

Main Criteria: National Theatre for Children
Secondary Criteria: Pennsylvania Core and Academic Standards, Common Core State Standards
Subject: Language Arts
Grades: 3, 4, 5

National Theatre for Children

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Common Core State Standards

Language Arts

Grade 3 - Adopted: 2010

STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3.10	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2-3 text complexity band independently and proficiently.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.3	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.3.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.3.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion).
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL	Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and

	A-Literacy.S L.3.1c	link their comments to the remarks of others.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1d	Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.2	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.3	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3.5	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3.5b	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful).
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3.6	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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Language Arts

Grade 4 - Adopted: 2010

STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words or phrases in a text relevant to a grade 4 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R	By the end of year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, in the grades 4-5 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.

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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1c	Pose and respond to specific questions to clarify or follow up on information, and make comments that contribute to the discussion and link to the remarks of others.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1d	Review the key ideas expressed and explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.2	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.6	Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion); use formal English when appropriate to task and situation. (See grade 4 Language standards 1 on page 28 for specific expectations.)
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCSS.EL	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or

	A-Literacy.L.4.3	listening.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L.4.3c	Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion).
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L.4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L.4.6	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).

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Language Arts

Grade 5 - Adopted: 2010

STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5.10	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 4-5 text complexity band independently and proficiently.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.5	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.5.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.5.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.

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EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1c	Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and elaborate on the remarks of others.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.2	Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .5	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .5.6	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).

Pennsylvania Core and Academic Standards

Language Arts

Grade 3 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 1.3.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.3. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.3. E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3. K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3. L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.

STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3. I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3. A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3. B.	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Evaluating Information
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3. C.	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate detail.

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Language Arts

Grade 4 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.1.4.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.4. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.4. E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

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STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4. F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4. I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.4.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4. A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.4.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4. B.	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

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Grade 5 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 1.5.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD		Fluency

AREA / STATEMENT		
STANDARD	CC.1.1.5. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.5. E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5. I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5. A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5. B.	Summarize the main points of written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

Identifying dangerous electrical situations

Grade 3 - Adopted: 2010

STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R I.3	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R I.3.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R I.3	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
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CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.3.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.3.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
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EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1c	Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1d	Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information

	A-Literacy.S L.3.2	presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.3	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.
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STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3.5	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3.5b	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful).
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CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3.6	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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CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.

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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
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STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4.3	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4.3c	Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion).
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
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Grade 5 - Adopted: 2010

STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5.10	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 4-5 text complexity band independently and proficiently.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.5	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.5.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.5.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5.1c	Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and elaborate on the remarks of others.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY /		Comprehension and Collaboration

CLUSTER		
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.2	Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .5	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .5.6	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).

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Grade 3 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 1.3.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.3. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.3. E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3. K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3. L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3. I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal

		relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3.A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3.B.	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Evaluating Information
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3.C.	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate detail.

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Grade 4 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.1.4.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.4.E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.4.E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading

STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4.F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4.I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.4.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4.A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.4.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4.B.	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

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SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.1.5.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.5.E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.5.E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition,

		and other logical relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5.K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5.L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5.I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5.A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5.B.	Summarize the main points of written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R	Reading Standards for Informational Text

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CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3.10	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2-3 text complexity band independently and proficiently.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.3	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.3.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.3.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion).
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1c	Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.1d	Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.2	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.3.3	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .3	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.

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EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L.3.5b	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful).
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L.3	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L.3.6	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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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words or phrases in a text relevant to a grade 4 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4.10	By the end of year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, in the grades 4-5 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.

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EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.4.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.4.1c	Pose and respond to specific questions to clarify or follow up on information, and make comments that contribute to the discussion and link to the remarks of others.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.4.1d	Review the key ideas expressed and explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.4.2	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.4.6	Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion); use formal English when appropriate to task and situation. (See grade 4 Language standards 1 on page 28 for specific expectations.)
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .4.3	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .4.3c	Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion).
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .4.6	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).

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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure

STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R I.5.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R I.5.10	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 4-5 text complexity band independently and proficiently.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.5	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.5.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.5.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1c	Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and elaborate on the remarks of others.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.2	Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .5	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).

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SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.1.3.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.3.E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.3.E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3.K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3.L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3.I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3.A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening

STATEMENT		
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3. B.	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Evaluating Information
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3. C.	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate detail.

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Grade 4 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 1.4.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.4. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.4. E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4. L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4. F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies

AREA / STATEMENT		
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4. I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.4.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4. A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.4.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4. B.	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

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SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 1.5.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.5. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.5. E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas

AREA		and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5. I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5. A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5. B.	Summarize the main points of written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.3.10	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2-3 text complexity band independently and proficiently.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.3	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.

	Literacy.R F.3.4	
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.3.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion).
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1c	Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.1d	Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.2	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.3.3	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .3	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .3.5	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .3.5b	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful).
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .3	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L	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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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words or phrases in a text relevant to a grade 4 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.4.10	By the end of year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, in the grades 4-5 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R F.4.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1c	Pose and respond to specific questions to clarify or follow up on information, and make comments that contribute to the discussion and link to the remarks of others.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.1d	Review the key ideas expressed and explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S	Speaking and Listening Standards

	L.4	
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.2	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.S L.4.6	Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion); use formal English when appropriate to task and situation. (See grade 4 Language standards 1 on page 28 for specific expectations.)
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4.3	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4.3c	Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion).
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.L .4.6	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).

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STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5.4	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5	Reading Standards for Informational Text
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A-Literacy.R I.5.10	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 4-5 text complexity band independently and proficiently.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A-	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills

	Literacy.R F.5	
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Fluency
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.5.4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.R F.5.4a	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1a	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1b	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.
EXPECTATION	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.1c	Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and elaborate on the remarks of others.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5	Speaking and Listening Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Comprehension and Collaboration
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.S L.5.2	Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
STRAND / DOMAIN	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .5	Language Standards
CATEGORY / CLUSTER		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCSS.EL A- Literacy.L .5.6	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).

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Grade 3 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 1.3.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.3. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR /	CC.1.1.3.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.

STANDARD	E.1.	
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3.K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.3.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.3.L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3.I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.3.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.3.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3.A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3.B.	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.5.3.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Evaluating Information
STANDARD	CC.1.5.3.C.	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate detail.

Grade 4 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.1.4.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.4.E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.4.E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.4.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.4.L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Craft and Structure: Vocabulary
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4.F.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in grade-level text, including figurative language.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4.I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.4.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.4.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being and that are basic to a particular topic.
SUBJECT /	PA.CC.1.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking

STANDARD AREA	5.4.	situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4. A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.4.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.4. B.	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

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SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 1.5.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Fluency
STANDARD	CC.1.1.5. E.	Read with accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.5. E.1.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships.
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. K.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 2.5.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Range of Reading
STANDARD	CC.1.2.5. L.	Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use: Strategies
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5. I.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 3.5.	Reading Literature: Students read and respond to works of literature—with emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.5. J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition,

		and other logical relationships.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Collaborative Discussion
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5. A.	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1. 5.5.	Speaking and Listening: Students present appropriately in formal speaking situations, listen critically, and respond intelligently as individuals or in group discussions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Comprehension and Collaboration: Critical Listening
STANDARD	CC.1.5.5. B.	Summarize the main points of written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.