Reading/English Language Arts
Unit 1: Literature of the Anglo-Saxons and the Middle Ages

Grade Level: 12 **Grading Period: 1st Quarter**

Enduring understanding: Literature reflects the culture and values of the time in which it was written.

Concept	Learning Target	CSO	Essential Questions	Academic Instructional Vocabulary	Assessment Options	21 st Century Resources
Historical and Cultural Influence	I can explain the historical influences of the culture on the literature.	12.1.01	How did the culture of the society influence the development of the spoken and written literature of the periods?	Angles Saxons Jutes Frisians Celts Britons Normans Feudal System	Visual, written, and/or oral reports regarding the historical aspects of the times and the effects on language and literature. Reader's response	Conduct group collaborations on projects and presentations on the epic and its elements. Use PowerPoint,
The Epic: Literature and Reading (Anglo-Saxon)	I can read an epic poem independently and recognize the various religious, cultural, and historical influences.	12.1.02 12.1.04 12.1.05 12.1.06 12.1.07	How does the epic portray the specific culture from which it is derived? What are the traits of the Anglo-Saxon epic hero, and what examples can you give to prove your understanding?	Epic Epic hero Fate Wyrd Figurative Language Kenning Alliteration Caesura Scops Suspense Foreshadowing Characterization Theme Protagonist Antagonist Narration Setting plot *Elegy (optional)	notebooks Expository essay Analytical essay 3-2-1 summary Ticket out the door Graphic organizers Main ideas Posters Double-entry reading logs	and Movie Maker to create presentations on types of literature studied. Compare and contrast heroes from different cultures to create charts and narratives. Use a Wiki site like WetPaint to host a classroom Wiki to post questions in a learning community. Use sites such as Blogger or

Frame story Allegory Exemplum Medieval romance (Middle Ages) L can a storyte frame shallads allegor roman.	12.1.04 form, 12.1.05 12.1.06 12.1.07 12.2.01 12.2.02 12.2.09 nalyze lling in stories, i, ies, and ces. nalyze a	hanges in the oetic form, including the evelopment of hyme, tructure, and heter.	How do culture, values, and religion influence literature? How does Chaucer use the frame story to create a picture of the Middle Ages? How does a ballad differ from a short story or an epic? How would I compare and contrast the epic hero to the hero of a medieval romance? How can I prove that a given selection is a true Medieval Romance?	Folk Ballad Frame Story Couplet Allegory Exemplum Medieval Romance Minstrels Indirect and Direct Characterization Point of View Setting Theme Tone Atmosphere Antagonist Protagonist Freytag's Pyramid Climax	Comparison/contrast essay Persuasive essay Narrative poem Personal narrative Ballad Original film Power Point presentation Create a resume for a character Write a cover letter for a job for which the character might apply. Reading quizzes Formal tests Interact productively as a member of the group	Wordpress to host student blogs for online journaling of literature reflections and analysis. Use dynamic methods such as Literacy circles and Peer editing groups to guide learners into ownership of their learning. Take class to computer lab to conduct a Webquest researching character analysis. Take students to computer lab and conduct a Chaucer Webquest. Use software to compose classroom literary magazines. Explore the WVDE site Teach 21: (excellent resource for Beowulf) Analyze and interpret visual media influences.

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Anglo-Saxon	I can write a	12.2.10	How can I use the	Writing Process	
and Middle	brief version of	12.2.11	writing process to	Prewriting	
Ages: Writing	an epic, using	12.2.13	help create an epic	Drafting	
	appropriate		based on a personal	Revising	
	literary devices		experience or the	Editing	
	of the period.		experience of a	Publishing	
	, , , ,		fictional hero?	Multimedia	
	I can write a				
	ballad using a		How can I write a		
	given rhyme		ballad?		
	scheme.				
			What would be an		
			effective way to		
Listening,	I can develop a	12.3.04	create a visual of		
Speaking,	multimedia	12.3.05	any selection?		
and Media	presentation				
Literacy	using a variety				
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	tools.				
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Suggestions: Daily grammar minilessons, including sentence combining (12.2.09), weekly vocabulary in context (12.1.10), research each nine weeks (12.1.12,12.2.02, 12.2.03, 12.2.04, 12.2.05, 12.2.06, 12.2.07).

Formal writing: Narrative/description

Suggested Readings: Lexile=L Beowulf 1090L, The Canterbury Tales Grendel 920L, The Alchemist 910L, The Inferno 1430L, Sir Gawain and the Green Knight 890L, Le Morte d'Arthur –The Works of Malory 1440L, various folk ballads

Social Studies Connection: Jointly plan reading, writing, and project assignments with social studies teachers. Research "chivalry" and its followers and compare/contrast it to modern beliefs in citizenship. Compare and contrast the Iroquois constitution and the Magna Carta.

Tiered Instruction:

- Tier 1 -Use Learning Focus Strategies such as Think Pair Share, Paired Reading, Paired Heads
- Tier 2 -Use Readers Notebook for guided practice
- Tier 3 -Adapted reading materials, Adapted Reader's Notebook

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Unit 2: Literature of the Renaissance and the Age of Reason

Grade Level: 12 Grading period: 2nd Quarter

Enduring understanding: Literature of this time, which evolved from "classics" of the Greeks and Romans, provides a background for modern

literature, and its themes are still relevant today.

Concept	Learning Target	CSO	Essential Questions	Academic Instructional Vocabulary	Assessment Options	21 st Century Resources
Renaissance and	I can compare and contrast	12.1.01 12.1.02	What are the elements of a	Sonnet Iambic Pentameter	3-2-1 summary	Literacy circles
Restoration: Reading and	the poetry of	12.1.03 12.1.04	sonnet?	Rhyme Scheme Petrarchan Sonnet	Ticket out the door	Access WVDE site Teach 21 as a
literature. Poetry, the	Renaissance to that of the previous	12.1.08 12.1.09	How does a sonnet compare to an epic or a ballad?	Spenserian Sonnet Shakespearean Sonnet Imagery	Reader's response notebooks	resource on the sonnet
essay, the novel	periods of English literature.		How can I analyze the metaphysical	Lyric Poetry Simile Metaphor	Comparison/contrast paragraph or essay	Utilize classroom Wiki to use student responses as a
	I can analyze		poets?	Personification Pastoral Poetry	Paraphrases	measurement of topic mastery.
	the metaphysical		What do the biographies, diaries, and journals reveal	Metaphysical Poetry Style Satire	Literary essay (expository, analysis)	Read Blog postings (online student
	poetry. I can explain		about the 17 th and 18 th centuries?	Parody	Dramatic monologue	journals) as a
	how the essays		How does the			understanding of
	and the poetry reveal the		literature reveal the		Storyboards	content.
	culture and the values of the		style of the writers?		Posters	Conduct internet research to compile
	people?				Quizzes	data for student projects on unit

Drama	I can explain	12.1.01	What are the	Tragedy	Tests	literature content.
	the relationship	12.1.02	elements of a	Tragic Hero		
	of Greek	12.1.03	classic tragedy?	Foil	Oral interpretation	Work as a group
	tragedy to	12.1.04		Motif	performance	member on Internet
	Renaissance	12.1.05	How can I relate	Plot		research and
	tragedy.	12.1.06	those elements to a	Conflict	Written sonnet	present information
		12.1.10	Shakespearean	Supernatural		using various
	I can use	12.1.11	tragedy to prove it	Change Revenge	Written translation	media.
	strategies to		is arranged	Comic Relief		
	read and		classically?	Pun	Rubric	Citationmachine.net
	demonstrate			Hubris		
	understanding		What are the traits	Symbolism	Front page of a	Reader's Theatre
	of a tragedy.		of the main	Dramatic Irony	newspaper	
			character that make	Verbal Irony		Have students
			him a tragic hero?	Situational Irony	Benchmark test	contribute to a
				Paradox		school or class
			How can I use the			literary magazine.
			writing process to			
			prove that the main			Use SAS and
			character is a tragic			Thinkfinity to
			hero?			access online
Drama:	I can discover	12.1.01	How is	Literary Criticism		interactive
Historical	Shakespeare's	12.1.11	Shakespeare's			differentiated higher
Context	influence		literature relevant in			level lessons.
	across history,		other time periods?			
	including in		·			Research and
	today's world.		Where does			create a graphic or
			Shakespeare			structural model of
			influence the drama			the Globe Theatre
			of today?			and analyze

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Listening,	I can	12.3.01	How can I	Oral Interpretation	similarities and
Speaking,	demonstrate		effectively read as a	Motivation	differences to the
and	my		character to show		modern stage.
Presenting	understanding		my understanding		
	of a character		of his or her		Using a
	by performing		motivation?		Shakespearian
	an oral				sonnet as a model,
	interpretation.				compose a student
	interprotation.				generated "sonnet"
					on a modern topic
			How can I use the		or relationship.
	I can translate	12.2.01			or relationship.
\A/=:4:			writing process to		Nation of superplain
Writing	Shakespeare	12.2.02	help compose a		Make a graphic
	into modern	12.2.09	sonnet?		organizer
	English.	12.2.10			illustrating the
		12.2.11	How can I prove		components of a
	I can write a	12.2.12	that I understand		well constructed
	sonnet using an	12.2.13	the sonnet format?		sonnet.
	appropriate	12.3.06			
	rhyme scheme,		How can I use		
	meter, and		literary devices in		
	imagery.		my translation of		
	agory.		the play?		
	I can write a		ino piay:		
	satire or a		How can I use the		
	parody.		writing process to		
			create a parody or a		
			satire?		

Suggestions: Daily grammar mini-lessons, including sentence combining (12.2.09), weekly vocabulary study in context (12.1.10) research each nine weeks (12.2.02, 12.2.03, 12.2.04, 12.2.05, 12.2.06, 12.2.07).

Formal writing: Expository: definition, process, classification-division, comparison-contrast, or other methodology

Suggested Readings: Lexile=L various authors of sonnets, Macbeth 1350L, Hamlet 1390L, Antigone, Oedipux Rex, Jonathan Swift

Social Studies Connection: Jointly plan reading, writing, and project assignments with social studies teachers. Social studies teachers will suggest topics about civics that might be related to British literature and the Renaissance. Create a short research project on the real Macbeth, write a sonnet about the Bill of Rights.

Tiered Instruction: ,

Tier 1-Use various Learning Focused Strategies such as Think Pair Share, reading partners; peer tutors; paired heads

Tier 2-Use reading journals

Tier 3-Adapted Reader Response books; adapted reading selections

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Unit 3: Literature of the Romantic and Victorian Periods

Grading Period: 3rd Quarter Grade Level: 12

Enduring understanding: Literature is directly influenced by the events occurring at the time it is composed.

Concept	Learning Target	cso	Essential Questions	Academic Instructional Vocabulary	Assessment Options	21 st Century Resources
Romantic: Historical Context	I can explain how history, culture, and values influenced the thinking and the literature of the Romantic Period.	12.1.01	What historical events influenced the writing? How did nature and science influence the Romantics?	Rationalism Revolution Industrial Revolution	Research report Posters Summaries Paraphrases Reader's response notebooks	Use software such as Windows Moviemaker or Audacity to create video or audio analysis of unit content. Work in collaborative
Reading and Writing Lyrical ballads and other poetry	I can relate the literary ballads to the Middle Ages and to modern songwriters. I can read independently.	12.1.01 12.1.02 12.1.03 12.1.06 12.1.07 12.1.10 12.2.01 12.2.02 12.2.06 12.2.09 12.2.10 12.2.11 12.2.13	What inferences can I make about the people of the Romantic period? How are the lyrical ballads different from folk ballads? How do the lyrical ballads compare to the ballads of today?	Literary Ballad Romanticism Imagination Elegy Figurative Language Lyric Ode	Comparison/contrast paragraphs or essays Expository essay Literary analysis Oral reports Graphic organizers Rubric Opinion essay	research groups and reading groups. Have learners work in groups to conduct research for creating projects and presentations on literature in this unit. Electronic or graphic aides

Victorian	I can analyze	12.1.01	How did the cultural	Novel		
Historical	the literature to		values of the	Theme	Problem/solution	Editing groups
Context	explain how the		Victorians change	Conflict	essay	
	Victorians		the literature?			Create student
	reacted to the				Double entry	blogs (online
	Romantic ideas		What examples		reading journals	journals) on
	and changed		from the literature			Wordpress or
	the focus of		illustrate the values		Quizzes	Blogger as a
	literature.		of the Victorians?			reflection log of
					Tests	student progress
Reading,	I can read	12.1.01	How is appearance	Thesis Statement		through literature.
Writing, and	independently.	12.1.03	versus reality	Outline	Classroom debates	
Speaking		12.1.05	demonstrated as an	Claim		Toulamin structure
	I can analyze a	12.1.06	apparent theme in a	Values		of argument
	novel to prove	12.1.08	novel from the	Support		
	the theme of	12.1.09	Victorian Period?	Warrant		Bedforstmartin.com
	appearance	12.1.12		Evidence		
	versus reality.	12.2.01	How can I	Fact		
		12.2.02	synthesize my	Policy		
	I can evaluate	12.2.03	reading notes in	Reasons		
	persuasive	12.2.04	order to create an	Argument		
	techniques	12.2.05	effective literary	Persuasion		
	used in writing	12.2.06	analysis of the	Opinion		
	by Victorian	12.2.07	theme of a novel?	Statistics		
	essayists.	12.2.08		Propaganda		
		12.2.09	How can I respond	Psychological Appeals		
	I can create	12.2.10	persuasively to the	Affirmative		
	and deliver a	12.2.11	ideas of a Victorian	Negative case		
	presentation	12.2.13	essayist?	Fallacy		
	using	12.3.01				
	multimedia.		How can I			
	I can debate a		effectively deliver a			
	topic.		presentation?			
			How can I			
			demonstrate my			
			understanding of			
			the rules of debate?			

Suggestions: Daily grammar mini-lessons (12.2.09), weekly vocabulary in context (12.2.10, research each nine weeks (12.2.02, 12.2.03, 12.2.04, 12.2.05, 12.2.06, 12.2.07)

Formal writing assignment: Persuasion

Suggested Readings: L=Lexile level- Readings of Romantic poets, Victorian novelists and essayists, <u>Pride and Prejudice</u> 1190L, <u>Jane Eyre</u> 870L, <u>Hard Times</u> 1350L, <u>Great Expectations</u> 1430L, <u>The Portrait of Dorian Gray</u> 970L.

Social Studies Connection: Jointly plan reading, writing, and project assignments with social studies teachers. Students analyze a novel they will read on the Victorian period and, working with social studies teachers, relate an essay on individual freedoms and rights by American pundits to the theme of the Victorian novel. (e.g., Pride and Prejudice.)

Tiered Instruction:,

Tier 1 -Use Learning Focus Strategies such as Think Pair Share, Paired Reading, Paired Heads

Tier 2 -Use Readers Notebook for guided practice

Tier 3 -Adapted reading materials, Adapted Reader's Notebook

Reading/English Language Arts Unit 4: Modern and Contemporary Poetry and Prose

Grade Level: 12 Grading Period: 4th Quarter

Enduring understanding: The uncertainty of the modern world, with its conflicts and problems is reflected in the poetry and prose. Through reading, contemporary society can examine their own experiences. Modern and contemporary literature is multi-national.

Concept	Learning Target	CSO	Essential Questions	Academic Instructional Vocabulary	Assessment Options	21 st Century Resources
Reading/Literature: Development of novels, essays, and poetry	I can show my understanding of the changes in literary techniques in prose and poetry and the rise of the novel. I can investigate the emergence of women as authors. I can apply reading skills and prior knowledge to my study of modern literature.	12.1.02 12.1.03 12.1.04 12.1.05 12.1.06 12.1.07 12.1.08 12.1.09 12.3.06	How do I locate information and synthesize to write an analysis of authors, especially women, of the period? How is the literature similar to yet different from that of the periods?	Allusion Flashback Novel Stream Consciousness Modernism	Research project Expository essay Comparison/contra st essay Test Quiz Critique Satire Political cartoon Persuasive speech Debate Graphic organizers Benchmark tests	Do library and Internet research to gather information for journal entries and for data to include in ongoing research projects. Work collaboratively to develop a comparison chart on writers of the Modern Era. Utilize literature circles or study groups to analyze assigned readings from this unit.

Writing/Composition	I can apply the	12.2.08	How can I	Panel discussion	processing with
	writing process	12.2.09	demonstrate my		visuals, clip art,
	to develop	12.2.10	understanding of	Book report or	audio, etc. to
	persuasive	12.2.12	satire by	review	produce a mini-
	essays and	12.2.13	incorporating it in		presentation on
	use satire to		a persuasive	Tests	authors of the
	argue a point.		essay?		era.
	I can compare		What methods can		Conduct round
	and contrast		I use to		table discussions
	literature of		compare/contrast		on novel and
	different time		literature of time		author critiques.
	periods and		periods and styles		
	styles of		of writing?		Participate in a
	writing.				mock debate on
					conditions of the
	I can examine				era and how they
	the effect of				influence
	political and				literature.
	historical				
	events on				Use a site such
	modern				as Wordpress or
listanina Onaslina	literature.	10.4.04	11 1 1		Blogger to have
Listening, Speaking,	I can discuss a	12.1.01	How can I apply		students write
and Media Literacy	modern	12.3.01	my research to the		blogs as online
	novelist with a	12.3.02	literature of the		journals showing their reflections
	panel.	12.3.03	modern period?		on literature of

		this era.
		Use a Wiki site such as Wetpaint or PBWiki to host a classroom Wiki to create a learning community focused on literature of the era.
		Exhibit leadership skills in discussion.
		Exhibit ethical behavior with research.

Suggestions: Daily grammar mini-lessons (12.2.09), including sentence combining, weekly vocabulary lessons in context (12.1.10), research each nine weeks (12.2.02, 12.2.03, 12.2.04, 12.2.05, 12.2.06, 12.2.07, 12.3.04, 12.3.05, 12.3.06).

Formal writing: Final research paper and presentation for senior project

Suggested Readings: Lexile=L "The Demon Lover" 1010L, Elizabeth Bowen; Doris Lessing, Virginia Woolf, Nadine Gordimer, Graham Greene, Joseph Conrad

Social Studies Connection: Jointly plan reading, writing, and project assignments with social studies teachers around the topic of a global economy or about personal finances. Students in English could make a budget for a character from a short story or a novel.

Tiered Instruction:

- Tier 1 -Use Learning Focus Strategies such as Think Pair Share, Paired Reading, Paired Heads
- Tier 2 -Use Readers Notebook for guided practice
- Tier 3 -Adapted reading materials, Adapted Reader's Notebook

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Author/Publisher	Lexile
Jane Austen	1100L
Jane Austen	1070L
Thomas Carlyle	1130L
Lord Tennyson	1260L
Lord Tennyson	1200L
Robert Browning	1250L
Charles Dickens	1180L
Charles Dickens	1180L
William M. Thackeray	1270L
Thomas Hardy	1110L
Oscar Wilde	NP
Oscar Wilde	920L
John Keats	1270L
John Keats	1200L
Joseph Conrad	1110L
Joseph Conrad	1050L
George Bernard Shaw	1270L
James Joyce	1360L
D.H. Lawrence	920L
T.S Eliot	1350L
Samuel Beckett	880L
E.M Forster	820L
E.M Forster	950L
	Jane Austen Jane Austen Thomas Carlyle Lord Tennyson Lord Tennyson Robert Browning Charles Dickens Charles Dickens William M. Thackeray Thomas Hardy Oscar Wilde Oscar Wilde John Keats John Keats Joseph Conrad Joseph Conrad George Bernard Shaw James Joyce D.H. Lawrence T.S Eliot Samuel Beckett E.M Forster