Mississippi College and Career Readiness Standards for English Language Arts Scaffolding Document

Fifth Grade
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.R.1: Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.

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<td><strong>Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.</strong></td>
<td><strong>A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)</strong></td>
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<td>- How to use evidence from the text to support their thinking.</td>
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<td>- How to use specific details and examples from the text when explaining their thinking and to show understanding of the text.</td>
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<td>- How to make predictions before, during, and after reading.</td>
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<td>- That explicit information can be found “right there” in the text.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding)</strong></td>
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<td>- That authors include key details in literary texts, which can help a reader ask and answer questions.</td>
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<td>- How to use examples, details, and quotes from the text to support their inferences.</td>
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<td>- How to use textual evidence, personal connections, and background knowledge to make inferences and draw conclusions based on what they read.</td>
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<td>- Determine appropriate textual support.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD
Details, examples, quotes, explicit and implicit, inferences, infer, questioning, predicting, drawing conclusions, accurately
**Fifth Grade**

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<th>CCR.R.2: Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.</th>
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**RL.5.2**

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<td>The role characters or speakers play in stories, drama, or poems.</td>
<td>That authors of literary texts include details that help readers determine the theme or central idea(s).</td>
<td>Determine the theme of a literary text(s).</td>
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<td>The characteristics of an effective retelling/recounting of events from a story.</td>
<td>How to generate effective summaries that capture central idea(s) or theme of the text.</td>
<td>Determine characters’ or speakers’ roles in stories, dramas, and poems (e.g., actions and reactions).</td>
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<td>The difference between a central idea and key details in a story.</td>
<td>That authors reveal the theme of a text by how characters respond to the events they encounter in the text.</td>
<td>Explain how particular details (e.g., characters’ or speakers’ actions and reactions) reveal a theme.</td>
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<td>That authors reveal the theme of a poem by how the speaker reflects on a topic.</td>
<td>Summarize the text, including the theme in the original piece.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Recount, retell, determine, story, drama, poem, characters’ reactions, challenges, speaker, central idea, theme, key details, summarize
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.R.3: Analyze how and why individuals, events, or ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.

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<td>Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., how characters interact).</td>
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<td>A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding)</td>
<td>A student should be able to do (Evidence of Knowledge)</td>
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<td>How to identify similarities and differences to enhance understanding of literary elements.</td>
<td>That authors use specific details in a story or drama to describe characters, settings, or events.</td>
<td>Identify important, specific details that support key ideas in a story or drama.</td>
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<td>That stories are written to include characters and characters’ roles (hero/villain, major/minor), setting, plot (e.g., events, climax/turning point, resolution), and conflict (man vs. man, man vs. self, man vs. nature).</td>
<td>How to use specific details from a literary text to support their thinking about characters, settings, or events.</td>
<td>Identify and describe the plot events in a story or drama.</td>
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<td>That authors include characters’ traits, actions, feelings, and words when writing literary texts.</td>
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<td>Describe the setting and characters of a story or drama, referring to specific details.</td>
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<td>That authors use drama elements such as scenes, dialogue, and stage directions.</td>
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<td>Compare and contrast characters, settings, and events using appropriate graphic or written representations, and using specific details from the text.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Compare, contrast, character, villain, hero, major/minor character, setting, plot, climax, resolution, conflict, drama, describe
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**CCR.R.4:** Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical, connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.

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<td><strong>Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative language such as metaphors and similes.</strong></td>
<td><strong>A student should know</strong> <em>(Prerequisite Knowledge)</em></td>
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<tr>
<td>• That authors use figurative language and literary devices to convey meaning.</td>
<td>• That authors make purposeful language choices to enhance the meaning of literary text(s).</td>
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<td>• That authors use different types of context clues to convey meaning of unknown words (e.g., definition, example, antonym, synonym).</td>
<td>• How to seek the meaning of unknown words/phrases to clarify understanding of literary text(s).</td>
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<td>• That authors use different types of figurative language (e.g., simile, metaphor, personification, irony) to convey meaning and to help the reader get a clearer picture of what is happening in the text.</td>
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<td>• Use context clues to help unlock the meaning of unknown words/phrases</td>
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<td>• Determine the appropriate definition of words with more than one meaning.</td>
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<td>• Differentiate between literal and non-literal language.</td>
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<td>• Interpret figurative language and literary devices.</td>
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<td>• Describe how figurative language, literary devices, and other language choices enhance meaning.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Context clues, determine, distinguish, interpret, clarify, figurative language, metaphors, similes, literary devices, word choice
**Fifth Grade**

**CCR.R.5**: Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.

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<td>• That authors use different characteristics when writing poems, dramas, and prose.</td>
<td>• That authors’ choices of text structures vary according to genre.</td>
<td>• Identify the genre of a literary text.</td>
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<tr>
<td>• That authors organize texts using different types of structures (e.g., sentences, paragraph, chapter, section, stanza, scenes).</td>
<td>• How to understand the structure of a text and use this information to make sense of what they read.</td>
<td>• Identify text structures of stories, dramas, and poems.</td>
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<td>• How to understand the relationship between parts of text and the whole text.</td>
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<td>• Explain how a series of scenes/chapters fit together to provide the overall structure of a story.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Genre, drama, prose, poem, structural elements, verse, rhythm, meter, casts, settings, descriptions, dialogue, stage directions, text structure, series of chapters, series of scenes, series of stanzas
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**CCR.R.6:** Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.

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<td><strong>A student should know</strong> (Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
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<td>• That authors write for a variety of purposes (e.g., to inform, to persuade, to entertain, to describe, to explain how).</td>
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<td>• That authors write from different points of view.</td>
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<td>• How to identify characteristics of first-person point of view and third-person point of view within literary text.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should understand</strong> (Conceptual Understanding)</td>
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<td>• That authors develop texts by choosing a point of view to achieve his or her purpose.</td>
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<td>• That authors use the narrator’s or speaker’s point of view to develop plot, character, and central message or theme.</td>
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<td>• That authors can influence how events are described based on their feelings about events.</td>
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<td>• How to recognize the narrator’s or speaker’s point of view influences how events are described.</td>
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<td>• Describe the author’s overall purpose for writing a text.</td>
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<td>• Describe how point of view affects a literary text.</td>
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<td>• Describe how a narrator’s or speaker’s point of view influences the description of events in a story.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Describe, influences, point of view, narration, first-person, third-person, author’s purpose
**Fifth Grade**

**CCR.R.7**: Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.

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<td>- That authors use visual and multimedia elements such as text, graphics, sound, photos, pictures, animations, audio, and video.</td>
<td>- That authors’/directors’ choices of visual and multimedia elements convey meaning.</td>
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<td>- That authors use different versions of text such as written, audio, visual, live, print, and digital to convey a message.</td>
<td>- How to analyze the visual and oral elements to enhance understanding of the text.</td>
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<td>- That literary genres include graphic novels, multimedia presentations, fiction, folktales, myths, and poetry.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Analyze, story, drama, visual and multimedia elements, graphics, sound, photos, animations, audio, digital, genres, descriptions
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.8**: Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, including the validity of the reasoning as well as the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.

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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
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**CCR.R.9:** Analyze how two or more texts address similar themes or topics in order to build knowledge or to compare the approaches the authors take.

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<td>How to compare and contrast elements of the text to enhance understanding.</td>
<td>An author’s approach to a theme/topic is influenced by his or her point of view.</td>
<td>Identify characteristics of various genres.</td>
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<td>That authors write stories such as mysteries and adventures that include a theme, characters, setting, and plot of events.</td>
<td>How to compare and contrast various texts to deepen understanding of themes/topics.</td>
<td>Identify the theme of two texts with similar themes and topics.</td>
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<td>Identify and explain the author’s purpose and point of view of two texts with similar themes and topics.</td>
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<td>Compare/contrast the approach of similar themes and topics from stories of the same genre.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

- Compare
- Contrast
- Genre
- Theme
- Mysteries
- Adventure stories
- Author’s purpose
- Point of view
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.10:** Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently.

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<td>RL.5.10</td>
<td><strong>A student should know</strong> (Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
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<td>• That authors write a variety of literary texts (e.g. stories, dramas, poetry).</td>
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<td>• How to read text from a variety of text genres.</td>
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<td>• How to choose “just right” text for independent reading.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should understand</strong> (Conceptual Understanding)</td>
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<td>• How to focus on comprehending within and beyond the text through independent, small, and whole group opportunities.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should be able to do</strong> (Evidence of Knowledge)</td>
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<td>• Activate relevant background knowledge to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings.</td>
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<td>• Ask questions to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings.</td>
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<td>• Determine important ideas to gain deeper understanding</td>
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Complex text, literary, informational, independently, proficiently, variety of genres, within/beyond text comprehension, activate background knowledge, visualize, infer, ask questions, determine important ideas, synthesize)
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.1:** Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.

### Desired Student Performance

#### A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)
- A quote is a word, phrase, sentence, or paragraph taken directly from the text.
- That explicit information is information stated directly in the text.
- An inference is a logical assumption based on details and examples from the text.
- That authors make purposeful decisions when organizing information text (e.g., paragraphs, quotations, formatting).
- How to use background knowledge to enhance understanding of informational text.
- How to make, test, and revise predictions before, during, and after reading.

#### A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding)
- That authors include key details, which help the reader ask and answer questions.
- How to use examples and details to support their inferences.
- How to use textual evidence and background knowledge to make inferences and draw conclusions.
- How to synthesize ideas using details and examples in informational text.

#### A student should be able to do (Evidence of Knowledge)
- Summarize what the text says, citing evidence from the text and including a relevant quote.
- Draw inferences from the text, citing evidence from the text and including a relevant quote.
- Justify the choice of a quote and how it supports an explanation of the text.
- Paraphrase information from the text.

### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

- Quote, quotation, explicit information, inferences, text evidence, background knowledge, synthesize, summarize, paraphrase
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.2:** Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.

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| **Determine two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details; summarize the text.** | **A student should know**<br>(Prerequisite Knowledge)  
- The main idea of a text is the central thought or the point the author is trying to make.  
- That key details from the text are used to help determine the main idea.  
- How to use informational text features and/or text structures to help determine the main idea.  
- That authors may include more than one main idea.  
- A summary contains only the most important details of the text.  
- How to participate in discussions when explaining their understanding of the texts. |
| **A student should understand**<br>(Conceptual Understanding)  
- That authors of informational texts include key details in order to help readers make meaning of the text.  
- How to use key details in an informational text to identify the main topic.  
- How to develop effective summaries that include main ideas of informational text. |
| **A student should be able to do**<br>(Evidence of Knowledge)  
- Determine when a text has two or more main ideas.  
- Identify all of the main ideas or points presented by the author.  
- Identify key details from the text and explain how they support each of the main ideas.  
- Use details and the main idea to give an oral or written summary of the text. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Analyze, main ideas, details, summarize, text evidence
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.3: Analyze how and why individuals, events, or ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.**

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<td>- That authors of informational texts may include key ideas/concepts, events, or steps in a process.</td>
<td>- That authors include specific information to explain events, procedures, ideas, and concepts in scientific, technical and historical texts and why they occur.</td>
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<td>- That authors use transition words and phrases (e.g., therefore, because, as a result) to signal relationships or interactions between pieces of informational text.</td>
<td>- The relationships between and among events, ideas/concepts or steps/procedures and use the information to synthesize what is read.</td>
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<td>- That authors use various text structures when writing informational texts (e.g., time, sequence, cause/effect, steps).</td>
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<td>- How to teach or explain to others information learned from informational text.</td>
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<td>- That authors may include relationships and interactions between pieces of informational text (e.g., one piece of text “explains” another or stands in</td>
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<td>Use specific evidence from the text to support an explanation of relationships/interactions between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or concepts.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

- Explain, analyze, synthesize, summarize, relationships, interactions, individuals, events, ideas, concepts, text structure, signal words, historical text, scientific text, technical text
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**CCR.R.4**: Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical, connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.

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<td>Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.</td>
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<td>• That authors use figurative language to convey meaning.</td>
<td><strong>A student should understand</strong> (Conceptual Understanding)</td>
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<td>• That authors use different types of context clues to convey meaning of unknown words (e.g., definition, example, antonym, synonym).</td>
<td>• That authors make purposeful language choices to create meaning in informational text(s).</td>
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<td>• How to employ strategies for identifying and using context clues.</td>
<td>• How to actively seek the meaning of unknown words/phrases to clarify understanding.</td>
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<td>• How to distinguish the literal and nonliteral meanings of words and phrases to make meaning.</td>
<td>• How to use textual clues to develop an understanding of the meaning of unknown words/phrases.</td>
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| A student should be able to do (Evidence of Knowledge) |
| • Use context clues to help unlock the meaning of unknown words/phrases. |
| • Determine the definition of words with multiple meanings. |
| • Describe how word choice creates and clarifies meaning. |
| • Differentiate between literal and non-literal language. |
| • Identify and interpret figurative language. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
General academic words vs. domain-specific words/phrases (Tier II and Tier III words), context clues, figurative language, literal and non-literal language
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.5:** Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.

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<td>● That authors of informational text use different types of text structures to organize information.</td>
<td>● How to use signal words to determine various text structures.</td>
<td>● Identify the overall structure of two or more texts.</td>
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<td>● How to synthesize ideas by combining what they know with new information gained from the text(s).</td>
<td>● How to use text features to support understanding of informational texts.</td>
<td>● Describe similarities and differences in the development of events in two or more texts.</td>
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<td>● How to use common signal words and transition words to determine the structure of a text.</td>
<td>● That authors present their ideas in an organizational pattern to achieve a particular purpose in the text.</td>
<td>● Describe similarities and differences in the development of ideas in two or more texts.</td>
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<td>● How to use the structure of the text (e.g., chronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) to make sense of the information that is presented and develop a deeper understanding of the informational presented in the text.</td>
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<td>● Describe similarities and differences in the development of concepts in two or more texts.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Compare, contrast, text structure, chronological, sequence, problem/solution, cause/effect, descriptive, text features
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.6:** Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.

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<td>That authors write for a variety of purposes (e.g., to inform, to persuade, to entertain, to describe, to explain).</td>
<td>The author’s account of an event or topic is influenced by his or her point of view.</td>
<td>Describe authors’ overall purpose for writing a text.</td>
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<td>That authors may describe an event or topic in various ways.</td>
<td>That multiple accounts of the same event or topic can share similarities and differences based on each author’s personal point of view.</td>
<td>Identify the intended audience.</td>
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<td>That authors write from different points of view.</td>
<td>The same event or topic can be viewed differently when told from different perspectives.</td>
<td>Describe how author’s choices reflect his or her point of view, focus, attitude, or bias when reading multiple accounts of the same topic or event.</td>
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<td>A firsthand account (primary source) is told from the perspective of a participant in the described event.</td>
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<td>Explain how the point of view is conveyed in texts of the same event or topic.</td>
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<td>A secondhand account (secondary source) is told from the perspective of someone who was not a participant in the described event.</td>
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<td>Analyze different points of view used in multiple accounts of the same event or topic.</td>
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<td>That there may be similarities and differences between</td>
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<td>Determine similarities and differences between multiple accounts of the same event or topic.</td>
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<td>Explain orally or through writing how an author’s point of view affects his or her account of an event or topic.</td>
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Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent.
firsthand and secondhand accounts of the same event.

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Analyze, explain, multiple accounts, point of view, author’s purpose, compare/contrast, context, style, perspective, primary/secondary sources, firsthand/secondhand accounts
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.R.7**: Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.

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<td><strong>A student should know</strong>&lt;br&gt;(Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
<td>- That digital sources include multimedia and interactive elements.&lt;br&gt;- That authors use graphics, images, and illustrations (e.g., pictures, photographs, charts, graphs, diagrams, timelines, animations) to present information.&lt;br&gt;- That authors use different media formats (e.g., visual, oral, quantitative) to present information.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should understand</strong>&lt;br&gt;(Conceptual Understanding)</td>
<td>- That authors use both print and digital formats when writing informational text.&lt;br&gt;- How to use strategies to locate key information from print and digital sources.&lt;br&gt;- How to make purposeful choices when locating information from print and digital sources.&lt;br&gt;- How to use information from print and digital sources to answer questions and solve problems.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should be able to do</strong>&lt;br&gt;(Evidence of Knowledge)</td>
<td>- Identify information from multiple sources.&lt;br&gt;- Differentiate between relevant and irrelevant information.&lt;br&gt;- Differentiate between reliable and unreliable sources.&lt;br&gt;- Analyze information needed from print and digital source to answer a question or solve a problem.&lt;br&gt;- Determine the most effective and efficient method for answering a question or solving a problem.&lt;br&gt;- Use a variety of media sources to answer a question or solve a problem.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
- Analyze, determine, distinguish, integrate, synthesize, print/digital sources, media formats, efficiently, key words, text features, relevant/irrelevant information, reliable/unreliable sources
## Fifth Grade

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<th>CCR.R.8: Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, including the validity of the reasoning as well as the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.</th>
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<td><strong>RI.5.8</strong> Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point(s).</td>
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**A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)**

- That authors include main ideas and important points in informational text.
- That authors include reasons to support his or her points in an informational text.
- That authors include evidences throughout informational text to support his or her key points.
- That authors use persuasive techniques (e.g., emotional words, repetition, name calling) to support his or her purpose for writing.
- That relevant information is important and irrelevant information is not important.

**Desired Student Performance**

- A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding)
  - How to identify reasons and evidence an author uses to support key ideas to build upon their understanding.
  - How to understand that reasons explain “why I think this,” and evidence explains “how I know that this is the case.”

- A student should be able to do (Evidence of Knowledge)
  - Identify the author’s key points.
  - Identify reasons or evidences that support the author’s key points.
  - Determine which reasons support which key points made by the author.
  - Determine which evidences support which key points made by the author.
  - Evaluate and explain, orally or in writing, the connection between reasons and key points in an informational text.
  - Evaluate and explain, orally or in writing, the connection between evidences and key points in an informational text.

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Explain, determine, evaluate, reasons, evidence, key points, persuasive techniques, argument, support, relevant vs. irrelevant information
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.R.9: Analyze how two or more texts address similar themes or topics in order to build knowledge or to compare the approaches the authors take.

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| Integrate information from several texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably. | • That information about a topic may be learned from more than one source.  
• How to compare and contrast elements of the text to enhance understanding.  
• That authors include main ideas and important points in informational text.  
• That authors include supporting details to reinforce his or her main ideas.  
• How to set a purpose for researching and gathering information.  
• How to manage information gathered from text using various graphic organizers.  
• That information from two texts can be combined to create a more complete understanding of a topic. | • That authors of informational texts provide information and key details on topics in different ways.  
• How to construct meaning by integrating important information presented in several texts. | • Identify key and relevant details about a single topic from several informational texts.  
• Categorize key details from several informational texts.  
• Differentiate between relevant information and irrelevant information.  
• Combine information from several informational texts about the same topic.  
• Speak knowledgeably about a topic, integrating information from several informational texts.  
• Compose a piece of writing about a topic, integrating information from several texts. |

### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD
Integrate, synthesize, key points, relevant information, irrelevant information, topic, research, purposes for reading, graphic organizers, write, compose, speak, present, knowledgeably
## Fifth Grade

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| **CCR.R.10:** Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently. | **A student should know** (Prerequisite Knowledge)  
- That authors write a variety of informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts.  
- How to read text from a variety of text genres.  
- How to choose “just right” text for independent reading.  

**A student should understand** (Conceptual Understanding)  
- How to focus on comprehending within and beyond the text through independent, small, and whole group opportunities.  

**A student should be able to do** (Evidence of Knowledge)  
- Utilize comprehension strategies such as activate relevant background knowledge to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings.  
- Utilize comprehension strategies such as create visual images to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings.  
- Utilize comprehension strategies such as draw inferences to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings.  
- Utilize comprehension strategies such as ask questions to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings. |
understanding independently and in small and large group settings.

- Utilize comprehension strategies such as determine important ideas to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings.
- Utilize comprehension strategies such as synthesize information to gain deeper understanding independently and in small and large group settings.

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Complex text, literary, informational, independently, proficiently, variety of genres, within/beyond text comprehension, activate background knowledge, visualize, infer, ask questions, determine important ideas, synthesize)
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.SL.3: Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.**

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<td>Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.</td>
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<td>- How to recognize common letter patterns in words.</td>
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<td>- How to recognize common affixes.</td>
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<td>- A reader’s ability to break a word into meaningful parts impacts their ability to read.</td>
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<td>- How to use knowledge of phonics and morphology to become proficient readers.</td>
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<td>- A reader’s ability to apply phonics and word analysis skills provides anchors to help learn about words’ meanings, spelling, and sound.</td>
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<td>- That phonics is the understanding that there is a predictable relationship between the sounds of spoken language and the letters and spellings that represent those sounds.</td>
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<td>- Use common spelling patterns to help read words.</td>
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<td>- Use common syllable patterns to read syllables in words.</td>
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<td>- Pronounce a syllable using its syllable type.</td>
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<td>- Break a word into its affixes and root/base word to pronounce it.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Know, apply, phonics, word analysis, decoding, affix, prefix, suffix, multi-syllable, irregularly spelled words
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.SL.3: Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.

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<td>A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
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<td>- That there are six types of syllables (e.g., closed, open, vowel-consonant-e, vowel team, r-controlled, consonant-le) found in words.</td>
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<td>- How to use four different syllable division patterns (e.g., VC/CV, V/CV, VC/V, V/V) to decode words.</td>
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<td>- A prefix is a type of affix, or group of letters, placed before the root/base word.</td>
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<td>- A suffix is a type of affix, or group letters, placed after the root/base word.</td>
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<td>- How to use knowledge of phonics and word structure to help develop strategies for reading multisyllabic words.</td>
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<td>- How to apply multiple strategies to decode multisyllabic words.</td>
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<td>- Demonstrate letter-sound correspondences.</td>
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<td>- Use syllabication patterns to decode words.</td>
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<td>- Determine the meanings of roots and affixes to decode multisyllabic words in context and out of context.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Letter-sound correspondence, syllable, syllable pattern, multisyllabic, morphology, root word, affix, prefix, suffix, in context, out of context
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.SL.4**: Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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<td>A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
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<td>- That fluency is the ability to read smoothly and accurately.</td>
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<td>- That fluent readers read with expression.</td>
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<td>- That fluency is important because it provides a bridge between word recognition and reading comprehension.</td>
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<td>- That readers who read fluently are able to attend to comprehension.</td>
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<td>- The more readers read, the better their fluency will become.</td>
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<td>- Read accurately to support understanding of literary and informational text.</td>
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<td>- Read fluently to support understanding of literary and informational text.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Accuracy, fluency, fluent, expression, intonation, tone, comprehension, word recognition
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.SL.4:** Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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<td>Read grade-level text with purpose and understanding.</td>
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<td>• That readers read for different purposes.</td>
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<td>• That authors write for different purposes.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Grade-level text, setting a purpose for reading, author’s purpose, comprehension, understanding, meaning
# Fifth Grade

**CCR.SL.4:** Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

**RF.5.4b**

Read grade-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.

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| - That prose writing consists of ideas contained in sentences that are arranged in paragraphs  
- That most everyday writing is in prose form.  
- That poetry consists of lines that may or may not be sentences and are arranged in stanzas.  
- That poetry tends to include more expressive language with literary and sound devices.  
- That fluency includes reading with few errors and at an appropriate rate.  
- That fluent readers read with automaticity and expression. | - How reading fluently allows the reader to attend to comprehension.  
- That fluent readers read poetry differently than prose. | - Determine whether a text is prose or poetry.  
- Adjust the rate of reading to match the purpose.  
- Determine appropriate phrasing when reading poetry.  
- Orally read prose and poetry with automaticity (accuracy and rate).  
- Orally read prose and poetry with expression. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Prose, poetry, accuracy, appropriate rate, automaticity, expression, fluency, phrasing
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.SL.4:** Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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<th><strong>RF.5.4c</strong></th>
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<td>Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.</td>
<td><strong>A student should know</strong> (Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
<td><strong>A student should understand</strong> (Conceptual Understanding)</td>
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<td>• How to use strategies to decode unknown words.</td>
<td>• How to monitor and self-correct when comprehension is interrupted.</td>
<td>• Use context to confirm the pronunciation of a word.</td>
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<td>• How to reread words, sentences, and parts of the text to improve understanding.</td>
<td>• Use context to change the pronunciation of a word.</td>
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<td>• Use context to confirm what is read makes sense.</td>
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<td>• Reread if something does not make sense.</td>
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<td>• Make corrections while reading silently or orally.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Context, confirm, self-correct, reread, decoding strategies, pronunciation, word recognition, monitor
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.1:** Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.

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<td>Introduce a topic or text clearly, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure in which ideas are logically grouped to support the writer’s purpose.</td>
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<td>- That opinion writings are written to express a point about a topic or text.</td>
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<td>- The introduction states the point the author is trying to make or prove about a text or topic.</td>
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<td>- How using specific words or phrases enables writers to clearly communicate an opinion.</td>
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<td>- That writers use specific words or phrases when composing opinion pieces (e.g., has an important lesson, knowledgeable, sensible/senseless).</td>
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<td>- The author’s opinion is supported with reasons from the text.</td>
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<td>- That ideas are grouped in a logical way to give the reader an understanding of the authors’ purpose for writing.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Opinion pieces, topics, texts, supporting, point of view, reasons, information, introduce, writing, clearly, state an opinion, create organizational structure, ideas are logically grouped, writer’s purpose, viewpoint, coherent, purposes, prove, analyze
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<th>W.5.1b</th>
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<td><strong>Provide logically ordered reasons that are supported by facts and details.</strong></td>
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<td>A writer develops the opinion about a text by providing reasons from the text read.</td>
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<td>That reasons are logically ordered create a sense structure for the reader.</td>
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<td>Choose facts and details from the text to support the opinion.</td>
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<td>Determine the relationship between reasons.</td>
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<td>Choose a logical order for reasons.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Opinion, provide logically ordered reasons, supported by facts and details, topic, text, researching, multiple sources, writing, note taking
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.1:** Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.

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<th><strong>W.5.1c</strong></th>
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<td><strong>Link opinion and reasons using words, phrases, and clauses (e.g., consequently, specifically).</strong></td>
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<td>• That linking words and phrases signal the direction the writing is taking to the reader.</td>
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<td>• That dependent clauses are used to link opinions and reasons.</td>
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<td>• That dependent clauses can function as an adjective or adverb.</td>
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<td>• That writers must evaluate the idea being expressed in order to choose which type of clause to employ.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should be able to do</strong> <em>(Evidence of Knowledge)</em></td>
<td>• Identify the places in the writing where transitions need to take place.</td>
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<td>• Identify the appropriate linking words and phrases to use in the writing.</td>
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<td>• Use linking words to connect and forward the opinion.</td>
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<td>• Identify the appropriate clauses to link opinion and reasons.</td>
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<td>• Use clauses to link opinion and reasons.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Opinion piece, link, words, phrases, clauses, connect, opinion, reasons, also, however, also, for instance, in order to, in addition, when the book ended, we considered both sides, signal, direction, natural flow, organization, identifies, transitions, appropriate, writing
**Fifth Grade**

**CCR.W.1:** Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.

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<th>W.5.1d Provide a concluding statement or section related to the opinion presented.</th>
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<td>A conclusion provides an ending to a piece written.</td>
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<td>Identify thought(s) to leave the reader with before writing the conclusion.</td>
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<td>A conclusion leaves the reader with something to think about.</td>
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Opinion piece, provide, concluding statement, concluding section, close, organization, recognize, ending, thoughts, related to the opinion presented
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.W.2: Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

- Informative text, explanatory text, research, comprehension, aid, introduction, provide a general observation, provide a general focus, topic, audience, form of writing, purpose, compare, contrast, descriptive, problem/solution, cause/effect, chronology, organizational structure, illustrations, mentor texts, teacher model, paragraphs, sections, multimedia, headings, inform, why, how, writing
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

- Informative text, explanatory text, develop, topic, facts, definition, concrete details, research, close read, paraphrase, convey ideas clearly, convey information clearly, point of view, sources, notes, reference sources, include, primary sources, secondary sources, organizational structure grouping related information, examples, quotations, writing
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.2:** Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

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| **Link ideas within and across categories of information using words, phrases, and clauses (e.g., in contrast, especially).** | **A student should know** (Prerequisite Knowledge)  
- That linking words and phrases connect ideas within categories of information (e.g., another, for example, also, because).  
- That linking words and phrases help the writer communicate ideas clearly to the reader  
**A student should understand** (Conceptual Understanding)  
- That linking words and phrases signal the direction the writing is taking to the reader.  
- That linking words and phrases connect the opinions and reasons within the paper for a natural flow for organization.  
- That dependent clauses are used to link opinions and reasons.  
- That dependent clauses can function as an adjective or adverb.  
- That writers must evaluate the idea being expressed in order to choose which type of clause to employ.  
**A student should be able to do** (Evidence of Knowledge)  
- Identify the places in the writing where transitions need to take place.  
- Identify the appropriate linking words and phrases to use in the writing.  
- Use linking words to connect and forward the opinion.  
- Use linking phrases to connect and forward the opinion.  
- Identify the appropriate clauses to link opinion and reasons.  
- Use clauses to link opinion and reasons. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**  
Informative text, explanatory text, linking words, linking phrases, linking clauses, link ideas, categories of information, using, progress, signal, direction, writing
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.2**: Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

**W.5.2d**

Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.

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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Informative text, explanatory text, provide, precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, express, inform about the topic, explain the topic
### Fifth Grade

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**W.5.2e**

**Provide a concluding statement or section related to the information or explanation presented.**

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| - A writing piece must be organized.  
- A concluding statement or section brings a piece of writing to a close.  
- That closings for an informative/explanatory piece can vary (e.g., summary, reaction or feeling, image description, quotation). | - That conclusions act as a way for readers to clearly understand the topic stated.  
- The conclusion statement or section relates directly to the information or explanation presented in the introduction. | - Identify thought(s) to leave the reader with before writing the conclusion.  
- Choose a closing technique (e.g., summary, reaction or feeling, image description, quotation).  
- Write a conclusion statement or section that relates directly to the information or explanation presented in the introduction. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Informative text, explanatory text, provide, concluding statement, concluding section, close, demonstrates, related, information, explanation
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.3**: Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

### W.5.3a

Orient the reader by establishing a situation and introducing a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally.

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<td>- Introduce a real or imaginative narrator and/or character(s) in the narrative.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Narrative, develop, real experiences, imagine experiences, forms, introduction, establishes a situation, plot, event sequence, narrator, character(s), point of view, audience, style, form, structure, appropriate, compare/contrast, descriptive, problem/solution, cause/effect, chronology, organize, unfolds naturally, enlightens, smooth progression, events, time, setting, location, mood, tone, analyze, mentor text, teacher model, author’s craft, prompt, beginning, middle, end, writing
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| Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, description, and pacing to develop experiences and events or show the responses of characters to situations. | A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)  
- That dialogue and description are used to develop a character.  
- A character’s internal narrative (thoughts), when balanced with dialogue, actions, and feelings, can provide an inside look at what motivates the character.  
- How showing the character’s response to situations further develops the plot.  
- The more time given in writing to developing the character will develop the experiences and events in the story. | A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding)  
- That writers utilize several techniques in order to elaborate.  
- That dialogue and description of actions, thoughts, and feelings are used to develop a character.  
- How pacing occurs when the narrative is broken up with specific examples, descriptions, scenes, and dialogue so that it does not become flat.  
- A character’s internal narrative (thoughts), when balanced with dialogue, actions, and feelings, can provide an inside look at what motivates the character. | A student should be able to do (Evidence of Knowledge)  
- Use dialogue in the narrative to develop experiences and events.  
- Use descriptions of actions, thoughts, and feelings in the narrative to develop experiences and events.  
- Write a narrative where the events are well-paced.  
- Show response of characters to situations. |
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Narrative, narrative techniques, dialogue, description, pacing, conversation, characters, quotation marks, character traits, descriptive, vivid verbs, writer, created, thoughts, internal monologue, vivid details, feels, emotions, reactions, situations, develop, descriptions, actions, feelings, show, response, motivates, plot, writing
Fifth Grade

CCR.W.3: Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

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<td>Use a variety of transitional words, phrases, and clauses to manage the sequence of events.</td>
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<td>• That appropriate places in a narrative text where temporal words and phrases are necessary in order to signal changes in events.</td>
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KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD
Narrative, transitional words, transitional phrases, clauses, signal, event order, effectively, naturally, writing, identify, moves, guide
### Fifth Grade

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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
- Narrative, concrete words, concrete phrases, sensory details, convey experiences precisely, convey events precisely, touch, taste, smell, hear, see, show, telling
# Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.3:** Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

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| Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated experiences or events. | **A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)**  
- How to bring a paper to a close by writing an ending to the narrative.  
- The conclusion written is not separate from the story or a summary of what happened.  
- The conclusion is a continuation of the narrated experience or event written about.  |
|  | **A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding)**  
- A narrative piece must be organized.  
- How providing a sense of closure brings everything together for the reader.  
- That conclusions for a narrative piece can vary (e.g., visual or sensory image, statement of personal development, audience connection, surprise).  
- That conclusions must follow the sequence of experiences or events in the writing.  |
|  | **A student should be able to do (Evidence of Knowledge)**  
- Write a conclusion that follows the narrated experiences or events.  |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

- Narrative
- Provide
- Conclusion
- Follows
- Narrated experiences
- Events
- Close
- Writing
- Final impressions
- Organization
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### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.**

**W.5.4**

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

(Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)

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| • The audience, or reader, must be considered when composing each of the three writing tasks.  
  • That content chosen for each of the three writing tasks should be on topic, engaging, and interesting for the chosen audience.  
  • How to omit content that is off-topic, disengaging, or uninteresting for the audience. | • The audience, or reader, must be considered when composing each of the three writing tasks.  
  • That content chosen for each of the three writing tasks should be clear and coherent.  
  • That content that is clear and coherent is on topic, engaging, and interesting for the chosen audience.  
  • How to omit content that is off-topic, disengaging, or uninteresting for the audience. | • Write for a specific task as reference in standards 1-3 above.  
  • Write for a specific purpose as referenced in standards 1-3 above.  
  • Produce a writing piece that follows an organization structure as referenced in standards 1-3 above.  
  • Choose content that is on-topic, engaging, and interesting for the audience being considered.  
  • Omit content that is off-topic, disengaging, or uninteresting for the audience being considered. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Produce, clear, coherent, writing, development, organization, appropriate, task, purpose, audience, organizational structure, compare/contrast, descriptive, problem/solution, cause/effect, chronology, techniques, strategies, distribution, production, prewrite, organize
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.5:** Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.

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Guidance, support, peers, adults, develop, strengthen, writing, planning, revising, editing, conventions, pre-write, brainstorming, list, graphic organizers, research, clustering, freewriting, outline, word choice, style, organization, style, modify, improve, punctuation, mechanics, spelling, grammar, sentence structures, point of view, drafts, rewrite, trying a new approach

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<td>That writing pieces may need to be rewritten.</td>
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<td>That writers can choose to employ a difference method for introducing or closing a piece of writing.</td>
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### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.6**: Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and to interact and collaborate with others.

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### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.7:** Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.

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**CCR.W.8:** Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.

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- How gathering information from multiple sources, both print and digital, supports the writing.  
- How note-taking keeps the research focused and allows the student the opportunity to go back to the notes to actually use in the writing.  
- That researchers use various techniques (e.g., note-taking forms, marking print sources, marking digital sources) for taking meaningful notes.  
- That note-taking forms allow the researcher to record the question or topic and document supporting | - Recall experiences from their past to be used as a source.  
- Gather information from print and digital sources.  
- Utilize a note-taking technique to take meaningful notes about a topic.  
- Summarize notes.  
- Paraphrase notes.  
- Sort information from notes into categories.  
- Provide a list of sources. |                                     |
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| A paraphrasing includes is a condensed version of the
original work. The main points and specific details are included in the writer’s own words.
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**CCR.W.9**: Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.

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<td>• That authors use specific details in a story or drama to describe characters, settings, or events.</td>
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<td>• That specific details from the literary texts are used in the analysis.</td>
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## A reflection includes the student’s personal thoughts, views, and interpretations about the literary text[s].

- Reflections have multiple forms of writing.

### Research

- There are different topics that can be researched and written about a literary text.
- That research can be done on different types of literary texts (e.g., story, drama).
- That specific details from the literary texts are used in the research.
- That research can be about more than one literary text.
- That research pieces have structure.

### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

- **Draw evidence from literary texts, support analysis, reflection, and research.**
- **Apply grade 4 Reading standards to literature,** describe in depth a character, setting, or event in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text, a character’s thoughts, a character’s words, or a character’s actions, influence of narrator’s or speaker’s point of view analysis, central idea/lesson of literature analysis, comparison of character(s), setting(s), or event(s) analysis, comparing themes and topics analysis, analysis of visual and multimedia elements analysis, details, multiple forms of writing, student’s personal thoughts, views, and interpretations about the literary text[s], time period of the text for better comprehension, research the author’s/authors’ background[s], craft of writing, and/or beliefs, interpret, comprehension
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Draw evidence from informational texts, support analysis, support reflection, support research, texts, analysis, analyzing the relationship between a series of concepts, analyzing the role of illustrations multiple forms of writing, articles, brochure, encyclopedia entry, magazine article, pamphlet, aids in comprehension, structure
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.W.10**: Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.

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| - That routine writing is repeated experiences with writing.  
- How to write for extended time frames for research, reflection, and revision.  
- How to write for shorter time frames that is done in a single setting or a day or two.  
- How to write for a range of discipline-specific tasks (e.g., math, science, social studies, ELA).  
- How to write for a range of discipline-specific purposes.  
- How to write for a range of discipline-specific audiences (e.g., teacher, parent, legislator, online audience, editor). | - That writers need multiple opportunities to write for extended time frames and shorter time frames for different purposes throughout the entire school year (in every nine weeks).  
- That on-demand writing requires different processes than extended process writings. | - Write daily.  
- Write for extended time frames when research, reflection, and revision is required.  
- Write for shorter time frames in a single setting or day or two.  
- Write to address range of discipline-specific tasks.  
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Write routinely, extended time frames, research, reflection, revision, shorter time frames, single setting or day or two, range, discipline-specific tasks, purposes, audiences, experiences, math, ELA, science, social studies, multiple opportunities, on demand writing, short constructed response, text based questions, content knowledge, aspect of a text or texts, sophisticated understandings of vocabulary, text structure, analysis.
## Fifth Grade

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• Share prior knowledge about topic with peers and/or adults.  
• Share knowledge read and studied about a topic with peers and adults. |

### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Prepare, participate, conversations, collaborations, diverse, engage, effectively, explicitly, information, explore, discussion, expressing, clearly, preparation, appropriate, main idea, supporting details, key ideas, evidence, paraphrasing, connections, direct quotes
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<td>• How posing and responding to specific questions promotes inquiry and investigation of the topic and/or promotes extended thinking.</td>
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<td>• How contributing and elaborating on others’ remarks of the topic promotes inquiry and investigation of the topic and/or promotes extended thinking.</td>
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<td>• That specific questions reference the material presented.</td>
<td>• That specific questions should reference the material presented.</td>
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<td>• How offering comments about others’ remarks of the topic promote extended thinking.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Engage, effective, collaborate, discussion, diverse, pose, respond, clarify, remark, participants, ensure, responses, linking, elaborate, extend
## Fifth Grade

CCR.SL.1 Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others’ ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

### SL.5.1d

Review the key ideas expressed and draw conclusions in light of information and knowledge gained from the discussions.

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<td>- Listen to others remarks about a text or topic.</td>
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<td>- That personal ideas are based upon prior knowledge of the topic, feelings towards the topic, or thoughts formulated.</td>
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<td>- That opinions should be concrete with evidence to support the speaker’s thoughts.</td>
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<td>- How reasoning of the topic should be supported with evidence.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Prepare, participate, effectively, range, conversations, collaboration, diverse, clearly, persuasively, review, key ideas, understanding, discussion
## Fifth Grade

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<td>• That information can be presented visually, quantitatively, and orally.</td>
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<td>• How paraphrasing involves the restating of information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally to clarify meaning.</td>
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<td>• That information can be presented visually, quantitatively, and orally.</td>
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<td>• Listen and/or observe text or information presented visually, quantitatively, and/or orally.</td>
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<td>• Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD
- Paraphrase, portions, main idea, supporting details, information, diverse media, visually, quantitatively, orally, summarize
### Fifth Grade

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<th>CCR.SL.3. Evaluate a speaker’s point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.</th>
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<td>SL.5.3 Summarize the points a speaker makes and explain how each claim is supported by reasons and evidence.</td>
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<td>• That reasons should support points a speaker makes.</td>
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#### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD
Evaluate, point of view, reasoning, evidence, rhetoric, identify, reasons, provide, points, clarify, diverse media, summarize, explain, claim
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.SL.4: Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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| - A logical sequence of events is used when reporting on a topic, or text, or recounting an experience.  
  - How recounting an experience should be in presented in an organized manner.  
    - Sequential  
    - Chronological  
    - Compare/Contrast  
    - Problem/Solution  
    - Cause/Effect  
- How determining the appropriate facts that support main ideas or themes and organizing them by using graphic organizers lends itself to an effective reporting of the topic or text.  
  - Important/Unimportant facts  
  - Relevant descriptive details  
  - Visual Organization to enhance understanding of topic | - That ideas are logically sequenced when presenting and opinion about a topic or text.  
- That appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details should be provided to support the main idea or theme. | - Report on a topic or text in an organized manner.  
- Present an opinion on a topic or text.  
- Use appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support the main idea or theme.  
- Speak clearly at an understandable pace. |

### Key Language/Verbs/Terms Related to the Standard

Finding, evidence, line of reasoning, report, topic, recount, experience, facts, relevant, descriptive, details, main idea, themes, pace, opinion, substantial, speaker
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.SL.5:** Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.

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| Include multimedia components (e.g., graphics, sound) and visual displays in presentations when appropriate to enhance the development of main ideas or themes. | - That audio recordings and visual displays should enhance the information presented, not repeat it.  
- That fluent reading is an essential element to ensure an engaging recording.  
- The audio recording and visual display should enhance the main idea and theme.  
- How using supporting evidence contributes to the understanding of the main idea and theme.  
- A theme is the central idea the author is trying to convey.  
  o Understanding the characters’ actions, interactions, and motivations and events contribute to the theme of the story. | - That graphics and sound should enhance the information presented, not repeat it.  
- That graphics and sound should enhance the main idea and theme.  
- A theme is the central idea the author is trying to convey.  
- How understanding the characters’ actions, interactions, and motivations and events contribute to the theme of the story. | - View examples of multimedia components.  
- Create presentations using graphics and sound to enhance the main idea or theme.  
- Create or construct visual displays to enhance the development of the main idea or theme. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Strategic, digital media, visual, displays, enhance, understanding, audio, presentations, development, main idea, details, determine, multimedia components
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.SL.6: Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and communicative tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

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<td>Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, using formal English when appropriate to task and situation.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD:**
Differentiate, context, situations, formal English, informal English, discourse, task, situation, polysyllabic, colloquial, jargon, dialect
## Fifth Grade

### CCR.L.1: Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing (printing, cursive, or keyboarding) or speaking.

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| **Explain the function of conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in general and their function in particular sentences.** | • How using standard grammar and usage when writing and speaking lends itself to more effective products and understanding of the product.  
• A conjunction is a word that joins other words or parts of a sentence together.  
• How coordinating conjunction joins words, phrases, and sentences (independent clauses) together.  
• A subordinating conjunction joins a dependent clause to an independent clause.  
• A preposition links nouns, pronouns, and phrases to other words in a sentence.  
• An interjection is a word added to a sentence to convey emotion. | • That conjunctions join words, phrases, and sentences together.  
• That prepositional phrases can function as an adjective or adverb.  
• That adjective phrases modify a noun or pronoun.  
• That adverb phrases modify an adjective, adverb, or verb.  
• The word or phrase that the preposition introduces is called the object of the preposition.  
• That interjections are usually followed by an exclamation point.  
• That interjections are considered formal language when used in direct quotes. | • Identify conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in mentor text.  
• Explain the function of conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in mentor text.  
• Identify conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in during peer editing.  
• Compose sentences with conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in mentor text. |

### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, explain, function, conjunctions, prepositions, interjections, contribute
### Fifth Grade

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| • How using standard grammar and usage when writing and speaking lends itself to more effective products and understanding of the product.  
• That verbs convey a sense of past, present, and future.  
• That some verbs are in irregular form and will be in the form of past-tense or past-participle. | • That verbs convey a sense of past, present, and future.  
• That perfect verb tenses show action already completed.  
  o Present perfect tense (has/have) describes an action that happened at a time in the past or that began in the past and continues to happen  
  o Past perfect tense (had) describes an action that took place before another past action.  
  o Future perfect tense (will have) describes an action that will happen in the future. | • Identify perfect verb tense in mentor text.  
• Identify the specific time the verb is referencing.  
• Compose a sentence with present perfect, past perfect, and future perfect.  
• Use present perfect, past perfect, and future perfect when speaking. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, explain, function, verb, writing, speaking
## Fifth Grade

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### L.5.1c

**Use verb tense to convey various times, sequences, states, and conditions.**

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| • How using standard grammar and usage when writing and speaking lends itself to more effective products and understanding of the product.  
• That verbs convey a sense of time by telling about the past, present, and future. | • That verbs convey a sense of time by telling about the past, present, and future (e.g., walked, walks, will walk).  
• That action verbs show what someone or something is doing (e.g. sings, runs, climbs).  
• That linking verbs show the state of the subject (is, are, feel, seems).  
• That helping verbs are often referred to as conditional verbs. These verbs show the condition of the subject (could, should, would). | • Identify a verb in mentor text.  
• Identify the purpose of the verb.  
• Compose a sentence for the purpose of using a verb to express time, sequence, state, or condition. |

### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, explain, function, verbs, times, sequence, conditions, past tense, present tense, future tense
### Fifth Grade

| CCR.L.1: Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing (printing, cursive, or keyboarding) or speaking. |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| **L.5.1d**      | **Desired Student Performance**                     | **A student should be able to do** (Evidence of Knowledge) |
| Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb tense. | A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge) | A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding) |
|                 | • How using standard grammar and usage when writing and speaking lends itself to more effective products and understanding of the product. | • How to use the exact tense needed to describe, narrate, or explain. |
|                 | • That verbs convey a sense of time by telling about the past, present, and future. | • How to use the context to make sure any shifts in verb tense are appropriate. |
|                 |                                                                 | • How not to switch from one tense to another unless the timing of an action demands that you do. |
|                 |                                                                 | • How to keep verb tense consistent in sentences, paragraphs, and essays. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, explain, function, verbs, narrate, explain, describe, consistent, recognize, inappropriate
### Fifth Grade

#### CCR.L.1: Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing (printing, cursive, or keyboarding) or speaking.

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<th><strong>L.5.1e</strong> Use correlative conjunctions (e.g., either/or, neither/nor).</th>
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<td>• That conjunctions are words that join or link other words, phrases, and clauses within a sentence.</td>
<td>• That correlative conjunctions are pairs of words that join or link other words, phrases, and clauses.</td>
<td>• Identify the use of correlative conjunctions in mentor text.</td>
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<td>• The use of correlative conjunctions dictates special subject-verb agreement rules.</td>
<td>• Identify the correct usage of subject-verb agreement with correlative conjunctions.</td>
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<td>• That when using either/or or neither/nor, the subject closest to the verb determines the verb form. If the subject closest to the verb is singular, the verb takes the singular form. If the subject closest to the verb is plural, the verb takes the plural form.</td>
<td>• Use correct subject-verb agreement with either/or or neither/not.</td>
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<td>• That when using both/and, the verb is always plural.</td>
<td>• Use correct subject/verb agreement with both/and.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

- Demonstrate
- Command
- Conventions
- Grammar
- Usage
- Explain
- Function
- Conjunctions
- Parallel
- Grammatical
- Correlative
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.L.2:** Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

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<td>A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
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<td>- That commas and quotation marks are used to mark direct speech and quotations from a text.</td>
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<td>- That commas are used before a coordinating conjunction in a compound sentence. Commas are used to separate parts of a sentence.</td>
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<td>- That commas tell readers to pause between words or groups of words, and they help clarify the meanings of sentences.</td>
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<td>A student should understand (Conceptual Understanding)</td>
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<td>- That commas are used to separate three or more words, phrases, or clauses in a series.</td>
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<td>o Words in a series: To make her famous muffins, Paulette bought fresh broccoli, baker's chocolate, flour, sugar, and eggs.</td>
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<td>o Phrases in a series: When Harold saw his mother Gloria across the crowded airport, he sprinted toward her, leaping over luggage, colliding with travelers, and dodging potted palms.</td>
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<td>o Clauses in a series: Whenever thunder booms, whenever strangers knock on</td>
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<td>- Identify an item in a series situation in mentor text.</td>
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<td>- Explain why the writer used commas in specific places.</td>
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<td>- Compose a sentence with words in a series.</td>
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<td>- Compose a sentence with clauses in a series.</td>
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<td>- Compose a sentence using a semicolon to punctuate items in a series.</td>
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the door, and whenever I reach for the flea shampoo, I can’t help but shake.

- That semicolons help avoid confusion in lists where there are already commas (e.g., What a day! Poor Veronica spent the morning cooking, cleaning, and washing; the afternoon running errands, grocery shopping, and studying; and this evening ironing, making lunches, and brushing the dog.).

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, capitalization, commas, semicolons, separate, series
### Fifth Grade

**CCR.L.2:** Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

**L.5.2b** Use a comma to separate an introductory element from the rest of the sentence.

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<td>That commas are used to separate parts of a sentence.</td>
<td>That commas are used after an introductory dependent clause.</td>
<td>Identify an introductory element in a mentor text.</td>
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<td>That they tell readers to pause between words or groups of words, and they help clarify the meanings of sentences.</td>
<td>An introductory dependent clause is a group of words before the subject of a sentence. It does not form a complete sentence.</td>
<td>Identify the type of introductory element.</td>
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<td>That commas are used to set off introductory words, introductory adverbial and longer introductory prepositional phrases.</td>
<td>Compose a sentence using a comma to separate an adverbial clause from an independent clause.</td>
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<td>That commas are used to separate a longer prepositional phrase from the rest of the sentence.</td>
<td>Compose a sentence using a comma to separate a longer prepositional phrase.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, capitalization, commas, introductory elements, adverbial participial, infinitive phrases, prepositional phrases.
## Fifth Grade

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**L.5.2c**

Use a comma to set off the words yes and no (e.g., Yes, thank you), to set off a tag question from the rest of the sentence (e.g., It’s true, isn’t it?), and to indicate direct address (e.g., Is that you, Steve?).

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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, capitalization, comma, introductory, tag question, direct address
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.L.2:** Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

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<td>• That correct punctuation is essential for clear and effective writing.</td>
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<td>• Titles of books, magazines, newspapers, movies, performances such as plays and musicals, albums, and artwork should be underlined or italicized.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, capitalization, underlining, quotations marks, italics
## Fifth Grade

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<td>Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.</td>
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<td>- How to use reference materials to check and correct spellings.</td>
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<td>- A dictionary is a reference material that lists words in alphabetical order and gives the meaning of the word.</td>
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<td>- That glossaries and digital dictionaries are used to clarify the correct spelling of words.</td>
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<td>- Recognize words that are not spelled correctly.</td>
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<td>- Clarify the correct spelling of the word by using a dictionary or other appropriate reference material (Glossary, Digital dictionary).</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD
Demonstrate, command, conventions, grammar, usage, capitalization, grade-appropriate, consult, references, guidewords, parenthesis, clarify, dictionary, thesaurus
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.L.3:** Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.

### L.5.3a

Expand, combine, and reduce sentences for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style.

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<td>• A sentence is a group of words that expresses a complete thought. It contains at least one subject and one verb.</td>
<td>• How adding information and details can expand sentences.</td>
<td>• Recognize sentences that need to be expanded, combined, and/or reduced for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style.</td>
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<td>• A complete thought is often referred to as an independent clause.</td>
<td>• That language descriptors such as adjectives, adverbs, and prepositional phrases are used to expand sentences and make them more meaningful.</td>
<td>• Expand sentences by adding adjectives, adverbs, and prepositional phrases.</td>
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<td>• That effective sentences create clear communication.</td>
<td>• How to combine sentences by forming compound and complex sentences.</td>
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<td>• That sentences can be combined to create one sentence.</td>
<td>• That sentences can be reduced or shortened when necessary to create a desired effect.</td>
<td>• Combine sentences by composing complex sentences.</td>
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<td>• A simple sentence contains one independent clause.</td>
<td>• That sentences must be interesting to the reader and the listener.</td>
<td>• Reduce sentences by omitting ideas that are unimportant, off-topic, or uninteresting.</td>
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<td>• A compound sentence contains two independent clauses joined by a coordinating conjunction.</td>
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### Fifth Grade

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<td>Compare and contrast the varieties of English (e.g., dialects, registers) used in stories, dramas, or poems.</td>
<td><strong>A student should know</strong> (Prerequisite Knowledge)</td>
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<td>• That people speak and write differently depending on the situation.</td>
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<td>• That formal or informal language can be present in reading and writing.</td>
<td>• That both formal and informal English may vary in dialect and register.</td>
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<td>• That formal language is less personal and is often factual and straight-to-the-point.</td>
<td>• That geographical location can affect the vocabulary, pronunciation, and grammar used by writers.</td>
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<td>• That informal language is friendly and conversational.</td>
<td>• That dialect refers to regional difference in language.</td>
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<td><strong>A student should be able to do</strong> (Evidence of Knowledge)</td>
<td>• That register refers to the way language is used in different contexts, or situations, when speaking or writing.</td>
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<td>• Identify the geographical location and dialect of the English used in stories, dramas, or poems.</td>
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<td>• Identify the context or situation in which the English is used in stories, dramas, or poems.</td>
<td>• Compare and contrast the register or situation in which English is used in stories, dramas, or poems.</td>
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<td>• Use a variety of dialect and register when writing and speaking.</td>
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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Apply, language, understand, function, contexts, effective, style, comprehend, phrases, effect, compare, contrast, dialect, registers
## Fifth Grade

**CCR.L.4:** Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.

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<td><strong>Use context (e.g., cause/effect relationships and comparisons in text) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.</strong></td>
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<td>• That clues to unfamiliar words can often be determined by definitions.</td>
<td>• That signal words are often used in cause/effect relationships such as because, so that, and in order to.</td>
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<td>o Definition context clues: writer uses an unfamiliar word and then explains what it means in the next sentence or two.</td>
<td>o That signal words are often used in compare and contrast relationships such as like, unlike, but, not, in contrast to, and in the same way.</td>
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<td>o Some context clues restate the meaning of a word in another way.</td>
<td>o Restatements are often introduced by commas or dashes and by words and phrases such as or, that is, or in other words.</td>
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### KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD

Determine, clarify, context, clue, signal words, investigate, compare, contrast, cause and effect, determine
Fifth Grade

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| Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., photograph, photosynthesis). | **A student should know** *(Prerequisite Knowledge)*  
- Common Greek and Latin affixes and roots.  
- A prefix the prefix does one of three things: it gives a word direction, negates a word by meaning “not,” or intensifies the meaning of a word by adding the notion of “very."  
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**A student should understand** *(Conceptual Understanding)*  
- How to recognize common Greek and Latin affixes and roots.  
- A prefix the prefix does one of three things: it gives a word direction, negates a word by meaning “not,” or intensifies the meaning of a word by adding the notion of “very.”  
- A suffix comes at the end of the word.  
- An effective strategy for determining the meaning of an unknown word is to identify the Greek or Latin affix or root of the word.  

**A student should be able to do** *(Evidence of Knowledge)*  
- Identify an unknown and/or a multiple-meaning word in a mentor text.  
- Break a word into parts: prefix, root, suffix.  
- Identify the meaning of the Greek and/or Latin affix and/or root.  
- Apply the meaning of the Greek and/or Latin affix and/or root to the unknown word.  
- State the meaning of the unknown word.  

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Determine, clarify, multiple-meaning, phrases, analyzing, determine, affix, prefix, suffix, strategies, understand, commonly, root word
### Fifth Grade

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| · That writers use similes and metaphors to explain things, to express emotion, and to make their writing more vivid and entertaining.  
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· Identify the type of nonliteral language as functioning as a simile or a metaphor.  
· Explain the meaning of the simile or metaphor as it is used in the context.  
· Use a simple simile or metaphor in writing. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
- Determine, clarify, multiple-meaning, phrases, analyzing, determine, interpret, context, figurative language, simile, metaphor, vivid, entertaining
# Fifth Grade

**CCR.L.5:** Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.

## L.5.5b

Recognize and explain the meaning of common idioms, adages, and proverbs.

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**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**

Demonstrate, relationship, nuance, recognize, explain, idioms, adage, proverb, synonymous, literal, nonliteral
**Fifth Grade**

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| **L.5.5c** Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonyms, antonyms, homographs) to better understand each of the words. | **A student should know (Prerequisite Knowledge)**
- That nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs and prepositions can have a synonym as long as both words are the same part of speech.
- That often words will have more than one antonym but as with synonyms it depends on the context.
- That synonyms are words that have the same or very similar meaning
- That antonyms are words that have opposite meanings.
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- Identify a noun, verb, adjective, adverb, or preposition in a mentor text.
- Utilize a thesaurus to identify a synonym, or antonym for the word.
- Utilize context clues to determine the pronunciation and meaning of a homograph.
- Compose a sentence to demonstrate an understanding of two words that have a similar meaning (synonym).
- Compose a sentence to demonstrate an understanding of two words that have opposite meanings (antonyms).
- Compose multiple sentences to demonstrate knowledge of multiple uses of a homograph.
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- That homographs are words that are spelled the same, but have different meanings and are often pronounced differently as well (e.g., advocate, content, entrance).
- How use of context clues can enable a reader to determine the meaning and pronunciation of a homograph.
**Fifth Grade**

CCR.L.6: Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships (e.g., After dinner that night we went looking for them).

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| • That general academic words are words that are found more often in written texts across disciplines. These words can appear in informational, technical, or literary text.  
• That general academic words signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered).  
• That domain specific words are words found more often in written texts within a specific discipline.  
• That domain-specific words are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation.) |
| **A student should understand** (Conceptual Understanding) |
| • That academic and domain-specific words can signal contrast (e.g., however, although, nevertheless).  
• That academic and domain-specific words can signal addition (e.g. similarly, moreover, in addition).  
• That academic and domain-specific words can signal other logical relationships (e.g., To begin with, About the same time, Prior to). |
| **A student should be able to do** (Evidence of Knowledge) |
| • Identify general academic and domain specific words in mentor text.  
• Acquire and use general academic and domain specific words.  
• Acquire and use specific words and phrases that signal contrast.  
• Acquire and use words that signal addition.  
• Acquire and use words that signal logical relationships. |

**KEY LANGUAGE/VERBS/TERMS RELATED TO THE STANDARD**
Acquire, accurate, appropriate, conversational, spatial, temporal