MCS Advanced Composition Subject Group Overview

New Georgia ELA K-12 Language and Texts Big Ideas:

Context: Students recognize influences on texts and analyze how they shape meaning.

Structures & Style: Students analyze and use organizational structures and style to shape ideas and information.

Techniques: Students analyze and apply various techniques to comprehend and shape meaning.

Periods & Movement: Students demonstrate knowledge of dominant themes, genres, and verbal styles of literature from a particular time period.

Research & Analysis: Students use, discuss, analyze, and curate texts as they engage in various conversations, activities, and projects about a range of grade-level texts and topics.

Grammar Conventions: Students observe, analyze, and use the structures and conventions of Standard English grammar, usage, and mechanics as they interpret and construct texts.

<u>Vocabulary:</u> Students engage in a wide range of written and spoken activities during which they expand and deepen their vocabularies, build word analysis skillsets (morphology), and determine or clarify the meanings of words and phrases.

<u>Practices:</u> Students engage routinely in four literacy practices that ground, shape, and inform the expectations of the Foundations, Language, and Texts domains.

Unit Information	Unit 1: Reader & Writer Identity: Text Techniques	Unit 2: "Who Are You & Where Are You Going?" Merging Techniques in Non-Fiction	Unit 3: Research and Argumentation through Multimodal Texts	Unit 4: Critical & Literary Analysis	Unit 5: "Technically Speaking" - Technical Writing and Communication
Time Frame	2 weeks	4 weeks	12 weeks	9 weeks	9 weeks
New K-12 ELA Standards	Techniques	Context	Context	Context	Context
	Narrative Techniques	Purpose & Audience	Purpose & Audiences	Purposes & Audiences	Purposes & Audiences
Big Idea	12.T.T.1 (a, e)	12.T.C.1 (b, c)	12.T.C.1 (a,, c)	12.T.C.1 (a, b)	12.T.C.1 (a, b)
Standard Topic Grade Level Expectation Code for Interpreting + Constructing Texts	Expository Techniques	Authors and Speakers	Authors and Speakers	Authors and Speakers	Authors and Speakers
	12.T.T.2 (a, d)	12.T.C.2 (a)	12.T.C.2 (a, b, c, d)	12.T.C.2 (c, d)	12.T.C.2 (b, c, d)
	Argumentative Techniques				
	12.T.T.3 (a, c)	Structures & Style	Structures & Style	Structures & Style	Structures & Style
	<u>Poetic Techniques</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Organization</u>	Organization	<u>Organization</u>
4 Key Literacy Practices ground, shape, and	12.T.T.4 (a, b)	12.T.SS.1 (a, b, c)	12.T.SS.1 (a, c, d)	12.T.SS.1 (a, d)	12.T.SS.1 (a, b, c, d)
inform the Language and Texts Domain		<u>Craft</u>	<u>Craft</u>	<u>Craft</u>	<u>Craft</u>
standards and grade level expectations:	Context	12.T.SS.2 (a,b)	12.T.SS.2 (a, c)	12.T.SS.2 (a,b, c)	12.T.SS.2 (c)
	Purpose & Audience				
1. Engagement & Intention for Comprehension	12.T.C.1 (b, c)	Techniques	Techniques	Techniques	Techniques
& Composition		Narrative Techniques	Narrative Techniques	Narrative Techniques	Narrative Techniques
2. Situating Texts	Grammar Conventions	12.T.T.1 (a, b, c e)	12.T.T.1 (b, d)	12.T.T.1 (a, b, c, e)	12.T.T.1 (a, b)
3. Author's Craft	Grammar, Usage, and Mechanics	Expository Techniques	12.T.T.1 (b, d, e)*	12.T.T.1 (a, b, c, d, e)*	Expository Techniques
	K-12.L.GC.1.47	12.T.T.2.(a, d)	Expository Techniques	Expository Techniques	12.T.T.2.(b, d)
4. Collaboration & Presentation	K-12.L.GC.1.50	<u>Poetic Techniques</u>	12.T.T.2.(b, d)	12.T.T.2.(a ,d)	<u>Poetic Techniques</u>
Specific decisions regarding Practice Usage will	<u>Syntax</u>	12.T.T.4. (a, b)	Argument Techniques	Argument Techniques	12.T.T.4. (a, b)
be identified in Unit Planners.	12.L.GC.2.(b)		12.T.T.3 (a, b, c)	12.T.T.3 (c, d)	
		Periods & Movements	12.T.T.3 (a, b, c, d)*	Poetic Techniques	Research & Analysis
MYP Criteria:		12.T.PM.1 (a, b)	<u>Poetic Techniques</u>	12.T.T.4. (a, b)	Research & Inquiry
A- Analyzing			12.T.T.4. (a, b)		12.T.RA.1 (a, b, c)
B- Organizing		Research & Analysis		Periods &	12.T.RA.2 (b)
C- Producing Text		Research & Inquiry	Research & Analysis	Movements	
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D- Using Language			12.T.RA.1 (a, b, c)		Syntax			
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		Grammar, Usage, & Mechanics		Conventions				
		K-12.L.GC.1.60	Grammar Conventions	Syntax	Vocabulary			
			Syntax	12.L.GC.2.(a, b, d, e)	General, Academic & Specialized			
		Grammar Conventions	12.L.GC.2.(b, c, d)	12.L.GC.2.(a, b, c, d,	Vocabulary			
		<u>Syntax</u>		e)*	9-12.L.V.1 (a, b)			
		12.L.GC.2.(a, b)	Vocabulary		Word Analysis			
			General, Academic &	Vocabulary	9-12.L.V.2 (a-d)			
		Vocabulary	Specialized Vocabulary	General, Academic &	Meaning & Purpose			
		General, Academic & Specialized	12.L.V.1 (a, b)	Specialized	9-12.L.V.3 (b-e)			
		<u>Vocabulary</u>	<u>Word Analysis</u>	<u>Vocabulary</u>				
		12.L.V.1 (a, b)	12.L.V.2 (b, d)	9-12.L.V.1 (a, b)				
		Word Analysis	Meaning & Purpose	Word Analysis				
		12.L.V.2 (b, d)	12.L.V.3 (b, c, e)	9-12.L.V.2 (a-d)				
		Meaning & Purpose		Meaning & Purpose				
		12.L.V.3 (e)		9-12.L.V.3 (b)				
		12.L.V.3 (c, e)						
Unit Common Assessment Types for	Each unit includes the following assessment types. Students will interpret unit texts of various modes and genres through reading, viewing, and listening.							
Interpreting and Constructing Texts	Students will construct texts through writing, speaking, or creating .							
Expectations	Text Techniques (narrative, expository, argument, and poetic) will be applied to the various texts students will write, speak, or create. Students will also							
	construct multimodal texts.							
	3- 6 constructed texts (at least 1 of which is an extended constructed text)							
	2 student discourse assessments (interacting, speaking and listening, using academic language to discuss and analyze)							
	2 selected response and new read assessments for skills application to new text (s)							
	1 MYP Task or Performance Task (project, presentation, etc. with integrated writing/creating and presenting/speaking component assessing the 4							
	MYP Criteria) .							
	*See Unit Planners for specific Assessment Details for each unit.							
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^{*} Additional standards and expectations in this unit of study for Honors/advanced courses.