## Second Nine Weeks ELA Curriculum Map – Sixth Grade

WEEK	Sitton Spelling	Interactive Read Aloud Literature Circles Guided Reading	Content Literacy	Writing Workshop Book 2: Argumentative
Oct. 9-12	Unit 10	Target which RL and RI standards to reteach after analyzing the results from the first benchmark assessment. RI 6.1	Lesson 1 Keep the Big Ideas in Mind (Synthesize details to get the big picture) Lesson 2 Distinguish Between Complex and Simple Ideas (Think about real-life problems)	Lesson 1 Essay Boot Camp Lesson 2 Growing Big Ideas from Details about Characters Lesson 3 Writing to Discover What a Character Really Wants Lesson 4 Crafting Claims
Oct. 15-19	Unit 11	RL 6.1 RI 6.2 RL.6.2 RI 6.3 RL.6.3 RI.6.4	Lesson 3 Make Sense of Infographics (Read text closely to get the big idea) Lesson 4 Infer from Infographics (View closely to analyze graphics and discern complexity)	Lesson 5 Conveying Evidence: Summarizing, Storytelling, and Quoting Lesson 6 Studying a Mentor Text to Construct Literary Essays Lesson 7 Revising Essays to Be Sure You Analyze as Well as Cite Text Evidence Lesson 8 Looking for Themes in the Trouble of a Text
Oct. 22-26	Unit 12	RL.6.4 RI.6.5 RL.6.5 RI.6.6 RL.6.6 RI.6.7	Lesson 5 Notice Contradictory Information (Research conflicting facts to resolve contradictions) Lesson 6 Use Parallel Annotation (Synthesize important information and jot down thinking)	Lesson 9 Drafting Using All that You Know Lesson 10 First Impression and Closing Remarks Lesson 11 Quoting Texts Lesson 12 Editing Inquiry Centers
Oct. 29-Nov. 2	Unit 13	RL.6.7 RI.6.8 RI.6.8 RI 6.9 RL.6.9 RI.6.10 RL6.10	Lesson 7 Attend to Signal Words and Phrases (Recognize these cues and understand their purposes) Lesson 8 Organize Your Thinking (Analyze information to discern causes and effects)	Lesson 13 Building the Muscles to Compare and Contrast Lesson 14 Comparing and Contrasting Themes across Texts Lesson 15 Applying What You Have Learned in the Past to Today's Revision Work Lesson 16 Identifying Run-Ons and Sentence Fragments Lesson 17 Celebrating Literary Essays
Nov. 5-9	Unit 14		Lesson 9 Identify Issues (Synthesize information to explore complex ideas) Lesson 10 Collaborate to Learn (Jigsaw to synthesize and discuss big ideas)	Argumentative Prompt Writing

		Lesson 11	Argumentative Prompt Writing
		Explore Concepts in Multiple Media	
	Unit 15	(Synthesize information from video, text, and graphics	
		Lesson 12	
Nov. 12-16		Read Complex Text Closely	
		(Focus on what you know; ask guestions to infer and understand	
		Lesson 13	
		Immerse Yourself in Sources	
		(Explore images and text to understand historical events	
		Lesson 14	Argumentative Prompt Writing
		Recognize Perspectives	
		(Understand different points of view)	
		Lesson 15	
		Form an Educated Opinion	
Nov. 26-30	Unit 16	(Discern the difference between an opinion and an informed	
		opinion)	
		Lesson 16	
		Debate an Issue	
		(Use evidence to support your claim)	
	Unit 17	Lesson 17	Argumentative Prompt Writing
		Examine Evidence	
		(Evaluate the credibility of sources)	
		Lesson 18	
Dec. 3-7		Recognize Persuasion	
		(Identify purpose and evaluate evidence)	
		Lesson 19	
		Ask Questions to Read Critically	
		(Use the Definition/Consequence/Action question framework	
	Unit 18	Lesson 20	Argumentative Prompt Writing
Dec.10-14		Interview an Expert	
		(Question an author)	