

Main Criteria: Introduction to Public Speaking

Secondary Criteria: Nevada Academic Content Standards

Subject: Language Arts

Grade: 12

Introduction to Public Speaking

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Nevada Academic Content Standards

Language Arts

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CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR

Key Ideas and Details

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.R.
1.

Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.R.
2.

Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.R.
3.

Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR

Craft and Structure

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.R.
4.

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.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.R.
7.

Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.*

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR

Range of reading and Level of text Complexity

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 10.	Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and communicative tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of 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 encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
CONTENT STANDARD	Reading Standards for Literature	

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 where the text leaves matters uncertain.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 of the text.

CONTENT STANDARD

Reading Standards for Literature

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RL.11-12.10.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Reading Standards for Informational Text

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RI.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 where the text leaves matters uncertain.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Reading Standards for Informational Text

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RI.11-12.4.	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).

CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
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CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.3.	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.
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CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.4.	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 a range or formal and informal tasks.
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
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CONTENT STANDARD

Language Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.4.	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.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.4.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.
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.4.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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CONTENT STANDARD

Language Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.6.	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.
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Nevada Academic Content Standards

Language Arts

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CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 1.	Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 2.	Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 3.	Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.

CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 4.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 7.	Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.*

CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of reading and Level of text Complexity
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 10.	Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently.

CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of 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 encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
CONTENT STANDARD	Reading Standards for Literature	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 where the text leaves matters uncertain.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 of the text.
CONTENT STANDARD	Reading Standards for Literature	

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RL.11-12.10.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.3.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.4.	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 a range of formal and informal tasks.
CONTENT STANDARD	Language Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.4.	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.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.4.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.4.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).
CONTENT STANDARD	Language Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.6.	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.

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CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R.1.	Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R.2.	Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R.3.	Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R.4.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 7.	Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.*
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of reading and Level of text Complexity
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 10.	Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes*
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 2.	Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 5.	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of 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 encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.10.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Reading Standards for Literature	

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 where the text leaves matters uncertain.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 of the text.

CONTENT STANDARD

Reading Standards for Literature

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RL.11-12.10.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.a.	Introduce a topic; 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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.d.	Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.f.	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).

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.10.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.3.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.4.	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 a range of formal and informal tasks.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Language Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11- 12.4.	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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11- 12.4.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11- 12.4.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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STANDARD****Language Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11- 12.6.	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.

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**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes*
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 2.	Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 5.	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.

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STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 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.
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CONTENT STANDARD **College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
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CONTENT STANDARD **College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.10.	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.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Reading Standards for Literature**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RL.11- 12.10.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.a.	Introduce a topic; 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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.d.	Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.f.	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).
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.10.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.3.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.4.	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 a range or formal and informal tasks.

CONTENT STANDARD

Language Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.6.	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.

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**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 2.	Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 3.	Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of reading and Level of text Complexity
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 10.	Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes*
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 2.	Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 5.	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 8.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 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.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and communicative tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.10.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD		
Reading Standards for Literature		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 of the text.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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).
CONTENT STANDARD		
Writing Standards		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.a.	Introduce a topic; 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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.d.	Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.2.f.	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).
CONTENT STANDARD		
Writing Standards		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Writing Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Writing Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.10.	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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Speaking and Listening Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Speaking and Listening Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.3.	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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Speaking and Listening Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.4.	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 a range or formal and informal tasks.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

CONTENT STANDARD

Language Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11-12.6.	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.

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CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes*
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W.3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.3.	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.

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CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes*
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 2.	Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 5.	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 7.	Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 8.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 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.
CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.2.	Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and communicative tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
CONTENT STANDARD Reading Standards for Literacy in Science and Technical Subjects 6–12 [RST]		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.1.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.2.	Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text; summarize complex concepts, processes, or information presented in a text by paraphrasing them in simpler but still accurate terms.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.3.	Follow precisely a complex multistep procedure when carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks; analyze the specific results based on explanations in the text.
CONTENT STANDARD Reading Standards for Literacy in Science and Technical Subjects 6–12 [RST]		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.4.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.5.	Analyze how the text structures information or ideas into categories or hierarchies, demonstrating understanding of the information or ideas.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.6.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Reading Standards for Literacy in Science and Technical Subjects 6–12 [RST]

STRAND / INDICATOR		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.7.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.8.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.9.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Reading Standards for Literacy in Science and Technical Subjects 6–12 [RST]

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RST.11- 12.10.	By the end of grade 12, read and comprehend science/technical texts in the grades 11–CCR text complexity band independently and proficiently.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11- 12.1.	Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11- 12.1.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 the claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11- 12.1.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.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.1.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.
CONTENT STANDARD Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.2.	Write informative/explanatory texts, including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.2.d.	Use precise language, domain-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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.2.e.	Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the information or explanation provided (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).
CONTENT STANDARD Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.3.	(See note; not applicable as a separate requirement)
CONTENT STANDARD Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]		
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.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.

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.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. Note: Students' narrative skills continue to grow in these grades. The Standards require that students be able to incorporate narrative elements effectively into arguments and informative/explanatory texts. In history/social studies, students must be able to incorporate narrative accounts into their analyses of individuals or events of historical import. In science and technical subjects, students must be able to write precise enough descriptions of the step-by-step procedures they use in their investigations or technical work that others can replicate them and (possibly) reach the same results.
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CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.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 specific 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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.9.	Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11 -12.10.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Reading Standards for Informational Text

STRAND / INDICATOR		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RI.11- 12.7.	Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a problem.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.a.	Introduce a topic; 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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.d.	Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.2.f.	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).

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.10.	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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Speaking and Listening Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Speaking and Listening Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.3.	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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Speaking and Listening Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.4.	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 a range or formal and informal tasks.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Language Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11- 12.6.	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.

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STRAND / INDICATOR

Text Types and Purposes*

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.W.
2.

Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR

Production and Distribution of Writing

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.W.
4.

Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR

Research to Build and Present Knowledge

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.W.
8.

Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening

STRAND / INDICATOR

Comprehension and Collaboration

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.S
L.1.

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.

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.S
L.3.

Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.

CONTENT STANDARD

College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening

STRAND / INDICATOR

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas

INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATION

CCRA.S
L.4.

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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical
Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATIONWHST.11
-12.4.

Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical
Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATIONWHST.11
-12.9.

Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Writing Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATIONW.11-
12.4.

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.)

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Writing Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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INDICATOR /
GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATIONW.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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Speaking and Listening Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
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GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATIONSL.11-
12.1.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.

GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATIONSL.11-
12.1.b.

Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.

GRADE LEVEL
EXPECTATIONSL.11-
12.1.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.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.3.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.4.	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 a range or formal and informal tasks.

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CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes*
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W.1.	Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W.2.	Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W.5.	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 7.	Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 8.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.2.	Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.

**CONTENT
STANDARD****Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.1.	Write arguments focused on discipline-specific content.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.1.e.	Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from or supports the argument presented.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.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.
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.9.	Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11-12.10.	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.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Reading Standards for Informational Text**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RI.11-12.7.	Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a problem.
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CONTENT STANDARD **Writing Standards**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.1.	Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.1.e.	Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Writing Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11-12.10.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.3.	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.

CONTENT STANDARD

Speaking and Listening Standards

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.4.	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 a range of formal and informal tasks.

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College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.3.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.4.	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 a range of formal and informal tasks.

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CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Reading

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.R. 6.	Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.
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CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 4.	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 5.	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.
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CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 8.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.
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CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 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.
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CONTENT STANDARD College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
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INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.4.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and communicative tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.L. 4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects 6–12 [WHST]	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	WHST.11- 12.9.	Draw evidence from informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
CONTENT STANDARD	Reading Standards for Informational Text	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1-3 above.)

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Writing Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.11- 12.10.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	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 grades 11-12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.b.	Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.1.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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration

INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.3.	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.
CONTENT STANDARD	Speaking and Listening Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.4.	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 a range of formal and informal tasks.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11- 12.6.	Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
CONTENT STANDARD	Language Standards	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.11- 12.6.	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.

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STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 8.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.
CONTENT STANDARD	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing	
STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.W. 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.

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STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.1.	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.
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	CCRA.S L.3.	Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.1.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.

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STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
INDICATOR / GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	SL.11-12.3.	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.

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