of transitional words and phrases to manage the sequence of events. d. Use concrete words and phrases and sensory details to convey experiences and events precisely.	W.5.3	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences: a. Orient the reader by establishing a situation and introducing a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally. b. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, description, and pacing, to develop experiences and events or show the responses of characters to situations. c. Use a variety of transitional words, phrases, and clauses to manage the sequence of events. d. Use concrete words and phrases and sensory details to convey experiences and events Precisely.		
			e. (see W.4.3a 2020) Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated experiences or events.		e. (see W.5.3a 2020) -Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated experiences or events .		

Pro	Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 3		ion and Distribution of Writing - Grade 4	Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 5			
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard			2020 Standard		
W.3.4	With support from adults and peers, produce writing in which the development and organization are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task and purpose. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.4.4	Produce <u>clear and coherent writing</u> in which the development and organization are <u>culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic</u> to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.5.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)		
2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard		
W.3.4	With guidance and support from adults, produce writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task and purpose. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.4.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.5.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard			2020 Standard		
W.3.5	With guidance and support from adults and peers, respond to questions and suggestions from peers and add details to strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing.	W.4.5	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose and audience. Respond to questions and suggestions from peers, and add details to strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing.	W.5.5	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are intentionally selected by teacher/student for task, purpose and audience, respond to questions and suggestions from peers, and add details to strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing.		
Pr	oduction and Distribution of Writing - Grade 3	Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 4		Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 5			
2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard			
W.3.5	With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1—3 up to and including grade 3 on pages 28 and 29.)	W.4.5	With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1–3 up to and including grade 4 on pages 28 and 29.)	W.5.5	With guidance and support from peers and -adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1 3 up to and including grade 5 on pages 28 and 29.)		
2020 S	2020 Standard		tandard	2020 S	tandard		
W.3.6	With guidance and support from adults and peers, use digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers. Learn to	W.4.6	With some guidance and support from adults, use a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with	W.5.6	With some guidance and support from adults, they intentionally select a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in		

	produce writing through printing, cursive, and/or typing.		peers. Learn to produce writing through printing, cursive, and/or typing (with sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of one page in a single sitting).		collaboration with peers. Proficiently produce writing through printing, cursive, and/or typing (with sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of two pages in a single sitting).	
2010 9	2010 Standard		2010 Standard		2010 Standard	
W.3.6	With guidance and support from adults, use technology to produce and publish writing (using keyboarding skills) as well as to interact and collaborate with others.	W.4.6	With some guidance and support from adults, use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing as well as to interact and collaborate with others; demonstrate sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of one page in a single sitting.	W.5.6	With some guidance and support from adults, use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing as well as to interact and collaborate with others; demonstrate sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of two pages in a single sitting.	

Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 3		Inquiry	to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 4	Inquiry t	to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 5	
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard		2020 S	2020 Standard	
W.3.7	Conduct short inquiry projects that build knowledge about a topic.	W.3.7	Conduct short inquiry projects that build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic.	W.5.7	Conduct short student-driven inquiry projects that use several sources to build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic.	
2010 S	2010 Standard		2010 Standard		tandard	
W.3.7	Conduct short research projects that build knowledge about a topic.	W.3.7	Conduct short research projects that build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic.	W.5.7	Conduct short research projects that use several sources to build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic.	
2020 S	tandard	2020 9	standard	2020 S	tandard	
W.3.8	Recall information from experiences or gather information from print and digital sources; take brief notes on sources and sort evidence into provided categories.	W.4.8	Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; take notes and categorize information and provide a list of sources.	W.5.8	Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.	
2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard		2010 S	tandard	
W.3.8	Recall information from experiences or gather information from print and digital sources; take brief notes on sources and sort evidence into provided categories.	W.4.8	Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; take notes and categorize information, and provide a list of sources.	W.5.8	Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.	
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard		2020 S	tandard	
W.3.9	Recall facts from literary or informational texts to support reflection, and inquiry.	W.4.9	Recall and use facts from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and inquiry.	W.5.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and inquiry.	
Inquiry t	to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 3	Inquiry	to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 4	Inquiry t	o Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 5	
	tandard	2010 9	standard		tandard	
W.3.9	(Begins in grade 4)	W.4.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research. a. Apply grade 4 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Describe in depth a character, setting, or	W.5.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research. a. Apply grade 5 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Compare and contrast two or more	

event in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text [e.g., a character's thoughts, words, or actions]."). b. Apply grade 4 Reading standards to informational texts (e.g., "Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text").	characters, settings, or events in a story or a drama, drawing on specific details in the text [e.g., how characters interact]"). b. Apply grade 5 Reading standards to informational texts (e.g., "Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point[s]").
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Text Types and Purposes - Grade 6		Text Types and Purposes - Grade 7		Text Types and Purposes - Grade 8		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
W.6.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	W.7.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	W.8.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	
2010 9	2010 Standards		2010 Standards		2010 Standards	
W.6.1	(see W.6.2a 2020)Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence. a. Introduce claim(s) and organize the reasons and evidence clearly. b. Support claim(s) with clear reasons and relevant evidence, using credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text. c. Use words, phrases, and clauses to clarify the relationships among claim(s) and reasons. d. Establish and maintain a formal style. e. (see standard 6.3a 2020) Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from the argument presented.		(see W.7.2a 2020)Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence. a. Introduce claim(s), acknowledge alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically. b. Support claim(s) with logical reasoning and relevant evidence, using accurate, credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text. c. (see W.7.3c) Use words, phrases, and clauses to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among claim(s), reasons, and evidence. d. Establish and maintain a formal style: e. (see W. 7.3a 2020) Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.	W.8.1	(see W.8.2a 2020) Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence. a. Introduce claim(s), acknowledge and distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically. b. Support claim(s) with logical reasoning and relevant evidence, using accurate, credible sources and demonstrating an understanding of the topic or text. c. Use words, phrases, and clauses to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence. d. Establish and maintain a formal style: e. (see W. 7.3a 2020)Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the	
Text T	ypes and Purposes - Grade 6	Text Ty	pes and Purposes - Grade 7	Text T	argument presented. Types and Purposes - Grade 8	
2020 S	tandard	2020 St	andard	2020 S	itandard	
W.6.2	Write text in a variety of modes: a. Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons, relevant evidence, and literary theory. b. Write informative texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information	W.7.2	Write text in a variety of modes: a. Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons, relevant evidence and literary theory. Introduce claim(s), acknowledge alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically. Use accurate, credible sources.	W.8.2	Write text in a variety of modes: a. Write arguments to introduce and support claim(s) using logical reasoning, relevant evidence and literary theory. Use accurate, credible sources and demonstrate an understanding of the topic or text, acknowledge and distinguish the claim(s)	

- through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.
- c. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective narrative techniques, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.
- b. Write informative text that examines a topic and conveys ideas, concepts, and information through the selection and organization of relevant content by introducing and developing a topic with relevant, well-chosen facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples, organizing ideas, concepts, and information into broader categories; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., charts, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
- c. Write narratives that develop real or imagined experiences or events using relevant descriptive details and well-structured event sequences that organize an event sequence logically. Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introduces a narrator or characters; using techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, and reflection, to develop experiences, events, and characters.

- from alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically.
- b. Write informative text, examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content by introducing and developing a topic with relevant, well-chosen facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples, organizing ideas, concepts, and information into broader categories; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., charts, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
- c. Write narratives that develop real or imagined experiences or events using relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences that organize an event sequence logically. Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introduces a narrator or characters; using techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, and reflection, to develop experiences, events, and characters.

Text Types and Purposes - Grade 6		Text Types and Purposes- Grade 7		Text Types and Purposes -Grade 8		
2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard		2010 St	tandard	
W.6.2	(see W.6.2b 2020) Write	W.7.2	(see W.7.2b 2020)Write	W.8.2	(see W.8.2b 2020)Write informative/explanatory	
	informative/explanatory texts to examine		informative/explanatory texts to examine		texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection,	
	a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and		a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and		organization, and analysis of relevant content.	
	information through the selection,		information through the selection, organization,			
	organization, and analysis of relevant content.		and analysis of relevant content.		a. Introduce a topic clearly, previewing what is to follow; organize ideas, concepts, and information into broader categories; include	
	a. (see W.6.3a 2020)Introduce a topic; organize		a. (see W.7.2b 2020Introduce a topic clearly, previewing what is to follow; organize ideas,		formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g.,	
	ideas, concepts, and information, using		concepts, and information, using strategies such as definition, classification, comparison/contrast,		charts, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.	
	strategies such as definition, classification,		and cause/effect; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., charts, tables), and		b. Develop the topic with relevant, well-chosen	
	comparison/contrast, and cause/effect; include		multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.		facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples.	
	formatting (e.g. headings), graphics (e.g., charts,				or other information and examples.	
	tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding		b.(see W.6.3a 2020) Develop the topic with relevant facts, definitions, concrete details,		c. (see W.7.3b 2020) Use appropriate and varied transitions to create cohesion and clarify the	
	Comprehension.		quotations, or other information and examples.		relationships among ideas and concepts.	
	b. Develop the topic with relevant facts,		c. (see W.7.3b 2020) Use appropriate transitions to create cohesion and clarify the relationships		d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.	
	definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples.		among ideas and concepts.		vocabalary to inform about or explain the topic.	
			d. Use precise language and domain-specific		e. Establish and maintain a formal style.	
	 c. (see W.6.3a 2020)Use appropriate transitions to clarify the relationships among ideas and concepts. 		vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.		f. (see W.8.3a 2020)Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the	
	d. Use precise language and domain-specific		e. Establish and maintain a formal style.		information or explanation presented.	
	Topic.		f. (see W.7.3a 2020) Provide a concluding			
	e. Establish and maintain a formal style.		statement or section that follows from and supports the information or explanation presented:			
	f. (see W.6.3a 2020)Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from the		•			
	information or explanation presented.					

Text T	ypes and Purposes - Grade 6	Text Types and Purposes- Grade 7	Text Types and Purposes -Grade 8		
2020 S	tandard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard		
 W.6.3 Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: introduce a topic; organize ideas, concepts, and information. Provide a concluding statement appropriate to the mode of writing. b. Transitions: use appropriate transitions to clarify the relationships among ideas and concepts. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic. Use sensory language to describe experiences and events. 		w.7.3 Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: provide an introduction that creates suspense and anticipation for the reader. Structure of the text supports and clarifies the purpose and topic. Provide a concluding statement appropriate to the mode of writing. b. Transitions: use a variety of appropriate transitions that connect and develop ideas. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): use words, phrases, and clauses to create cohesion and clarify the relationships. Use sensory language to describe experiences and events.	 W.8.3 Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: provide an introduction that creates suspense and anticipation for the reader. Structure of the text supports and clarifies the purpose and topic throughout the entire text. Conclusion statement provides closure and ties up all loose ends. b. Transitions: varied transitions to create cohesion and clarity among ideas and concepts. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): use genre-specific vocabulary. Use vocabulary that enhances the meaning and engages the reader. 		
Text T	ypes and Purposes - Grade 6	Text Types and Purposes- Grade 7	Text Types and Purposes -Grade 8		
2010 S	tandard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard		
W.6.3	(see W.6.2c 2020) Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences. a. Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and introducing a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally and logically. b. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, and description, to develop	W.7.3 (see W.7.2c 2020) Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences. a. Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introducing a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally and logically. b. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, and description, to develop	W.8.3 (see W.8.2c 2020) Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences. a. Engage and orient the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introducing a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally and logically. b. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue,		
	experiences, events, and/or characters. c. (see W.6.3b 2020) Use a variety of transition words, phrases, and clauses to convey sequence and signal shifts from one time frame or setting to another.	pacing, and description, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters. c. (see W.7.3b 2020) Use a variety of transition words, phrases, and clauses to convey sequence and signal shifts from one time frame or setting to another.	pacing, description, and reflection, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters. c. (see W.8.3b 2020)Use a variety of transition words, phrases, and clauses to convey sequence, signal shifts from one time frame or setting to another, and show the relationships among experiences and		

d. (see W.6.3c 2020) Use precise words and
phrases, relevant
descriptive details, and sensory language to
convey experiences and events.

e. (see W.6.3a 2020)) Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated experiences or events.

d. (see W.7.3c 2020)Use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to capture the action and convey experiences and events.

e.(see W.7.3a 2020) Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on the narrated experiences or events.

- d. Use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to capture the action and convey experiences and events.
- e. (see W.8.3a 2020)Provide a conclusionthat follows from and reflects on the narrated experiences or events:

Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 6		Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 7		Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 8		
2020 St	andard	2020 Standard			2020 Standard	
W.6.4	Independently and collaboratively produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.7.4	Independently and collaboratively produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.8.4	Independently and collaboratively produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	
2010 St	andard	2010 S	tandard	2010 Sta	andard	
W.6.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.7.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	W.8.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	
2020 St	2020 Standard		tandard	2020 Standard		
W.6.5	With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.	W.7.5	With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.	W.8.5	With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.	
2010 St	andard	2010 Standard			2010 Standard	
W.6.5	With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1 3 up to and including grade 6 on page 52.)	W.7.5	With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1–3 up to and including grade 7 on page 52.)	W.8.5	With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1 3 up to and including grade 8 on page 52.)	
Producti	Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 6		Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 7		Production and Distribution of Writing - Grade 8	
2020 St	andard	2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
W.6.6	Use technology, (including paper and pencil,	W.7.6	Use technology, (including paper and pencil,	W.8.6	Use technology, (including paper and pencil,	
	internet, audio, visual, multilingual, multimodal, mobile, and/or other interactive formats), to		internet, audio, visual, multilingual, multimodal, mobile, and/or other interactive formats), to		internet, audio, visual, multilingual, multimodal, mobile, and/or other interactive formats), to	

	produce and publish writing and present the relationships between information and ideas efficiently, as well as, to interact and collaborate with others. Proficiently produce writing through printing, cursive, and/or typing (with sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of three pages in a single sitting), selecting the method(s) best suited for audience and purpose.		produce and publish writing and present the relationships between information and ideas efficiently, as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.		produce and publish writing and present the relationships between information and ideas efficiently as well as to interact and collaborate with others.
2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard	2010 S	tandard
W.6.6	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing as well as to interact and collaborate with others; demonstrate sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of three pages in a single sitting.	W.7.6	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.	W.8.6	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and present the relationships between information and ideas efficiently as well as to interact and collaborate with others.

Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 6		Inquiry	to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 7	Inquiry	Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 8	
2020 S	andard	2020 Standard		2020 S	2020 Standard	
W.6.7	Conduct short inquiry projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources and refocusing the inquiry when appropriate.	W.7.7	Conduct short inquiry projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources <u>and</u> <u>generating additional related, focused questions</u> <u>for further research and investigation.</u>	W.8.7	Conduct short inquiry projects to answer a question (including self-generated questions), drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions that allow for multiple avenues of exploration.	
2010 S	andard	2010 9	Standard	2010 S	tandard	
W.6.7	Conduct short research projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources and refocusing the inquiry when appropriate.	W.7.7	Conduct short research projects to answer a question, drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions for further research and investigation.	W.8.7	Conduct short research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question), drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions that allow for multiple avenues of exploration.	
2020 S	andard	2020 9	Standard	2020 S	2020 Standard	
W.6.8	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources; assess the credibility of each source; quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and providing basic bibliographic information for sources.	W.7.8	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, <u>using search terms effectively;</u> <u>assess the credibility and accuracy of each source;</u> <u>quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.</u>	W.8.8	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	
2010 S	andard	2010 Standard		2010 Standard		
W.6.8	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources; assess the credibility of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and providing basic bibliographic information for sources.	W.7.8	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	W.8.8.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	
2020 S	andard	2020 Standard		2020 S	tandard	
W.6.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and inquiry. (Apply grade 6 Reading standards)	W.7.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and inquiry. (Apply grade 7 Reading standards)	W.8.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and inquiry. (Apply grade 8 Reading standards)	
Inquiry t	o Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 6	Inquiry	to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 7	Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Grade 8		
2010 S	andard	2010 9	Standard	2010 Standard		
W.6.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and	W.7.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.	W.8.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and	

research.

a. Apply grade 6 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Compare and contrast texts in different forms or genres [e.g., stories and poems; historical novels and fantasy stories] in terms of their approaches to similar themes and topics"):

b. Apply grade 6 Reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g., "Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not"):

a. Apply grade 7 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Compare and contrast a fictional portrayal of a time, place, or character and a historical account of the same period as a means of understanding how authors of fiction use or alter history").

b. Apply grade 7 Reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g. "Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text; assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient to support the claims").

research.

a. Apply grade 8 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Analyze how a modern work of fiction draws on themes, patterns of events, or character types from myths, traditional stories, or religious works such as the Bible, including describing how the material is rendered new").

b. Apply grade 8 Reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g., "Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced").

Text Types and Purposes - Grades 9-10 2020 Standard		Text Types and Purposes - Grades 11-12		
		2020 Standard		
W.9-10.1	Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.	W.11-12.1 Compose reflective, formal, and creative writing, which may happen simultaneously or independently, for a variety of high-stakes and low-stakes purposes.		
2010 Sta	ndards	2010 Standards		
W.9-10.1	 (see W.9-10.2a 2020) Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. a. Introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that establishes clear relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence. b. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly, supplying evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns. c. Use words, phrases, and clauses to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims. d. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing. e. (see standard W.9-10.3a 2020) Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented. 	W.11-12.1 (see W.11-12.2a 2020) Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. a. Introduce precise; knowledgeable-claim(s), establish the significance of the claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that logically sequences claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence. b. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases: c. Use words, phrases, and clauses as well as varied syntax to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims. d. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing. e. (see standard W.9-10.3a 2020)Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.		
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2020 Standard		2020 Standard W11 12 2 Write tout in a variety of modes:		
W.9-10.2 Write text in a variety of modes: a. Write arguments and literary analysis to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning, literary theory, and relevant and sufficient evidence which introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that establishes clear relationships among		W.11-12.2 Write text in a variety of modes: a. Write arguments and literary analysis to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts. Establish the significance of the claim(s) using valid reasoning, literary theory and relevant and sufficient evidence which introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an		

- claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly, supplying evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.
- b. Write informative texts that examine and convey <u>complex ideas</u>, <u>concepts</u>, and information clearly and accurately through the effective <u>selection</u>, organization, and analysis of content by introducing a topic; organizing complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; including formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension; developing the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, and other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
- c. Write narratives that develop real or imagined experiences or events using relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences that organize an event sequence logically. Engages and orients the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introducing a narrator or characters; using techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, and reflection, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.

- organization that establishes clear relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly, supplying evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.
- b. Write informative texts that examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content by introducing a topic; organizing complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; including formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension; thoroughly developing the topic by selecting the most significant and relevant extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, and other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
- c. Write narratives that develop real or imagined experiences or events using relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences that organize an event sequence logically. Engages and orients the reader by establishing a context and point of view and introducing a narrator or characters; using techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, and reflection, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.

Text Types and Purposes - Grades 9-10		Text Types and Purposes - Grades 11-12	
2010 Standard		2010 Standard	
W.9-10.2	Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content. a. Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension. b. Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic. c. (see W.9-10.3b 2020) Use appropriate and varied transitions to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts. d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic. e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing. f. (see W.9-10.3a) Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the information or explanation presented (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).	W.11-12.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection organization, and analysis of content. a. Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information sethat each new element builds on that which precedes it to create a unified whole; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension. b. Develop the topic-thoroughly by selecting the most significant and relevant facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic. c. (see W.11-12.3b 2020) Use appropriate and varied transitions and syntax to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts. d. Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic. e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing. f. (see W.11-12.3a 2020) Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the information or explanation presented (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).	
Text Types	s and Purposes - Grades 9-10	Text Types and Purposes - Grades 11-12	
2020 Sta	ndard	2020 Standard	
W.9-10.3	Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, analysis, information and claims to make important connections and distinctions. Establish and maintain a structure and conventions consistent with the mode of writing. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the topic, themes, and experiences presented in the text.	W.11-12.3 Create writing that utilizes: a. Organization: introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, analysis, information and claims, so that each new element builds on that which precedes it to create a unified whole. Establish and maintain a structure and conventions consistent with the mode of writing. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the topic, themes, and experiences presented in the text.	

	 b. Transitions: use appropriate and varied transitions to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): use culturally-sustaining language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic. Use telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of thoughts, ideas and experiences. 		 b. Transitions: use appropriate and varied transitions and syntax to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts. c. Word Choice (including domain specific): use culturally-sustaining language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic. Use techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.
2010 Sta	ndard	2010 Stan	dard
W.9-10.3	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences. a. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; ereate a smooth progression of experiences or events.	W.11-12.3	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences. a. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation and its significance, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
	 b. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters. c. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one 		 b. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters. c. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one
	another to create a coherent whole. d. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to		another to create a coherent whole and build toward a particular tone and outcome (e.g., a sense of mystery, suspense, growth, or resolution).
	e.(see W.9-10.3a 202) Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what		d. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
	-is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.		e. (see W.11-12.3a 2020) Provide a conclusion that follows from a nd reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.

Production and Distribution of Writing - Grades 9-10		Production and Distribution of Writing - Grades 11-12		
2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
W.9-10.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)	W.11-12.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are culturally-sustaining and rhetorically authentic to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)	
2010 Sta	ndard	2010 Stan	dard	
W.9-10.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization,	W.11-12.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization,	
	and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific		and style are appropriate-to task, purpose, and audience. (Grade-specific	
	expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)		expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)	
2020 Sta	ndard	2020 Stan	dard	
	Develop and strengthen writing (collaboratively and individually) as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.	W.11-12.5	Develop and strengthen writing (collaboratively and individually) as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.	
2010 Sta	ndard	2010 Standard		
W.9-10.5	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1–3 up to and including grades 9–10 on page 54.)	W.11-12.5	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1–3 up to and including grades 11–12 on page 54.)	
2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
W.9-10.6	Make informed and intentional decisions about technology use (including paper and pencil, internet, audio, visual, multilingual, multimodal, mobile, and/or other interactive formats) to engage in authentic rhetorical tasks for specific purposes and audiences. Such decisions include assessing particular technologies' affordances for: a. connecting writers and readers,	W.11-12.6	Make informed and intentional decisions about technology use (including paper and pencil, internet, audio, visual, multilingual, multimodal, mobile, and/or other interactive formats) to engage in authentic rhetorical tasks for specific purposes and audiences. Such decisions include assessing particular technologies' affordances for: a. connecting writers and readers,	

b. producing accessible experiences for specific audiences, and	b. producing accessible experiences for specific audiences, and	
cdynamically and flexibly matching modes with ideas to communicate with readers.	c. dynamically and flexibly matching modes with ideas to communicate with readers.	
Production and Distribution of Writing - Grades 9-10	Production and Distribution of Writing - Grades 11-12	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
W.9-10.6 Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.	W.11-12.6 Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products in response to ongoing feedback, including new arguments or information.	

Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Grades 9-10		Inquiry to Build and Present Knowledge - Grades 11-12		
2020 Standard		2020 Standard		
W.9-10.7	Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem that is rhetorically authentic and culturally-sustaining; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating an understanding of the subject under investigation.	W.11-12.7	Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem that is rhetorically authentic and culturally-sustaining; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating an understanding of the subject under investigation.	
2010 Star	ndard	2010 Stan	dard	
W.9-10.7	Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.	W.11-12.7	Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.	
2020 Star	ndard	2020 Stan	2020 Standard	
W.9-10.8	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital, academic and popular sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	W.11-12.8	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limitations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and audience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.	
2010 Star	ndard	2010 Standard		
W.9-10.8	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.	W.11-12.8	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limitations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and audience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.	
2020 Star	2020 Standard		2020 Standard	
W.9-10.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research. (Apply grades 9-10 Reading standards)	W.11-12.9	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research. (Apply grades 11-12 Reading standards)	
Inquiry to E	Build and Present Knowledge - Grades 9-10	Inquiry to B	uild and Present Knowledge - Grades 11-12	
2010 Star	2010 Standard		dard	

W.9-10.9 Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

a. Apply grades 9—10 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Analyze how an author draws on and transforms source material in a specific work [e.g., how Shakespeare treats a theme or topic from Ovid or the Bible or how a later author draws on a play by Shakespeare!").

b. Apply grades 9—10 Reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g., "Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; identify false statements and fallacious reasoning").

W.11-12.9 Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

a. Apply grades 11–12 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Demonstrate knowledge of eighteenth, nineteenth—and early—twentieth century foundational works of American literature, including how two or more texts from the same period treat similar themes or topics").

b. Apply grades 11–12 Reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g., "Delineate and evaluate the reasoning in seminal U.S. texts, including the application of constitutional principles and use of legal reasoning [e.g., in U.S. Supreme Court Case majority opinions and dissents] and the premises, purposes, and arguments in works of public advocacy [e.g., The Federalist, presidential addresses]").

Speaking & Listening, 2010 Standards compared to 2020 Revisions

This document is intended to be used beside existing curriculum to determine where revisions may need to be made to ensure curriculum is aligned with the most recent version (2020) of Wisconsin's Standards for English Language Arts.

For each section of the standards, the first row of each page shows the 2020 standard; each is labeled as "2020 Standard". The second row shows the corresponding 2010 standard (or standards); each is labeled as "2010 Standard".

- Red font in the 2020 standard indicates that a change was made.
- Strikethrough in the 2010 standard indicates that content was removed entirely.
- Underlining is used to show how a standard changes between grade-levels; underlining is included only on the 2020 standard.

For Speaking & Listening standards, the following revisions were made (in addition to revisions in the language of the grade-level standards):

- This overarching statement was added and can be found on p. 15 of the Introduction, as well as on each page with grade-level standards:
 - "[Students will] Listen to understand and adapt speech to a variety of purposes, audiences, and situations in order to meet communicative goals. Be able to justify intentional language choices and how those choices differ for culture and context."
- Standard 6 was eliminated.
- Language pertaining to integrating multimedia components was updated to reflect students' abilities to use technology.

Anchor Standards

Listen to understand and adapt speech to a variety of purposes, audiences, and situations in order to meet communicative goals. Be able to justify intentional language choices and how those choices differ for culture and context.

Comprehension and Collaboration Students Will:

Anchor Standard SL1: Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and

collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their

own clearly and persuasively.

Anchor Standard SL2: Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats,

including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

Anchor Standard SL3: Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas

Anchor Standard SL4: Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can

follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are

appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

Anchor Standard SL5: Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express

information and enhance understanding of presentations.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Kindergarten	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 1	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 2
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.K.1 With guidance and support, participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. a. Follow agreed-upon norms and participate by actively listening, taking turns, and staying on topic. b. Participate in a conversation through multiple exchanges. c. Ask questions about the topic/text. d. Consider individual differences when communicating with others.	SL.1.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. a. With guidance and support, follow agreed-upon norms for discussions and participate by actively listening, taking turns, and staying on topic. b. Build on others' talk in conversations by responding to the comments of others through multiple exchanges. c. Ask questions to clear up any confusion about the topics and texts under discussion. d. Consider individual differences when communicating with others.	SL.2.1 Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups. a. Follow agreed-upon norms for discussions and participate by actively listening, taking turns, gaining the floor in respectful ways and staying on topic. b. Build on others' talk in conversations by linking their comments to the remarks of others. c. Ask for clarification and further explanation as needed about the topics and texts under discussion. d. Consider individual differences when
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	communicating with others. 2010 Standard
Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about kindergarten topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups.	Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about grade 1 topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups.	Participate in collaborative conversations with diverse partners about grade 2 topics and texts with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
 a. Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others and taking turns speaking about the topics and texts under discussion). b. Continue a conversation through multiple exchanges. 	 a. Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion). b. Build on others' talk in conversations by responding to the comments of others through multiple exchanges. c. Ask questions to clear up any confusion about the topics and texts under discussion. 	 a. Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion). b. Build on others' talk in conversations by linking their comments to the remarks of others. c. Ask for clarification and further explanation as needed about the topics and texts under discussion.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Kindergarten	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 1	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 2
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.K.2 With guidance and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media.	SL.1.2 Ask and answer questions about key details in a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media.	SL.2.2 <u>Recount or describe</u> key ideas or details from a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
Confirm understanding of a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media by asking and answering questions about key details and requesting clarification if something is not understood.	2. Ask and answer questions about key details in a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media.	2. Recount or describe key ideas or details from a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media.
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.K.3 Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.	SL.1.3 Ask and answer questions <u>about what a speaker says</u> in <u>order to gather additional information</u> or clarify something that is not understood.	SL.2.3 Ask and answer questions about what a speaker says in order to gather additional information, or clarify something that is not understood, or expand on the topic.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
3. Ask and answer questions in order to seek help, get information, or clarify something that is not understood.	3. Ask and answer questions about what a speaker says in order to gather additional information or clarify something that is not understood.	3. Ask and answer questions about what a speaker says in order to clarify comprehension, gather additional information, or deepen understanding of a topic or issue.

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Kindergarten	Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 1	Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 2
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.K.4 With guidance and support, describe familiar people, places, things, and events.	SL.1.4 Describe people, places, things, and events with relevant details, expressing ideas clearly.	SL.2.4 Tell a story or recount an experience with descriptive details, expressing ideas clearly.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
4. Describe familiar people, places, things, and events and, with prompting and support, provide additional detail.	4. Describe people, places, things, and events with relevant details, expressing ideas and feelings clearly.	4. Tell a story or recount an experience with appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details, speaking audibly in coherent sentences.
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.K.5 With guidance and support, create an original or utilize existing visual displays to support descriptions.	SL.1.5 Create an original or utilize existing visual displays to support descriptions to clarify ideas, thoughts, and feelings.	SL.2.5 <u>Include digital media and visual displays in presentations</u> to clarify or support ideas, thoughts, and feelings.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
5. Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions as desired to provide additional detail.	5. Add drawings or other visual displays to descriptions when appropriate to clarify ideas, thoughts, and feelings.	5. Create audio recordings of stories or poems; add drawings or other visual displays to stories or recounts of experiences when appropriate to clarify ideas, thoughts, and feelings.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 3	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 4	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.3.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher led) with diverse partners on topics and texts, <u>building on others' ideas and expressing one's thinking clearly.</u>	SL.4.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher led) with diverse partners on topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing one's thinking clearly.	SL.5.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher led) with diverse partners on topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing one's thinking clearly.
a. Come to discussions prepared, explicitly draw on topics and texts along with personal knowledge and experiences to explore ideas under discussion.	a. Come to discussions prepared, explicitly draw on topics and texts along with personal knowledge and experiences to explore ideas under	a. Come to discussions prepared, explicitly draw on topics and texts along with personal knowledge and experiences to explore ideas under discussion.
 b. Follow agreed-upon norms for discussions (e.g., gaining attention in respectful ways, actively listening, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion). c. Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others. 	discussion. b. Follow agreed-upon norms for discussions (e.g., gaining attention in respectful ways, actively listening, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion). c. Pose and respond to specific questions to clarify	 b. Follow agreed-upon norms for discussions (e.g., gaining attention in respectful ways, actively listening, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion). c. Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and
d. Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.	or follow up on information, and make comments that contribute to the discussion and link to the remarks of others. d. Review the key ideas expressed and explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.	elaborate on the remarks of others. d. Review the key ideas expressed and <u>draw conclusions</u> in light of information and knowledge gained from the discussion.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard

1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacherled) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing

their own clearly.

- Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
- Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion).
- Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others.
- d. Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.

- 1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacherled) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
 - Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
 - Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and earry out assigned roles.
 - c. Pose and respond to specific questions to clarify or follow up on information, and make comments that contribute to the discussion and link to the remarks of others.
 - Review the key ideas expressed and explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.

- 1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacherled) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
 - Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
 - Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
 - c. Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and elaborate on the remarks of others.
 - Review the key ideas expressed and draw conclusions in light of information and knowledge gained from the discussions.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 3	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 4	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.3.2 <u>Determine main ideas and supporting details</u> of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats.	SL.4.2 <u>Paraphrase portions</u> of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats.	SL.5.2 <u>Summarize a written text read aloud</u> or information presented in diverse media and formats.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.	2. Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats , including visually, quantitatively, and orally.	2. Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.3.3 Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering elaboration and detail.	SL.4.3 <u>Identify the reasons and evidence a speaker provides to support particular points</u> .	SL.5.3 Summarize the points a speaker makes and explain how each claim is supported by reasons and evidence.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
3. Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.	3. Identify the reasons and evidence a speaker provides to support particular points.	3. Summarize the points a speaker makes and explain how each claim is supported by reasons and evidence.

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 3	Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 4	Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.3.4 Report on a topic or text, tell a story, read a poem, or recount an experience with facts and relevant, descriptive details, speaking clearly at an understandable pace.	SL.4.4 Report on a topic or text, tell a story, read a poem, or recount an experience in an organized manner, using facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace. Communicate clearly and in an engaging manner, considering the audience, purpose, and situation.	SL.5.4 Report on a topic or text or present an opinion, sequencing ideas logically and using facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace. Communicate clearly and in an engaging manner, considering the audience, purpose, and situation.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
4. Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience with appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details, speaking clearly at an understandable pace.	4. Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience in an organized manner, using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.	4. Report on a topic or text or present an opinion, sequencing ideas logically and using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.3.5 Include digital media and visual displays in presentations to enhance certain facts and details.	SL.4.5 <u>Integrate audio</u> and visual content in presentations to enhance the development of main ideas or themes.	SL.5.5 Integrate multimedia components (e.g., graphics, sound) and visual displays in presentations to enhance the development of main ideas or themes.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
Create engaging audio recordings of stories or poems that demonstrate fluid reading at an understandable pace; add visual displays when appropriate to emphasize or enhance certain facts or details.	5. Add audio recordings and visual displays to presentations when appropriate to enhance the development of main ideas or themes.	5. Include multimedia components (e.g., graphics, sound) and visual displays in presentations when appropriate to enhance the development of main ideas or themes.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 6	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 7	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.6.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher led) with diverse partners on topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing one's thinking clearly.	SL.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher led) with diverse partners on topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing one's thinking clearly.	SL.8.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher led) with diverse partners on topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing one's thinking clearly.
 Come to discussions prepared and explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue. Support analysis by making connections, paraphrasing, clarifying, or explaining the evidence. 	 a. Come to discussions prepared and explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue. Support analysis by making connections, paraphrasing, clarifying, or explaining the evidence. 	 a. Come to discussions prepared, and explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue. Support analysis by making connections, paraphrasing, clarifying, or explaining the evidence.
 b. With guidance and support, set specific norms and goals for collegial discussions (e.g., gaining attention in respectful ways, actively listening, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion). c. Pose and respond to specific questions with elaboration and detail by making comments that contribute to the 	b. With guidance and support, set and track specific norms and goals for collegial discussions (e.g., gaining attention in respectful ways, actively listening, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion).	 Set and track specific norms and goals for collegial discussions (e.g., gaining attention in respectful ways, actively listening, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion), and monitor progress toward goals.
topic, text, or issue under discussion. d. Review the key ideas expressed and demonstrate an understanding of multiple perspectives through reflection and paraphrasing.	c. Pose questions that invite elaboration and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant observations and ideas that bring the discussion back on topic as needed. Promote multiple perspectives. d. Review the key ideas expressed and demonstrate an understanding of multiple perspectives through	c. Pose questions that connect the ideas of several speakers, and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant evidence, observations, and ideas. Promote multiple perspectives. d. Evaluate new information expressed by others and,
2010 Standard	analysis, including reflection, clarification, and paraphrasing. 2010 Standard	when warranted, qualify or justify one's own views in light of the evidence presented. 2010 Standard

- 1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacherled) with diverse partners on grade 6 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
 - Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue to probe and reflect on ideas under discussion.
 - Follow rules for collegial discussions, set specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.
 - Pose and respond to specific questions with elaboration and detail by making comments that contribute to the topic, text, or issue under discussion.
 - d. Review the key ideas expressed and demonstrate understanding of multiple perspectives through reflection and paraphrasing.

- Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacherled) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
 - a. Come to discussions prepared, having read or researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue to probe and reflect on ideas under discussion.
 - Follow rules for collegial discussions, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed:
 - Pose questions that elicit elaboration and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant observations and ideas that bring the discussion back on topic as needed.
 - d. Acknowledge new information expressed by others and, when warranted, modify their own views.

- 1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacherled) with diverse partners on grade 8 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
 - Come to discussions prepared, having read or researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue to probe and reflect on ideas under discussion.
 - Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.
 - Pose questions that connect the ideas of several speakers and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant evidence, observations, and ideas.
 - Acknowledge new information expressed by others, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views in light of the evidence presented.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 6	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 7	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grade 8	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
SL.6.2 <u>Interpret information</u> presented in diverse media and formats and <u>explain how it contributes to a topic, text, or issue under study.</u>	SL.7.2 Analyze the main ideas and supporting details presented in diverse media and formats and explain how the ideas clarify a topic, text, or issue under study.	SL.8.2 Analyze the purpose of information presented in diverse media and formats and evaluate the motives (e.g., social, commercial, political) behind its presentation.	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
2. Interpret information presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how it contributes to a topic, text, or issue under study.	Analyze the main ideas and supporting details presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how the ideas clarify a topic, text, or issue under study.	2. Analyze the purpose of information presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and evaluate the motives (e.g., social, commercial, political) behind its presentation.	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
SL.6.3 <u>Understand and evaluate</u> a speaker's argument and specific claims, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not.	SL.7.3 Understand and evaluate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.	SL.8.3 Understand and evaluate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and relevance and sufficiency of the evidence and identifying when irrelevant evidence is introduced.	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
3. Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not.	3. Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.	3. Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and relevance and sufficiency of the evidence and identifying when irrelevant evidence is introduced.	

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 6	Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 7	Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.6.4 Present claims and findings in a logical order using relevant evidence and details to highlight main ideas or themes. Communicate clearly and in an engaging manner, considering the audience, purpose, and situation. Explain purpose of language choices.	SL.7.4 Present claims and findings, emphasizing significant points in a focused, coherent manner using relevant evidence. Communicate clearly and in an engaging manner, considering the audience, purpose, and situation. Explain purpose of language choices.	SL.8.4 Present claims and findings, emphasizing significant points in a focused, coherent manner with relevant evidence, sound valid reasoning, and well-chosen details. Communicate clearly and in an engaging manner, considering the audience, purpose, and situation. Explain purpose of language choices.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
4. Present claims and findings, sequencing ideas logically and using pertinent descriptions, facts, and details to accentuate main ideas or themes; use appropriate eye contact,	4. Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, details, and examples; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation	4. Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with relevant evidence, sound valid reasoning, and well-chosen details; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.6.5 Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify and enhance information.	SL.7.5 Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify claims and findings and emphasize significant points.	SL.8.5 Integrate multimedia and visual displays into presentations to clarify information, strengthen claims and evidence, and add interest.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
5. Include multimedia components (e.g., graphics, images, music, sound) and visual displays in presentations to clarify information.	5. Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify claims and findings and emphasize salient-points.	5. Integrate multimedia and visual displays into presentations to clarify information, strengthen claims and evidence, and add interest.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Grades 9-10	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.9-10.1 <u>Initiate and participate effectively</u> in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on topics, texts, and issues, <u>listening actively</u> , and building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.	SL.11-12.1 Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one- on- one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on topics, texts, and issues, listening actively, and building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
 a. Come to discussions prepared, explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to eviden from texts and other research on the topic, text or issue. Support analysis by making connections, paraphrasing, clarifying, or explaining the evidence. 	connections, paraphrasing, clarifying, or explaining the evidence.
 b. Work with peers to set norms for collegial discussions, decision-making (e.g., informal consensus, taking votes on key issues, presentation of alternate views) and clear goals as needed. Reflect on progress as an individual and as a group. 	 b. Work with peers to promote <u>civil</u>, <u>democratic discussions</u> and decision-making and set clear goals. <u>Reflect on progress as an individual and as a group</u>. c. Propel conversations by posing and engaging with questions <u>that probe reasoning and</u>
c. Propel conversations by posing and engaging with questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas: actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions. Promote multiple and divergent perspectives.	evidence; ensure a hearing for a full range of positions on a topic or issue; clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions. Promote and seek to understand multiple, divergent, and creative perspectives.
d. Engage thoughtfully with diverse perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views and understanding and make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.	d. Engage thoughtfully with diverse perspectives; synthesize comments, claims, and evidence made on all sides of an issue; resolve contradictions when possible; and determine what additional information or research is required to deepen the investigation or complete the task.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 9–10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively. a. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicit	· 1
draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.	 a. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.
 Work with peers to set-rules-for collegial discussions and decision-making (e.g., informal consensus, taking votes on key issues, presentation of alternate views), clear goals and deadlines, and individual roles as needed. 	 Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
 Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas; actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions. 	c. Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that probe reasoning and evidence; ensure a hearing for a full range of positions on a topic or issue; clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions; and promote divergent and creative perspectives.
	d. Respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives; synthesize comments, claims, and evidence made on all sides of an issue; resolve contradictions when possible; and determine what

d. Respond-thoughtfully to diverse perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views and understanding and make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.

additional information or research is required to deepen the investigation or complete the task.

Comprehension and Collaboration - Grades 9-10	Comprehension and Collaboration - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.9-10.2 Analyze and <u>synthesize multiple sources of information</u> presented in diverse media or formats <u>to determine credibility and accuracy of each source.</u>	SL.11-12.2 Analyze and synthesize multiple sources of information presented in diverse media or formats in order to make informed decisions and solve problems, evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source noting discrepancies among data.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
2. Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source.	2. Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) in order to make informed decisions and solve problems, evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source and noting any discrepancies among the data.
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.9-10.3 Understand and evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric, identifying any fallacious reasoning or exaggerated or distorted evidence.	SL.11-12.3 Understand and evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric, <u>assessing the stance</u> , <u>premises</u> , <u>links among ideas</u> , <u>word choice</u> , <u>points of emphasis</u> , <u>and tone used</u> .
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
3. Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric, identifying any fallacious reasoning or exaggerated or distorted evidence	3. Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric, assessing the stance, premises, links among ideas, word choice, points of emphasis, and tone used.

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 9-10	Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.9-10.4 Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the reasoning and organization. Intentionally utilize development, substance, and style appropriate to purpose, audience, and situation.	SL.11-12.4 Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, <u>conveying perspective</u> , such that listeners can follow the reasoning, <u>alternative or opposing perspectives</u> <u>addressed</u> , and the organization. Intentionally utilize development, substance, and style appropriate to purpose, audience, and situation.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
4. Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.	4. Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective, such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning, alternative or opposing perspectives are addressed, and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and arange of formal and informal tasks.
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
SL.9-10.5 Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.	SL.11-12.5 Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.	5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.

Language, 2010 Standards compared to 2020 Revisions

This document is intended to be used beside existing curriculum to determine where revisions may need to be made to ensure curriculum is aligned with the most recent version (2020) of Wisconsin's Standards for English Language Arts.

For each section of the standards, the first row of each page shows the 2020 standard; each is labeled as "2020 Standard". The second row shows the corresponding 2010 standard (or standards); each is labeled as "2010 Standard".

- Red font in the 2020 standard indicates that a change was made.
- Strikethrough in the 2010 standard indicates that content was removed entirely.
- Underlining is used to show how a standard changes between grade-levels; underlining is included only on the 2020 standard.

For Language standards, the following revisions were made (in addition to revisions in the language of the grade-level standards):

- This overarching statement was added and can be found on p. 15 of the Introduction, as well as on each page with grade-level standards:
 - "[Students will] demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures and contexts. Apply this knowledge to meet communicative goals when composing, creating, and speaking, and to comprehend more fully when reading and listening. Be able to justify intentional language and convention choices and explain how those choices differ for culture and context."
- New terms from recent academic research into language have been added. These terms include standardized English, code-meshing, and communicative competence. Definitions for these terms appear on p. 13 of the Introduction.
- Language standards have been reordered to reflect importance. Knowledge of Language is now standard 1, while Conventions of Standardized English are now standards 5 and 6.
- Standards about letter formation were removed from Language standards and placed in Writing standards. See Production and Distribution of Writing for these standards.

Anchor Standards for Language

Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures and contexts. Apply this knowledge to meet communicative goals when composing, creating, and speaking, and to comprehend more fully when reading and listening. Be able to justify intentional language and convention choices and explain how those choices differ for culture and context.

Knowledge of Language Students Will:

Anchor Standard L1: Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make

effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when

reading or listening.

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

Anchor Standard L2: Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in

grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general

and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as

appropriate.

Anchor Standard L3: Demonstrate an understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word

meanings.

Anchor Standard L4: Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when

encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms

and phrases; use vocabulary appropriate to the context and situation.

Conventions of Standardized English

Anchor Standard L5: Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English, and demonstrate

contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when

writing or speaking.

Anchor Standard L6: Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English, and demonstrate

contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization,

punctuation, and spelling when writing.

Knowledge of Language - Kindergarten	Knowledge of Language - Grade 1	Knowledge of Language - Grade 2
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.K.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures and contexts; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking, a. Recognize and appreciate the linguistic diversity of peers, teachers, and other members of the school community.	L.1.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures and contexts; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. a. Recognize and appreciate the linguistic diversity of peers, teachers, and other members of the school community.	L.2.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures and contexts; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. a. Recognize and appreciate linguistic diversity (e.g., at home, in the community and in peer and professional writing and speaking). b. Recognize formal and informal uses of English.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
3. (Begins in grade 2)	3. (Begins in grade 2)	3. Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. a. Compare formal and informal uses of English.
		a. Compare formal and illiornal uses of English.

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Kindergarten	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 1	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 2		
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard		
L.K.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate. a. Begin to recognize some words have multiple meanings (e.g., duck, tie).	L.1.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate. a. Use inflexional forms as clues to the meaning of unknown words (e.g., looks, looked).	L.2.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate. a. Determine the meaning of a new word when a prefix or suffix is added.		
b. <u>Use some word prefixes and suffixes as clues to the</u> meaning of unknown words (e.g., un-, -ed).	b. <u>Identify common root words.</u>	 b. Use a common root word as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word. c. Use individual words to predict meaning of compound words (e.g., birdhouse). d. Use resources to clarify meanings of words. 		
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard		
4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on kindergarten reading and content. a. Identify new meanings for familiar words and apply them accurately (e.g., knowing duck is a bird and learning the verb to duck). b. Use the most frequently occurring inflections and affixes (e.g., -ed, -s, re-, un-, pre-, -ful, -less) as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word.	 4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 1 reading and content, ehoosing flexibly from an array of strategies. a. Use sentence level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Use frequently occurring affixes as a clue to the meaning of a word. c. Identify frequently occurring root words (e.g., look) and their inflectional forms (e.g., looks, looked, looking). 	 4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 2 reading and content, choosing flexibly from an array of strategies. a. Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Determine the meaning of the new word formed when a known prefix is added to a known word (e.g., happy/unhappy, tell/retell). c. Use a known root word as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word with the same root (e.g., addition, additional). d. Use knowledge of the meaning of individual words to predict the meaning of compound words (e.g., birdhouse, lighthouse, housefly; bookshelf, notebook, bookmark). e. Use glossaries and beginning dictionaries, both print and digital, to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases. 		

Vocabul	ary Acquisition and Use - Kindergarten	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 1	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 2
2020 Sta	ndard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
relations	emonstrate understanding of figurative language, word hips and nuances in word meanings. dance and support from adults: Ask and answer questions about unknown words. Sort common objects into categories. Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and their opposites (antonyms). Connect common words to real life (e.g., colorful). Act out shades of meanings with verbs (e.g., strut, skip).	L.1.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships and nuances in word meanings. With guidance and support from adults: a. Identify words and phrases that suggest feelings or appeal to the senses (e.g., in stories, poems, or conversations). b. Explain rationale for sorting words into categories. c. Act out or define shades of meanings with verbs of differing manner (e.g., peek, scowl) and adjectives (e.g., gigantic, large).	 L.2.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships and nuances in word meanings. a. Describe how words and phrases supply rhythm and meaning in a text (e.g., alliteration, rhyme, repeated lines). b. Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe foods that are juicy). c. Distinguish shades of meaning among similar verbs (e.g., toss, throw) and adjectives (e.g., happy, pleased).
2010 Sta	ndard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
	uidance and support from adults, explore word hips and nuances in word meanings. Sort common objects into categories (e.g., shapes, foods) to gain a sense of the concepts the categories represent. Demonstrate understanding of frequently occurring verbs and adjectives by relating them to their opposites (antonyms). Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful).	5. With guidance and support from adults, demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings. a. Sort words into categories (e.g., colors, clothing) to gain a sense of the concepts the categories represent. b. Define words by category and by one or more key attributes (e.g., a duck is a bird that swims; a tiger is a large cat with stripes). c. Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at home that are cozy).	5. Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings. a. Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe foods that are spicy or juicy). b. Distinguish shades of meaning among closely related verbs (e.g., toss, throw, hurl) and closely related adjectives (e.g., thin, slender, skinny, scrawny).
d.	Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs describing the same general action (e.g., walk, march, strut, skip).	d. Distinguish shades of meaning among verbs differing in manner (e.g., look, peek, glance, stare, glare, scowl) and adjectives differing in intensity (e.g., large, gigantic) by defining or choosing them or by acting out the meanings.	

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Kindergarten	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 1	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 2
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.K.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; use vocabulary appropriate to the context and situation.	L.1.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; use vocabulary appropriate to the context and situation. <u>Use frequently occurring conjunctions (e.g., because) to signal simple relationships.</u>	L.2.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; use vocabulary appropriate to the context and situation. Use adjectives and adverbs to describe (e.g., when other kids are happy, that makes me happy.).
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
6. Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts.	6. Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts, including using frequently occurring conjunctions to signal simple relationships (e.g., because).	6. Use words and phrases acquired through conversations; reading and being read to, and responding to texts, including using adjectives and adverbs to describe (e.g., When other kids are happy that makes me happy).

Conventions of Standardized English - Kindergarten	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 1	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 2	
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard	
L.K.5 <u>Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.</u>	L.1.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.	L.2.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.	
Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:	
a. Frequently used nouns, verbs, and prepositions.	a. Common, proper, and possessive nouns.	a. <u>Collective nouns, adjectives and adverbs,</u> frequently occurring regular plural nouns,	
 b. Oral pluralizations of nouns. c. Question words (who, what, etc.). d. Oral production and expansion of complete sentences. 	b. Nouns/verbs agreement in simple sentences. c. Frequently occurring pronouns, adjectives, conjunctions, verb tenses, and prepositions. d. Production and expansion of complete sentences in response to prompts.	b. Production, expansion, and rearrangement of complete simple and compound sentences.	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard	
1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	
a. Print many upper- and lowercase letters.	a. Print all upper- and lowercase letters.	a. Use collective nouns (e.g., group).	
 b. Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. c. Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes). d. Understand and use question words (interrogatives) 	 b. Use common, proper, and possessive nouns. c. Use singular and plural nouns with matching verbs in basic sentences (e.g., He hops; We hop). d. Use personal, possessive, and indefinite pronouns 	b. Form and use frequently occurring irregular plural nouns (e.g., feet, children, teeth, mice, fish). c. Use reflexive pronouns (e.g., myself, ourselves). d. Form and use the past tense of frequently	
(e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how).	(e.g., I, me, my; they, them, their; anyone, everything).	occurring irregular verbs (e.g., sat, hid, told).	
 e. Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with). f. Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities. 	e. —Use verbs to convey a sense of past, present, and future (e.g., Yesterday I walked home; Today I walk home; Tomorrow I will walk home). f. Use frequently occurring adjectives. g. Use frequently occurring conjunctions (e.g., and, but,	e. Use adjectives and adverbs, and choose between them depending on what is to be modified. f. Produce, expand, and rearrange complete simple and compound sentences (e.g., The boy watched the movie; The little boy watched the movie; The action movie was watched by the little boy).	

h. Use determiners (e.g., articles, demonstratives).
i. Use frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., during, beyond, toward).
j. Produce and expand complete simple and compound declarative, interrogative, imperative, and exclamatory sentences in response to prompts.

Conventions of Standardized English - Kindergarten	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 1	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 2
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.K.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with: a. Capitalization of the first word in a sentence. b. Name frequently used punctuation. c. Phonetically spell simple words drawing on knowledge of letter-sound relationships. Related to Reading Foundational standards (RF.K.3). d. Writes letters for most consonant and short vowel sounds (phonemes). Related to Reading Foundational standards (RF.K.3).	L.1.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with: a. Capitalization of dates and names of people. b. End punctuation. c. Commas in dates and simple sets. d. Use conventional spelling for words with common spelling patterns and draw on phonological awareness and spelling conventions to spell other words phonetically. Related to Reading Foundational standards (RF.1.3).	L.2.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with: a. Capitalization of holidays, products, geographic places. b. Commas in greetings and closings. c. Apostrophes in contractions and frequently occurring possessives. d. Use common spelling patterns, phonemic awareness, and basic reference materials to solve words. Related to Reading Foundational standards (RF.2.3).
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
 a. Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun H. b. Recognize and name end punctuation. c. Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short-vowel sounds (phonemes). Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of sound-letter relationships. 	 a. Capitalize dates and names of people. b. Use end punctuation for sentences. c. Use commas in dates and to separate single words in a series. d. Use conventional spelling for words with common spelling patterns and for frequently occurring irregular words. e. Spell untaught words phonetically, drawing on phonemic awareness and spelling conventions. 	 a. Capitalize holidays, product names, and geographic names. b. Use commas in greetings and closings of letters. c. Use an apostrophe to form contractions and frequently occurring possessives. d. Generalize learned spelling patterns when writing words (e.g., cage → badge; boy → boil). e. Consult reference materials, including beginning dictionaries, as needed to check and correct spellings.

Knowledge of Language - Grade 3	Knowledge of Language - Grade 4	Knowledge of Language - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.3.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. a. Compare and contrast the ways in which language is used in familiar contexts (e.g., at home, in the community, in peer and professional writing/speaking). b. Recognize differences between the conventions of written and spoken English. c. Identify key words and phrases that help readers understand a topic; choose words and phrases for effect when writing and speaking.	 L.4.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. Compare and contrast the ways in which language is used in familiar and unfamiliar contexts (e.g., at home, outside of their own communities, by diverse authors and speakers). Determine the language demands of varied writing and speaking situations; respond appropriately (e.g., formal writing and presentations; personal writing and conversations). Lidentify examples of precise and concise language when reading; choose words and phrases to convey ideas precisely when writing and speaking. Choose punctuation for effect. 	 L.5.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. Recognize that standardized English is only one dialect of many and has a specific history that is implicated in power relationships. Compare and contrast the ways in which language is used in familiar and unfamiliar contexts (e.g., at home, outside of their own communities, by diverse authors and speakers). C. Compare and contrast the varieties of English (e.g., dialects, registers) used in stories, dramas, or poems. d. Expand, combine, and reduce sentences for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
3. Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. a. Choose words and phrases to convey ideas precisely.*	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. a. Expand, combine, and reduce sentences for
a. Choose words and phrases for effect.* b. Recognize and observe differences between the conventions of spoken and written standard English.	b. Choose punctuation for effect.* c. Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small group discussion).	meaning, reader/listener interest, and style. b. Compare and contrast the varieties of English (e.g., dialects, registers) used in stories, dramas, or poems.

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 3	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 4	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.3.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate. a. Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Determine the meaning of new words when a suffix or prefix is added. c. Use resources to determine word meanings.	L.4.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate. a. Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Consult print and digital reference materials for meaning and pronunciation.	L.5.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate. a. Use common. grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., telegraph, photograph, autograph).
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning word and phrases based on grade 3 reading and content, ehoosing flexibly from a range of strategies. a. Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Determine the meaning of the new word formed when a known affix is added to a known word (e.g., agreeable/disagreeable, comfortable/uncomfortable, care/careless, heat/preheat). c. Use a known root word as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word with the same root (e.g., company; companion). d. Use glossaries or beginning dictionaries, both print and digital, to determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and phrases.	4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 4 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies. a. Use context (e.g., definitions, examples, or restatements in text) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., telegraph, photograph, autograph). c. Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation and determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and phrases.	4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 5 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies. a. Use context (e.g., cause/effect relationships and comparisons in text) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., photograph, photosynthesis). c. Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation and determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and phrases.

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 3	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 4	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
 L.3.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships and nuances in word meanings. a. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, distinguishing between literal and non-literal language. b. Distinguish shades of meaning among words describing degrees of certainty (e.g., knew, believed, suspected). c. Make connections between words and how they are used in real life (i.e., help students build or add on to existing schema when encountering new words). 	 L.4.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative language such as similes and metaphors. b. Explain common idioms and proverbs. c. Understand words by relating them to synonyms and antonyms. d. Make connections between words and how they are used in real life (i.e., help students build or add on to existing schema when encountering new words). 	 L.5.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including those that allude to significant characters (e.g., Herculean). b. Interpret similes and metaphors in context. c. Clarify the precise meaning of words by comparing and contrasting them with related words (i.e. compare and contrast words to synonyms, antonyms, and homographs to better understand each word). d. Make connections between words and how they are used in real life (i.e., help students build or add on to existing schema when encountering new words).
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
5. Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.	5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
a. Distinguish the literal and nonliteral meanings of words and phrases in context (e.g., take steps).	a. Explain the meaning of simple similes and metaphors (e.g., as pretty as a picture) in context.	a. Interpret figurative language, including similes and metaphors, in context.
b. Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful).	b. Recognize and explain the meaning of common idioms, adages, and proverbs.	b. Recognize and explain the meaning of common i dioms, adages, and proverbs.
c. Distinguish shades of meaning among related words that describe states of mind or degrees of certainty (e.g., knew, believed, suspected, heard, wondered).	c. Demonstrate -understanding of words by relating them to their -opposites (antonyms) and to words with similar but not identical meanings (synonyms).	c. Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonyms, antonyms, homographs) to better understand each of the words.

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 3	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 4	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.3.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; use vocabulary appropriate to the context and situation. a. Identify and use phrases that signal spatial and temporal relationships (e.g., after dinner that night, we went looking for them.).	L.4.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; use vocabulary appropriate to the context and situation. a. Identify and use phrases that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).	L.5.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; use vocabulary appropriate to the context and situation. a. Identify and use phrases that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
6. Acquire and use accurately grade appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships (e.g., After dinner that night we went looking for them).	6. Acquire and use accurately grade appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).	6. Acquire and use accurately grade appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).

Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 3	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 4	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 5
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.3.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.	L.4.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.	L.5.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.
Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:
a. <u>Irregular and regular nouns and verbs.</u>	a. <u>Relative pronouns and adverbs.</u>	a. <u>Conjunctions.</u>
b. <u>Simple verb tenses.</u>	b. <u>Prepositional phrases</u> .	b. <u>Verb tenses.</u>
c. <u>Subject-verb agreement.</u>	c. <u>Order of adjectives.</u>	c. <u>Correlative conjunctions.</u>
d. <u>Simple and compound sentences.</u>	d. <u>Adjectives, adverbs, conjunctions</u> .	d. <u>Use of "they" and "their" when referring to</u> <u>singular people or ideas.</u>
e. <u>Easily confused words (e.g., to, too, two).</u>	e. <u>Compound and complex sentences.</u>f. Easily confused words (e.g., to, too, two).	
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
a. Explain the function of nouns, pronouns, verbs, adjectives, and adverbs in general and their functions in particular sentences.	a. Use relative pronouns (who, whose, whom, which, that) and relative adverbs (where, when, why).	a. Explain the function of conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in general and their function in particularly sentences.
b. Form and use regular and irregular plural nouns.	b. Form and use the progressive (e.g., I was walking; I am walking; I will be walking) verb tenses.	b. Form an use the perfect (e.g., I had walked; I have walked; I will have walked) verb tenses.
c. Use abstract nouns (e.g., childhood).	 Use modal auxiliaries (e.g., can, may, must) to convey various conditions. 	c. Use verb tense to convey various times, sequences,
 d. Form and use regular and irregular verbs. e. Form and use the simple (e.g., I walked; I walk; I will walk) verb tenses. 	d. Order adjectives within sentences according to conventional patterns (e.g., A small red bag rather than a red small bag).	states, and conditions. d. Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb tense.*
f. Ensure subject-verb and pronoun antecedent agreement*	e. Form and use prepositional phrases. f. Produce complete sentences, recognizing and correcting inappropriate fragments and run ons.*	e. Use correlative conjunctions (e.g., either/or, neither/nor).

g. Form and use comparative and superlative adjectives and adverbs, and choose between them depending on what is to be modified.	g. Correctly use frequently confused words (e.g., to, too, two; there, their).*	
h. Use coordinating and subordinating conjunctions.		
i. Produce simple, compound, and complex sentences.		

Convent	ions of Standardized English - Grade 3	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 4	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 5
2020 Sta	andard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
conventi and spell	emonstrate contextually appropriate use of the ons of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, ling when writing. Discern when and where it is ate to use standardized English	L.4.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English	L.5.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English
Appropr with:	iately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with:	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with:
a.	<u>Titles.</u>	a. <u>Capitalization.</u>	a. <u>Commas (introductory elements, and elements</u> that need to be set off like a question or direct
b.	Quotation marks for speech.	b. <u>Commas and quotation marks for quotations.</u>	address).
c.	Possessives.	c. <u>Commas in compound sentences.</u>	b. <u>Italics, underlining, quotes with titles.</u>
d.	Use spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts) in writing words.	d. <u>Spell grade-level words correctly using reference</u> materials to solve words as needed.	c. Spell grade-level words correctly using reference materials to solve words and edit written work as needed.
e.	Use conventional spelling for high frequency words.		
f.	<u>Use conventional spelling for adding suffixes to base words.</u>		
g.	Use learned syllable patterns and reference materials to solve and write unknown words.		
2010 Sta	andard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
	nstrate- command of the conventions of -standard English ation, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	2. Demonstrate command of t he conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
a.	Capitalize appropriate words in titles.	a. Use correct capitalization.	a. Use punctuation to separate items in a series.*
b.	Use commas in addresses.	b. Use commas and quotation marks to mark direct speech and quotations from a text.	b. Use a comma to separate an introductory element from the rest of the sentence.
c.	Use- commas and quotation marks in dialogue.		
d.	Form and use possessives.	c. Use a comma before a coordinating conjunction in a compound sentence.	c. Use a comma to set off the words yes and no (e.g, Yes, thank you), to set off a tag question from the rest of the sentence (e.g., it's true, isn't it?), and to
e.	Use conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding suffixes to base words (e.g., sitting, smiled, cries, happiness).	d. Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.	indicate direct address (e.g., is that you, Steve?).

f.	Use spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, postin-based spellings, syllable patterns, eding rules, meaningful word parts) in writing words.	d.	Use underlining, quotation marks, or italics to indicate titles of works.
g	Consult reference materials, including beginning dictionaries, as needed to check and correct spellings.	e.	Spell grade- appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.

Knowledge of Language - Grade 6	Knowledge of Language - Grade 7	Knowledge of Language - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
 L.6.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. a. Recognize that standardized English is only one dialect of many and has a specific history that is implicated in power relationships. b. Determine the language demands of a writing/speaking situation: respond in appropriate ways (e.g., precise and concise language; extended and descriptive language; incorporation of code-meshing, etc.). c. Expand, combine, and reduce sentences for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style. d. Maintain consistency in style and tone. 	 L.7.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. a. Recognize that standardized English is only one dialect of many and has a specific history that is implicated in power relationships. b. Determine the language demands of a writing/speaking situation; respond in appropriate ways (e.g., precise and concise language; extended and descriptive language; incorporation of code-meshing, etc.). c. Maintain consistency in style and tone. d. When appropriate, eliminate wordiness and redundancy. 	 L.8.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking. a. Recognize that standardized English is only one dialect of many and has a specific history that is implicated in power relationships. b. Determine the language demands of a writing/speaking situation; respond in appropriate ways (e.g., precise and concise language; extended and descriptive language; incorporation of code-meshing, etc.). c. Use verbs in the active and passive voice and in the conditional and subjunctive mood to achieve particular effects (e.g., emphasizing the actor or the action; expressing uncertainty or describing a state contrary to fact). d. Begin to develop metacognitive awareness as writers and speakers by explaining the reasons for language choices.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
3. Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.	3. Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.	3 Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
 a. Vary sentence patterns for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style.* b. Maintain consistency in style and tone.* 	a. Choose language that expresses ideas precisely and concisely, recognizing and eliminating wordiness and redundancy.*	Use verbs in the active and passive voice and in the conditional and subjunctive mood to achieve particular effects (e.g., emphasizing the actor or the action; expressing uncertainty.

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 6	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 7	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.6.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate. a. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). b. Use grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word.	L.7.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate a. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). b. Use grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word.	L.8.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words or phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate a. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). b. Use grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 6 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.	4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 7 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.	4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words or phrases based on grade 8 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
 a. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Use common, grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes 	 a. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Use common; grade-appropriate Greek or Latin 	a. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., audience, auditory, audible).	affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., belligerent, bellicose, rebel).	b. Use common, grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., precede, recede, secede).
 c. Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning or its part of speech. 	 c. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning or its part of speech. 	c. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its
 Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). 	d. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).	d. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 6	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 7	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.6.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Determine the denotative, connotative, and figurative meanings of words and phrases used in texts: when words have similar denotations, be able to describe differences in connotation and their impact on meaning and tone. b. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., personification) in context. c. Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., cause/effect) to better understand each of the words. d. Distinguish between words with similar definitions (e.g., stingy, scrimping, economical, unwasteful, thrifty).	L.7.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Determine the denotative, connotative, and figurative meanings of words and phrases used in texts; when words have similar denotations, be able to describe differences in connotation and their impact on meaning and tone. b. Analyze the impact of rhyme and other repetitions of sound (e.g., alliteration; assonance) in varied texts (e.g., poetry; drama; section of a story).	L.8.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Determine the denotative, connotative, and figurative meanings of words and phrases used in texts; when words have similar denotations, be able to describe differences in connotation and their impact on meaning and tone. b. Analyze the impact of specific word choice on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., personification) in context. b. Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., cause/effect, part/whole, item/category) to better understand each of the words. c. Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., stingy, scrimping, economical, unwasteful, thrifty).	5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., literary, biblical, and mythological allusions) in context. b. Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words. c. Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., refined, respectful, polite, diplomatic, condescending).	5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. a. Interpret figures of speech (e.g. verbal irony, puns) in context. b. Use the relationship between particular words to better understand each of the words. c. Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., bullheaded, willful, firm, persistent, resolute).

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 6	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 7	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.6.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; make intentional vocabulary choices appropriate to the context and situation.	L.7.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; make intentional vocabulary choices appropriate to the context and situation.	L.8.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; make intentional vocabulary choices appropriate to the context and situation.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
6. Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	6. Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression	6. Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 6	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 7	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.6.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:	L.7.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:	L.8.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with:
a. Use of objective, subjective, possessive, and intensive pronouns b. Strategies to improve expression in conventional language	a. Phrases and clauses b. Simple, compound, and complex sentences signaling differing relationships among ideas c. Recognizing and correcting dangling modifiers	a. Active and passive voice verbs b. Indicative, imperative, interrogative, conditional, and subjunctive mood verbs c. Recognizing and correcting shifts in verb voice and mood
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
 a. Ensure that pronouns are in the proper case (subjective, objective, possessive). b. Use intensive pronouns (e.g., myself, ourselves). c. Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in pronoun number and person.* d. Recognize and correct vague pronouns (i.e., ones with unclear or ambiguous antecedents).* e. Recognize variations from standard English in their own and others' writing and speaking, and identify and use strategies to improve expression in conventional language.* 	 a. Explain the function of phrases and clauses in general and their function in specific sentences. b. Choose among simple, compound, complex, and compound-complex sentences to signal differing relationships among ideas. c. Place phrases and clauses within a sentence, recognizing and correcting misplaced and dangling modifiers.* 	 a. Explain the function of verbals (gerunds, participles, infinitives) in general and their function in particular sentences. b. Form and use verbs in the active and passive voice. c. Form and use verbs in the indicative, imperative, interrogative, conditional, and subjunctive mood. d. Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb voice and mood.*

Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 6	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 7	Conventions of Standardized English - Grade 8
2020 Standard	2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.6.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.	L.7.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.	L.8.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.
Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with:	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with:	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with:
a. <u>Commas, parentheses, and dashes</u>	a. <u>Commas to separate coordinate adjectives</u>	a. <u>Punctuation to recognize a pause or break</u>
b. <u>Correct spelling</u>	b. <u>Correct spelling</u>	b. <u>Ellipsis to indicate an omission</u>
		c. <u>Correct spelling</u>
2010 Standard	2010 Standard	2010 Standard
Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Use punctuation (commas, parentheses, dashes) to set	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. a. Use a comma to separate coordinate adjectives (e.g., It	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. a. Use punctuation (comma, ellipsis, dash) to indicate
off nonrestrictive/parenthetical elements.* b. Spell correctly.	was a fascinating, enjoyable movie but not He wore an old[,] green shirt). b. Spell correctly	a pause or break. b. Use an ellipsis to indicate an omission. c. Spell correctly.

Knowledge of Language - Grades 9-10	Knowledge of Language - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.9-10.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking.	L.11-12.1 Demonstrate an understanding of how language functions in different cultures, contexts, and disciplines; apply this knowledge to comprehend more fully when reading and listening, and make effective choices when composing, creating, and speaking.
 Recognize that standardized English is only one dialect of many and has a specific history that is implicated in power relationships. 	 a. Recognize that standardized English is only one dialect of many and has a specific history that is implicated in power relationships.
b. Develop communicative competence by effectively determining and appropriately responding to the language demands of varied situations (i.e., effectively consider the relationship between your intent as an author and the context, purpose, genre, and audience needs of writing and speaking situations).	 Develop communicative competence by effectively determining and appropriately responding to the language demands of varied situations (i.e., effectively consider the relationship between your intent as an author and the context, purpose, genre, and audience needs when writing and speaking).
c. Develop metacognitive awareness as writers and speakers, <u>justifying and evaluating</u> the effectiveness of language choices.	c. Develop metacognitive awareness as writers and speakers, justifying and evaluating the effectiveness and appropriateness of language and genre choices.
d. Recognize standardized guidelines and style manuals exist for various disciplines (e.g., Modern Language Association [MLA] in English: American Psychological Association [APA] in Education, Science, and Psychology); write and edit work so that it conforms to the expectations of the discipline and writing situation.	d. Recognize standardized guidelines and style manuals exist for various disciplines (e.g., MLA in English; APA in Education, Science, and Psychology); write and edit work so that it conforms to the expectations of the discipline and writing situation.
	e. Apply an understanding of syntax to the study of complex texts when reading; vary syntax for effect when writing.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
3. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.	3. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
 Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type. 	Vary syntax for effect, consulting references (e.g., Tufte's Artful Sentences) for guidance as needed; apply an understanding of syntax to the study of complex texts when reading.

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grades 9-10	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.9-10.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate.	L.11-12.2 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in grade-level reading and content; use context clues, analyze meaningful word parts, consult general and specialized reference materials, and apply word solving strategies (for meaning) as appropriate.
Determine the pronunciation, precise meaning, part of speech, and etymology of words; verify by consulting general and specialized print and digital reference materials as appropriate.	Determine the pronunciation, precise meaning, part of speech, etymology and standardized usage of words; verify by consulting general and specialized print and digital reference materials as appropriate.
b. Determine and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., analyze, analysis, analytical; advocate, advocacy).	b. Determine and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., analyze, analysis, analytical; advocate, advocacy).
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9–10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.	4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 11–12 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
 a. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., analyze, analysis, analytical; advocate, advocacy). c. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its part of speech, or its etymology. d. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). 	 a. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. b. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., conceive, conception, conceivable). c. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its part of speech, its etymology, or its standard usage. d. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grades 9-10	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.9-10.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	L.11-12.3 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
a. Determine the denotative, connotative, and figurative meanings of words and phrases used in texts; analyze nuances in the meaning of words with similar denotations.	 Determine the denotative, connotative, and figurative meanings of words and phrases used in texts; analyze nuances in the meaning of words with similar denotations.
b. Analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and the effectiveness of a response (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time, place, and culture; how it sets a formal or informal tone).	b. Analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on the meaning, tone, and effectiveness of a response; consider words with multiple meanings, language that is particularly engaging or beautiful, and reading, writing, and speaking situations that seamlessly integrate linguistic diversity, ideas, and cultures.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
 a. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., euphemism, oxymoron) in context and analyze their role in the text. b. Analyze nuances in the meaning of words with similar denotations. 	 a. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., hyperbole, paradox) in context and analyze their role in the text. b. Analyze nuances in the meaning of words with similar denotations.
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.9-10.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; make intentional vocabulary choices appropriate to the context and situation.	L.11-12.4 Demonstrate an ability to collaboratively and independently build vocabulary knowledge when encountering unknown words including cultural, general academic, and discipline-specific terms and phrases; make intentional vocabulary choices appropriate to the context and situation.
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
6. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	6. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

Conventions of Standardized English - Grades 9-10	Conventions of Standardized English - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
L.9-10.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.	L.11-12.5 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English.
Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with: a. Use parallel structure.	Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose of language choice with: a. Recognize that conventions (i.e., aspects of punctuation, layout, and formatting
b. Convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing and presentations through the use of various types of phrases (e.g., noun, verb, adjectival, and prepositional) and clauses (e.g., independent, dependent, and adverbial).	 within a particular genre) are the result of agreed upon usage. b. Identify ways in which usage and conventions vary and are sometimes contested. c. Resolve issues of complex or contested usage by consulting appropriate references (e.g., Merriam-Webster's Dictionary of English Usage, Dictionary of American Regional English).
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	1. Demonstrate command of t he conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
 a. Use parallel structure.* b. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations. 	 a. Apply the understanding that usage is a matter of convention, can change over time, and is sometimes contested. b. Resolve issues of complex or contested usage, consulting references (e.g., Merriam-Webster's Dictionary of English Usage, Garner's Modern American Usage) as needed.

Conventions of Standardized English - Grades 9-10	Conventions of Standardized English - Grades 11-12
2020 Standard	2020 Standard
 L.9-10.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with: a. <u>Use colons and semicolons appropriately.</u> b. <u>Spell correctly.</u> 	L.11-12.6 Demonstrate contextually appropriate use of the conventions of standardized English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. Discern when and where it is appropriate to use standardized English. Appropriately use and explain the intended purpose in conventions with: a. <u>Use sophisticated punctuation and capitalization techniques as appropriate to situation and genre (e.g., brackets and italics in research; capitalization expressing extended meaning in poetry).</u> b. <u>Spell correctly.</u>
2010 Standard	2010 Standard
2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
 Use a semicolon (and perhaps a conjunctive adverb) to link two or more closely related independent clauses. 	a. Observe hyphenation conventions.
b. Use a colon to introduce a list or quotation.	b. Spell correctly
c. Spell correctly.	