| Word Recognition, Fluency and | Standards |
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| Vocabulary (WRFV) | |
| LA.5.WRFV.1 | Read aloud grade-level-appropriate narrative text (stories) and expository text (information) fluently and accurately and with appropriate timing, changes in voice, and expression. |
| LA.5.WRFV.2 | Use word origins to determine the meaning of unknown words. |
| LA.5.WRFV.3 | Understand and explain frequently used synonyms (words with the same meaning), antonyms (words with opposite meaning), and homographs (words that are spelled the same but have different meanings). |
| LA.5.WRFV.4 | Know less common roots (graph = writing, logos = the study of) and word parts (auto = self, bio = life) from Greek and Latin and use this knowledge to analyze the meaning of complex words (autograph, autobiography, biography, biology). |
| LA.5.WRFV.5 | Understand and explain the figurative use of words in similes (comparisons that use like or as: |
| LA.5.WRFV.6 | Understand unknown words by using word, sentence, and paragraph clues to determine meaning. |
| Reading Comprehension (RC) | Standards |
| LA.5.RC.1 | Use the features of informational texts, such as formats, graphics, diagrams, illustrations, charts, maps, and organization, to find information and support understanding. |
| LA.5.RC.2 | Analyze text that is organized in sequential or chronological order. |
| LA.5.RC.3 | Recognize main ideas presented in texts, identifying and assessing evidence that supports those ideas. |
| LA.5.RC.4 | Draw inferences, conclusions, or generalizations about text and support them with textual evidence and prior knowledge. |
| LA.5.RC.5 | Distinguish among facts, supported inferences, and opinions in text. |
| Literacy Resonse and Analysis (LRA) | Standards |
| LA.5.LRA.1 | Identify and analyze the characteristics of poetry, drama, fiction, and nonfiction and explain the appropriateness of the literary forms chosen by an author for a specific purpose. |
| LA.5.LRA.2 | Identify the main problem or conflict of the plot and explain how it is resolved. |
| LA.5.LRA.3 | Contrast the actions, motives, and appearances of characters in a work of fiction and discuss the importance of the contrasts to the plot or theme. |
| LA.5.LRA.4 | Understand that theme refers to the central idea or meaning of a selection and recognize themes, whether they are implied or stated directly. |
| LA.5.LRA.5 | Describe the function and effect of common literary devices, such as imagery, metaphor, and symbolism. |
| LA.5.LRA.6 | Evaluate the meaning of patterns and symbols that are found in myth and tradition by using literature from different eras and cultures. |
| LA.5.LRA.7 | Evaluate the author's use of various techniques to influence readers' perspectives. |
| LA.5.LRA.8 | Identify the speaker or narrator in a selection and tell whether the speaker or narrator is a character involved in the story. |

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| Writing Process (WP) | Standards |
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| LA.5.WP.1 | Discuss ideas for writing, keep a list or notebook of ideas, and use graphic organizers to plan writing. |
| LA.5.WP.2 | Write stories with multiple paragraphs that develop a situation or plot, describe the setting, and include an ending. |
| LA.5.WP.3 | Write informational pieces with multiple paragraphs that: • present important ideas or events in sequence or in chronological order. • provide details and transitions to link paragraphs. • offer a concluding paragraph that summarizes important ideas and details. |
| LA.5.WP.4 | Use organizational features of printed text, such as citations, endnotes, and bibliographic references, to locate relevant information. |
| LA.5.WP.5 | Use note-taking skills. |
| LA.5.WP.6 | Create simple documents using a computer and employing organizational features, such as passwords, entry and pull-down menus, word searches, the thesaurus, and spell checks. |
| LA.5.WP.7 | Use a thesaurus to identify alternative word choices and meanings. |
| LA.5.WP.8 | Review, evaluate, and revise writing for meaning and clarity. |
| LA.5.WP.9 | Proofread one's own writing, as well as that of others, using an editing checklist or set of rules, with specific examples of corrections of specific errors. |
| LA.5.WP.10 | Edit and revise writing to improve meaning and focus through adding, deleting, combining, clarifying, and rearranging words and sentences. |
| LA.5.WP.11 | Use logical organizational structures for providing information in writing, such as chronological order, cause and effect, similarity and difference, and stating and supporting a hypothesis with data |
| Writing Applications (WA) | Standards |
| LA.5.WA.1 | Write narratives (stories) that:•establish a plot, point of view, setting, and conflict.•show, rather than tell, the events of the story. |
| LA.5.WA.2 | Write responses to literature that: demonstrate an understanding of a literary work. support judgments through references to the text and to prior knowledge. develop interpretations that exhibit careful reading and understanding. |
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| LA.5.WA.3 | Write research reports about important ideas, issues, or events by using the following guidelines: Frame questions that direct the investigation. Establish a main idea or topic. Develop the topic with simple facts, details, examples, and explanations. Use a variety of information sources, including firsthand interviews, reference materials, and electronic resources, to locate information for the report. |
| LA.5.WA.3 LA.5.WA.4 LA.5.WA.5 | Write research reports about important ideas, issues, or events by using the following guidelines: Frame questions that direct the investigation. Establish a main idea or topic. Develop the topic with simple facts, details, examples, and explanations. Use a variety of information sources, including firsthand interviews, reference |

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| LA.5.WA.6 | Write for different purposes and to a specific audience or person, adjusting |
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| | tone and style as appropriate. |
| LA.5.WA.7 | Write summaries that contain the main idea of the reading selection and the |
| | most significant details. |
| English Language Conventions | Standards |
| (ELC) | |
| LA.5.ELC.1 | Identify and correctly use prepositional phrases (for school or In the |
| | beginning), appositives (We played the Cougars, the team from Newport), |
| | main clauses (words that express a complete thought), and subordinate |
| | clauses (clauses attached to the main clause in a sentence). |
| LA.5.ELC.2 | Use transitions (however, therefore, on the other hand) and conjunctions (and, |
| | or, but) to connect ideas. |
| LA.5.ELC.3 | |
| | Identify and correctly use appropriate tense (present, past, present participle, |
| | past participle) for verbs that are often misused (lie/lay, sit/set, rise/raise). |
| LA.5.ELC.4 | Identify and correctly use modifiers (words or phrases that describe, limit, or |
| | qualify another word) and pronouns (he/his, she/her, they/their, it/its). |
| LA.5.ELC.5 | |
| LA.J.LLO.J | Use a colon to separate hours and minutes (12:20 a.m., 3:40 p.m.) and to |
| | introduce a list (Do the project in this order: cut, paste, fold.); use quotation |
| | marks around the exact words of a speaker and titles of articles, poems, |
| | songs, short stories, and chapters in books; use semi-colons and commas for |
| | transitions (Time is short; however, we will still get the job done.) |
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| LA.5.ELC.6 | Use correct capitalization. |
| LA.5.ELC.7 | Spell roots or bases of words, prefixes (understood/misunderstood, |
| | excused/unexcused), suffixes (final/finally, mean/meanness), contractions (will |
| | not/won't, it is/it's, they would/they'd), and syllable constructions |
| | (in.for.ma.tion, mol.e.cule) correctly. |
| LA.5.ELC.8 | Use simple sentences (Dr. Vincent Stone is my dentist) and compound |
| | sentences (His assistant cleans my teeth, and Dr. Stone checks for cavities) in |
| | writing. |
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| Listening and Speaking (LS) | Standards |
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| LA.5.LS.1 | Ask questions that seek information not already discussed. |
| LA.5.LS.2 | Interpret a speaker's verbal and nonverbal messages, purposes, and perspectives. |
| LA.5.LS.3 | Make inferences or draw conclusions based on an oral report. |
| LA.5.LS.4 | Select a focus, organizational structure, and point of view for an oral presentation. |
| LA.5.LS.5 | Clarify and support spoken ideas with evidence and examples. |
| LA.5.LS.6 | Use volume, phrasing, timing, and gestures appropriately to enhance meaning. |
| LA.5.LS.7 | Identify, analyze, and critique persuasive techniques, including promises, dares, flattery, and generalities; identify faulty reasoning used in oral presentations and media messages. |
| LA.5.LS.8 | Analyze media as sources for information, entertainment, persuasion, interpretation of events, and transmission of culture. |
| LA.5.LS.9 | Deliver narrative (story) presentations that: • establish a situation, plot, point of view, and setting with descriptive words and phrases. • show, rather than tell, the listener what happens. |
| LA.5.LS.10 | Deliver informative presentations about an important idea, issue, or event by the following means: • frame questions to direct the investigation. • establish a controlling idea or topic. • develop the topic with simple facts, details, examples, and explanations. |
| LA.5.LS.11 | Deliver oral responses to literature that: summarize important events and details demonstrate an understanding of several ideas or images communicated by the literary work. examples from the work to support conclusions. |
| LA.5.LS.12 | Give precise directions and instructions. |
| LA.5.LS.13 | Emphasize points in ways that help the listener or viewer follow important ideas and concepts |
| LA.5.LS.14 | Identify claims in different kinds of text (print, image, multimedia) and evaluate evidence used to support these claims. |
| LA.5.LS.15 | Make descriptive presentations that use concrete sensory details to set forth and support unified impressions of people, places, things, or experiences. |