## Correlation of California's Common Core State Standards (CCSS) for LITERACY IN HISTORY/SOCIAL STUDIES, SCIENCE, AND TECHNICAL SUBJECTS to the Expository Reading and Writing Course (ERWC) Assignment Template

**NOTE**: • Unless otherwise specified, the standards included in this chart correspond to the grade level(s) indicated by the column heading.

• Standards that are underlined and formatted in bold represent California additions to the Common Core State Standards.

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Grades 11-12	Grade 6-8	Grades 9-10	Grades 11-12				
READING RHETORICALLY PREREADING Getting Ready							
sophisticated texts. These brief,	introductory activities will prepare	re students in advance of reading i students to learn the content of th in the sections of the template that	e California Common Core State				
Exploring Key	Concepts						
sophisticated texts. These brief,	The strategies in this section of the ERWC are designed to prepare students in advance of reading increasingly complex and sophisticated texts. These brief, introductory activities will prepare students to learn the content of the CA CCSS for ELA/Literacy in the sections of the template that follow.						
Surveying the 1	<b>Fext</b>						
Reading – Informational Text 5a. Analyze the use of text	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies				
features (e.g., graphics, headers, captions) CA	5. Describe how a text presents information (e.g., sequentially, comparatively, causally).	5. Analyze how a text uses structure to emphasize key points or advance an explanation or analysis.	5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.				

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	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	
	5. Analyze the structure an author uses to organize a text, including how the major sections contribute to the whole and to an understanding of the topic.	5. Analyze the structure of the relationships among concepts in a text, including relationships among key terms (e.g., <i>force, friction, reaction force, energy</i> ).	5. Analyze how the text structures information or ideas into categories or hierarchies, demonstrating understanding of the information or ideas.	
Making Predict	ions and Asking Questions			
sophisticated texts. These brief, the sections of the template that	the ERWC are designed to prepare introductory activities will prepare follow. <b>Key Vocabulary</b>			
Language 4. Determine or clarify the	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	
4. Determine of 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.	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including vocabulary specific to domains related to history/social studies.	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including vocabulary describing political, social, or economic aspects of history/social science.	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including analyzing how an author uses and refines the meaning of a key term over the course of a	
a. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, para-	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	text (e.g., how Madison defines faction in Federalist No. 10).	
<ul><li>graph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.</li><li>b. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that</li></ul>	4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to <i>grades 6-8</i>	4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to <i>grades 9-10</i>	<ul> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a</li> </ul>	

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indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., conceive, conception, conceivable). Apply knowledge of Greek, Latin, and Anglo-Saxon roots and affixes to draw inferences concerning the meaning of scientific and mathematical terminology. CA	texts and topics.	texts and topics.	specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 11- 12 texts and topics.	
c. Consult general and special- ized reference materials (e.g., <b>college-level</b> dictionaries, <b>rhyming dictionaries, bilin- gual dictionaries,</b> 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. <b>CA</b>				
d. Verify the preliminary deter- mination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by check- ing the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).				
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.				

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READING Reading for Un	derstanding		
Reading – Informational Text 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 where the text leaves matters uncertain.	<ul> <li>Reading for History/Social Studies</li> <li>1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources.</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading for History/Social Studies</li> <li>1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, attending to such features as the date and origin of the information.</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to the precise details of explanations or descriptions.</li> </ul>	Reading for History/Social Studies1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to an understanding of the text as a whole.Reading for Science and Technical Subjects1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to important distinctions the author makes and to any gaps or inconsistencies in the account.
Considering the	e Structure of the Text		
Prerequisite Grade 8 Standard: Reading – Informational Text 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.	Reading for History/Social Studies 5. Describe how a text presents information (e.g., sequentially, comparatively, causally).	Reading for History/Social Studies 5. Analyze how a text uses structure to emphasize key points or advance an explanation or analysis.	Reading for History/Social Studies 5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.

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Grades 11-12 Reading – Informational Text	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects
5. Analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of the structure an author uses in his or her exposition or argument, including whether the structure makes points clear, convincing, and engaging.	5. Analyze the structure an author uses to organize a text, including how the major sections contribute to the whole and to an understanding of the topic.	5. Analyze the structure of the relationships among concepts in a text, including relationships among key terms (e.g., force, friction, reaction force, energy).	5. Analyze how the text structures information or ideas into categories or hierarchies, demonstrating understanding of the information or ideas.
Speaking and Listening			
1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one- on- one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 11–12 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; 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.			
b. Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and			

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establish individual roles as needed.				
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 additional information or research is required to deepen the investigation or complete the task.				
Noticing Langu	age			
<b>Reading</b> 4. Determine the meaning of	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	
words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figura- tive, 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.,	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including vocabulary specific to domains related to history/social studies.	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including vocabulary describing political, social, or economic aspects of history/social science.	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including analyzing how an author uses and refines the meaning of a key term over the course of a text (e.g., how Madison defines	

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<ul> <li>how Madison defines <i>faction</i> in <i>Federalist</i> No. 10).</li> <li>Language</li> <li>1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.</li> <li>a. Apply the understanding that usage is a matter of convention, can change over time, and is sometimes contested.</li> <li>b. Resolve issues of complex or contested usage, consulting references (e.g., <i>Merriam-Webster's Dictionary of English Usage, Garner's Modern American Usage</i>) as needed.</li> </ul>	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects 4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 6-8 texts and topics.	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects 4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 9-10 texts and topics.	<ul> <li>faction in Federalist No. 10).</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 11- 12 texts and topics.</li> </ul>
Annotating and	Questioning the Text		
Prerequisite Grade 8 Standard: Reading –	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies
<ul> <li>Informational Text</li> <li>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.</li> <li>2. Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its develop- ment over the course of the text, including its relationship to supporting ideas;</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources.</li> <li>Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source;</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>Cite specific textual</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, attending to such features as the date and origin of the information.</li> <li>Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source;</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to an understanding of the text as a whole.</li> <li>Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source;</li> </ol>

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Grades 11-12 Reading – Informational Text	evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts.	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects
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	2. Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text;	1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to the precise details of explanations or descriptions.	1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to important distinctions the author makes
one another to provide a complex analysis;		2. Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text; trace the text's explanation or depiction of a complex process, phenomenon, or concept;	<ul><li>and to any gaps or inconsistencies in the account.</li><li>2. Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text;</li></ul>
Analyzing Styli	stic Choices		
<b>Reading</b> 4. Determine the meaning of	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies
words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figura- tive, 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.,	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including vocabulary specific to domains related to history/social studies.	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including vocabulary describing political, social, or economic aspects of history/social science.	4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including analyzing how an author uses and refines the meaning of a key term over the course of a
how Madison defines <i>faction</i> in <i>Federalist</i> No. 10),	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	text (e.g., how Madison defines faction in Federalist No. 10).
Language 3. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style,	4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to <i>grades 6-8 texts and topics.</i>	4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to <i>grades 9-10 texts and topics.</i>	<ul> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical</li> </ul>

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and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.			context relevant to grades 11- 12 texts and topics.	
a; apply an understanding of syntax to the study of com- plex texts when reading.				
5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.				
a. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., hyperbole, paradox) in context and analyze their role in the text.				
<ul> <li>b. Analyze nuances in the meaning of words with similar denotations.</li> </ul>				
Postreading				
Summarizing a	nd Responding			
Prerequisite Grade 8 Standard: Reading –	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	
Informational Text 2. Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its devel- opment over the course of the text, including its relationship to supporting ideas; provide an	2. Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of the source distinct from prior knowledge or opinions.	2. Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events or ideas develop over the course of the text.	2. Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary that makes clear the relationships among the key details and ideas.	
objective summary of the text. Grades 11-12	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	
<ul><li>Reading – Informational Text</li><li>2. Determine two or more</li></ul>	2. Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text;	2. Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text; trace	2. Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text;	

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Grades 11-12	Grade 6-8	Grades 9-10	Grades 11-12
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.	provide an accurate summary of the text distinct from prior knowledge or opinions. Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	the text's explanation or depiction of a complex process, phenomenon, or concept; provide an accurate summary of the text. Writing for History/Social	summarize complex concepts, processes, or information presented in a text by paraphrasing them in simpler but still accurate terms. Writing for History/Social
Writing	2. Write informative/	Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
2. Write informative/ explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection,	explanatory texts, including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes. 10. Write routinely over	2. Write informative/ explana- tory texts, including the narra- tion of historical events, scien- tific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.	2. Write informative/ explana- tory texts, including the narra- tion of historical events, scien- tific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.
organization, and analysis of content.	extended time frames (time for reflection and revision) and	10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for	10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for
10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.	shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.	reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.	reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.
Thinking Critica	ally		
Prerequisite Grades 9-10 Standard: Reading –	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies
Informational Text 8. Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and suffi-	<ol> <li>Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources.</li> <li>Identify key steps in a text's</li> </ol>	1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, attending to such features as the date and origin of the information	1. Cite specific textual evi- dence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to an understanding of the text as

Informational Text	1. Cite specific textual	1. Cite specific textual	1. Cite specific textual evi-
8. Delineate and evaluate the	evidence to support analysis of	evidence to support analysis of	dence to support analysis of
argument and specific claims in	primary and secondary	primary and secondary	primary and secondary
a text, assessing whether the	sources.	sources, attending to such	sources, connecting insights
reasoning is valid and the	3. Identify key steps in a text's	features as the date and origin	gained from specific details to
evidence is relevant and suffi-	description of a process related	of the information.	an understanding of the text as

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<ul> <li>cient; identify false statements and fallacious reasoning.</li> <li>Grades 11-12 Reading – Informational Text</li> <li>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 where the text leaves matters uncertain.</li> <li>3. Analyze a complex set of ideas or sequence of events and explain how specific individuals, ideas, or events</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>to history/social studies (e.g., how a bill becomes law, how interest rates are raised or lowered).</li> <li>5. Describe how a text presents information (e.g., sequentially, comparatively, causally).</li> <li>6. Identify aspects of a text that reveal an author's point of view or purpose (e.g., loaded language, inclusion or avoidance of particular facts).</li> <li>8. Distinguish among fact, opinion, and reasoned</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Analyze in detail a series of events described in a text; determine whether earlier events caused later ones or simply preceded them.</li> <li>Analyze how a text uses structure to emphasize key points or advance an explanation or analysis.</li> <li>Compare the point of view of two or more authors for how they treat the same or similar topics, including which details they include and emphasize in their respective accounts.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>a whole.</li> <li>3. Evaluate various explanations for actions or events and determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.</li> <li>5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole.</li> <li>6. Evaluate authors' differing</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>interact and develop over the course of the text.</li> <li>5. Analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of the structure an author uses in his or her exposition or argument, including whether the structure</li> </ul>	judgment in a text. <b>Reading for Science and</b> <b>Technical Subjects</b> 1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts.	8. Assess the extent to which the reasoning and evidence in a text support the author's claims. Reading for Science and Technical Subjects	<ul> <li>points of view on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.</li> <li>8. Evaluate an author's premises, claims, and evidence by corroborating or</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>makes points clear, convincing, and engaging.</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Follow precisely a multistep procedure when carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks.</li> <li>Analyze the structure an author uses to organize a text, including how the major sections contribute to the whole and to an understanding of the topic.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to the precise details of explanations or descriptions.</li> <li>Follow precisely a complex multistep procedure when carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks, attending to special cases or exceptions defined in the text.</li> </ol>	challenging them with other information. <b>Reading for Science and</b> <b>Technical Subjects</b> 1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to important distinctions the author makes and to any gaps or inconsistencies in the account.

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<ul> <li>Speaking and Listening</li> <li>1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 11–12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>b. Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text.</li> <li>8. Distinguish among facts, reasoned judgment based on research findings, and speculation in a text.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>5. Analyze the structure of the relationships among concepts in a text, including relationships among key terms (e.g., force, friction, reaction force, energy).</li> <li>6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text, defining the question the author seeks to address.</li> <li>8. Assess the extent to which the reasoning and evidence in a text support the author's claim or a recommendation for solving a scientific or technical problem.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Follow precisely a complex multistep procedure when car- rying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks; analyze the specific results based on ex- planations in the text.</li> <li>Analyze how the text structures information or ideas into categories or hierarchies, demonstrating understanding of the information or ideas.</li> <li>Analyze the author's pur- pose in providing an explana- tion, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text, identifying important issues that remain unresolved.</li> <li>Evaluate the hypotheses, data, analysis, and conclusions in a science or technical text, verifying the data when possible and corroborating or challenging conclusions with other sources of information.</li> </ol>

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d. Respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives; synthe- size 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.			
Reflecting on	our Reading Process		
	the ERWC are designed to reinfor actions of the template and transfe		t of the CA CCSS for
CONNECTING READING TO	) WRITING		
DISCOVERING WHAT YO Considering th	u Тнімк e Writing Task		
Writing	Writing for History/Social	Writing for History/Social	Writing for History/Social
5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by	Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
planningfocusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.	5. With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.	5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.	5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.

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Taking a Stanc	e		
Writing 5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
focusing on addressing what is most significant for a	1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.	1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.	1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.
<ul> <li>specific purpose and audience.</li> <li>9. Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</li> </ul>	5. With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on how well purpose	5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.	5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.
Speaking and Listening	and audience have been	9. Draw evidence from infor-	9. Draw evidence from infor-
1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one- on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 11–12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.	addressed. 9. Draw evidence from infor- mational texts to support anal- ysis, reflection, and research.	mational texts to support anal- ysis, reflection, and research.	mational texts to support anal- ysis, reflection, and research.
Gathering Evid	ence to Support Your Claims		
<b>Reading – Informational Text</b> 7. Integrate and evaluate	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies	Reading for History/Social Studies
multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in	7. Integrate visual information (e.g., in charts, graphs, photographs, videos, or maps) with other information in print	7. Integrate quantitative or technical analysis (e.g., charts, research data) with qualitative analysis in print or digital text.	7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually,

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words in order to address a question or solve a problem. Writing	and digital texts.	8. Assess the extent to which	quantitatively, as well as in
	8. Distinguish among fact,	the reasoning and evidence in	words) in order to address a
	opinion, and reasoned	a text support the author's	question or solve a problem.
7. Conduct short as well as	judgment in a text.	claims.	8. Evaluate an author's premises, claims, and evidence by corroborating or challenging them with other information.
more sustained research	9. Analyze the relationship	9. Compare and contrast	
projects to answer a question	between a primary and	treatments of the same topic in	
(including a self-generated	secondary source on the same	several primary and secondary	
question) or solve a problem;	topic.	sources.	
<ul> <li>question) of solve a problem, narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.</li> <li>8. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using ad- vanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limi- tations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and au- dience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and over- reliance on any one source</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>7. Integrate quantitative or technical information expressed in words in a text with a version of that information expressed visually (e.g., in a flowchart, diagram, model, graph, or table).</li> <li>8. Distinguish among facts, reasoned judgment based on research findings, and speculation in a text.</li> <li>9. Compare and contrast the information gained from experiments, simulations,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>7. Translate quantitative or technical information expressed in words in a text into visual form (e.g., a table or chart) and translate information expressed visually or mathematically (e.g., in an equation) into words.</li> <li>8. Assess the extent to which the reasoning and evidence in a text support the author's claim or a recommendation for solving a scientific or technical problem.</li> <li>9. Compare and contrast</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>9. Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., quantitative data, video, multimedia) in order to address a question or solve a problem.</li> <li>8. Evaluate the hypotheses, data, analysis, and conclusions</li> </ul>
and following a standard	<ul> <li>video, or multimedia sources</li> <li>with that gained from reading a text on the same topic.</li> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>7. Conduct short research projects to answer a question</li> </ul>	findings presented in a text to	in a science or technical text,
format for citation <b>including</b>		those from other sources	verifying the data when
<b>footnotes and endnotes. CA</b>		(including their own	possible and corroborating or
9. Draw evidence from literary		experiments), noting when the	challenging conclusions with
or informational texts to		findings support or contradict	other sources of information.
support analysis, reflection,		previous explanations or	9. Synthesize information from
and research.		accounts.	a range of sources (e.g., texts,

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	<ul> <li>(including a self-generated question), drawing on several sources and generating additional related, focused questions that allow for multiple avenues of exploration.</li> <li>8. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources (primary and secondary), 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. CA</li> <li>9. Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>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.</li> <li>8. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources (primary and secondary), 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. CA</li> <li>9. Draw evidence from information, and research.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>experiments, simulations) into a coherent understanding of a process, phenomenon, or concept, resolving conflicting information when possible.</li> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>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.</li> <li>8. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using ad- vanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limi- tations of each source in terms of the specific task, purpose, and audience; integrate infor- mation into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and over- reliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.</li> </ul>	

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			9. Draw evidence from infor- mational texts to support anal- ysis, reflection, and research.
Getting Ready	to Write		
Writing 5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience. 10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.	<ul> <li>Writing</li> <li>5. With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.</li> <li>10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing</li> <li>5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.</li> <li>10. Write routinely over ex- tended time frames (time for reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing</li> <li>5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.</li> <li>10. Write routinely over ex- tended time frames (time for reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.</li> </ul>
WRITING RHETORICALLY ENTERING THE CONVERS Composing a D Writing 1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of subs- tantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.	_	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.

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2. Write informative/explana- tory texts to examine and con- vey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective	2. Write informative/ explana- tory texts, including the narra- tion of historical events, scien- tific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.	2. Write informative/ explana- tory texts, including the narra- tion of historical events, scien- tific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.	2. Write informative/ explana- tory texts, including the narra- tion of historical events, scien- tific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.
<ul><li>selection, organization, and analysis of content.</li><li>4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the develop- ment, organization, and style</li></ul>	4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the develop- ment, organization, and style are appropriate to task, pur- pose, and audience.	4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the develop- ment, organization, and style are appropriate to task, pur- pose, and audience.	4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the develop- ment, organization, and style are appropriate to task, pur- pose, and audience.
are appropriate to task purpose, and audience.	10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for	10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for	10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for
9. Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.	reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific	reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific	reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific
10. Write routinely over ex- tended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.	tasks, purposes, and audiences.	tasks, purposes, and audiences.	tasks, purposes, and audiences.
Considering St	ructure	-	-
Writing 1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of sub-	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
stantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant	1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.	1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.	1. Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.
and sufficient evidence. a. Introduce precise, knowl- edgeable claim(s), establish	a. Introduce claim(s) about a topic or issue, acknowledge and distinguish the claim(s)	a. Introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims,	a. Introduce precise, know- ledgeable claim(s), establish the significance of the claim(s),

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<ul> <li>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.</li> <li>b. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant evidence for each while point out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases.</li> <li>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 reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.</li> <li>e. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.</li> <li>2. Write informative/ explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts,</li> </ul>	from alternate or opposing claims, and organize the reasons and evidence logically. b. Support claim(s) with logical reasoning and relevant, accurate data and evidence that demonstrate an understanding of the topic or text, using credible sources. c. Use words, phrases, and clauses to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence. e. Provide a concluding state- ment or section that follows from and supports the argu- ment presented. 2. Write informative/ explana- tory texts, including the narra- tion of historical events, scien- tific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes. a. Introduce a topic clearly, previewing what is to follow; organize ideas, concepts, and information into broader categories as appropriate to achieving purpose; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., charts, tables),	and create an organization that establishes clear relationships among the claim(s), counter- claims, reasons, and evidence. b. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly, supplying data and evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both claim(s) and counterclaims in a discipline-appropriate form and 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. e. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from or supports the argument presented. 2. Write informative/ explanatory texts, including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/ experiments, or technical	distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that logically sequences the claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence. b. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant data and evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both claim(s) and counterclaims in a discipline- appropriate form 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. e. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from or supports the argument presented.	
and information clearly and accurately through the effective	and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.	processes.	2. Write informative/ explanatory texts, including the	

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selection, organization, and analysis of content. a. Introduce a topic <b>or thesis</b> <b>statement</b> ; organize complex ideas, concepts, and infor- mation so that each new ele- ment builds on that which pre- cedes it to create a unified whole; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., fig- ures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension. <b>CA</b> 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. 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. f. Provide a concluding state-	<ul> <li>b. Develop the topic with relevant, well-chosen facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples.</li> <li>c. Use appropriate and varied transitions to create cohesion and clarify the relationships among ideas and concepts.</li> <li>d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.</li> <li>f. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the information or explanation presented.</li> <li>4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</li> <li>9. Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>a. Introduce a topic and organize 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.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>c. Use varied transitions and sentence structures to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among ideas and concepts.</li> <li>d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic and convey a style appropriate to the discipline and context as well as to the expertise of likely readers.</li> <li>f. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the</li> </ul>	narration of historical events, scientific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes. a. Introduce a topic and organize complex ideas, concepts, and information so that 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. Use varied transitions and sentence structures to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts. e. Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the information or explanation provided (e.g., articulating	

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<ul> <li>ment or section that follows</li> <li>from and supports the</li> <li>information or explanation</li> <li>presented (e.g., articulating</li> <li>implications or the significance</li> <li>of the topic).</li> <li>4. Produce clear and coherent</li> <li>writing in which the</li> <li>development, organization,</li> <li>and style are appropriate to</li> <li>task, purpose, and audience.</li> <li>9. Draw evidence from literary</li> <li>or informational texts to</li> <li>support analysis, reflection,</li> <li>and research.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>information or explanation presented (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).</li> <li>4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</li> <li>9. Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>implications or the significance of the topic).</li> <li>4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.</li> <li>9. Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.</li> </ul>
Using the Word	ds of Others (and Avoiding Pl	agiarism)	
Writing 8. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
and digital sources, using ad- vanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limi- tations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and au- dience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and over- reliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation <b>including</b> <b>footnotes and endnotes. CA</b>	8. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources (primary and secondary), 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. CA	8. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources (primary and secondary), using ad- vanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the re- search question; integrate in- formation into the text selec- tively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation. CA	8. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using ad- vanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limi- tations of each source in terms of the specific task, purpose, and audience; integrate infor- mation into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and over- reliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.

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Negotiating Vo	ices		
<ul> <li>Prerequisite Grade 8</li> <li>Standard: Reading – Informational Text</li> <li>9. 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.</li> <li>Reading – Informational Text</li> <li>6. Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text in which the rhetoric is particu- larly effective, analyzing how style and content contribute to the power, persuasiveness, or beauty of the text.</li> <li>Writing</li> <li>1d. &amp; 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.</li> <li>Language</li> <li>3. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading for History/Social Studies</li> <li>6. Identify aspects of a text that reveal an author's point of view or purpose (e.g., loaded language, inclusion or avoidance of particular facts).</li> <li>9. Analyze the relationship between a primary and secondary source on the same topic.</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text.</li> <li>9. Compare and contrast the information gained from experiments, simulations, video, or multimedia sources with that gained from reading a text on the same topic.</li> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1d. &amp; 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading for History/Social Studies</li> <li>6. Compare the point of view of two or more authors for how they treat the same or similar topics, including which details they include and emphasize in their respective accounts.</li> <li>9. Compare and contrast treatments of the same topic in several primary and secondary sources.</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text, defining the question the author seeks to address.</li> <li>9. Compare and contrast findings presented in a text to those from other sources (including their own experiments), noting when the findings support or contradict previous explanations or accounts.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading for History/Social Studies</li> <li>6. Evaluate authors' differing points of view on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims, reasoning, and evidence.</li> <li>9. Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.</li> <li>Reading for Science and Technical Subjects</li> <li>6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text, identifying important issues that remain unresolved.</li> <li>9. Synthesize information from a range of sources (e.g., texts, experiments, simulations) into a coherent understanding of a process, phenomenon, or concept, resolving conflicting information when possible.</li> </ul>

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and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.	2d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
	topic.	1d. & 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.	1d. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
		2d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic and convey a style appropriate to the discipline and context as well as to the expertise of likely readers.	2d. Use precise language, do- main-specific vocabulary and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic; convey a knowledgeable stance in a style that responds to the discipline and context as well as to the expertise of likely readers.
REVISING AND EDITING Revising Rheto	rically		
Writing 1d. Use words, phrases, and clauses as well as varied	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
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.	<ul> <li>1d. &amp; 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone.</li> <li>2d. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>1d. &amp; 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.</li> <li>2d. Use precise language and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>1d. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.</li> <li>2d. Use precise language,</li> </ul>
		domain-specific vocabulary to	domain-specific vocabulary

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<ul> <li>1d. &amp; 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.</li> <li>1f. Use specific rhetorical devices to support assertions (e.g., appeal to logic through reasoning; appeal to emotion or ethical belief; relate a personal anecdote, case study, or analogy. CA</li> <li>2c. 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.</li> <li>4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task purpose, and audience.</li> <li>5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by revising, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.</li> <li>5. Malyze author use</li> </ul>	me guidance and m peers and adults, ad strengthen writing by revising, or trying a new focusing on how se and audience addressed. <b>or History/Social</b> cific textual o support analysis of d secondary e how a text formation (e.g., ly, comparatively, aspects of a text that author's point of view e (e.g., loaded inclusion or of particular facts). <b>or Science and</b>	<ul> <li>manage the complexity of the topic and convey a style appropriate to the discipline and context as well as to the expertise of likely readers.</li> <li>5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by revising, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.</li> <li><b>Reading for History/Social Studies</b></li> <li>1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, attending to such features as the date and origin of the information.</li> <li>5. Analyze how a text uses structure to emphasize key points or advance an explanation or analysis.</li> <li>6. Compare the point of view of two or more authors for how they treat the same or similar topics, including which details they include and emphasize in their respective accounts.</li> </ul>	and techniques such as meta- phor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic; convey a knowledgeable stance in a style that responds to the discipline and context as well as to the expertise of likely readers. 5. Develop and strengthen, revising, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience. <b>Reading for History/Social Studies</b> 1. Cite specific textual evi- dence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources, connecting insights gained from specific details to an understanding of the text as a whole. 5. Analyze in detail how a complex primary source is structured, including how key sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text contribute to the whole. 6. Evaluate authors' differing points of view on the same historical event or issue by assessing the authors' claims,

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Reading – Informational Text 1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support	whole and to an understanding of the topic. 6. Analyze the author's	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects 1. Cite specific textual	Reading for Science and Technical Subjects 1. Cite specific textual evi-
analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.	purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text.	<ul> <li>evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to the precise details of explanations or descriptions.</li> <li>5. Analyze the structure of the</li> </ul>	dence to support analysis of science and technical texts, attending to important distinc- tions the author makes and to any gaps or inconsistencies in
5. Analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of the structure an author uses in his or her exposition or argument, including whether the structure makes points clear, convincing, and engaging.		<ul> <li>relationships among concepts in a text, including relationships among key terms (e.g., <i>force, friction, reaction force, energy</i>).</li> <li>6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an explanation, describing a</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>the account.</li> <li>5. Analyze how the text structures information or ideas into categories or hierarchies, demonstrating understanding of the information or ideas.</li> <li>6. Analyze the author's</li> </ul>
6. Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text in which the rhetoric is particu- larly effective, analyzing how style and content contribute to the power, persuasiveness, or beauty of the text.		procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text, defining the question the author seeks to address.	purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text, identifying important issues that remain unresolved.
Speaking and Listening			
1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one- on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 11–12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.			

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Considering Stylistic Choices	Considering Stylistic Choices				
<ul> <li>Language</li> <li>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.</li> <li>Writing</li> <li>1f. Use specific rhetorical devices to support assertions (e.g., appeal to logic through reasoning; appeal to emotion or ethical belief; relate a personal anecdote, case study, or analogy). CA</li> <li>2d. Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as meta- phor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.</li> <li>Writing Stylistic Choices</li> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1c. Use words, phrases, and clauses to create cohesion and objective tone.</li> <li>2d. Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as meta- phor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.</li> </ul>	,	<ul> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1c. 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.</li> <li>1d. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.</li> <li>2d. Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary and techniques such as meta- phor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic; convey a knowledgeable stance in a style that responds to the discipline and context as well as to the expertise of likely readers.</li> </ul>			

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Editing the Dra	Editing the Draft			
Language 1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. a. Apply the understanding that usage is a matter of con- vention, 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. 2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctu-	<ul> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1d. &amp; 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone.</li> <li>5. With some guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by editing focusing on how well purpose and audience have been addressed.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1d. &amp; 2e. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.</li> <li>5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed byediting  focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects</li> <li>1d. Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.</li> <li>5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by editing  focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.</li> </ul>	
ation, and spelling when writing. a. Observe hyphenation conventions.				
b. Spell correctly.				
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				

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when reading or listening.				
a. Vary syntax for effect, con- sulting references (e.g., Tufte's <i>Artful Sentences)</i> for guidance as needed; apply an under- standing of syntax to the study of complex texts when reading.				
Writing				
5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by editing (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1-3 up to and including grades 11-12.)				
Responding to	Responding to Feedback			
Writing 5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	Writing for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects	
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