

Structure and Style for Students

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Delaware Standards and Instruction
Language Arts
 Grade 9 - Adopted: 2010

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL3.	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL5.	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10W.	Writing Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3e.	Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10W.	Writing Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L3a.	Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STRAND / INDICATOR		
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STRAND / INDICATOR		
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

		Key Ideas and Details
STRAND / INDICATOR		
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL3.	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

		Craft and Structure
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

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BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL.** **Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL.** **Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL.** **Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI.** **Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI.** **Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10W.	Writing Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12

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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).

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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10SL. Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL1.	Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 9-10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1a.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1c.	Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas; actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1d.	Respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views and understanding and make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10SL. Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL4.	Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10SL.	Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL4.	Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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).
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL3.	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL5.	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3e.	Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10SL.** **Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL4.	Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK CC9-10L1b. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L2c. Spell correctly.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL3.	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL5.	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3e.	Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10SL. Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL4.	Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL.** **Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL3.	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL.** **Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL5.	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3e.	Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10SL. Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL4.	Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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).
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10RI.	Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10RI.	Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).

STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10W.	Writing Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10SL.** **Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL1.	Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 9-10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1a.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1c.	Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas; actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1d.	Respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views and understanding and make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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 / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10SL. Speaking and Listening Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Comprehension and Collaboration
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10SL1.	Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 9-10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1a.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1c.	Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas; actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10SL1d.	Respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views and understanding and make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L1b. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L2c. Spell correctly.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG CC9-10W7. 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.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG CC9-10W8. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10W. **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG CC9-10W10. 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.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10L. **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG CC9-10L1. **Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.**

BENCHMARK CC9-10L1b. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10L. **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG CC9-10L2. **Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.**

BENCHMARK CC9-10L2c. Spell correctly.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10L. **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG CC9-10L4. **Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.**

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Reading Standards for Literature 6-12 10RL.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Reading Standards for Literature 6-12 10RL.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Reading Standards for Literature 6-12 10RL.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI.** **Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI.** **Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W.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.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10W.2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W.2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W.2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W.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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W.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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W.6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W.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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W.8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10W10. 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.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10L. **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L1b. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10L. **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L2c. Spell correctly.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10L. **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10L. **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10L6. 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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent, noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L3a. Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RI1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RI2. Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RI3. Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10W10. 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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10L1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L1b. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10L2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L2c. Spell correctly.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10L3. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L3a. Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10L4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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).
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10W.	Writing Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).

STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10W.	Writing Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L3a.	Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L3a.	Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL3.	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL5.	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL9.	Analyze how an author draws on and transforms source material in a specific work (e.g., how Shakespeare treats a theme or topic from Ovid or the Bible or how a later author draws on a play by Shakespeare).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3e.	Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W9a.	Apply grades 9-10 reading standards to literature (e.g., "Analyze how an author draws on and transforms source material in a specific work [e.g., how Shakespeare treats a theme or topic from Ovid or the Bible or how a later author draws on a play by Shakespeare]").
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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 / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12 10RI.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L3a.	Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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 / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI.** **Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI.** **Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI.7.	Analyze various accounts of a subject told in different mediums (e.g., a person's life story in both print and multimedia), determining which details are emphasized in each account.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W1.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1a.	Introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that establishes clear relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1b.	Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly, supplying evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1d.	Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1e.	Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2e.	Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L1b. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10L.	Language Standards 6-12
STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L3a. Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI.** **Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI3.	Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W1.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1a.	Introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that establishes clear relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1b.	Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly, supplying evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1d.	Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W1e.	Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2e.	Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2b.	Use a colon to introduce a list or quotation.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L3a. Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RI1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RI2. Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RI3. Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RI. Reading Standards for Informational Text 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RI4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2a.	Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2b.	Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2f.	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).
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W7.	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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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2b.	Use a colon to introduce a list or quotation.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L3a.	Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL3.	Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL5.	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL.** **Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL1.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3e.	Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W.** **Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10W. Writing Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING NG	CC9-10W10.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L3a. Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4a. 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.

BENCHMARK CC9-10L4d. 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).

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L. Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Key Ideas and Details
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ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RL1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RL2. Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING CC9-10RL3. Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10RL. Reading Standards for Literature 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Craft and Structure
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL5.	Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10RL.	Reading Standards for Literature 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10RL10.	By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
STANDARD / STRAND	DE.CC9-10W.	Writing Standards 6-12

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W2.	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.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W2d.	Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.

STRAND / INDICATOR		Text Types and Purposes
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3a.	Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3b.	Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3c.	Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3d.	Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10W3e.	Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Production and Distribution of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W4.	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.)
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W5.	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.
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W6.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W8.	Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Writing Standards 6-12 10W.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Range of Writing
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10W10.	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.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
BENCHMARK	CC9-10L1b.	Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.

STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9- Language Standards 6-12 10L.**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Conventions of Standard English
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L2c.	Spell correctly.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Knowledge of Language
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L3.	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.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L3a.	Write and edit work so that it conforms to the guidelines in a style manual (e.g., MLA Handbook, Turabian's Manual for Writers) appropriate for the discipline and writing type.
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STANDARD / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4a.	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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BENCHMARK	CC9-10L4d.	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 / STRAND **DE.CC9-10L.** **Language Standards 6-12**

STRAND / INDICATOR		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ENDURING UNDERSTANDING	CC9-10L6.	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.