### Unit Title: High Point Level 3 (Unit 1-2) Grades 9-12 Bridging/Reaching

## **Stage 1: Desired Results**

#### Standards & Indicators:

#### **WIDA ELD Standards**

- 1: Social & Instructional Language
  - ELD-SI.4-12.Narrate
    - Share ideas about one's own and others' lived experiences and previous learning
    - Connect stories with images and representations to add meaning
    - Identify and raise questions about what might be unexplained, missing, or left unsaid
    - Recount and restate ideas to sustain and move dialogue forward
    - Create closure, recap, and offer next steps
  - o ELD-SI.4-12. Inform
    - Define and classify facts and interpretations; determine what is known vs. unknown
    - Report on explicit and inferred characteristics, patterns, or behavior
    - Describe the parts and wholes of a system
    - Sort, clarify, and summarize relationships
    - Summarize most important aspects of information
  - o ELD-SI.4-12.Explain
    - Generate and convey initial thinking
    - Follow and describe cycles and sequences of steps or procedures and their causes and effects
    - Compare changing variables, factors, and circumstances
    - Offer alternatives to extend or deepen awareness of factors that contribute to particular outcomes
    - Act on feedback to revise understandings of how or why something is or works in particular ways
  - ELD-SI.4-12.Argue
    - Generate questions about different perspectives
    - Support or challenge an opinion, premise, or interpretation
    - Clarify and elaborate ideas based on feedback
    - Evaluate changes in thinking, identifying trade-offs
    - Refine claims and reasoning based on new information or evidence
- 2: Language for Language Arts
  - ELD-LA.9-12.Narrate.Interpretive. Interpret language arts narratives by
    - Identifying themes or central ideas that develop over the course of a text
    - Analyzing how author choices about character attributes and actions relate to story elements (setting, event sequences, and context)
    - Evaluating the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and explicit vs. implicit points of view
  - o EDL-LA.9-12.Narrate.Expressive. Construct language arts narratives that
    - Orient audience to context and one or multiple point(s) of view
    - Develop and describe characters and their relationships over a progression of experiences or events
    - Develop story, advancing the plot and themes with complications and resolutions, time and event sequences
    - Engage and adjust for audience
  - ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Interpretive. Interpret informational texts in language arts by
    - Identifying and/or summarizing central ideas
    - Analyzing descriptions and inferences in textual evidence for key attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
    - Evaluating cumulative impact and refinement of author's key word choices over the course of text

- ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Expressive. Construct informational texts in language arts that
  - Introduce and define topic and/or entity for audience
  - Establish an objective or neutral stance
  - Add precision, details, and clarity about complex attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
  - Develop coherence and cohesion throughout text
- ELD-LA.9.12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret language arts arguments by
  - Identifying and summarizing central ideas of primary or secondary sources
  - Analyzing use of rhetoric and details to advance point of view or purpose
  - Evaluating and corroborating relevance and sufficiency of evidence as well as validity of reasoning to support claims
- ELD-LA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct language arts arguments that
  - Introduce and develop precise claims and address counterclaims
  - Support claims and refute counterclaims with valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence
  - Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone
  - Logically organize claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence; offer a conclusion with recommendations
- 3: Language for Mathematics
  - ELD-MA.9-12. Explain. Interpretive. Interpret mathematical explanations by
    - Identifying concept or entity
    - Analyzing data and owning problem-solving approaches
    - Evaluating rationales, models, and/or interpretations based on evidence and mathematical principles
  - ELD-MA.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct mathematical explanations that
    - Introduce mathematical concept or entity
    - Share solutions with others
    - Describe data and/or approach used to solve a problem
    - State reasoning used to generate own or alternate solutions
  - ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret concepts in arguments by
    - Comparing conjectures with previously established results and stated assumptions
    - Distinguishing correct from flawed logic
    - Evaluating relationships among evidence and mathematical principles to create generalizations
  - o ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct mathematics arguments that
    - Create precise conjecture, using definitions, previously established results, and stated assumptions
    - Generalize logical relationships across cases
    - Justify (and refute) conclusions with evidence and mathematical principles
    - Evaluate and extend others' arguments
- 4: Language for Science
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret scientific explanations by
    - Defining investigable questions or problems based on observations, information, and/or data about a phenomenon
    - Paraphrasing central ideas in complex evidence, concepts, processes, and information to help explain how or why a phenomenon occurs
    - Evaluating the extent to which reasoning, theory and/or models link evidence to claims and support conclusions
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct scientific explanations that
    - Describe reliable and valid evidence from multiple sources about a phenomenon
    - Establish neutral or objective stance in how results are communicated
    - Develop reasoning to illustrate and/or predict the relationships between variables in a system or between components of a system

- Summarize and refine solutions referencing scientific knowledge, evidence, criteria, and/or trade-offs
- ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret scientific arguments by
  - Identifying appropriate and sufficient evidence from data, models, and/or information from investigations of a phenomenon or design solutions
  - Comparing reasoning and claims based on evidence from competing arguments or design solutions
  - Evaluating currently accepted explanations, new evidence, limitations (trade-offs), constraints, and ethical issues
- ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct scientific arguments that
  - Introduce and contextualize topic/phenomenon in current scientific or historical episodes in science
  - Defend or refute a claim based on data and evidence
  - Establish and maintain an appropriate tone and stance (neutral/objective or biased/subjective)
  - Signal logical relationships among reasoning, evidence, data, and/or models when making and defending a claim, counterclaim, and/or rebuttal
- 5: Language for Social Studies
  - ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret social studies explanations by
    - Determining multiple types of sources, points of view in sources, and potential uses of sources for answering compelling and supporting questions about phenomena or events
    - Analyzing sources for logical relationships among contributing factors, causes, or related concepts
    - Evaluating experts' points of agreement and disagreement based on their consistency with explanation given its purpose
  - o ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct social studies explanations that
    - Introduce and contextualize multiple phenomena or events
    - Establish perspective for communicating intended and unintended outcomes, consequences, or documentation
    - Develop sound reasoning, sequences with linear and nonlinear relationships, evidence, and details with significant and pertinent information, acknowledging strengths and weaknesses
    - Generalize experts' points of agreement and disagreement about multiple, complex causes and effects of developments or events
  - ELD-SS.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret social studies arguments by
    - Identifying topic and purpose (argue in favor of or against a position, present a balanced interpretation, challenge perspective)
    - Analyzing relevant information to support and/or revise claims with reliable and valid evidence from multiple sources
    - Evaluating credibility, accuracy, and relevancy of source based on expert perspectives
  - o ELD-SS.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct social studies arguments that
    - Introduce and contextualize topic
    - Select relevant information to support precise and knowledgeable claims with evidence from multiple sources
    - Establish perspective
    - Show relationships between claims and counterclaims, differences in perspectives, evidence, and reasoning

#### **NJSLS for English Language Arts**

- L.SS.9-10.1. Language. System and Structure of Language.9-10.1. Demonstrate command of the system and structure of the English language when writing or speaking.
  - o A. Use parallel structure.

- B. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
- E. Recognize spelling conventions.
- L.KL.9-10.2. Language. Knowledge of Language.9-10.2. Apply knowledge of language to make effective choices for meaning, or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading, writing, speaking or listening.
  - A. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level.
  - B. Vary word choice and sentence structure to demonstrate an understanding of the influence of language.
  - C. Demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
- L.VL.9-10.3. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and Literal Meaning. 9-10.3. Determine or clarify the
  meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content,
  including technical meanings, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
  - A. Use content (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
  - B. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., analyze, analysis, analytical; advocate, advocacy).
  - C. Analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
  - D. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesaurus), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its part of speech, or its etymology.
  - E. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., but checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
- L.VI.9-10.4. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and Interpretative Meaning.9-10.4. Demonstrate
  understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings, including
  connotative meanings.
  - A. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., euphemism, oxymoron) in context and analyze their role in the text.
- RL.CR.9-10.1. Reading Literature. Close Reading of Text.9-10.1. Cite a range of thorough textual evidence
  and make relevant connections to strongly support analysis of multiple aspects of what a literary text says
  explicitly and inferentially, as well as including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- RI.CR.9-10.1. Reading Informational Texts. Close Reading of Text.9-10.1. Cite a range and thorough textual evidence and make clear and relevant connections, to strongly support an analysis of multiple aspects of what an informational text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the text.
- RL.CI.9-10.2. Reading Literature. Central Ideas and Themes of Texts.9-10.2. Determine one or more central
  ideas of an informational text and analyze how it is developed and refined over the course of a text, including
  how it emerges and is shaped by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
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  central ideas of an informational text and analyze how it is developed and refined over the course of a text,
  including how it emerges and is shaped by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RL.IT.9-10.3. Reading Literature. Interactions Among Text Elements.9-10.3. Analyze how an author unfolds
  and develops ideas throughout a text, including how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or
  conflicting motivations) develop, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.
- RI.IT.9-10.3. Reading Informational Texts. Interactions Among Text Elements.9-10.3. Analyze how an author unfolds ideas throughout the text, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.
- RL.TS.9-10.4. Reading Literature.Text Structure.9-10.4. Analyze how an author's choices concerning the structure of a text, order of the events within (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulation of time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create specific effects (e.g., mystery, tension, or surprise)

- RL.PP.9-10.5. Reading Literature. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.9-10.5. Determine an author's lens in a
  text (including cultural experience reflected in a work of literature from outside the United States, drawing on
  a wide reading of world literature) and analyze how an author uses rhetorical devices to advance a point of
  view.
- RI.PP.9-10.5. Reading Informational Texts. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.9-10.5. Determine an author's
  purpose in a text (including culture experience and knowledge reflected in text originating outside the United
  States) and analyze how an author uses rhetorical devices to advance that purpose.
- RI.MF.9-10.6. Reading Informational Texts. Diverse Media and Formats.9-10.6. Analyze, integrate, and
  evaluate multiple interpretations (e.g., charts, graphs, diagrams, videos) of a single text or text/s presented in
  different formats (visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a
  problem.
- RI.AA.9-10.7. Reading Informational Texts. Analysis of an Argument.9-10.7. Describe and evaluate the argument and specific claims in an informational text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; identify false statements and reasoning.
- W.AW.9-10.1. Writing, Argumentative Writing.9-10.1 Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient textual and non-textual evidence.
  - A. Introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create
    an organization that establishes clear relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and
    evidence.
  - B. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims using sound reasoning, supplying data and evidence for each whale pointing out the strengths and limitations of both claim(s) and counterclaims in a discipline-appropriate manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.
  - C. Use transitions (e.g., words, phrases, clauses) to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.
  - D. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing).
  - E. Provide a concluding paragraph or section that supports the argument presented.
- W.IW.9-10.2. Writing. Informative and Explanatory Writing.9-10.2. Write informative/explanatory texts
  (including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/experiments, or technical processes) to
  examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective
  selection, organization, and analysis of content.
  - A. Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables) and multimedia when useful to aid in comprehension.
  - B. Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete
    details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of
    the topic.
  - C. Use of appropriate and varied transitions to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts.
  - o D. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
  - E. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
- W.NW.9-10.3. Writing.Narrative Writing.9-10.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
  - A. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one
    or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth
    progression of experiences or events.
  - B. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.

- C. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
- D. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
- E. Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
- W.RW.9-10.7. Writing. Range of Writing.9-10.7. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.
- SL.PE.9-10.1. Speaking and Listening. Participate Effectively.9-10.1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 9-10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
  - A. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.
  - B. Collaborate with peers to set rules for discussions (e.g., informal consensus, taking votes on key issues, presentation of alternate views); develop clear goals and assessment criteria (e.g., student developed rubric) and assign individual roles as needed.
  - C. Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas; actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions.
  - D. Respond thoughtfully to various perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and justify own views. Make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.
- SL.PI.9-10.4. Speaking and Listening. Present Information.9-10.4. Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- SL.UM.9-10.5. Speaking and Listening. Use media.9-10.5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance findings, reasonings, and evidence and to add interest.
- SL.AS.9-10.6. Speaking and Listening. Adapt Speech.9-10.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English.
- L.SS.11-12.1. Language. System and Structure of Language.11-12.1. Demonstrate command of the system and structure of the English language when writing or speaking.
  - C. Recognize spelling conventions.
- L.KL.11-12.2. Language. Knowledge of Language.11-12.2. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
  - A. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level.
  - C. Demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
- L.VL.11-12.3. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and LIteral Meaning.11-12.3. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 11-12 reading and content, including technical meanings, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
  - A. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
  - B. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., conceive, conception, conceivable)
  - D. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its parts of speech, its etymology, or its standard usage.
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  textual evidence and make relevant connections to strongly support a comprehensive analysis of multiple
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  include determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
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  multiple aspects of what an informational text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the
  text.
- RI.PP.11-12.5. Reading Informational Texts. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.11-12.5. Analyze an author's
  purpose in a text distinguishing what is directly stated in a text or through rhetoric, analyzing how style and
  content convey information and advance a point of view.
- W.AW.11-12.1. Writing. Argumentative Writing.11-12.1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.
  - A. Introduce precise, knowledgeable claim(s), establish the significance of the claim(s), distinguish
    the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that logically sequences
    claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.
  - B. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims avoiding common logical fallacies and using sound reasoning and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases.
  - C. Use transitions (e.g., words, phrases, clauses) to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.
  - D. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
  - E. Provide a concluding paragraph or section that supports the argument presented (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).
- W.NW.11-12.3. Writing. Narrative Writing.11-12.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
  - A. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation and its significance, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
  - B. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
  - C. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a
    coherent whole and build toward a particular tone and outcome (e.g., a sense of mystery, suspense,
    growth, or resolution).
  - D. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
  - E. Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
- W.RW.11-12.7. Writing.Range of Writing.9-10.4. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes.
- SL.PE.11-12.1. Speaking and Listening. Participate Effectively.11-12.1. Initiate and participate effectively in a
  range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 11-12
  topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
  - A. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.

- SL.PI.11-12.4. Speaking and Listening. Present Information.11-12.4. Present information, findings and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- SL.UM.11-12.5. Speaking and Listening. Use Media.9-10.5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence to add interest.

SL.AS.11-12.6. Speaking and Listening. Adapt Speech.9-10.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills				
Standard	Performance Expectations	Core Ideas		
9.1.12.CFR.1	Compare and contrast the role of philanthropy, volunteer service, and charities in community development and quality of life in a variety of cultures.	Philanthropic, charitable, and entrepreneurial organizations play distinctly different but vitally important roles in supporting the interests of local and global communities.		
9.1.12.CFR.4	Demonstrate an understanding of the interrelationships among attitudes, assumptions, and patterns of behavior regarding money, saving, investing and work across cultures.	The potential for building and using personal wealth includes responsibility to the broader community and an understanding of the legal rights and responsibilities of being a good citizen.		
9.1.12.EG.5	Relate a country's economic system of production and consumption to building personal wealth, the mindset of social comparison, and achieving social responsibility.	There are different ways you can influence government policy to improve your financial situation.		
9.1.12.Fl.3	Develop a plan that uses the services of various financial institutions to prepare for long term personal and family goals (e.g., college, retirement).	There are factors you can use to select financial institutions and professionals that are best suited for your needs.		
9.1.12.FP.6	Evaluate the relationship of familial patterns, cultural traditions, and historical influences of financial practice.	Biological behavioral biases, psychology, and unconscious beliefs affect financial decision-making.		
9.2.12.CAP.1	Analyze unemployment rates for workers with different levels of education and how the economic, social, and political conditions of a time period are affected by a recession.	There are strategies to improve one's professional value and marketability.		
9.2.12.CAP.4	Evaluate different careers and develop various plans (e.g., costs of public, private, training schools) and timetables for achieving them, including educational/training requirements, costs, loans, and debt repayment.	Career planning requires purposeful planning based on research, self-knowledge, and informed choices.		
9.2.12.CAP.5	Assess and modify a personal plan to support current interests and postsecondary plans.	Career planning requires purposeful planning based on research, self-knowledge, and informed choices.		
9.2.12.CAP.9	Locate information on working papers, what is required to obtain them, and who must sign them.	Career planning requires purposeful planning based on research, self-knowledge, and informed choices.		

9.2.12.CAP.10	Identify strategies for reducing overall costs of postsecondary education (e.g., tuition assistance, loans, grants, scholarships, and student loans).	Career planning requires purposeful planning based on research, self-knowledge, and informed choices.
9.4.12.Cl.1	Demonstrate the ability to reflect, analyze, and use creative skills and ideas (e.g., 1.1.12prof.CR3a).	With a growth mindset, failure is an important part of success.
9.4.12.Cl.2	Identify career pathways that highlight personal talents, skills, and abilities (e.g., 1.4.12prof.CR2b, 2.2.12.LF.8).	Innovative ideas or innovation can lead to career opportunities.
9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential benefits of collaborating to enhance critical thinking and problem solving (e.g. 1.3E.12profCR3.a).	Collaboration with individuals with diverse experiences can aid in the problem-solving process, particularly for global issues where diverse solutions are needed.
9.4.12.DC.7	Evaluate the influence of digital communities on the nature, content, and responsibilities of careers, and other aspects of society (e.g., 6.1.12.CivicsPD.16.a)	Digital communities influence many aspects of society, especially the workforce. The increased connectivity between people in different cultures and different career fields have changed the nature, content, and responsibilities of many careers.
9.4.12.GCA.1	Collaborate with individuals to analyze a variety of potential solutions to climate change effects and determine why some solutions (e.g., political, economic, cultural) may work better than others.	Solutions to the problems faced by a global society require the contribution of individuals with different points of view and experiences.
9.4.12.IML.2	Evaluate digital sources for timeliness, accuracy, perspective, credibility of the source, and relevance of information, in media, data, or other resources (e.g., NJSLSA.W8. Social Studies Practice: Gathering and Evaluating Sources).	Advanced search techniques can be used with digital and media resources to locate information and to check the credibility and the expertise of sources to answer questions, solve problems, and inform the decision-making.
9.4.12.TL.1	Access digital tools based on features such as accessibility options, capacities, and utility for accomplishing a specified task (e.g., W.11-12.6).	Digital tools differ in features, capacities, and styles. Knowledge of different digital tools is helpful in selecting the best tool for a given task.
Central Idea/Endurin	ng Understanding: Essential/Guiding Qu	<u>iestion</u> :

Students will understand that...

#### Messages That Matter

Messages that express our feelings, preserve history, or honor heroes are all messages that matter.

#### Messages Across Time and Space

Messages from long ago or far away connect us to people and places we may never know or see.

### Fitting In

When you find a place to belong in the world, you can connect with people from other times and other places.

#### Bridging the Gap

- What is communication?
- What are some examples of verbal communication?
- What are some examples of nonverbal communication?
- What are some examples of communication that last?
- What does belonging mean?
- To which groups do you automatically belong?
- Which groups do you join by choice/
- How can people bridge gaps and connect with each other?

You can overcome cultural differences by looking beyond the surface and finding vour common interests. Skills(Objectives): **Content:** Communication (express, messages, verbal, Engage in discussion nonverbal, lasting, preserve) Interpret a visual image Communication (message, meaning) Predict Words About Communication Build background **Complete Sentences** Classify **Opinions** Preview Poetrv Use graphic organizers (mind map) Common and Proper Nouns Relate to personal experience Singular and Plural Nouns Use graphic organizers (chart) Context Clues Generate ideas Free Verse Make judgments Express opinions Style Mood Words Form opinions Mood Activate prior knowledge Possessive Nouns Relate words Subjects and Predicates Visualize Communication (messages, connect) Read a poem **Compound Sentences** Use new words in context Folk Tale Listen to a poem Story Elements (characters, setting, plot) Set a purpose for reading Present Tense Verbs Paraphrase Identify details Subject-Verb Agreement Political leaders (emperor, king, queen, prince, Identify character's motive president, prime minister, premier) Draw conclusions **Grains and Diet** Make an inference Science Fiction Make decisions Fantasy and Reality Respond to literature Narrative (Fiction) Give information Writing Process Summarize Identify author's message Use graphic organizers (word web, chart) Express feelings and ideas Role-play Make comparisons Use graphic organizers (Venn diagram) Compare literature Use the Internet Relate main ideas and details Read a selection Listen to a selection Respond to murals Identify cause and effect Evaluate impact of author's background on meaning Use graphic organizers (main idea diagram) Use the dictionary Interact with peers

Plan

Use the library

Demonstrate non-verbal communication

Locate resources

Analyze story elements (character, plot, setting)

Retell and listen to a story

Scan

Synthesize information

Take notes

Use computerized card catalogue

Use graphic organizers (story staircase map) Analyze information (fantasy and reality)

Use visuals

Evaluate literature

Tell an original story; write Formulate research questions Use graphic organizers (outline) Organize and synthesize information

Listen critically Self-assess

Use Word-processing software

Read aloud

### **Interdisciplinary Connections:**

Social Studies; Science

# Stage 2: Assessment Evidence

#### Performance Task(s):

Read alouds

Practice workbook activities - Fill in the blank; multiple choice; True/False; picture matching;

sentences frames/stems

Grammar and content-related handouts

Use new vocabulary in speaking

Ability to listen and repeat with correct pronunciation

Other Evidence:

Class participation

Do Now/Warm-ups

Unit test

**Selection Tests** 

- "The Power of Poetry"
- "Talking Walls"
- "Tales Across Time"
- "Fat Men from Space"

Writing Assignments

- Writing That Tells a Story (Narrative Writing/Fantasy)
- Writing For Personal Expression (Expressive Writing/Personal History)

Self-Assessment Form Peer-Assessment Form Writing Progress Checklist

Portfolio Evaluation Form

## Stage 3: Learning Plan

#### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Unit 1 - Get the Message!

Theme 1 - Messages That Matter

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Express Opinions
- "The Power of Poetry" (Poems and interview; Reading Strategy: Visualize)
- "Talking Walls" (Essay; Reading Strategy; Relate Main Idea and Details)

Theme 2 - Messages Across Time and Space

#### Resources:

Unit 1 - Get the Message!

High Point Textbook (p.8-69)

High Point Language Skills Practice Book (p.1-29)

High Point Listen and Learn Audio

Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic Organizers

High Point Language Acquisition Assessment (Unit 1 Test),

Writing Assessment, Self-Assessment

High Point Newsletter 1 and 2 (Home-school connections)

High Point Teacher's Edition (p.T8a-T69)

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Make Comparisons
- "Tales Across Time" (Folk tales; Reading Strategy: Make Comparisons)
- "Fat Men from Space" (Science fiction; Reading Strategy: Identify Events in the Plot)

#### Unit 2 - A Sense of Place

Theme 1 - Fitting In

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Ask and Answer Questions
- "The Keeping Quilt" (Family history; Reading Strategy: Preview and Make Predictions)
- from "Human Family" (Poem; Reading Strategy: Use Text Structures - Stanzas)
- "Beyond the Color Lines" (Self-portraits; Reading Strategy: Distinguish Between Facts and Opinions)

Theme 2 - Bridging the Gap

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Express Likes and Dislikes
- "Teammates" (Biography; Reading Strategy: Connect New Information to What You Know)
- "Amir" (Realistic fiction; Reading Strategy: Sequence Events)
- "Starting a Community Garden" (How-to article; Reading Strategy: Set a Purpose and Reading Rate)

Theme Library ("Zora Hurston and the Chinaberry Tree" and "Aesop's Fox")

From *The Basics Bookshelf* ("Good News," "I Make Pictures Move," and "A Year Without Rain")

"The Unbreakable Code"

"Toliver's Secret"

"The Great Kapok Tree: A Tale of the Amazon Rain Forest" "Talking Walls"

"Talking Walls: The Stories Continue"

"In My Own Voice: Multicultural Poets on Identity"

"Radio Man"

"The Adventures of Sojourner"

"Quennu and the Cave Bear"

"I Am the Mummy Heb-Nefer"

"Cocoon"

Unit 2 - A Sense of Place

High Point Textbook (p.70-139)

High Point Language Skills Practice Book (p.30-62)

High Point Listen and Learn Audio

Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic Organizers

High Point Language Acquisition Assessment (Unit 2 Test),

Writing Assessment, Self-Assessment

High Point Newsletter 3 and 4 (Home-school connections)

High Point Teacher's Edition (p.T170a-T139)

Theme Library ("Going Home" and "Seedfolks")

From *The Basics Bookshelf* ("Families," "Let's Dance!", and "More Than a Meal")

"Journey to Ellis Island: How My Father Came to America"

"Yang the Third and Her Impossible Family"

"Home to Medicine Mountain"

"New Kids in Town: Oral Histories of Immigrant Teens"

"Fiddler on the Roof"

"The Bicycle Man"

"Oh, Freedom!"

"The Foxman"

"In My Own Voice: Multicultural Poets on Identity"

"The Jackie Robinson Story"

LGBT and Disabilities Resources:

- LGBTQ-Inclusive Lesson & Resources by Garden State Equality and Make it Better for Youth
- LGBTQ+ Books

### DEI Resources:

- <u>Learning for Justice</u>
- GLSEN Educator Resources
- Supporting LGBTQIA Youth Resource List
- Respect Ability: Fighting Stigmas, Advancing Opportunities
- NJDOE Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Educational Resources
- Diversity Calendar

#### **Differentiation**

\*Please note: Teachers who have students with 504 plans that require curricular accommodations are to refer to Struggling and/or Special Needs Section for differentiation

Sensory Supports (real-life objects; manipulatives; pictures and photographs; illustrations, diagrams, drawings; magazines and newspapers; physical activities; videos and films; broadcasts; models and figures)

Graphic Organizers (Venn diagrams; T-charts; cycles; cause and effect; semantic webs)

Graphic Support (charts; graphic organizers; tables; graphs; timelines; number lines)

Language Arts Supports (illustrated word/phrase walls; felt or magnetic figures of story elements; sequence blocks; environmental print; posters or displays; bulletin boards; photographs; cartoons; audio books; songs/chants) Interactive Supports (in pairs or partners; in triads or small groups; in a whole group; using cooperative group structures with the Internet or software programs; in the native language with mentors)

Technology Supports (software programs; language-learning apps; Oxford Picture Dictionary online) Modifications

Pacing (extend time requirements; omit assignments)

Environment (assign preferential seating; assign peer buddy)

Reinforcement and Follow Through (use positive reinforcement; use concrete reinforcement; check often for understanding/review; arrange for peer tutoring; plan cooperative learning experiences; provide language experience; give immediate feedback; have student repeat directions; make/use vocabulary files; teach study skills; use study guides to organize materials; repeat/review/drill

Assignments (lower reading level; give directions in small, distinct steps; allow copying from paper/book; use written backup for oral directions; lower difficulty level; shorten assignment; read directions to students; give oral cues or prompts; record or type assignments; adapt worksheets, packets; use alternate assignments)

Presentation of Subject Material (use individual/small group instruction; use specialized curriculum; simplify language; record lectures for playback; demonstrate concepts; use manipulatives; emphasize critical information; use graphic organizers; pre-teach vocabulary)

Materials (provided recorded textbooks; highlight textbooks/study guides; use supplementary materials; give assistance in note taking; type handwritten teacher materials; use bilingual dictionaries, language learner dictionaries and electronic translators; use adapted/modified textbooks; allow use of computer)

Testing Adaptations (allow students to answer orally; use multiple-choice format; read test to student; modify format; write a different test; shorten test length; require only selected test items; create alternative assessment) Grading (modify grading system; modify weights of course components; modify course objectives/outcomes)

High-Achieving	On Grade Level	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Students	Students		
Accelerated Programs	Grade level texts	Remediation	Any student requiring further
Independent Study	Small Groups	Peer tutoring	accommodations and/or modifications
Small groups		Small Groups	will have them individually listed in
Activity extensions,		· ·	their 504 Plan or IEP. These might
projects			include, but are not limited to:
Peer teaching			breaking assignments into smaller
			tasks, giving directions through
			several channels (auditory, visual,
			kinesthetic, model), and/or small
			group instruction for reading/writing
			ELL supports should include, but are
			not limited to, the following:
			Extended time
			Provide visual aids
			Repeated directions
			Differentiate based on proficiency
			Provide word banks
			Allow for translators, dictionaries

### Unit Title: High Point Level 3 (Unit 3) Grades 9-12 Bridging/Reaching

## **Stage 1: Desired Results**

#### Standards & Indicators:

#### **WIDA ELD Standards**

- 1: Social & Instructional Language
  - ELD-SI.4-12.Narrate
    - Share ideas about one's own and others' lived experiences and previous learning
    - Connect stories with images and representations to add meaning
    - Identify and raise questions about what might be unexplained, missing, or left unsaid
    - Recount and restate ideas to sustain and move dialogue forward
    - Create closure, recap, and offer next steps
  - o ELD-SI.4-12. Inform
    - Define and classify facts and interpretations; determine what is known vs. unknown
    - Report on explicit and inferred characteristics, patterns, or behavior
    - Describe the parts and wholes of a system
    - Sort, clarify, and summarize relationships
    - Summarize most important aspects of information
  - o ELD-SI.4-12.Explain
    - Generate and convey initial thinking
    - Follow and describe cycles and sequences of steps or procedures and their causes and effects
    - Compare changing variables, factors, and circumstances
    - Offer alternatives to extend or deepen awareness of factors that contribute to particular outcomes
    - Act on feedback to revise understandings of how or why something is or works in particular ways
  - ELD-SI.4-12.Argue
    - Generate questions about different perspectives
    - Support or challenge an opinion, premise, or interpretation
    - Clarify and elaborate ideas based on feedback
    - Evaluate changes in thinking, identifying trade-offs
    - Refine claims and reasoning based on new information or evidence
- 2: Language for Language Arts
  - ELD-LA.9-12.Narrate.Interpretive. Interpret language arts narratives by
    - Identifying themes or central ideas that develop over the course of a text
    - Analyzing how author choices about character attributes and actions relate to story elements (setting, event sequences, and context)
    - Evaluating the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and explicit vs. implicit points of view
  - o EDL-LA.9-12.Narrate.Expressive. Construct language arts narratives that
    - Orient audience to context and one or multiple point(s) of view
    - Develop and describe characters and their relationships over a progression of experiences or events
    - Develop story, advancing the plot and themes with complications and resolutions, time and event sequences
    - Engage and adjust for audience
  - ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Interpretive. Interpret informational texts in language arts by
    - Identifying and/or summarizing central ideas
    - Analyzing descriptions and inferences in textual evidence for key attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
    - Evaluating cumulative impact and refinement of author's key word choices over the course of text

- ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Expressive. Construct informational texts in language arts that
  - Introduce and define topic and/or entity for audience
  - Establish an objective or neutral stance
  - Add precision, details, and clarity about complex attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
  - Develop coherence and cohesion throughout text
- ELD-LA.9.12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret language arts arguments by
  - Identifying and summarizing central ideas of primary or secondary sources
  - Analyzing use of rhetoric and details to advance point of view or purpose
  - Evaluating and corroborating relevance and sufficiency of evidence as well as validity of reasoning to support claims
- ELD-LA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct language arts arguments that
  - Introduce and develop precise claims and address counterclaims
  - Support claims and refute counterclaims with valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence
  - Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone
  - Logically organize claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence; offer a conclusion with recommendations
- 3: Language for Mathematics
  - ELD-MA.9-12. Explain. Interpretive. Interpret mathematical explanations by
    - Identifying concept or entity
    - Analyzing data and owning problem-solving approaches
    - Evaluating rationales, models, and/or interpretations based on evidence and mathematical principles
  - ELD-MA.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct mathematical explanations that
    - Introduce mathematical concept or entity
    - Share solutions with others
    - Describe data and/or approach used to solve a problem
    - State reasoning used to generate own or alternate solutions
  - ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret concepts in arguments by
    - Comparing conjectures with previously established results and stated assumptions
    - Distinguishing correct from flawed logic
    - Evaluating relationships among evidence and mathematical principles to create generalizations
  - o ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct mathematics arguments that
    - Create precise conjecture, using definitions, previously established results, and stated assumptions
    - Generalize logical relationships across cases
    - Justify (and refute) conclusions with evidence and mathematical principles
    - Evaluate and extend others' arguments
- 4: Language for Science
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret scientific explanations by
    - Defining investigable questions or problems based on observations, information, and/or data about a phenomenon
    - Paraphrasing central ideas in complex evidence, concepts, processes, and information to help explain how or why a phenomenon occurs
    - Evaluating the extent to which reasoning, theory and/or models link evidence to claims and support conclusions
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct scientific explanations that
    - Describe reliable and valid evidence from multiple sources about a phenomenon
    - Establish neutral or objective stance in how results are communicated
    - Develop reasoning to illustrate and/or predict the relationships between variables in a system or between components of a system

- Summarize and refine solutions referencing scientific knowledge, evidence, criteria, and/or trade-offs
- ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret scientific arguments by
  - Identifying appropriate and sufficient evidence from data, models, and/or information from investigations of a phenomenon or design solutions
  - Comparing reasoning and claims based on evidence from competing arguments or design solutions
  - Evaluating currently accepted explanations, new evidence, limitations (trade-offs), constraints, and ethical issues
- ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct scientific arguments that
  - Introduce and contextualize topic/phenomenon in current scientific or historical episodes in science
  - Defend or refute a claim based on data and evidence
  - Establish and maintain an appropriate tone and stance (neutral/objective or biased/subjective)
  - Signal logical relationships among reasoning, evidence, data, and/or models when making and defending a claim, counterclaim, and/or rebuttal
- 5: Language for Social Studies
  - ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret social studies explanations by
    - Determining multiple types of sources, points of view in sources, and potential uses of sources for answering compelling and supporting questions about phenomena or events
    - Analyzing sources for logical relationships among contributing factors, causes, or related concepts
    - Evaluating experts' points of agreement and disagreement based on their consistency with explanation given its purpose
  - o ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct social studies explanations that
    - Introduce and contextualize multiple phenomena or events
    - Establish perspective for communicating intended and unintended outcomes, consequences, or documentation
    - Develop sound reasoning, sequences with linear and nonlinear relationships, evidence, and details with significant and pertinent information, acknowledging strengths and weaknesses
    - Generalize experts' points of agreement and disagreement about multiple, complex causes and effects of developments or events
  - ELD-SS.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret social studies arguments by
    - Identifying topic and purpose (argue in favor of or against a position, present a balanced interpretation, challenge perspective)
    - Analyzing relevant information to support and/or revise claims with reliable and valid evidence from multiple sources
    - Evaluating credibility, accuracy, and relevancy of source based on expert perspectives
  - o ELD-SS.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct social studies arguments that
    - Introduce and contextualize topic
    - Select relevant information to support precise and knowledgeable claims with evidence from multiple sources
    - Establish perspective
    - Show relationships between claims and counterclaims, differences in perspectives, evidence, and reasoning

#### **NJSLS for English Language Arts**

- L.SS.9-10.1. Language. System and Structure of Language.9-10.1. Demonstrate command of the system and structure of the English language when writing or speaking.
  - o A. Use parallel structure.

- B. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
- E. Recognize spelling conventions.
- L.KL.9-10.2. Language. Knowledge of Language.9-10.2. Apply knowledge of language to make effective choices for meaning, or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading, writing, speaking or listening.
  - A. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level.
  - B. Vary word choice and sentence structure to demonstrate an understanding of the influence of language.
  - C. Demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
- L.VL.9-10.3. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and Literal Meaning. 9-10.3. Determine or clarify the
  meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content,
  including technical meanings, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
  - A. Use content (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
  - B. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., analyze, analysis, analytical; advocate, advocacy).
  - C. Analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
  - D. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesaurus), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its part of speech, or its etymology.
  - E. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., but checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
- L.VI.9-10.4. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and Interpretative Meaning.9-10.4. Demonstrate
  understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings, including
  connotative meanings.
  - A. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., euphemism, oxymoron) in context and analyze their role in the text.
- RL.CR.9-10.1. Reading Literature. Close Reading of Text.9-10.1. Cite a range of thorough textual evidence
  and make relevant connections to strongly support analysis of multiple aspects of what a literary text says
  explicitly and inferentially, as well as including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- RI.CR.9-10.1. Reading Informational Texts. Close Reading of Text.9-10.1. Cite a range and thorough textual evidence and make clear and relevant connections, to strongly support an analysis of multiple aspects of what an informational text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the text.
- RL.CI.9-10.2. Reading Literature. Central Ideas and Themes of Texts.9-10.2. Determine one or more central
  ideas of an informational text and analyze how it is developed and refined over the course of a text, including
  how it emerges and is shaped by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RI.CI.9-10.2. Reading Informational Texts. Central Ideas and Themes of Texts.9-10.2. Determine one of more
  central ideas of an informational text and analyze how it is developed and refined over the course of a text,
  including how it emerges and is shaped by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RL.IT.9-10.3. Reading Literature. Interactions Among Text Elements.9-10.3. Analyze how an author unfolds
  and develops ideas throughout a text, including how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or
  conflicting motivations) develop, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.
- RI.IT.9-10.3. Reading Informational Texts. Interactions Among Text Elements.9-10.3. Analyze how an author unfolds ideas throughout the text, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.
- RL.TS.9-10.4. Reading Literature.Text Structure.9-10.4. Analyze how an author's choices concerning the structure of a text, order of the events within (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulation of time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create specific effects (e.g., mystery, tension, or surprise)

- RL.PP.9-10.5. Reading Literature. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.9-10.5. Determine an author's lens in a
  text (including cultural experience reflected in a work of literature from outside the United States, drawing on
  a wide reading of world literature) and analyze how an author uses rhetorical devices to advance a point of
  view.
- RI.PP.9-10.5. Reading Informational Texts. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.9-10.5. Determine an author's
  purpose in a text (including culture experience and knowledge reflected in text originating outside the United
  States) and analyze how an author uses rhetorical devices to advance that purpose.
- RI.MF.9-10.6. Reading Informational Texts. Diverse Media and Formats.9-10.6. Analyze, integrate, and
  evaluate multiple interpretations (e.g., charts, graphs, diagrams, videos) of a single text or text/s presented in
  different formats (visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a
  problem.
- RI.AA.9-10.7. Reading Informational Texts. Analysis of an Argument.9-10.7. Describe and evaluate the argument and specific claims in an informational text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; identify false statements and reasoning.
- W.AW.9-10.1. Writing, Argumentative Writing.9-10.1 Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient textual and non-textual evidence.
  - A. Introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create
    an organization that establishes clear relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and
    evidence.
  - B. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims using sound reasoning, supplying data and evidence for each whale pointing out the strengths and limitations of both claim(s) and counterclaims in a discipline-appropriate manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.
  - C. Use transitions (e.g., words, phrases, clauses) to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.
  - D. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing).
  - E. Provide a concluding paragraph or section that supports the argument presented.
- W.IW.9-10.2. Writing. Informative and Explanatory Writing.9-10.2. Write informative/explanatory texts
  (including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/experiments, or technical processes) to
  examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective
  selection, organization, and analysis of content.
  - A. Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables) and multimedia when useful to aid in comprehension.
  - B. Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete
    details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of
    the topic.
  - C. Use of appropriate and varied transitions to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts.
  - o D. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
  - E. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
- W.NW.9-10.3. Writing.Narrative Writing.9-10.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
  - A. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one
    or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth
    progression of experiences or events.
  - B. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.

- C. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
- D. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
- E. Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
- W.RW.9-10.7. Writing. Range of Writing.9-10.7. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.
- SL.PE.9-10.1. Speaking and Listening. Participate Effectively.9-10.1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 9-10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
  - A. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.
  - B. Collaborate with peers to set rules for discussions (e.g., informal consensus, taking votes on key issues, presentation of alternate views); develop clear goals and assessment criteria (e.g., student developed rubric) and assign individual roles as needed.
  - C. Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas; actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions.
  - D. Respond thoughtfully to various perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and justify own views. Make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.
- SL.PI.9-10.4. Speaking and Listening. Present Information.9-10.4. Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- SL.UM.9-10.5. Speaking and Listening. Use media.9-10.5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance findings, reasonings, and evidence and to add interest.
- SL.AS.9-10.6. Speaking and Listening. Adapt Speech.9-10.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English.
- L.SS.11-12.1. Language. System and Structure of Language.11-12.1. Demonstrate command of the system and structure of the English language when writing or speaking.
  - C. Recognize spelling conventions.
- L.KL.11-12.2. Language. Knowledge of Language.11-12.2. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
  - A. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level.
  - C. Demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
- L.VL.11-12.3. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and LIteral Meaning.11-12.3. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 11-12 reading and content, including technical meanings, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
  - A. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
  - B. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., conceive, conception, conceivable)
  - D. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its parts of speech, its etymology, or its standard usage.
  - E. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., but checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).

- RL.CR.11-12.1. Reading Literature. Close Reading of Text.11-12.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough
  textual evidence and make relevant connections to strongly support a comprehensive analysis of multiple
  aspects of what a literary text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the text; this may
  include determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- RI.CR.11-12.1. Reading Informational Texts. Close Reading of Text.11-12.1. Accurately cite a range of
  thorough textual evidence and make relevant connections to strongly support a comprehensive analysis of
  multiple aspects of what an informational text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the
  text.
- RI.PP.11-12.5. Reading Informational Texts. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.11-12.5. Analyze an author's
  purpose in a text distinguishing what is directly stated in a text or through rhetoric, analyzing how style and
  content convey information and advance a point of view.
- W.AW.11-12.1. Writing. Argumentative Writing.11-12.1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.
  - A. Introduce precise, knowledgeable claim(s), establish the significance of the claim(s), distinguish
    the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that logically sequences
    claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.
  - B. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims avoiding common logical fallacies and using sound reasoning and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases.
  - C. Use transitions (e.g., words, phrases, clauses) to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.
  - D. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
  - E. Provide a concluding paragraph or section that supports the argument presented (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).
- W.NW.11-12.3. Writing. Narrative Writing.11-12.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
  - A. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation and its significance, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
  - B. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
  - C. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a
    coherent whole and build toward a particular tone and outcome (e.g., a sense of mystery, suspense,
    growth, or resolution).
  - D. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
  - E. Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
- W.RW.11-12.7. Writing.Range of Writing.9-10.4. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes.
- SL.PE.11-12.1. Speaking and Listening. Participate Effectively.11-12.1. Initiate and participate effectively in a
  range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 11-12
  topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
  - A. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.

- SL.PI.11-12.4. Speaking and Listening. Present Information.11-12.4. Present information, findings and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- SL.UM.11-12.5. Speaking and Listening. Use Media.9-10.5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence to add interest.
- SL.AS.11-12.6. Speaking and Listening. Adapt Speech.9-10.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

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9.4.12.IML.2	Evaluate digital sources	credibility of the source, nation, in media, data, ., NJSLSA.W8. <i>Social</i>	Advanced search techniques can be used with digital and media resources to locate information and to check the credibility and the expertise of sources to answer questions, solve problems, and inform the decision-making.
9.4.12.TL.1	Access digital tools bas accessibility options, ca accomplishing a specifi W.11-12.6).	apacities, and utility for	Digital tools differ in features, capacities, and styles. Knowledge of different digital tools is helpful in selecting the best tool for a given task.
Central Idea/Enduring Understanding:  What Matters Most  • Knowing what is important in life can help you reach your dreams and achieve your goals.  Toward a Better Future  • Courage and determination can help build a better future.		<ul> <li>Essential/Guiding Question:</li> <li>What are dreams and decisions?</li> <li>Why are dreams important?</li> <li>How do you make decisions based on dreams?</li> </ul>	
Content: Dreams (problems, decisions, goals, results, outcome, future) Life Experience (decisions, influence, values) Descriptive Words Adjectives Adverbs		Skills(Objectives): Engage in discussion Interpret a visual image Use graphic organizers Relate goals and outco Preview Build background	(map)

Prepositional Phrases

Storytelling
Historical Fiction
Structural Clues
Characterization

Dialogue

Compound Predicates Compound Subjects

Gestures

Comparative and Superlative Adjectives Goals (decisions, rewarding, future)

Synonyms

Complex Sentences Structural Clues (prefixes) Phrases and Clauses Population Shifts

Words About Population (population, census,

demographics, race, ethnic group)
Context Clues (multiple-meaning words)

Indefinite Adjectives

Modals

Two-word Verbs

Word Origins (borrowed words, coined words)

Idioms

Author's Style Word Choice Writing Process Introductory Sentence

Historical Fiction Ge

Classify Generate ideas Listen actively Tell a story

Interpret visual information

Relate to personal experiences

Use graphic organizers (story map)

Activate prior knowledge Use new words in context

Predict

Listen to a selection
Use context clues to meaning
Set a purpose for reading
Use graphic organizers (chart)

Identify details

Read a selection

Identify cause and effect Make an inference

Identify character's motive

Traits

Make comparisons Confirm word meaning

Form opinions Summarize

Evaluate impact of author's background on literature

Retell a story

Synthesize information
Draw conclusions
Make judgments
Give information
Formulate questions
Gather information

Use maps Take notes

Use new words in context

Paraphrase Relate words

Identify character's point of view

Compare literature Evaluate literary quality

Demonstrate non-verbal communication

Use the Internet

Use Word-processing software

Locate resources

Plan

Interact with peers

Gather and synthesize information

Respond to a paragraph Identify author's purpose

Evaluate impact of medium on meaning

Form generalizations

Ask questions and clarify meaning

Evaluate impact of author's qualifications on meaning

Analyze information (apparent message and hidden agenda)

State a goal

Express probability

Evaluate information from electronic resources

Use text structures (character map)

Self-assess

Use desktop publishing software

#### **Interdisciplinary Connections:**

Social Studies; Science; Career; Health; Music

### Stage 2: Assessment Evidence

#### **Performance Task(s):**

Read alouds

Practice workbook activities - Fill in the blank; multiple choice; True/False; picture matching; sentence frames/stems

Grammar and content-related handouts

Use new vocabulary in speaking

Ability to listen and repeat with correct pronunciation

#### Other Evidence:

Class participation

Do Now/Warm-ups

Unit tests

Selection tests

- "Ginger for the Heart"
- "Twins"
- "The Great Migration"
- "A House of My Own"

### Writing Assignments

- Writing That Describes (Descriptive Writing/Character Sketch)
- Letters
- Description
- Essay
- Poem

Self-Assessment Form

Peer-Assessment Form

Writing Progress Checklist

Portfolio Evaluation Form

# Stage 3: Learning Plan

#### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

<u>Unit 3 - Follow Your Dreams</u>

Theme 1 - What Matters Most

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Tell a Story
- "Ginger for the Heart" (Historical Fiction; Reading Strategy: Relate Goals and Outcomes)
- "Twins" (Article; Reading Strategy: Paraphrase)

#### Theme 2 - Toward a Better Future

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Describe
- "The Great Migration" (Art essay; Reading Strategy: Make Comparisons)
- "Follow the Drinking Gourd" (Traditional song; Reading Strategy: Ask Questions and Clarify Meaning)
- "A House of My Own" (Story; Reading Strategy: Confirm Word Meanings"

#### **Resources:**

Unit 3 - Follow Your Dreams

High Point Textbook (p.140-211)

High Point Language Skills Practice Book (p.63-101)

High Point Listen and Learn Audio

Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic Organizers

High Point Language Acquisition Assessment (Unit 3 Test),

Writing Assessment, Self-Assessment

High Point Newsletter 5 and 6 (Home-school connections)

High Point Teacher's Edition (p.T140a-T211)

Theme Library ("The Lotus Seed" and "The Milkman's Boy")

From The Basics Bookshelf ("Friends Are Like That" and "Who

Was Martin Luther King, Jr.?")

"Mandela"

"Going Home"

"The Gold Coin"

"The Dragon Prince"

"The Miracle Worker"

"The House on Mango Street"

"Dreaming of America: An Ellis Island Story"

"The Bus Ride"

"Life in Pioneer America"

LGBT and Disabilities Resources:

- <u>LGBTQ-Inclusive Lesson & Resources by Garden</u>
   <u>State Equality and Make it Better for Youth</u>
- LGBTQ+ Books

#### **DEI Resources:**

- Learning for Justice
- GLSEN Educator Resources
- Supporting LGBTQIA Youth Resource List
- Respect Ability: Fighting Stigmas, Advancing Opportunities
- NJDOE Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Educational Resources
- Diversity Calendar

#### **Differentiation**

\*Please note: Teachers who have students with 504 plans that require curricular accommodations are to refer to Struggling and/or Special Needs Section for differentiation

Sensory Supports (real-life objects; manipulatives; pictures and photographs; illustrations, diagrams, drawings; magazines and newspapers; physical activities; videos and films; broadcasts; models and figures)

Graphic Organizers (Venn diagrams; T-charts; cycles; cause and effect; semantic webs)

Graphic Support (charts; graphic organizers; tables; graphs; timelines; number lines)

Language Arts Supports (illustrated word/phrase walls; felt or magnetic figures of story elements; sequence blocks; environmental print; posters or displays; bulletin boards; photographs; cartoons; audio books; songs/chants) Interactive Supports (in pairs or partners; in triads or small groups; in a whole group; using cooperative group structures with the Internet or software programs; in the native language with mentors)

Technology Supports (software programs; language-learning apps; Oxford Picture Dictionary online) Modifications

Pacing (extend time requirements; omit assignments)

Environment (assign preferential seating; assign peer buddy)

Reinforcement and Follow Through (use positive reinforcement; use concrete reinforcement; check often for understanding/review; arrange for peer tutoring; plan cooperative learning experiences; provide language experience; give immediate feedback; have student repeat directions; make/use vocabulary files; teach study skills; use study guides to organize materials; repeat/review/drill

Assignments (lower reading level; give directions in small, distinct steps; allow copying from paper/book; use written backup for oral directions; lower difficulty level; shorten assignment; read directions to students; give oral cues or prompts; record or type assignments; adapt worksheets, packets; use alternate assignments)

Presentation of Subject Material (use individual/small group instruction; use specialized curriculum; simplify language; record lectures for playback; demonstrate concepts; use manipulatives; emphasize critical information; use graphic organizers; pre-teach vocabulary)

Materials (provided recorded textbooks; highlight textbooks/study guides; use supplementary materials; give assistance in note taking; type handwritten teacher materials; use bilingual dictionaries, language learner dictionaries and electronic translators; use adapted/modified textbooks; allow use of computer)

Testing Adaptations (allow students to answer orally; use multiple-choice format; read test to student; modify format; write a different test; shorten test length; require only selected test items; create alternative assessment) Grading (modify grading system; modify weights of course components; modify course objectives/outcomes)

High-Achieving Students	On Grade Level Students	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Accelerated Programs Independent Study	Grade level texts Small Groups	Remediation Peer tutoring	Any student requiring further accommodations and/or modifications

Small groups Activity extensions, projects Peer teaching	Small Group	will have them individually listed in their 504 Plan or IEP. These might include, but are not limited to: breaking assignments into smaller tasks, giving directions through several channels (auditory, visual, kinesthetic, model), and/or small group instruction for reading/writing
		ELL supports should include, but are not limited to, the following: Extended time Provide visual aids Repeated directions Differentiate based on proficiency Provide word banks Allow for translators, dictionaries

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### **Stage 1: Desired Results**

#### Standards & Indicators:

#### **WIDA ELD Standards**

- 1: Social & Instructional Language
  - o ELD-SI.4-12.Narrate
    - Share ideas about one's own and others' lived experiences and previous learning
    - Connect stories with images and representations to add meaning
    - Identify and raise questions about what might be unexplained, missing, or left unsaid
    - Recount and restate ideas to sustain and move dialogue forward
    - Create closure, recap, and offer next steps
  - o ELD-SI.4-12. Inform
    - Define and classify facts and interpretations; determine what is known vs. unknown
    - Report on explicit and inferred characteristics, patterns, or behavior
    - Describe the parts and wholes of a system
    - Sort, clarify, and summarize relationships
    - Summarize most important aspects of information
  - ELD-SI.4-12.Explain
    - Generate and convey initial thinking
    - Follow and describe cycles and sequences of steps or procedures and their causes and effects
    - Compare changing variables, factors, and circumstances
    - Offer alternatives to extend or deepen awareness of factors that contribute to particular outcomes
    - Act on feedback to revise understandings of how or why something is or works in particular ways
  - o ELD-SI.4-12.Argue
    - Generate questions about different perspectives
    - Support or challenge an opinion, premise, or interpretation
    - Clarify and elaborate ideas based on feedback
    - Evaluate changes in thinking, identifying trade-offs
    - Refine claims and reasoning based on new information or evidence
- 2: Language for Language Arts

- ELD-LA.9-12.Narrate.Interpretive. Interpret language arts narratives by
  - Identifying themes or central ideas that develop over the course of a text
  - Analyzing how author choices about character attributes and actions relate to story elements (setting, event sequences, and context)
  - Evaluating the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and explicit vs. implicit points of view
- EDL-LA.9-12.Narrate.Expressive. Construct language arts narratives that
  - Orient audience to context and one or multiple point(s) of view
  - Develop and describe characters and their relationships over a progression of experiences or events
  - Develop story, advancing the plot and themes with complications and resolutions, time and event sequences
  - Engage and adjust for audience
- ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Interpretive. Interpret informational texts in language arts by
  - Identifying and/or summarizing central ideas
  - Analyzing descriptions and inferences in textual evidence for key attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
  - Evaluating cumulative impact and refinement of author's key word choices over the course of text
- o ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Expressive. Construct informational texts in language arts that
  - Introduce and define topic and/or entity for audience
  - Establish an objective or neutral stance
  - Add precision, details, and clarity about complex attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
  - Develop coherence and cohesion throughout text
- ELD-LA.9.12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret language arts arguments by
  - Identifying and summarizing central ideas of primary or secondary sources
  - Analyzing use of rhetoric and details to advance point of view or purpose
  - Evaluating and corroborating relevance and sufficiency of evidence as well as validity of reasoning to support claims
- o ELD-LA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct language arts arguments that
  - Introduce and develop precise claims and address counterclaims
  - Support claims and refute counterclaims with valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence
  - Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone
  - Logically organize claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence; offer a conclusion with recommendations
- 3: Language for Mathematics
  - ELD-MA.9-12. Explain. Interpretive. Interpret mathematical explanations by
    - Identifying concept or entity
    - Analyzing data and owning problem-solving approaches
    - Evaluating rationales, models, and/or interpretations based on evidence and mathematical principles
  - ELD-MA.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct mathematical explanations that
    - Introduce mathematical concept or entity
    - Share solutions with others
    - Describe data and/or approach used to solve a problem
    - State reasoning used to generate own or alternate solutions
  - ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret concepts in arguments by
    - Comparing conjectures with previously established results and stated assumptions
    - Distinguishing correct from flawed logic
    - Evaluating relationships among evidence and mathematical principles to create generalizations

- ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct mathematics arguments that
  - Create precise conjecture, using definitions, previously established results, and stated assumptions
  - Generalize logical relationships across cases
  - Justify (and refute) conclusions with evidence and mathematical principles
  - Evaluate and extend others' arguments
- 4: Language for Science
  - ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret scientific explanations by
    - Defining investigable questions or problems based on observations, information, and/or data about a phenomenon
    - Paraphrasing central ideas in complex evidence, concepts, processes, and information to help explain how or why a phenomenon occurs
    - Evaluating the extent to which reasoning, theory and/or models link evidence to claims and support conclusions
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct scientific explanations that
    - Describe reliable and valid evidence from multiple sources about a phenomenon
    - Establish neutral or objective stance in how results are communicated
    - Develop reasoning to illustrate and/or predict the relationships between variables in a system or between components of a system
    - Summarize and refine solutions referencing scientific knowledge, evidence, criteria, and/or trade-offs
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret scientific arguments by
    - Identifying appropriate and sufficient evidence from data, models, and/or information from investigations of a phenomenon or design solutions
    - Comparing reasoning and claims based on evidence from competing arguments or design solutions
    - Evaluating currently accepted explanations, new evidence, limitations (trade-offs), constraints, and ethical issues
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct scientific arguments that
    - Introduce and contextualize topic/phenomenon in current scientific or historical episodes in science
    - Defend or refute a claim based on data and evidence
    - Establish and maintain an appropriate tone and stance (neutral/objective or biased/subjective)
    - Signal logical relationships among reasoning, evidence, data, and/or models when making and defending a claim, counterclaim, and/or rebuttal
- 5: Language for Social Studies
  - ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret social studies explanations by
    - Determining multiple types of sources, points of view in sources, and potential uses of sources for answering compelling and supporting questions about phenomena or events
    - Analyzing sources for logical relationships among contributing factors, causes, or related concepts
    - Evaluating experts' points of agreement and disagreement based on their consistency with explanation given its purpose
  - o ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct social studies explanations that
    - Introduce and contextualize multiple phenomena or events
    - Establish perspective for communicating intended and unintended outcomes, consequences, or documentation
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    - Generalize experts' points of agreement and disagreement about multiple, complex causes and effects of developments or events
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- Evaluating credibility, accuracy, and relevancy of source based on expert perspectives
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generations to come.  Content: Continuity and Change (certainty, enduring, legacy) Continuity and Change (cycles, predict)		Skills(Objectives): Engage in discussion Interpret a visual image Preview	

Words About Change Relative Clauses

Story elements

Plot (foreshadowing)

Words About Plot (conflict, complication, rising action, climax, falling action, resolution)
Scientific Words (method, hypothesis, data)

Nature Words Alliteration Consonance

Mood Style

Words About Destruction

Sensory Words

Simile

Multiple-meaning Words

Structural Clues (Latin and Greek roots) Volcanoes (active, dormant, extinct) Continuity and Change (enduring, legacy,

progress) Wartime Words

Present Perfect Tense Verbs

Biography Helping Verbs Two-word Verbs

Tone

Writing Process

Sentence Variety and Elaboration

Outline

Peer-conferencing

Build background

Use graphic organizers (mind map; chart)

Dramatize

Relate to personal experience

Form generalizations Generate ideas Give information Analyze information

Relate words

Analyze story elements (characters and plot)

Set a purpose for reading Listen to a selection

Use graphic organizers (character map)

Identify character's motive

Analyze information (fantasy and reality)

Read a selection

Use new words in context Identify cause and effect

Identify details Identify sequence Make an inference

Identify character's point of view

Draw conclusions Respond to literature

Identify problem and solution

Make judgments Negotiate Role-play

Define and explain Formulate hypotheses

Gather and analyze information

Plan research methods Conduct an observation

Use graphic organizers (time line)

Use context clues Relate steps in a process

Read a poem

Evaluate impact of point of view on meaning

Make predictions Choral reading Skim and take notes Use text features (sidebars)

Summarize

Evaluate literary quality

Use graphic organizers (cause/effect chart)

Compare literature Ask for information

Gather, organize, and synthesize information

Use a mpa
Use the Internet
Listen actively
Define and explain

Evaluate impact of author's background on meaning

Persuade

Interact with peers

Cite sources

Compare literature

Respond to literature

Identify character's traits

Use search engines

Self-assess

Compare and evaluate literature

#### **Interdisciplinary Connections:**

Social Studies; Geography; World History; Mythology; Science

# Stage 2: Assessment Evidence

#### **Performance Task(s):**

Read alouds

Practice workbook activities - Fill in the blank; multiple choice; True/False; picture matching; sentence frames/stems

Grammar and content-related handouts

Use new vocabulary in speaking

Ability to listen and repeat with correct pronunciation

#### Other Evidence:

Class participation

Do Now/Warm-ups

Unit tests

Selection tests

- "The Mother Who Lost Her Daughter"
- "The Big Blast"
- "Anne Frank"
- "The Diary of a Young Girl"

Writing Assignments

- Writing That Informs and Explains (Expository Writing/Content-Area Report)
- Sentences
- Plot Diagram
- Myth
- Paragraph
- Diary entry
- Newspaper article
- Poster
- Expository (content-area report)

Oral Report

Self-Assessment Form

Peer-Assessment Form

Writing Progress Checklist

Portfolio Evaluation Form

# Stage 3: Learning Plan

#### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Unit 4 - Coming Full Circle

Theme 1 - The Certainty of Change

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Give Information
- "The Mother Who Lost Her Daughter" (Greek myth/play; Reading Strategy: Analyze Characters and Plot)
- "Chrysalis Diary" (Poem; Reading Strategy: Relate Steps in a Process"
- "The Big Blast" (Science article; Reading Strategy: Skim and Take Notes)

Theme 2 - An Enduring Legacy

#### **Resources:**

Unit 4 - Coming Full Circle

High Point Textbook (p.212-289)

High Point Language Skills Practice Book (p.102-137)

High Point Listen and Learn Audio

Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic Organizers

High Point Language Acquisition Assessment (Unit 4 Test),

Writing Assessment, Self-Assessment

High Point Newsletter 7 and 8 (Home-school connections)

High Point Teacher's Edition (p.T212a-T289)

Theme Library ("Volcanoes" and "Nine Spoons: A Chanukah

Story")

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Define and Explain
- "Anne Frank" (Biography; Reading Strategy: Use a Graphic Organizer)
- from "The Diary of a Young Girl" (Diary; Reading Strategy: Monitor Your Reading)

From *The Basics Bookshelf* ("The Eagle and the Moon Gold," "Explore!," and "The Children We Remember")

"Cactus Hotel"

"The Time Machine"

"To Everything There Is a Season"

"Felita"

"Volcanoes" video

"So Far From the Sea"

"Number the Stars"

"Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes"

"TimeLiner 4.0"

"The Diary of Anne Frank" (film)

LGBT and Disabilities Resources:

- LGBTQ-Inclusive Lesson & Resources by Garden State Equality and Make it Better for Youth
- LGBTQ+ Books

#### **DEI Resources:**

- <u>Learning for Justice</u>
- GLSEN Educator Resources
- Supporting LGBTQIA Youth Resource List
- Respect Ability: Fighting Stigmas, Advancing Opportunities
- NJDOE Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Educational Resources
- <u>Diversity Calendar</u>

#### **Differentiation**

\*Please note: Teachers who have students with 504 plans that require curricular accommodations are to refer to Struggling and/or Special Needs Section for differentiation

Sensory Supports (real-life objects; manipulatives; pictures and photographs; illustrations, diagrams, drawings; magazines and newspapers; physical activities; videos and films; broadcasts; models and figures)

Graphic Organizers (Venn diagrams; T-charts; cycles; cause and effect; semantic webs)

Graphic Support (charts; graphic organizers; tables; graphs; timelines; number lines)

Language Arts Supports (illustrated word/phrase walls; felt or magnetic figures of story elements; sequence blocks; environmental print; posters or displays; bulletin boards; photographs; cartoons; audio books; songs/chants) Interactive Supports (in pairs or partners; in triads or small groups; in a whole group; using cooperative group structures with the Internet or software programs; in the native language with mentors)

Technology Supports (software programs; language-learning apps; Oxford Picture Dictionary online) Modifications

Pacing (extend time requirements; omit assignments)

Environment (assign preferential seating; assign peer buddy)

Reinforcement and Follow Through (use positive reinforcement; use concrete reinforcement; check often for understanding/review; arrange for peer tutoring; plan cooperative learning experiences; provide language experience; give immediate feedback; have student repeat directions; make/use vocabulary files; teach study skills; use study guides to organize materials; repeat/review/drill

Assignments (lower reading level; give directions in small, distinct steps; allow copying from paper/book; use written backup for oral directions; lower difficulty level; shorten assignment; read directions to students; give oral cues or prompts; record or type assignments; adapt worksheets, packets; use alternate assignments)

Presentation of Subject Material (use individual/small group instruction; use specialized curriculum; simplify language; record lectures for playback; demonstrate concepts; use manipulatives; emphasize critical information; use graphic organizers; pre-teach vocabulary)

Materials (provided recorded textbooks; highlight textbooks/study guides; use supplementary materials; give

assistance in note taking; type handwritten teacher materials; use bilingual dictionaries, language learner dictionaries and electronic translators; use adapted/modified textbooks; allow use of computer)

Testing Adaptations (allow students to answer orally; use multiple-choice format; read test to student; modify format; write a different test; shorten test length; require only selected test items; create alternative assessment) Grading (modify grading system; modify weights of course components; modify course objectives/outcomes)

High-Achieving Students	On Grade Level Students	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Accelerated Programs Independent Study Small groups Activity extensions, projects Peer teaching	Grade level texts Small Groups	Remediation Peer tutoring Small Groups	Any student requiring further accommodations and/or modifications will have them individually listed in their 504 Plan or IEP. These might include, but are not limited to: breaking assignments into smaller tasks, giving directions through several channels (auditory, visual, kinesthetic, model), and/or small group instruction for reading/writing  ELL supports should include, but are not limited to, the following: Extended time  Provide visual aids  Repeated directions  Differentiate based on proficiency  Provide word banks  Allow for translators, dictionaries

### Unit Title: High Point Level 3 (Unit 5) Grades 9-12 Bridging/Reaching

# **Stage 1: Desired Results**

#### **Standards & Indicators:**

#### **WIDA ELD Standards**

- 1: Social & Instructional Language
  - o ELD-SI.4-12.Narrate
    - Share ideas about one's own and others' lived experiences and previous learning
    - Connect stories with images and representations to add meaning
    - Identify and raise questions about what might be unexplained, missing, or left unsaid
    - Recount and restate ideas to sustain and move dialogue forward
    - Create closure, recap, and offer next steps
  - ELD-SI.4-12. Inform
    - Define and classify facts and interpretations; determine what is known vs. unknown
    - Report on explicit and inferred characteristics, patterns, or behavior
    - Describe the parts and wholes of a system
    - Sort, clarify, and summarize relationships
    - Summarize most important aspects of information
  - o ELD-SI.4-12.Explain
    - Generate and convey initial thinking
    - Follow and describe cycles and sequences of steps or procedures and their causes and effects
    - Compare changing variables, factors, and circumstances
    - Offer alternatives to extend or deepen awareness of factors that contribute to particular outcomes

- Act on feedback to revise understandings of how or why something is or works in particular ways
- o ELD-SI.4-12.Argue
  - Generate questions about different perspectives
  - Support or challenge an opinion, premise, or interpretation
  - Clarify and elaborate ideas based on feedback
  - Evaluate changes in thinking, identifying trade-offs
  - Refine claims and reasoning based on new information or evidence
- 2: Language for Language Arts
  - o ELD-LA.9-12.Narrate.Interpretive. Interpret language arts narratives by
    - Identifying themes or central ideas that develop over the course of a text
    - Analyzing how author choices about character attributes and actions relate to story elements (setting, event sequences, and context)
    - Evaluating the impact of specific word choices on meaning, tone, and explicit vs. implicit points of view
  - EDL-LA.9-12.Narrate.Expressive. Construct language arts narratives that
    - Orient audience to context and one or multiple point(s) of view
    - Develop and describe characters and their relationships over a progression of experiences or events
    - Develop story, advancing the plot and themes with complications and resolutions, time and event sequences
    - Engage and adjust for audience
  - ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Interpretive. Interpret informational texts in language arts by
    - Identifying and/or summarizing central ideas
    - Analyzing descriptions and inferences in textual evidence for key attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
    - Evaluating cumulative impact and refinement of author's key word choices over the course of text
  - ELD-LA.9-12.Inform.Expressive. Construct informational texts in language arts that
    - Introduce and define topic and/or entity for audience
    - Establish an objective or neutral stance
    - Add precision, details, and clarity about complex attributes, qualities, characteristics, activities, and conceptual relationships
    - Develop coherence and cohesion throughout text
  - o ELD-LA.9.12. Argue. Interpretive. Interpret language arts arguments by
    - Identifying and summarizing central ideas of primary or secondary sources
    - Analyzing use of rhetoric and details to advance point of view or purpose
    - Evaluating and corroborating relevance and sufficiency of evidence as well as validity of reasoning to support claims
  - o ELD-LA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct language arts arguments that
    - Introduce and develop precise claims and address counterclaims
    - Support claims and refute counterclaims with valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence
    - Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone
    - Logically organize claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence; offer a conclusion with recommendations
- 3: Language for Mathematics
  - o ELD-MA.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret mathematical explanations by
    - Identifying concept or entity
    - Analyzing data and owning problem-solving approaches
    - Evaluating rationales, models, and/or interpretations based on evidence and mathematical principles
  - ELD-MA.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct mathematical explanations that

- Introduce mathematical concept or entity
- Share solutions with others
- Describe data and/or approach used to solve a problem
- State reasoning used to generate own or alternate solutions
- ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret concepts in arguments by
  - Comparing conjectures with previously established results and stated assumptions
  - Distinguishing correct from flawed logic
  - Evaluating relationships among evidence and mathematical principles to create generalizations
- o ELD-MA.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct mathematics arguments that
  - Create precise conjecture, using definitions, previously established results, and stated assumptions
  - Generalize logical relationships across cases
  - Justify (and refute) conclusions with evidence and mathematical principles
  - Evaluate and extend others' arguments
- 4: Language for Science
  - ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret scientific explanations by
    - Defining investigable questions or problems based on observations, information, and/or data about a phenomenon
    - Paraphrasing central ideas in complex evidence, concepts, processes, and information to help explain how or why a phenomenon occurs
    - Evaluating the extent to which reasoning, theory and/or models link evidence to claims and support conclusions
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct scientific explanations that
    - Describe reliable and valid evidence from multiple sources about a phenomenon
    - Establish neutral or objective stance in how results are communicated
    - Develop reasoning to illustrate and/or predict the relationships between variables in a system or between components of a system
    - Summarize and refine solutions referencing scientific knowledge, evidence, criteria, and/or trade-offs
  - ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret scientific arguments by
    - Identifying appropriate and sufficient evidence from data, models, and/or information from investigations of a phenomenon or design solutions
    - Comparing reasoning and claims based on evidence from competing arguments or design solutions
    - Evaluating currently accepted explanations, new evidence, limitations (trade-offs), constraints, and ethical issues
  - o ELD-SC.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct scientific arguments that
    - Introduce and contextualize topic/phenomenon in current scientific or historical episodes in science
    - Defend or refute a claim based on data and evidence
    - Establish and maintain an appropriate tone and stance (neutral/objective or biased/subjective)
    - Signal logical relationships among reasoning, evidence, data, and/or models when making and defending a claim, counterclaim, and/or rebuttal
- 5: Language for Social Studies
  - ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Interpretive. Interpret social studies explanations by
    - Determining multiple types of sources, points of view in sources, and potential uses of sources for answering compelling and supporting questions about phenomena or events
    - Analyzing sources for logical relationships among contributing factors, causes, or related concepts
    - Evaluating experts' points of agreement and disagreement based on their consistency with explanation given its purpose

- ELD-SS.9-12.Explain.Expressive. Construct social studies explanations that
  - Introduce and contextualize multiple phenomena or events
  - Establish perspective for communicating intended and unintended outcomes, consequences, or documentation
  - Develop sound reasoning, sequences with linear and nonlinear relationships, evidence, and details with significant and pertinent information, acknowledging strengths and weaknesses
  - Generalize experts' points of agreement and disagreement about multiple, complex causes and effects of developments or events
- ELD-SS.9-12.Argue.Interpretive. Interpret social studies arguments by
  - Identifying topic and purpose (argue in favor of or against a position, present a balanced interpretation, challenge perspective)
  - Analyzing relevant information to support and/or revise claims with reliable and valid evidence from multiple sources
  - Evaluating credibility, accuracy, and relevancy of source based on expert perspectives
- o ELD-SS.9-12.Argue.Expressive. Construct social studies arguments that
  - Introduce and contextualize topic
  - Select relevant information to support precise and knowledgeable claims with evidence from multiple sources
  - Establish perspective
  - Show relationships between claims and counterclaims, differences in perspectives, evidence, and reasoning

#### **NJSLS for English Language Arts**

- L.SS.9-10.1. Language. System and Structure of Language.9-10.1. Demonstrate command of the system and structure of the English language when writing or speaking.
  - A. Use parallel structure.
  - B. Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun, relative, adverbial) to convey specific meanings and add variety and interest to writing or presentations.
  - E. Recognize spelling conventions.
- L.KL.9-10.2. Language. Knowledge of Language.9-10.2. Apply knowledge of language to make effective choices for meaning, or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading, writing, speaking or listening.
  - A. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level.
  - B. Vary word choice and sentence structure to demonstrate an understanding of the influence of language.
  - C. Demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
- L.VL.9-10.3. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and Literal Meaning. 9-10.3. Determine or clarify the
  meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content,
  including technical meanings, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
  - A. Use content (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
  - B. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., analyze, analysis, analytical; advocate, advocacy).
  - C. Analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).
  - D. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesaurus), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its part of speech, or its etymology.
  - E. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., but checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).

- L.VI.9-10.4. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and Interpretative Meaning.9-10.4. Demonstrate
  understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings, including
  connotative meanings.
  - A. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., euphemism, oxymoron) in context and analyze their role in the text.
- RL.CR.9-10.1. Reading Literature. Close Reading of Text.9-10.1. Cite a range of thorough textual evidence
  and make relevant connections to strongly support analysis of multiple aspects of what a literary text says
  explicitly and inferentially, as well as including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- RI.CR.9-10.1. Reading Informational Texts. Close Reading of Text.9-10.1. Cite a range and thorough textual
  evidence and make clear and relevant connections, to strongly support an analysis of multiple aspects of
  what an informational text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the text.
- RL.CI.9-10.2. Reading Literature. Central Ideas and Themes of Texts.9-10.2. Determine one or more central
  ideas of an informational text and analyze how it is developed and refined over the course of a text, including
  how it emerges and is shaped by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RI.CI.9-10.2. Reading Informational Texts. Central Ideas and Themes of Texts.9-10.2. Determine one of more
  central ideas of an informational text and analyze how it is developed and refined over the course of a text,
  including how it emerges and is shaped by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RL.IT.9-10.3. Reading Literature. Interactions Among Text Elements.9-10.3. Analyze how an author unfolds and develops ideas throughout a text, including how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.
- RI.IT.9-10.3. Reading Informational Texts. Interactions Among Text Elements.9-10.3. Analyze how an author unfolds ideas throughout the text, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.
- RL.TS.9-10.4. Reading Literature.Text Structure.9-10.4. Analyze how an author's choices concerning the structure of a text, order of the events within (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulation of time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create specific effects (e.g., mystery, tension, or surprise)
- RL.PP.9-10.5. Reading Literature. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.9-10.5. Determine an author's lens in a
  text (including cultural experience reflected in a work of literature from outside the United States, drawing on
  a wide reading of world literature) and analyze how an author uses rhetorical devices to advance a point of
  view.
- RI.PP.9-10.5. Reading Informational Texts. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.9-10.5. Determine an author's
  purpose in a text (including culture experience and knowledge reflected in text originating outside the United
  States) and analyze how an author uses rhetorical devices to advance that purpose.
- RI.MF.9-10.6. Reading Informational Texts. Diverse Media and Formats.9-10.6. Analyze, integrate, and
  evaluate multiple interpretations (e.g., charts, graphs, diagrams, videos) of a single text or text/s presented in
  different formats (visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a
  problem.
- RI.AA.9-10.7. Reading Informational Texts. Analysis of an Argument.9-10.7. Describe and evaluate the
  argument and specific claims in an informational text, assessing whether the reasoning is valid and the
  evidence is relevant and sufficient; identify false statements and reasoning.
- W.AW.9-10.1. Writing, Argumentative Writing.9-10.1 Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient textual and non-textual evidence.
  - A. Introduce precise claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create
    an organization that establishes clear relationships among claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and
    evidence.
  - B. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims using sound reasoning, supplying data and evidence for each
    whale pointing out the strengths and limitations of both claim(s) and counterclaims in a
    discipline-appropriate manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level and concerns.
  - C. Use transitions (e.g., words, phrases, clauses) to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.

- D. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing).
- E. Provide a concluding paragraph or section that supports the argument presented.
- W.IW.9-10.2. Writing. Informative and Explanatory Writing.9-10.2. Write informative/explanatory texts (including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/experiments, or technical processes) to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.
  - A. Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information to make important connections and distinctions; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables) and multimedia when useful to aid in comprehension.
  - B. Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete
    details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of
    the topic.
  - C. Use of appropriate and varied transitions to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts.
  - o D. Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to manage the complexity of the topic.
  - E. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
- W.NW.9-10.3. Writing.Narrative Writing.9-10.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
  - A. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation, establishing one
    or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth
    progression of experiences or events.
  - B. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
  - C. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole.
  - D. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
  - E. Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
- W.RW.9-10.7. Writing. Range of Writing.9-10.7. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.
- SL.PE.9-10.1. Speaking and Listening. Participate Effectively.9-10.1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 9-10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
  - A. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.
  - B. Collaborate with peers to set rules for discussions (e.g., informal consensus, taking votes on key issues, presentation of alternate views); develop clear goals and assessment criteria (e.g., student developed rubric) and assign individual roles as needed.
  - C. Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that relate the current discussion to broader themes or larger ideas; actively incorporate others into the discussion; and clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions.
  - D. Respond thoughtfully to various perspectives, summarize points of agreement and disagreement, and justify own views. Make new connections in light of the evidence and reasoning presented.
- SL.PI.9-10.4. Speaking and Listening. Present Information.9-10.4. Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

- SL.UM.9-10.5. Speaking and Listening. Use media.9-10.5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance findings, reasonings, and evidence and to add interest.
- SL.AS.9-10.6. Speaking and Listening. Adapt Speech.9-10.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English.
- L.SS.11-12.1. Language. System and Structure of Language.11-12.1. Demonstrate command of the system and structure of the English language when writing or speaking.
  - C. Recognize spelling conventions.
- L.KL.11-12.2. Language. Knowledge of Language.11-12.2. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
  - A. Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level.
  - C. Demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
- L.VL.11-12.3. Language. Vocabulary Acquisition, Use and LIteral Meaning.11-12.3. Determine or clarify the
  meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 11-12 reading and content,
  including technical meanings, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
  - A. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
  - B. Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., conceive, conception, conceivable)
  - D. Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its parts of speech, its etymology, or its standard usage.
  - E. Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., but checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
- RL.CR.11-12.1. Reading Literature. Close Reading of Text.11-12.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough
  textual evidence and make relevant connections to strongly support a comprehensive analysis of multiple
  aspects of what a literary text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the text; this may
  include determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- RI.CR.11-12.1. Reading Informational Texts. Close Reading of Text.11-12.1. Accurately cite a range of
  thorough textual evidence and make relevant connections to strongly support a comprehensive analysis of
  multiple aspects of what an informational text says explicitly and inferentially, as well as interpretations of the
  text.
- RI.PP.11-12.5. Reading Informational Texts. Perspective and Purpose in Texts.11-12.5. Analyze an author's purpose in a text distinguishing what is directly stated in a text or through rhetoric, analyzing how style and content convey information and advance a point of view.
- W.AW.11-12.1. Writing. Argumentative Writing.11-12.1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.
  - A. Introduce precise, knowledgeable claim(s), establish the significance of the claim(s), distinguish
    the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that logically sequences
    claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.
  - B. Develop claim(s) and counterclaims avoiding common logical fallacies and using sound reasoning and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases.
  - C. Use transitions (e.g., words, phrases, clauses) to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.
  - D. Establish and maintain a style and tone appropriate to the audience and purpose (e.g., formal and objective for academic writing) while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.

- E. Provide a concluding paragraph or section that supports the argument presented (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).
- W.NW.11-12.3. Writing. Narrative Writing.11-12.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.
  - A. Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation and its significance, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.
  - B. Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.
  - C. Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a
    coherent whole and build toward a particular tone and outcome (e.g., a sense of mystery, suspense,
    growth, or resolution).
  - D. Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.
  - E. Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.
- W.RW.11-12.7. Writing.Range of Writing.9-10.4. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes.
- SL.PE.11-12.1. Speaking and Listening. Participate Effectively.11-12.1. Initiate and participate effectively in a
  range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 11-12
  topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
  - A. Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.
- SL.PI.11-12.4. Speaking and Listening. Present Information.11-12.4. Present information, findings and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- SL.UM.11-12.5. Speaking and Listening. Use Media.9-10.5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence to add interest.
- SL.AS.11-12.6. Speaking and Listening. Adapt Speech.9-10.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills

#### **Standard Performance Expectations Core Ideas** 9.1.12.CFR.1 Compare and contrast the role of philanthropy, Philanthropic, charitable, and volunteer service, and charities in community entrepreneurial organizations play development and quality of life in a variety of distinctly different but vitally important cultures. roles in supporting the interests of local and global communities. The potential for building and using 9.1.12.CFR.4 Demonstrate an understanding of the personal wealth includes responsibility interrelationships among attitudes, assumptions, and patterns of behavior to the broader community and an regarding money, saving, investing and work understanding of the legal rights and across cultures. responsibilities of being a good citizen. 9.1.12.EG.5 There are different ways you can Relate a country's economic system of production and consumption to building influence government policy to

improve your financial situation.

personal wealth, the mindset of social

comparison, and achieving social

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0.4.40.51.2	responsibility.	There are feeters you can use to
9.1.12.FI.3	Develop a plan that uses the services of various financial institutions to prepare for long	There are factors you can use to select financial institutions and
	term personal and family goals (e.g., college,	
	retirement).	professionals that are best suited for your needs.
9.1.12.FP.6	Evaluate the relationship of familial patterns,	<u> </u>
9.1.12.55.0	cultural traditions, and historical influences of	Biological behavioral biases,
	financial practice.	psychology, and unconscious beliefs
9.2.12.CAP.1	·	affect financial decision-making.  There are strategies to improve one's
9.2.12.CAP.1	Analyze unemployment rates for workers with different levels of education and how the	professional value and marketability.
	economic, social, and political conditions of a	professional value and marketability.
	time period are affected by a recession.	
9.2.12.CAP.4	Evaluate different careers and develop various	Career planning requires purposeful
9.2.12.0AF.4	plans (e.g., costs of public, private, training	planning based on research,
	schools) and timetables for achieving them,	self-knowledge, and informed choices.
	including educational/training requirements,	Self-knowledge, and informed choices.
	costs, loans, and debt repayment.	
9.2.12.CAP.5	Assess and modify a personal plan to support	Career planning requires purposeful
5.2. (2.0/ ti .0	current interests and postsecondary plans.	planning based on research,
	darrona intereste una postesseriaary piane.	self-knowledge, and informed choices.
9.2.12.CAP.9	Locate information on working papers, what is	Career planning requires purposeful
0.22.070	required to obtain them, and who must sign	planning based on research,
	them.	self-knowledge, and informed choices.
9.2.12.CAP.10	Identify strategies for reducing overall costs of	Career planning requires purposeful
0.22.07	postsecondary education (e.g., tuition	planning based on research,
	assistance, loans, grants, scholarships, and	self-knowledge, and informed choices.
	student loans).	j ,
9.4.12.Cl.1	Demonstrate the ability to reflect, analyze, and	With a growth mindset, failure is an
	use creative skills and ideas (e.g.,	important part of success.
	1.1.12prof.CR3a).	
9.4.12.CI.2	Identify career pathways that highlight	Innovative ideas or innovation can
	personal talents, skills, and abilities (e.g.,	lead to career opportunities.
	1.4.12prof.CR2b, 2.2.12.LF.8).	
9.4.12.CT.2	Explain the potential benefits of collaborating	Collaboration with individuals with
	to enhance critical thinking and problem	diverse experiences can aid in the
	solving (e.g. 1.3E.12profCR3.a).	problem-solving process, particularly
		for global issues where diverse
		solutions are needed.
9.4.12.DC.7	Evaluate the influence of digital communities	Digital communities influence many
	on the nature, content, and responsibilities of	aspects of society, especially the
	careers, and other aspects of society (e.g.,	workforce. The increased connectivity
	6.1.12.CivicsPD.16.a)	between people in different cultures
		and different career fields have
		changed the nature, content, and
9.4.12.GCA.1	Collaborate with individuals to analyze a	responsibilities of many careers.  Solutions to the problems faced by a
3.4.12.GUA.1	variety of potential solutions to climate change	global society require the contribution
	effects and determine why some solutions	of individuals with different points of
	(e.g., political, economic, cultural) may work	view and experiences.
	better than others.	view and expenditues.
9.4.12.IML.2	Evaluate digital sources for timeliness,	Advanced search techniques can be
V.T. 14.1IVIL.4	accuracy, perspective, credibility of the source,	used with digital and media resources
	and relevance of information, in media, data,	to locate information and to check the
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	or other resources (e.g		credibility and the expertise of sources	
	Studies Practice: Gathering and Evaluating		to answer questions, solve problems,	
	Sources).		and inform the decision-making.	
9.4.12.TL.1		sed on features such as	Digital tools differ in features,	
	accessibility options, ca		capacities, and styles. Knowledge of	
	accomplishing a specif	ied task (e.g.,	different digital tools is helpful in	
	W.11-12.6).		selecting the best tool for a given task.	
Central Idea/Enduring Un	<u>derstanding</u> :	<b>Essential/Guiding Que</b>		
Making a Difference		<ul> <li>What are challed</li> </ul>	•	
	world a better place if	<ul> <li>What positive things can happen when you meet a</li> </ul>		
you are willing to g	et involved.	challenge?		
Pushing Past the Limits		<ul> <li>What negative</li> </ul>	things can happen when you meet a	
<ul> <li>You can learn a lot</li> </ul>	about yourself by	challenge?		
	ges and pushing past		earn about yourself when you meet a	
the limits.		challenge?		
Content:		Skills(Objectives):		
Challenges (obstacles, mal		Engage in discussion		
meet a challenge, get invol		Respond to a photograp	ph	
Natural environment (environment)	onment)	Preview		
Words Used to Persuade		Brainstorm		
Verbs in the Past Perfect Tense		Build background		
Present and Past Perfect Tense Verbs		Use graphic organizers (mind map)		
Active and Passive Verbs			Respond to visual images	
Describing Words		Relate to personal experience		
Structural Clues (suffixes)		Use graphic organizers (chart)		
Legislative Process (bill, lav		Generate ideas		
Senate, House of Represer		Formulate hypotheses		
Endangered Species (ecolo	• •	Listen actively		
chain, habitat destruction, o	over-exploitation)	Persuade		
Mood		Listen critically		
Tone		Use graphic organizers (problem and solution chart)		
Style		Analyze information		
Repetition		Solve problems		
Personification		Form opinions		
Metaphor		Activate prior knowledge		
Rhyme Scheme		Relate words		
Rhythm Words About Propaganda (	handwagon .	Use SQ3R		
testimonial)	pariuwayuri,	Listen to a selection Set a purpose for reading		
	nerate the tronics	Use text features in nonfiction		
Words About Climate (temperate, the tropics,		Identify cause and effect		
desert, subtropical, subarctic, tundra, highland, humid, continental)		Draw conclusions		
Challenges (intellectual, physical, social)		Make judgments		
Survival Words	joioui, oooluij	Read a selection		
Future Perfect Tense Verbs	<b>,</b>	Summarize		
Autobiography	•	Paraphrase		
Theme		·	author's point of view on literature	
Word Families (migrant, migrate, migration,		Evaluate literature		
migratory)		Verify information		
Folk Tale		Express gratitude		
Plot (conflict)		Give information		
Onomatopoeia		Interact with peers		
		Gather, organize, and s	ynthesize information	

Characterization (protagonist and minor

characters)

Writing Process

Take notes

Use the Internet

Use text structures (globes and maps)

Identify author's point of view

Identify author's purpose

Use text structures (diagrams)

Listen to a poem

Locate and use definitions

Evaluate impact of author's background on literature

Give information

Analyze and evaluate information

Identify propaganda

Make comparisons

Select, compare, and evaluate media

Use an atlas and globe

Elaborate

Use graphic organizers (word web)

Make predictions

Relate causes and effects

Visualize

Use graphic organizers (word web)

Make predictions

Relate causes and effects

Visualize

Use graphic organizers (cause/effect chain)

Use new words in context

Retell a story

Role-play

Relate main ideas and details

Use text structures (logical order)

Self-assess

Deliver a speech

Record on a computer

#### **Interdisciplinary Connections:**

Social Studies; Civics and Government; Science

## **Stage 2: Assessment Evidence**

#### **Performance Task(s):**

Read alouds

Practice workbook activities - Fill in the blank; multiple choice; True/False; picture matching;

sentence frames/stems

Grammar and content-related handouts

Use new vocabulary in speaking

Ability to listen and repeat with correct

pronunciation

#### Other Evidence:

Class participation

Do Now/Warm-ups

Unit tests

Selection tests

- "Saving the Peregrine Falcon"
- "A Celebration of the Everglades"
- "The Circuit"
- "The Clever Wife"

#### Writing Assignments

- Writing That Persuades (Persuasive Writing/5-Paragraph Essay)
- Reflection Log
- Thank You Letter
- Informational Poster
- Literary Critique

- Rhyming Poem
- Sentences
- Newspaper Article, Description, or Persuasive Letter
- Story Review
- Persuasive Speech

Speech

Oral Report

**Oral Presentation** 

Self-Assessment Form

Peer-Assessment Form

Writing Progress Checklist

Portfolio Evaluation

## Stage 3: Learning Plan

#### **Learning Opportunities/Strategies:**

Unit 5 - Overcoming Obstacles

Theme 1 - Making a Difference

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Persuade
- "Saving the Peregrine Falcon" (Science article; Reading Strategy: Use SQ3R)
- "A Celebration of the Everglades" (Article and Poems; Reading Strategy: Identify Author's Point of View and Purpose)

#### Theme 2 - Pushing Past the Limits

- Build Language and Vocabulary: Elaborate
- "The Circuit" (Autobiography; Reading Strategy: Relate Causes and Effects)
- "Mother to Son" (Poem; Reading Strategy: Interpret Metaphors)
- "The Clever Wife" (Chinese folk tale; Reading Strategy: Summarize)

#### **Resources:**

Unit 5 - Overcoming Obstacles

High Point Textbook (p.290-363)

High Point Language Skills Practice Book (p.138-172)

High Point Listen and Learn Audio

Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic Organizers

High Point Language Acquisition Assessment (Unit 5 Test),

Writing Assessment, Self-Assessment

High Point Newsletter 9 and 10 (Home-school connections)

High Point Teacher's Edition (p.T290a-T363)

Theme Library ("Every Living Thing" and "Wings")

From *The Basics Bookshelf* ("Rachel Carson: A Woman Who Loved Nature," "Crops," "Sunny and Moonshine: A Love Story"

"The Shaman's Apprentice"

"Sawgrass Poems"

"Turtle Bav"

"Saving the Peregrine Falcon"

"Discoveries: Explore the Everglades Ecosystem" (video)

"Wilma Unlimited"

"Call It Courage"

"Hercules: The Twelve Labors of a Legendary Hero"

"Hatchet"

"Road Adventures USA" (digital)

LGBT and Disabilities Resources:

- LGBTQ-Inclusive Lesson & Resources by Garden State Equality and Make it Better for Youth
- LGBTQ+ Books

#### **DEI Resources:**

- <u>Learning for Justice</u>
- GLSEN Educator Resources
- Supporting LGBTQIA Youth Resource List
- Respect Ability: Fighting Stigmas, Advancing Opportunities
- NJDOE Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Educational Resources
- <u>Diversity Calendar</u>

#### **Differentiation**

\*Please note: Teachers who have students with 504 plans that require curricular accommodations are to refer to Struggling and/or Special Needs Section for differentiation

Sensory Supports (real-life objects; manipulatives; pictures and photographs; illustrations, diagrams, drawings; magazines and newspapers; physical activities; videos and films; broadcasts; models and figures)

Graphic Organizers (Venn diagrams; T-charts; cycles; cause and effect; semantic webs)

Graphic Support (charts; graphic organizers; tables; graphs; timelines; number lines)

Language Arts Supports (illustrated word/phrase walls; felt or magnetic figures of story elements; sequence blocks; environmental print; posters or displays; bulletin boards; photographs; cartoons; audio books; songs/chants) Interactive Supports (in pairs or partners; in triads or small groups; in a whole group; using cooperative group structures with the Internet or software programs; in the native language with mentors)

Technology Supports (software programs; language-learning apps; Oxford Picture Dictionary online) Modifications

Pacing (extend time requirements; omit assignments)

Environment (assign preferential seating; assign peer buddy)

Reinforcement and Follow Through (use positive reinforcement; use concrete reinforcement; check often for understanding/review; arrange for peer tutoring; plan cooperative learning experiences; provide language experience; give immediate feedback; have student repeat directions; make/use vocabulary files; teach study skills; use study guides to organize materials; repeat/review/drill

Assignments (lower reading level; give directions in small, distinct steps; allow copying from paper/book; use written backup for oral directions; lower difficulty level; shorten assignment; read directions to students; give oral cues or prompts; record or type assignments; adapt worksheets, packets; use alternate assignments)

Presentation of Subject Material (use individual/small group instruction; use specialized curriculum; simplify language; record lectures for playback; demonstrate concepts; use manipulatives; emphasize critical information; use graphic organizers; pre-teach vocabulary)

Materials (provided recorded textbooks; highlight textbooks/study guides; use supplementary materials; give assistance in note taking; type handwritten teacher materials; use bilingual dictionaries, language learner dictionaries and electronic translators; use adapted/modified textbooks; allow use of computer)

Testing Adaptations (allow students to answer orally; use multiple-choice format; read test to student; modify format; write a different test; shorten test length; require only selected test items; create alternative assessment) Grading (modify grading system; modify weights of course components; modify course objectives/outcomes)

High-Achieving	On Grade Level	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
Students	Students		
Accelerated Programs	Grade level texts	Remediation	Any student requiring further
Independent Study	Small Groups	Peer tutoring	accommodations and/or modifications
Small groups		Small Groups	will have them individually listed in
Activity extensions,		· ·	their 504 Plan or IEP. These might
projects			include, but are not limited to:
Peer teaching			breaking assignments into smaller
			tasks, giving directions through
			several channels (auditory, visual,
			kinesthetic, model), and/or small
			group instruction for reading/writing
			ELL supports should include, but are
			not limited to, the following:
			Extended time
			Provide visual aids
			Repeated directions
			Differentiate based on proficiency
			Provide word banks
			Allow for translators, dictionaries

## Pacing Guide

Content	Resources	Standards			
UNIT 1: High Point Level 3 (Units 1-2)					
# Days - 45 Communication (express, messages, verbal, nonverbal, lasting, preserve) Communication (message, meaning) Words About Communication Complete Sentences Opinions Poetry Common and Proper Nouns Singular and Plural Nouns Context Clues Free Verse Style Mood Words Mood Possessive Nouns Subjects and Predicates Communication (messages, connect) Compound Sentences Folk Tale Story Elements (characters, setting, plot) Present Tense Verbs Subject-Verb Agreement Political leaders (emperor, king, queen, prince, president, prime minister, premier) Grains and Diet Science Fiction Fantasy and Reality Narrative (Fiction) Writing Process	National Geographic LIFT High Point Textbook High Point Language Skills Practice Book High Point Listen and Learn Audio Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic Organizers High Point Language Acquisition Assessment Writing Assessment Self-Assessment High Point Newsletter High Point Teacher's Edition Theme Library The Basics Bookshelf	WIDA ELD-SI.4-12 WIDA ELD-LA.9-12 WIDA ELD-SC.9-12 WIDA ELD-SS.9-12			
UNIT 2: High Point Level 3 (Unit 3)					
# Days - 45 Dreams (problems, decisions, goals, results, outcome, future) Life Experience (decisions, influence, values) Descriptive Words Adjectives Adverbs Prepositional Phrases Storytelling Historical Fiction Structural Clues	National Geographic LIFT High Point Textbook High Point Language Skills Practice Book High Point Listen and Learn Audio Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic Organizers High Point Language Acquisition Assessment Writing Assessment	WIDA ELD-SI.4-12 WIDA ELD-LA.9-12 WIDA ELD-MA.9-12 WIDA ELD-SC.9-12 WIDA ELD-SS.9-12			

Characterization

Dialogue

Compound Predicates Compound Subjects

Gestures

Comparative and Superlative

Adjectives

Goals (decisions, rewarding, future)

Synonyms

Complex Sentences Structural Clues (prefixes) Phrases and Clauses Population Shifts

Words About Population (population, census, demographics, race, ethnic

group)

Context Clues (multiple-meaning

words)

Indefinite Adjectives

Modals

Two-word Verbs

Word Origins (borrowed words, coined

words) Idioms

Author's Style Word Choice

Writing Process

Introductory Sentence

Self-Assessment

High Point Newsletter

High Point Teacher's Edition

Theme Library

The Basics Bookshelf

#### UNIT 3: High Point Level 3 (Unit 4)

# Days - 45

Continuity and Change (certainty,

enduring, legacy)

Continuity and Change (cycles, predict)

Words About Change Relative Clauses Story elements Plot (foreshadowing) Words About Plot (conflict,

complication, rising action, climax,

falling action, resolution)

Scientific Words (method, hypothesis,

data)

Nature Words Alliteration Consonance Mood

Style

Words About Destruction

Sensory Words

Simile

Multiple-meaning Words

National Geographic LIFT High Point Textbook

High Point Language Skills Practice

Book

High Point Listen and Learn Audio Technology Support "Inspiration" for Visual Learning Software with Graphic

Organizers

High Point Language Acquisition

Assessment

Writing Assessment Self-Assessment High Point Newsletter High Point Teacher's Edition

Theme Library

The Basics Bookshelf

WIDA ELD-SI.4-12 WIDA ELD-LA.9-12

WIDA ELD-MA.9-12

WIDA ELD-SC.9-12

WIDA ELD-SS.9-12

Structural Clues (Latin and Greek roots) Volcanoes (active, dormant, extinct) Continuity and Change (enduring, legacy, progress) Wartime Words Present Perfect Tense Verbs Biography Helping Verbs Two-word Verbs Tone Writing Process Sentence Variety and Elaboration Outline Peer-conferencing UNIT 4: High Point Level 3 (Unit 5) National Geographic LIFT WIDA ELD-SI.4-12 # Davs - 45 WIDA ELD-LA.9-12 High Point Textbook Challenges (obstacles, make a WIDA ELD-MA.9-12 High Point Language Skills Practice difference, face or meet a challenge, WIDA ELD-SC.9-12 get involved) Book WIDA ELD-SS.9-12 Natural environment (environment) High Point Listen and Learn Audio Words Used to Persuade Technology Support "Inspiration" for Verbs in the Past Perfect Tense Visual Learning Software with Graphic Present and Past Perfect Tense Verbs Organizers Active and Passive Verbs High Point Language Acquisition Describing Words Assessment Structural Clues (suffixes) Legislative Process (bill, law, legislative Writing Assessment branch, Senate, House of Self-Assessment Representatives) High Point Newsletter Endangered Species (ecology, High Point Teacher's Edition ecosystem, food chain, habitat Theme Library destruction, over-exploitation) The Basics Bookshelf Mood Tone Style Repetition Personification Metaphor Rhyme Scheme Rhvthm Words About Propaganda (bandwagon, testimonial) Words About Climate (temperate, the tropics, desert, subtropical, subarctic, tundra, highland, humid, continental) Challenges (intellectual, physical, social) Survival Words Future Perfect Tense Verbs Autobiography

Theme	
Word Families (migrant, migrate,	
migration, migratory)	
Folk Tale	
Plot (conflict)	
Onomatopoeia	
Characterization (protagonist and	
minor characters)	
Writing Process	