Main Criteria: Washington DC Academic Standards

Secondary Criteria: Fix It! Grammar

Subject: Language Arts

Grade: 8

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Washington DC Academic Standards

Language Arts

Grade: 8 - Adopted: 2010

CONTENT STANDARD / STRAND / DISCIPLINE	DC.CC.8. RL.	Reading Standards for Literature
ST ANDARD / ESSENT IAL SKILL		Craft and Structure
STUDENT EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL	8.RL.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. Fix It1 Grammar Week 01 Week 02 Week 03 Week 04 Week 05 Week 06 Week 06 Week 07 Week 08 Week 08 Week 09 Week 10 Week 10 Week 11 Week 12 Week 12 Week 13 Week 14 Week 15 Week 16 Week 16 Week 16 Week 19 Week 19 Week 20 Week
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CONTENT STANDARD / STRAND / DISCIPLINE	DC.CC.8. RL.	Reading Standards for Literature
STANDARD / ESSENTIAL SKILL		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

STUDENT 8.F EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL

8.RL.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.

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CONTENT DC.CC.8. Writing Standards STANDARD / W. STRAND / DISCIPLINE

STANDARD / ESSENTIAL SKILL		Text Types and Purposes
STUDENT EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL	8.W.3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.
EXPECTATION	8.W.3.c.	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 events. Fix It! Grammar Week 07
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CONTENT STANDARD / STRAND / DISCIPLINE	DC.CC.8. SL.	Speaking and Listening Standards
ST ANDARD / ESSENT IAL SKILL		Comprehension and Collaboration

STUDENT EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL		Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teached led) with diverse partners on grade 8 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
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EXPECTATION 8.SL.1.a. Come to discussions prepared, having read or researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence on the topic, text, or issue to probe and reflect on ideas under discussion.

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8.SL.1.b. Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.

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8.SL.1.c. Pose questions that connect the ideas of several speakers and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant evidence, observations, and ideas.

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EXPECTATION 8.SL.1.d. Acknowledge new information expressed by others, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views in light of the evidence presented.

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CONTENT DC.CC.8. Language Standards STANDARD / L. STRAND / DISCIPLINE

ST ANDARD / ESSENTIAL SKILL		Conventions of Standard English
STUDENT EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL	8.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

EXPECTATION

8.L.1.a. Explain the function of verbals (gerunds, participles, infinitives) in general and their function in particular sentences.

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EXPECTATION 8.L.1.d.

Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb voice and mood.

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ST ANDARD / ESSENT IAL SKILL		Conventions of Standard English
STUDENT EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL	8.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
EXPECTATION	8.L.2.a.	Use punctuation (comma, ellipsis, dash) to indicate a pause or break.
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EXPECTATION 8.L.2.c. Spell correctly.

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ST ANDARD / ESSENT IAL SKILL		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STUDENT EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL	8.L.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.

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.

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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.

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EXPECTATION 8.L.4.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).

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SKILL8.L.5.Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word
meanings.

EXPECTATION 8

8.L.5.b. Use the relationship between particular words to better understand each of the words.

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STUDENT EXPECTATION / ESSENTIAL SKILL	8.L.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. Fix It! Grammar Week 01 Week 02 Week 02 Week 03 Week 04 Week 05 Week 06 Week 07 Week 08 Week 09 Week 10 Week 11 Week 12 Week 13 Week 14 Week 14 Week 15 Week 16 Week 17 Week 18 Week 19 Week 19 Week 20 Week 21
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