

Structure and Style for Students

UNIT 1: NOTE MAKING AND OUTLINES Week 1 Page 9-18

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Language Arts
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

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CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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**STRAND: BIG
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Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
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**STRAND: BIG
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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.A.	Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.
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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.C.	Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.
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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.2.	Presenting
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.2.A.	Verbal Delivery

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.2.A.	Speak clearly, audibly, and to the point, using conventions of language as appropriate to task, purpose and audience when presenting including appropriate volume at an understandable pace.
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CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.2.	Presenting
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.2.B.	Nonverbal

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.2.B. Position body to face the audience when speaking and makes eye contact with listeners at various intervals using effective gestures to communicate a clear viewpoint.

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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.A. Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.

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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.C. Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.

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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.2.	Presenting
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.2.A.	Verbal Delivery

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.2.A. Speak clearly, audibly, and to the point, using conventions of language as appropriate to task, purpose and audience when presenting including appropriate volume at an understandable pace.

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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.2.	Presenting
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.2.B.	Nonverbal

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.2.B.	Position body to face the audience when speaking and makes eye contact with listeners at various intervals using effective gestures to communicate a clear viewpoint.
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UNIT 3: RETELLING NARRATIVE STORIES Week 3 Page 33-44

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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RL.1.B.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.D.	Summarize/Theme

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RL.1.D.	Using appropriate text, determine the theme(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the theme(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RL.2.A.	Analyze how a text's form or overall structure contributes to meaning.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.B.	Point of View

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RL.2.B.	Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.
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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.C. Analyze how specific word choices contribute to meaning and tone.

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STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.D.	Interaction and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.D. Analyze how the setting, characters, and plot of a text affect each other and contribute to meaning.

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Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.3.D. Read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas and poems, independently and proficiently.

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Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.a. Narrative: Develop narratives including poems about real or imagined experiences, which establish and maintain a consistent point of view, and include clearly identified characters, well-structured event sequences, narrative techniques and relevant, descriptive details.

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Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.A. Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.

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Speaking and Listening

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Speaking and Listening

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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.2.	Presenting
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.2.B.	Nonverbal

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STANDARD** **Reading Literary Text**

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GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

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GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.C.	Craft and Meaning
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.C. Analyze how specific word choices contribute to meaning and tone.

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Reading Literary Text

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GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.D.	Interaction and Meaning
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CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.A. Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Speaking and Listening**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.C. Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Speaking and Listening**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.2.	Presenting
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.2.A.	Verbal Delivery

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.2.A. Speak clearly, audibly, and to the point, using conventions of language as appropriate to task, purpose and audience when presenting including appropriate volume at an understandable pace.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Speaking and Listening**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.2.	Presenting
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.2.B.	Nonverbal

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.2.B. Position body to face the audience when speaking and makes eye contact with listeners at various intervals using effective gestures to communicate a clear viewpoint.

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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.A. Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.C. Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

**STRAND: BIG
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STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

**STRAND: BIG
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STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. **Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.**

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. **Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.**

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.b. Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.c. Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.A.	Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.C.	Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RI.1.B.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RI.1.C.	Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).
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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR

7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.W.3.A. Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

INDICATOR

7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR

7.W.3.A.b. Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RI.3.D.	Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.2.A.	Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.A.	Texts/Forms
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.A. Compare and contrast information presented in different mediums and analyze how the techniques unique to each medium contribute to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.B.	Relationships/Texts
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.B. Compare and contrast how two or more authors writing about the same topic make decisions about craft and structure.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.
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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.A.	Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.
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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.C.	Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.
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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.A.	Texts/Forms

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.A. Compare and contrast information presented in different mediums and analyze how the techniques unique to each medium contribute to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.B.	Relationships/Texts

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.B. Compare and contrast how two or more authors writing about the same topic make decisions about craft and structure.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.2.A.	Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.b. Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.c. Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.e. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.A. Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
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GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.C. Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.

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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.A.	Texts/Forms

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.A. Compare and contrast information presented in different mediums and analyze how the techniques unique to each medium contribute to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.B.	Relationships/Texts

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.B. Compare and contrast how two or more authors writing about the same topic make decisions about craft and structure.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.1.A.a.	Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.1.A.b.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.2.A.	Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.
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INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. **Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.**

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. **Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.**

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.b. Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.c. Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.e. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD** **Speaking and Listening**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
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GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.B.	Questioning
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.B. Delineate a speaker's argument and claims, evaluating reasoning in order to pose questions that elicit elaboration and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant observations and ideas that bring the discussion back on topic as needed.

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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. **Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.**

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. **Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.**

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.D.	Summarize/Theme

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.1.D. Using appropriate text, determine the theme(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the theme(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.B.	Point of View

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.B. Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.C.	Craft and Meaning
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.C. Analyze how specific word choices contribute to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.D.	Interaction and Meaning
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.D. Analyze how the setting, characters, and plot of a text affect each other and contribute to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RL.3.D.	Comprehension
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.3.D. Read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas and poems, independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.2.A.	Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.
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INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.a. Narrative: Develop narratives including poems about real or imagined experiences, which establish and maintain a consistent point of view, and include clearly identified characters, well-structured event sequences, narrative techniques and relevant, descriptive details.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.A.	Texts/Forms

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.A. Compare and contrast information presented in different mediums and analyze how the techniques unique to each medium contribute to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.B.	Relationships/Texts

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.B. Compare and contrast how two or more authors writing about the same topic make decisions about craft and structure.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. **Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.**

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. **Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.**

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.b. Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.c. Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.e. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.A. Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.SL.1.C. Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.

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Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.A.	Texts/Forms

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.3.A. Compare and contrast information presented in different mediums and analyze how the techniques unique to each medium contribute to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.B.	Relationships/Texts

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7.RI.3.B. Compare and contrast how two or more authors writing about the same topic make decisions about craft and structure.

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Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

**STRAND: BIG
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STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.A.	Texts/Forms

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.A. Compare and contrast information presented in different mediums and analyze how the techniques unique to each medium contribute to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.B.	Relationships/Texts

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.B. Compare and contrast how two or more authors writing about the same topic make decisions about craft and structure.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. **Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.**

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.c. Argumentative: Develop argumentative writing by introducing and supporting a claim with clear reasons and relevant evidence; acknowledging counterclaims; establishing relationships between claims and supporting evidence.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. **Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.**

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.b. Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.c. Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.e. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

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Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

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Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
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Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
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STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RI.2.C.	Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RI.3.D.	Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.1.A.a.	Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.1.A.b.	Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.2.A.	Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.
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INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

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Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

**STRAND: BIG
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STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.2.A.	Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.
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INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.b.	Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.c.	Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.
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INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.e.	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.B.	Word Meanings
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.RI.1.B.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative, connotative, and content-specific meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.
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STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Informational Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.C.	Text Features
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.C. Interpret visual elements of a text including those from different media and draw conclusions from them (when applicable).

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.1.D.	Summarize/Claim
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.1.D. Explain the central/main idea(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the central idea(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.A.	Structure
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.A. Analyze how a text's organization or overall structure contributes to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.2.C.	Craft and Meaning
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.2.C. Analyze how word choice contributes to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Reading Informational Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RI.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
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GLE / COMPONENT	RI.3.D.	Comprehension
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RI.3.D. Read and comprehend informational text independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. **Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.**

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.b. Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.3.A. **Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.**

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.a. Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.b. Word choice, syntax, and style: Choose appropriate precise language for the style, task and audience; convey the relationship among ideas through varied sentence structures.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.c. Conventions of standard English and usage: Demonstrate a command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage, including spelling and punctuation.

INDICATOR 7.W.3.A.e. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish writing and link to and cite sources as well as to interact and collaborate with others, including linking to and citing sources.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.B.	Word Meanings

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.D.	Summarize/Theme

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.1.D. Using appropriate text, determine the theme(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the theme(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.2.A. Analyze how a text's form or overall structure contributes to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
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STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.B.	Point of View

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.2.B. Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.

**STRAND: BIG
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STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.2.C. Analyze how specific word choices contribute to meaning and tone.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.D.	Interaction and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.D. Analyze how the setting, characters, and plot of a text affect each other and contribute to meaning.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.3.D. Read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas and poems, independently and proficiently.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR 7.W.2.A.a. Narrative: Develop narratives including poems about real or imagined experiences, which establish and maintain a consistent point of view, and include clearly identified characters, well-structured event sequences, narrative techniques and relevant, descriptive details.

INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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**STRAND: BIG
IDEA /
STANDARD**

Writing

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.

INDICATOR	7.W.3.A.a.	Organization and Content: Introduce the topic, maintain a clear focus throughout the text, and provide a conclusion that follows from the text. Add or delete content to clarify meaning.
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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.A.	Conversations

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.A.	Follow rules for collegial discussions and decision-making, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.
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Speaking and Listening

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	SL.1.	Collaborating
GLE / COMPONENT	SL.1.C.	Viewpoints of Others

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.SL.1.C.	Acknowledge new information expressed by others including those presented in diverse media and, when warranted, modify their own views.
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Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.B.	Word Meanings

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PROFICIENCY

7.RL.1.B. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings using context, affixes, or reference materials.

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Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.1.	Comprehend and Interpret Texts (Approaching Texts as a Reader)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.1.D.	Summarize/Theme

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.1.D. Using appropriate text, determine the theme(s) of a text and explain the relationship between the theme(s) and supporting evidence; summarize the text distinct from personal opinions.

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Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.A.	Structure

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.2.A. Analyze how a text's form or overall structure contributes to meaning.

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Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.B.	Point of View

INDICATOR /
PROFICIENCY

7.RL.2.B. Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.

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Reading Literary Text

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.C.	Craft and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.C. Analyze how specific word choices contribute to meaning and tone.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.2.	Analyze Craft and Structure (Approaching Texts as a Writer)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.2.D.	Interaction and Meaning

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.2.D. Analyze how the setting, characters, and plot of a text affect each other and contribute to meaning.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Reading Literary Text**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	RL.3.	Synthesize Ideas from Multiple Texts (Approaching Texts as a Researcher)
GLE / COMPONENT	RL.3.D.	Comprehension

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.RL.3.D. Read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas and poems, independently and proficiently.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.1.	Approaching the Task as a Researcher
GLE / COMPONENT	W.1.A.	Research

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.a. Conduct research to answer a question; gather relevant sources, print and digital; integrate information using a standard citation system.

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.1.A.b. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, using search terms effectively; assess the credibility and accuracy of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.

STRAND: BIG IDEA / STANDARD **Writing**

CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.2.	Approaching the Task as a Writer
GLE / COMPONENT	W.2.A.	Development

INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY 7.W.2.A. Follow a writing process to produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, style, and voice are appropriate to the task, purpose and audience; develop writing with narrative, expository, and argumentative techniques.

INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.a.	Narrative: Develop narratives including poems about real or imagined experiences, which establish and maintain a consistent point of view, and include clearly identified characters, well-structured event sequences, narrative techniques and relevant, descriptive details.
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INDICATOR	7.W.2.A.b.	Expository: Develop informative/explanatory writing to examine a topic with relevant facts, examples, and details; establish relationships between ideas and supporting evidence.
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CONCEPT: GLE / BENCHMARK	W.3.	Approaching the Task as a Reader
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GLE / COMPONENT	W.3.A.	Revise and Edit
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INDICATOR / PROFICIENCY	7.W.3.A.	Review, revise, and edit writing with consideration for the task, purpose, and audience.
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