

## 7th Grade Curriculum Map 2015-2016

Weeks	Unit	Standards	Essential Questions	Vocabulary
1 2 3 4 5 6	Structure of Literature	7.4 7.5 RI 7.5 W 7.3	How are different forms of writing different in structure? How are the forms similar? What are text structures? How do I recognize these structures? How do these structures help me as a writer, reader? What are text features?	Text Structure Text Feature Headings,etc... Stanza Paragraph Subject/predicate Central Idea Topic Sentence Supporting Sentence Transition Closing sentence Introduction/lead Chronological Sequential Cause/effect Problem/solution Descriptive Thesis
7 8 9 10 11 12	Historical Perspectives	7.9 7.5 7.7 RI 7.5	How does history shape literature? How can writers use history in their writing? How can I recognize historical fiction? What literary element is most important? What forms can use this genre?	Central Idea Theme Symbol Character Setting Interact Genre Tone Mood Figurative Language Speaker
13 14 15 16 17 18	Fiction/Non-fiction	RL 7.2 RL 7.3 7.4 RI 7.5	What are the elements of literature? How are the elements used in fiction/nonfiction? How do the elements interact to change the plot? How are the elements used by the author?	Figurative Language Literal Language Connotation Denotation Personification Facts/details Theme Plot Setting Conflict Narrator Central idea

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19	Persuasion	RL7.1	What techniques and methods do authors use to persuade?	Argument
20		RL7.4		Persuasion
21		RI7.1		Claim
22		RI 7.4		Literal/figurative
23		7.8		language
24		7.9 W 7.1		Adequate Valid Validity Textual evidence Position Relevant Support Fact/opinion Credibility Central idea
25	Authors Point of View	RL 7.6	What is connotation/denotation? How can I tell POV? How is POV different in fiction and non-fiction? How can I know an author's POV?	Textual evidence
26		7.1		First,second,third person
27		7.4		3 <sup>rd</sup> person limited
28		RI 7.5		3 <sup>rd</sup> person omniscient
29		7.9		Speaker
30		W 7.1		Narrator Determine Explain Central idea