5th Grade

Highlights indicate Writing by Designo TEKS-Alignment

Knowledge and skills

- (1) Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, discussion, and thinking--oral language. The student develops oral language through listening, speaking, and discussion. The student is expected to:
 - (A) listen actively to interpret verbal and non-verbal messages, ask relevant questions, and make pertinent comments;
 - (B) follow, restate, and give oral instructions that include multiple action steps;
 - (C) give an organized presentation employing eye contact, speaking rate, volume, enunciation, natural gestures, and conventions of language to communicate ideas effectively; and
 - (D) work collaboratively with others to develop a plan of shared responsibilities.
- (2) Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking--beginning reading and writing. The student develops word structure knowledge through phonological awareness, print concepts, phonics, and morphology to communicate, decode, and spell. The student is expected to:
 - (A) demonstrate and apply phonetic knowledge by:
 - (i) decoding words with consonant changes, including/t/ to/sh/ such as in select and selection and/k/ to/sh/ such as music and musician;
 - (ii) decoding multisyllabic words with closed syllables; open syllables; VCe syllable; vowel teams, including digraphs and diphthongs; r-controlled syllables; and final stable syllables;
 - (iii) decoding words using advanced knowledge of syllable division patterns;
 - (iv) decoding words using advanced knowledge of the influence of prefixes and suffixes on base words; and
 - (v) identifying and reading high-frequency words from a research-based list;
 - (B) demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by:

- (i) spelling multisyllabic words with closed syllables; open syllables; VCe syllables; vowel teams, including digraphs and diphthongs; r-controlled syllables; and final stable syllables;
- (ii) spelling words with consonant changes, including/t/ to/sh/ such as in select and selection and/k/ to/sh/ such as music and musician;
- (iii) spelling multisyllabic words with multiple sound-spelling patterns;
- (iv) spelling words using advanced knowledge of syllable division patterns;
- (v) spelling words using knowledge of prefixes; and
- (vi) spelling words using knowledge of suffixes, including how they can change base words such as dropping e, changing y to i, and doubling final consonants; and
- (C) write legibly in cursive. Note: Must be directed by teacher.
- (3) Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking--vocabulary. The student uses newly acquired vocabulary expressively. The student is expected to:
 - (A) use print or digital resources to determine meaning, syllabication, pronunciation, and word origin;
 - (B) use context within and beyond a sentence to determine the relevant meaning of unfamiliar words or multiple-meaning words;
 - (C) identify the meaning of and use words with affixes such as trans-, super-, -ive, and -logy and roots such as geo and photo; and
 - (D) identify, use, and explain the meaning of adages and puns.
- (4) Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking--fluency. The student reads grade-level text with fluency and comprehension. The student is expected to use appropriate fluency (rate, accuracy, and prosody) when reading grade-level text.
- (5) Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking--self-sustained reading. The student reads grade-appropriate texts independently. The student is expected to self-select text and read independently for a sustained period of time.

- (6) Comprehension skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student uses metacognitive skills to both develop and deepen comprehension of increasingly complex texts. The student is expected to:
 - (A) establish purpose for reading assigned and self-selected texts;
 - (B) generate questions about text before, during, and after reading to deepen understanding and gain information;
 - (C) make, correct, or confirm predictions using text features, characteristics of genre, and structures;
 - (D) create mental images to deepen understanding;
 - (E) make connections to personal experiences, ideas in other texts, and society;
 - (F) make inferences and use evidence to support understanding;
 - (G) evaluate details read to determine key ideas;
 - (H) synthesize information to create new understanding; and
 - (I) monitor comprehension and make adjustments such as re-reading, using background knowledge, asking questions, and annotating when understanding breaks down.
- (7) Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
 - (A) describe personal connections to a variety of sources, including self-selected texts;
 - (B) write responses that demonstrate understanding of texts, including comparing and contrasting ideas across a variety of sources;
 - (C) use text evidence to support an appropriate response;
 - (D) retell, paraphrase, or summarize texts in ways that maintain meaning and logical order;
 - (E) interact with sources in meaningful ways such as notetaking, annotating, freewriting, or illustrating;
 - (F) respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate; and

- (G) discuss specific ideas in the text that are important to the meaning.
- (8) Multiple genres: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts-literary elements. The student recognizes and analyzes literary elements within and across increasingly complex traditional, contemporary, classical, and diverse literary texts. The student is expected to:
 - (A) infer multiple themes within a text using text evidence;
 - (B) analyze the relationships of and conflicts among the characters;
 - (C) analyze plot elements, including rising action, climax, falling action, and resolution; and
 - (D) analyze the influence of the setting, including historical and cultural settings, on the plot.
- (9) Multiple genres: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts-genres. The student recognizes and analyzes genre-specific characteristics, structures, and purposes within and across increasingly complex traditional, contemporary, classical, and diverse texts. The student is expected to:
 - (A) demonstrate knowledge of distinguishing characteristics of well-known children's literature such as folktales, fables, legends, myths, and tall tales;
 - (B) explain the use of sound devices and figurative language and distinguish between the poet and the speaker in poems across a variety of poetic forms;
 - (C) explain structure in drama such as character tags, acts, scenes, and stage directions;
 - (D) recognize characteristics and structures of informational text, including:
 - (i) the central idea with supporting evidence;
 - (ii) features such as insets, timelines, and sidebars to support understanding; and
 - (iii) organizational patterns such as logical order and order of importance;
 - (E) recognize characteristics and structures of argumentative text by:
 - (i) identifying the claim;
 - (ii) explaining how the author has used facts for or against an argument; and

- (iii) identifying the intended audience or reader; and
- (F) recognize characteristics of multimodal and digital texts.
- (10) Author's purpose and craft: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student uses critical inquiry to analyze the authors' choices and how they influence and communicate meaning within a variety of texts. The student analyzes and applies author's craft purposefully in order to develop his or her own products and performances. The student is expected to:
 - (A) explain the author's purpose and message within a text;
 - (B) analyze how the use of text structure contributes to the author's purpose;
 - (C) analyze the author's use of print and graphic features to achieve specific purposes;
 - (D) describe how the author's use of imagery, literal and figurative language such as simile and metaphor, and sound devices achieves specific purposes;
 - (E) identify and understand the use of literary devices, including first- or third-person point of view;
 - (F) examine how the author's use of language contributes to voice; and
 - (G) explain the purpose of hyperbole, stereotyping, and anecdote.
- (11) Composition: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts-writing process. The student uses the writing process recursively to compose multiple texts that are legible and uses appropriate conventions. The student is expected to:
 - (A) plan a first draft by selecting a genre for a particular topic, purpose, and audience using a range of strategies such as brainstorming, freewriting, and mapping;
 - (B) develop drafts into a focused, structured, and coherent piece of writing by:
 - (i) organizing with purposeful structure, including an introduction, transitions, and a conclusion; and
 - (ii) developing an engaging idea reflecting depth of thought with specific facts and details;
 - (C) revise drafts to improve sentence structure and word choice by adding, deleting, combining, and rearranging ideas for coherence and clarity;

- (D) edit drafts using standard English conventions, including:
 - (i) complete simple and compound sentences with subject-verb agreement and avoidance of splices, run-ons, and fragments;
 - (ii) past tense of irregular verbs;
 - (iii) collective nouns;
 - (iv) adjectives, including their comparative and superlative forms;
 - (v) conjunctive adverbs;
 - (vi) prepositions and prepositional phrases and their influence on subject-verb agreement;
 - (vii) pronouns, including indefinite;
 - (viii) subordinating conjunctions to form complex sentences;
 - (ix) capitalization of abbreviations, initials, acronyms, and organizations;
 - (x) punctuation marks, including commas in compound and complex sentences, quotation marks in dialogue, and italics and underlining for titles and emphasis; and
 - (xi) correct spelling of words with grade-appropriate orthographic patterns and rules and high-frequency words; and
- (E) publish written work for appropriate audiences.
- (12) Composition: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts-genres. The student uses genre characteristics and craft to compose multiple texts that are meaningful. The student is expected to:
 - (A) compose literary texts such as personal narratives, fiction, and poetry using genre characteristics and craft;
 - (B) compose informational texts, including brief compositions that convey information about a topic, using a clear central idea and genre characteristics and craft;
 - (C) compose argumentative texts, including opinion essays, using genre characteristics and craft; and

- (D) compose correspondence that requests information.
- (13) Inquiry and research: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student engages in both short-term and sustained recursive inquiry processes for a variety of purposes. The student is expected to:
 - (A) generate and clarify questions on a topic for formal and informal inquiry;
 - (B) develop and follow a research plan with adult assistance;
 - (C) identify and gather relevant information from a variety of sources;
 - (D) understand credibility of primary and secondary sources;
 - (E) demonstrate understanding of information gathered;
 - (F) differentiate between paraphrasing and plagiarism when using source materials;
 - (G) develop a bibliography; and
 - (H) use an appropriate mode of delivery, whether written, oral, or multimodal, to present results.

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TEKS Alignment

Scope and Sequence for 5th Grade

Introductory Six Traits Lessons

Six lessons for introducing the Six Traits of Writing:

Idea, Organization, Voice, Word Choice, Sentence Fluency, and Conventions

Personal Narrative

| Lesson | Objective & TEKS |
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| Lesson 1 | > Students will understand the narrative genre. |
| | > Students will choose an event/situation for their narrative. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 6 A, C, E, G, I, 10 A, 11 A, 12 A |
| Lesson 2 | > Students will understand multiple points of view. |
| | > Students will write their essay in first person. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 6 A, C, 11 A, 12 A |
| Lesson 3 | > Students will identify their intended audience as they write their narrative. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 11 A, 12 A |
| Lesson 4 | > Students will establish the mood and tone for their narrative. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 6 D, 11 C, 12 A |
| Lesson 5 | > Students will organize the events in their narrative and show control over time and pacing. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 10 E, 11 A, 12 A |
| Lesson 6 | > Students will write an engaging introduction. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 11 A, 12 A |
| Lesson 7 | > Students will compose a rough draft using their outline as a guide. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 2 A-B, 4, 5, 11 A-B, 12 A |
| Lesson 8 | > Students will write a reflective close. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 11 A-B, 12 A |

| Lesson 9 | Students will use key strategies to develop characters and events in their narrative. TEKS |
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| | > 2 A-B, 6 D, 8 A, 10 D, 11 C, 12 A |
| Lesson 10 | > Students will use key strategies to develop characters and events in their narratives. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 2 A-B, 6 D, 8 A, 10 D, 11 C, 12 A |
| Lesson 11 | Students will use figurative language effectively in their narrative. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 9 B, 10 F, 11 C, 12 A |
| Lesson 12 | Students will use transitions effectively. |
| | Students will vary the beginning of sentences. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 11 C, 12 A |
| Lesson 13 | ➤ Students will revise their narratives using the rubric. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 1 A-B, 2 A, 4, 5, 6 A, 11 D-E, 12 A |
| Lesson 14 | > Students will edit their narrative. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 1 A-B, D, 2 A, 4, 5, 6 A, 11 D-E, 12 A |
| Assessment | > Students will write a personal narrative that reflects what they learned during the Personal Narrative |
| | Unit. The narrative will include everything on the Genre Chart and will be completed in one sitting. |
| | TEKS |
| | ► 1 A-B, 2 A-B, 4, 5, 6 D, 9 B, 11, 12A |

Summary of an Informative Text

| Lesson | Objective & TEKS |
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| Lesson 1 | > Students will understand the purpose of summary writing. |
| | Students will understand the differences and similarities between summarizing narratives and summarizing informational texts. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 6 A, C, F-G, I, 9 D ii, 11 A, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 2 | Students will understand how organizational structure affects purpose in writing. Students will identify the organizational structure in the article they are reading. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 6 A, C, 9 D, 10 A-C, E, 11 A, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 3 | > Students will distinguish main ideas from trivial |
| | information. |
| | Students will identify the main ideas in each paragraph of the article they are reading. TEKS |

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| | > 2 A, 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 F-G, I, 7 B-C, E, 9 Di-ii, 10 A-C, 11 A, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 4 | Students will understand central idea and its function in an article or essay. |
| | > Students will identify the central idea in the article they are reading. |
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| | > 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 F, G, I, 7 C-G, 9 Di, 11 A, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 5 | > Students will understand how to use their outlines to compose their rough drafts. |
| | > Students will compose the rough draft of their summary. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 2 A D 4 5 7 C C 11 A D 12 D 12 D E |
| Lesson 6 | 2 A-B, 4, 5, 7 C-G, 11 A-B, 12 B, 13 B, E Students will understand the strategies used to write a conclusion. |
| Lesson o | Students will write the conclusion to their summary. |
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| | 7 C-D, f-G, 11 A-B, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 7 | > Students will understand the necessity of using their own words when writing. |
| | Students will practice paraphrasing idioms. TEKS |
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| | > 4, 5, 6 G-H, 7 C-D, G, 11 B, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 8 | > Students will understand the importance and purpose of academic language. |
| | > Students will replace common words with academic language |
| | TEKS |
| | > 3 A-B, 7 F, 11 B, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 9 | > Students will use transitions effectively. |
| | > Students will vary the beginning of sentences. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 11 B, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 10 | Students will revise their essays using the rubric. |
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| T 11 | ► 1 A-B, D, 2 A, 4, 5, 6 G-I, 11 C, 12 B, 13 B, E |
| Lesson 11 | > Students will edit their essays. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 1 A-B, D, 2 A, 4, 5 |
| Assessment | > Students will write a summary of an informational text that reflects what they learned during |
| | the Summary: Informational Unit. The summary should include everything on the Genre |
| | Chart and will be completed in one sitting. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 1 A-B, 2 A-B, 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 A-C, F-I, 7 C-G, 9 D, 10 A-E, 11, 12 B, 13 B, E |
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Informative: Classification

| Lesson | Objective & TEKS |
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| Lesson 1 | > Students will understand the purpose of informational writing. |
| | > Students will understand the organizational structure of classification. |
| | > Students will understand the purpose for their essay. |
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| | > 6 A, C, 9 D, 10 E, 11 A, 12 B, 13 A-B, |
| Lesson 2 | > Students will distinguish between credible sources and unreliable sources. |
| | TEKS |
| Lesson 3 | 6 B, E-F, I, 4, 5, 9 F, 12 B, 13 D Students will take notes using note cards for their essay. |
| Lesson 5 | Students will document all their sources as they conduct their research. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 A-C, 6 F-I, 7 C-G, 9 D, 10 E, 11 A, 12 B |
| Lesson 4 | > Students will understand the purpose of a thesis. |
| | > Students will write a thesis for their essay. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 4, 5, 6, F-I, 7 C-G, 9 D, 10 A-C, E, 11 B, 12 B, 13 E |
| Lesson 5 | > Students will understand the purpose and benefit of creating an outline. |
| | > Students will organize their notes into an outline. |
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| Lesson 6 | 4, 5, 6 F-I, 7 C-G, 11 A-B, 12 B, 13 B-C, E Students will understand the importance of engaging the reader. |
| Lesson 0 | Students will understand the importance of engaging the reader. Students will write an engaging introduction. |
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| | ► 6 A, C, E-F, 11 B, 12 B |
| Lesson 7 | > Students will understand how to use their outlines to compose their rough drafts. |
| | Students will compose the rough draft of their essay. |
| | TEKS |
| | ► 6 A, C, E-F, H, 7 C-D, G, 11 B, 12 B, 13 E |
| Lesson 8 | Students will understand the strategies used to write a conclusion. |
| | > Students will write the conclusion to their essay. |
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| | > 11 B-C, 13 E, 12 B |
| Lesson 9 | Students will continue to develop their essays using various strategies. |
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| Lesson 10 | 11 B-C, 12 B, 13 E Students will understand when and how to use parenthetical citations. |
| Lesson 10 | Students will understand when and now to use pareitherical citations. Students will understand and begin to embed quotations in their essays. |
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| | > 11 C, D ix-x, 12 B, 13 G |
| Lesson 11 | > Students will understand the importance and purpose of academic language and discipline- |
| | specific language. |
| | > Students will replace common words with academic or discipline-specific words. |

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| | > 7 F, 11 C, 12 B |
| Lesson 12 | Students will use transitions effectively. |
| | Students will vary the beginning of sentences. |
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| | ► 11 C, 12 B |
| Lesson 13 | > Students will understand how illustrations can help aid comprehension. |
| | Students will incorporate illustrations in their essay. |
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| Lesson 14 | > 9 D ii, 12 B |
| Lesson 14 | Students will revise their essays using the rubric.TEKS |
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| | > 1 A-B, D, 2 A, 4, 5, 6 G, I, 7 G, 11 C, 12 B |
| Lesson 15 | Students will edit their essays. |
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| | ➤ 1 A-B, D, 2 A, 4, 5, 11 D, 12 B |
| Lesson 16 | > Students will apply MLA format to the final draft of their essays. |
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| | > 11 D, E, 12 B |
| Assessment | > Students will write an informational essay that reflects what they learned during the |
| | Classification Unit. |
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| | ➤ 1 A-B, 2 A-B, 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 A-C, E-I, 7 C-G, 9 D, 10 A-C, E, 11, 12 B, 13 A-H |

Opinion

| Lesson | Objective & TEKS |
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| Lesson 1 | > Students will understand the purpose of opinion writing. |
| | > Students will understand the purpose for writing an opinion. |
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| | ► 6 A, C, 9 E, 11 A, 12 C, 13 A-B |
| Lesson 2 | > Students will distinguish between credible sources and unreliable sources. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 B, E-F, I, 7 A-G 9 E ii, F, 12 C, 13 D |
| Lesson 3 | > Students will take notes using note cards for their essay. |
| | > Students will document all their sources as they conduct their research. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 3 A-B, 4, 5, 7 A-G, 9 E i-ii, 12 C, 13 A-G |
| Lesson 4 | > Students will understand the purpose of a thesis. |
| | > Students will write a thesis for their essay. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 4, 5, 7 A-I, 9 E, 11 A, 12 C, 13 A-C, E |

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| Lesson 5 | Students will understand the purpose and benefit of creating an outline. |
| | > Students will organize their notes into an outline. |
| | TEKS |
| | > 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 F-I 7 E, 9 E i-ii, 11 A, 12 C, 13 B-C |
| Lesson 6 | Students will understand the importance of considering their audience and anticipating |
| 2000110 | counterclaims. |
| | Students will identify possible counterclaims and write a rebuttal. |
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| | ► 6 E, F, H, 7 B-E, 9 E iii, 7 B-E, 11 A, 12 C, 13 A-E |
| Lesson 7 | Students will understand the importance of engaging the reader. |
| | Students will write an engaging introduction. |
| | TEKS |
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| | > 11 B, 12 C |
| Lesson 8 | > Students will understand how to use their outlines to compose their rough drafts. |
| | > Students will compose the rough draft of their essay. |
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| | > 2 A-B, 4, 5, 5 G-H, 6 G-H, 7 A-G, 9 E, 11 A-B, 12 C, 13 A-F |
| Lesson 9 | Students will understand the strategies used to write a conclusion. |
| | > Students will write the conclusion to their essay. |
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| | ► 6 H, 7 B-D, 11 B, 12 C |
| Lesson 10 | Students will continue to develop reasons and evidence in their essays. |
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| | > 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 G-I, 7 A-G, 9 E, 10 A-C, 11 B, 12 C, 13 A-F |
| Lesson 11 | > Students will understand when and how to use parenthetical citations. |
| | > Students will understand and begin to embed quotations in their essays. |
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| | 12 C |
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| Lesson 12 | > Students will understand the importance and purpose of academic language and discipline-specific |
| | language. |
| | > Students will replace common words with academic or discipline-specific words. |
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| | > 3 A-B, 7 F, 10 F, 11 C, 12 C |
| Lesson 13 | > Students will use transitions effectively. |
| Zessui is | Students will vary the beginning of sentences. |
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| | > 11 C, 12 C |
| Lesson 14 | Students will revise their essays using the rubric. |
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| | > 1 A-B, D, 2 A, 6 I, 7 G, 9 E, 11 C, 12 C, 13 A-F |
| Lesson 15 | > Students will edit their essays. |
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| | > 1 A-B, D, 2 A, 11 D-E, 12 C |
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| Lesson 16 | > Students will apply MLA format to the final draft of their essays. |
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| | ➤ 12 D |
| Assessment | > Students will write an opinion essay that reflects what they learned during the Opinion Unit. |
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| | ➤ 1 A-B, 2 A-B, 3 A-B, 4, 5, 6 A-C, F-I, 7 A-G, 9 E, 10 A-C, F, 11, 12 C, 13 A-H |

Total Number of Lessons: 67