





READING: Literature

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	Number	Standard	T1	T2	Т3	Academic Language Words and Phrases/Prompts	Strategies from Professional Development
Ke	y Ideas and	Details					
	3RL 1.	Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.				Retell the story in sequential order. Who were the major/minor characters? What were the major/minor events? What in the text leads you to that answer? What details are the most important? Where can you find? Academic Vocabulary: question, demonstrate, understanding, text, answer, details, sequence	
_	3RL 2.	Recount stories, including fables, folktales, and myths from diverse cultures; determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text.				What is the central message (lesson or moral) of the story? How do you know what the moral of the story is? How does the author convey the central message (lesson or moral)? In what order was the story written? How do you know this is a myth? A folktale? A fable? Explain how the author uses details to convey the message (lesson or moral) of the story. Academic Vocabulary: recount, fable, folktale, myth, diverse, culture, central message, lesson, moral, convey, key detail(s), text	
	3RL 3.	Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of events.				Distinguish between major/minor characters in the story. Describe the major/minor characters. How do the character's traits contribute to the story? What were the characters' motivations in finding a resolution to the problem? How do the characters' actions help move the plot along? Academic Vocabulary: describe, interpretation of characters, character/character traits, motivation, emotion (feelings), contribute, sequence events, problem, resolution	
Cra	aft and Stru	cture					
	3RL 4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, distinguishing literal from nonliteral language. (See grade 3 Language standards 4-6 for additional expectations.)				Can you tell me what this word or phrase means? What do you think the author is trying to say when he/she uses that phrase? What phrases are literal, or non-literal, in meaning? Can you change this phrase from literal to non-literal, and non-literal (idiomatic expressions) to literal? What clues can you find in the sentence or paragraph that can help you figure out the meaning of that word or phrase? Academic Vocabulary: determine, phrases, non-literal, literal, context clues, distinguish	
	3RL 5.	Refer to parts of stories, dramas, and poems when writing or speaking about a text, using terms such as chapter, scene, and stanza; describe how each successive part builds on earlier sections.				Compare and contrast a story, poem, and a play. In a play, what is the importance of having scenes? In a book, what is the importance of having chapters? In a poem, what is the importance of having stanzas? The use of stage directions helps the reader In the earlier chapter, we learned How does what the author said in an earlier paragraph help us understand what is happening now? Can you restate that using the word <i>chapter</i> , <i>stanza</i> , or <i>scene</i> ? Academic Vocabulary: refer, text, drama/play drama, stage directions, act/scene, cast, story, chapter, poem/poetry, verse, stanza	
_	3RL 6	Distinguish their own point of view from that of the narrator or those of the characters.				Who is telling the story in this selection? Who is the narrator? Is this selection written in first person? How do you know? What words give clues? Is this selection written in third person? How do you know? What words give you clues? What do you think about what has happened so far? Do you agree with the author's message so far? Can you put yourself in the character's place? How would you feel if this were you? Would you feel the same or differently? Academic Vocabulary: distinguish, point of view, first person, third person, narrator	





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Int	egration of	Knowledge and Ideas					
	3RL 7.	Explain how specific aspects of a text's illustrations contribute to what is conveyed by the words in a story (e.g., create mood, emphasize aspects of a character or setting).				How does the illustration help tell the story? What does the illustration convey to you about the character (mood, setting)? What is the illustration's contribution to the story? What mood does the illustration portray? Did it help you understand the text? What do the illustrations tell you about what the character is like? How do the illustrations help you understand what is happening in the story? Academic Vocabulary: illustration(s), contribute, contribution, convey, aspect(s), mood	
	3RL 8.	(Not applicable to literature)					
	3RL 9.	Compare and contrast the themes, settings, and plots of stories written by the same author about the same or similar characters (e.g., in books from a series).				What is similar in Book A and Book B? What is different? How is character X the same in Book A and Book B? How is he/she different? How does the setting effect the character's actions? What is the theme of this story? How is it different from the other stories we have read about this character? Is the setting for this story the same or different? Academic Vocabulary: compare, contrast, theme, setting, plot, author, character, text	
Ra	nge of Read	ling and Level of Text Complexity					
	3RL 10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 2–3 text complexity band independently and proficiently.				What kind of book is this? Ask yourself: Did I understand what the author is trying to say? What is the main idea, or message, in the story, poem, or play? Have you read a poem, play or chapter book lately? Your might want to try reading something different. What can you do if you don't understand? Did you go back and re-read? What did you check out from the library? You might try It's by the same author that you like. What are you reading at home? Have you completed your reading chart? Have you taken an AR test lately? Academic Vocabulary: comprehend, literature, story, drama, poetry, independently, proficiently, chart	

Additional Notes from the Student Reading Standards K5

MEASURING TEXT COMPLEXITY: THREE FACTORS

Qualitative evaluation of the text:

Levels of meaning, structure, language conventionality and clarity, and knowledge demands

Quantitative evaluation of the text:

Readability measures and other scores of text complexity

Matching reader to text and task:

Reader variables (such as motivation, knowledge, and experiences) and task variables (such as purpose and the complexity generated by the task assigned and the questions posed)

Note: More detailed information on text complexity and how it is measured is contained in Appendix A of the California Common Core Standards.

Range of Text Types and Purposes

Literature			Informational Text
Stories	Dramas	Poetry	Literary Nonfiction and Historical, Scientific, and Technical Text
Includes children's adventure stories,	Includes staged dialogue and brief familiar	Includes nursery rhymes and the subgenres	Includes biographies and autobiographies; books about history, social
folktales, legends, fables, fantasy,	scenes	of the narrative poem, limerick, and free	studies, science, and the arts; technical
realistic fiction, and myth		verse poem	texts, including directions, forms, and information displayed
			in graphs, charts, or maps; and digital sources on a range
			of topics





READING: Informational Text

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Ke	y Ideas and	Details					
	3RI 1.	Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.				Who, or what, is this text about? Where in the text can you find that answer? What in the text leads you to that answer? Show me where the author says that. Can you tell your partner who/what the text was about? What are the main ideas in the reading? Can you show me in the text, the basis for your answers? Academic Vocabulary: question, answer, demonstrate, understanding, text	
0	3RI 2.	Determine the main idea of a text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea.				What information does the author use to support the main idea? Summarize the text for me orally. Recount what detail you felt was most important. What is the main idea? Explain the key details. How do the details of the text support the main idea?, Academic Vocabulary: determine, recount, key details, support	
	3RI 3.	Describe the relationship between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect.				What was the result of? How are related? What was the result of 's idea? What is the first thing that you would do to complete this procedure? What would you expect the result to be at the end? Tell your partner when this happened. Work with your group to create a timeline of these events. Create a flow map that shows the sequence of events. Academic Vocabulary: relationship, events, concepts, technical, procedure, scientific, historical, sequence, cause/effect	
Cra	ft and Stru	cture					
	3RI 4.	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area. (See grade 3 Language standards 4-6 for additional expectations.)				What tools can you use to find the meaning of this word? What does the word mean in this sentence? Can you read the sentences around the word to help you understand its meaning? Can you read words around the word to help you understand its meaning? What does the phrase mean? Where can you look in the book to help you figure out what that words means? Are there any parts of the word that you know? Academic Vocabulary: determine, Greek, Latin, prefixes, suffixes, root words, dictionary, glossary, Google, multiple meanings, figurative language, figurative	
	3RI 5.	Use text features and search tools (e.g., key words, sidebars, hyperlinks) to locate information relevant to a given topic efficiently.				What can you do if you don't understand? How is the information organized? Can you locate key words? Where can you locate? Which information would you find more relevant? If you were using the computer to search for your topics, which words would you use to start your search? Academic Vocabulary: locate, key words, information, relevant, importance, organized	

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							Strategies from Professional Development
	3RI 6.	Distinguish their own point of view from that of the author of a text.				Who is providing the information? What is the author's point of view? Is the author relating information, or is he/she trying to convince you of an idea? Do you agree, or disagree, with what the author has said so far? Compare the accounts and how they were presented in the text. Why do you think the authors describe the events, or experiences, differently? Can you explain your thoughts about what you read? Do you agree with the author? Why do you think the information is different? What information do you feel is most valid? Academic Vocabulary: valid, information, text, authors, provide, point of view, accounts	
Int	egration of	Knowledge and Ideas					
	3RI 7.	Use information gained from illustrations (e.g., maps, photographs) and the words in a text to demonstrate understanding of the text (e.g., where, when, why, and how key events occur).				What is this text about? What can you do, if you don't understand? What information can you obtain from the map? Can you tell me what the "key/legend" of the map conveys? Looking at the illustration, how does it relate to the text? Why is this important to help you understand? Where and when did the event take place? Why and how did the event occur? Why is the map key, or legend, important? When did the event occur? Academic Vocabulary: determine, information, convey, map, map key/legend, event, occur, illustration	
_	3RI 8.	Describe the logical connection between particular sentences and paragraphs in a text (e.g., comparison, cause/effect, first/second/third in a sequence).				What is the author's message? What does the author claim? What details, or facts, support the author's claim? How was the text written? (comparison, cause/effect, or sequential order) How does the author connect the ideas in each of the paragraphs to the topic of the text? Can you tell me something else that you have read that was written this way? What details were important? How does this sentence connect with what we read earlier? What organizational pattern was used to write this text? Did the photographs help you understand the author's meaning? How? Academic Vocabulary: determine, author, author's message, author's claim, detail, comparison, cause/effect, sequential order	
0	3RI 9.	Compare and contrast the most important points and key details presented in two texts on the same topic.				What are the key details in this text? How will you keep track of the points the authors are making in each text? What is this text about? What details does the author use to support his point? Can you tell your partner what is the same/different about what you are reading? Is there information in this text that was not included in the other text? How are the ideas the same in both texts? Academic Vocabulary: compare, contrast, topics, similar, different, points, key details	
Ra	nge of Read	ling and Level of Text Complexity					
	3RI 10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2–3 text complexity band independently and proficiently.				Do you have any questions about what you are reading? If you don't understand, who can you ask to help you? Have you tried using the graphics to help you understand what you are reading about? Have you tried reading this book? What helps you understand as you are reading the history or science book? Academic Vocabulary: science book, history book, informational text, non-fiction text	





READING: Foundational Skills

	Number	Standard	T1	T2	Т3	Academic Language Words and Phrases/Prompts	Recommended materials from CORE and Instructional Strategies from Professional Development
Pho	onics and W	ord Recognition					
	3RF 3	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words both in isolation and in text.				Can you point to the root word? Are there any chunks you	
	3RF 3a.	Identify and know the meaning of the most common prefixes and derivational suffixes.				know that can help you figure out what this word says? Does the word have suffixes or prefixes you know? How many parts do you hear in that word? Are there any patterns	
	3RF 3b.	Decode words with common Latin suffixes.				you can use to help you write that word?	
	3RF 3c.	Decode multisyllable words.				Academic Vocabulary: decode, suffixes, prefixes, multi- syllable, appropriate, irregular, Latin, analyze	
	3RF 3d.	Read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.					
Flu	ency						
	3RF 4	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.				Why did you choose this selection? What can you do when	
	3RF 4a.	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.				the story/text doesn't make sense? What strategies can you use when you don't understand the text? Can you read this	
	3RF 4b.	Read on-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings				paragraph fluently and with expression? Why is it important to scan the page? Did you skim the page looking for information? Academic Vocabulary: selection, strategies, paragraph, fluently, expression, skimming, scanning, self-monitor	
	3RF 4c.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.					



Opinion/Argument



3W 3 c.

3W 3 d.

order.

Provide a sense of closure.

WRITING: Opinion/Argument

Use temporal words and phrases to signal event

	3	WRITING: Opinion/Argum	ent				
	Number	Standard	T1	T2	Т3	Academic Language Words and Phrases/Prompts	Recommended materials from CORE and Instructional Strategies from Professional Development
Tex	ct Types an	nd Purposes					
	3W 1	Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons.				Who is your audience? What is your purpose for writing? Have you stated an opinion or preference? Did you let your reader know your opinion or preference? How did you introduce your	
	3W 1 a.	Introduce the topic or text they are writing about, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure that lists reasons.				topic? Is your writing organized in a way that makes sense to your reader? Are you using cause and effect or sequence to help organize your writing? Are any important details or	
	3W 1 b.	Provide reasons that support the opinion.				reasons left out of your writing? Do you use time-order words	
	3W 1 c.	Use linking words and phrases (e.g., because, therefore, since, for example) to connect opinion and reasons.				to help your reader understand when the events happened? Does your conclusion sum up or restate your opinion or purpose? From which point of view will you be writing? What linking words could you use to help your reader follow your	
	3W 1 d.	Provide a concluding statement or section.				thinking? Academic Vocabulary: fact/opinion, point of view, topic, introduction/conclusion statements, support, organizational structure, linking words	
_	?	WRITING: Informative/Exp	plan	ato	r y	T	T
	3W 2	Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.				Are you writing to inform or explain? What is your topic? Did	
	3W 2 a.	Introduce a topic and group related information together; include illustrations when useful to aiding comprehension.				you begin you writing with a topic sentence? What example, definitions, and details will you use to explain your topic? Talk to a partner about your topic. Can you get a quote from your	
	3W 2 b.	Develop the topic with facts, definitions, and details.	<u> </u>			partner for your writing? Why did you choose this topic?, Academic Vocabulary: topic, inform, explain, topic sentence,	
	3W 2 c.	Use linking words and phrases (e.g., also, another, and, more, but) to connect ideas within categories of information.				examples, definitions, details, quotations	
	3W 2 d.	Provide a concluding statement or section.					
Na	rrative	WRITING: Narrative		ı			
	3W 3	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.				Who is your story about? Where does your story take place? (Setting) Why was this setting important to your story? Do you	
	3W 3 a.	Establish a situation and introduce a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally.				have major and minor characters? What problem will the main character face? Does the problem change the characters acts or thoughts? Have you used details that will help your readers	
	3W 3 b.	Use dialogue and descriptions of actions, thoughts, and feelings to develop experiences and events or show the response of characters to situations.				see and know the characters? What events will lead up to your conclusion? Where can you add more descriptive words and information to make your story more exciting? Academic Vocabulary: setting, major/minor character,	
					Academic Vocabulary: setting, major/minor character,		

details, experience

problem, details, descriptive words, information, events,



WRITING: All Genres

	Number	Standard	T1	T2	Т3	Academic Language Words and Phrases/Prompts	Recommended materials from CORE and Instructional Strategies from Professional Development
Pro	duction an	d Distribution of Writing					
	3W 4.	With guidance and support from adults, produce writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task and purpose. (Grade-specific expectations for writing types are defined in standards 1–3 above.)				What is the purpose for writing this piece? How will you persuade your audience? Why are you writing this piece? Who will be reading your writing? Who is your audience? How will you organize your writing? What information will you need to add to help your reader understand? Where can you add more information to help the reader understand? Are there any events, or details, you need to add so that your writing is organized well? Academic Vocabulary: organize, purpose, audience, chronological order, sequential order, cause/effect, develop, persuade, entertain, inform	
	3W 5.	With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1–3 up to and including grade 3.)				What will you use to help you organize your ideas? Can you create a graphic organizer/thinking maps to help you sequence your ideas and events? Can you share with your partner what you plan to write? Does your partner have ideas that you can use? Have you completed your first draft? Can you re-write this so that the ideas/details are clearer? Is there a better way you could write your beginning? What is your topic sentence? Have you asked your partner to give you feedback about what you have written so far? Have you used your editing/proofreading checklist to help you make any changes? Academic Vocabulary : develop, plan, organize, purpose, editing, revising, proofreading, feedback	
	3W 6.	With guidance and support from adults, use technology to produce and publish writing (using keyboarding skills) as well as to interact and collaborate with others.				Have you and your group decided what you will write about? How will you divide the work so that you all contribute to the project? Where will you save your work until you are ready to print? What program will you use to publish your work? Word? PowerPoint? etc. What online resources can you use to help write your paper? Academic Vocabulary: technology, digital, word processing, copy and paste, PowerPoint, Google, search engine, toolbar, spellcheck	
Res	search to B	uild and Present Knowledge				1 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	3W 7.	Conduct short research projects that build knowledge about a topic.				What is the topic of your report? Can you narrow your topic? What sources will you use to find information? What key words can you use to find your topic online? Where can you go to find more information? How will you give your sources credit? What is the page called where you will list your sources? Academic Vocabulary: topic, sources, information, key words, online on line; credit, cite, bibliography, citation page	
	3W 8.	Recall information from experiences or gather information from print and digital sources; take brief notes on sources and sort evidence into provided categories.				What sources did you use to find your information? What sources did you find on an internet search? What sources did you find in a library search? How can you paraphrase this sentence? Can you write this sentence using your own words? Is this information important to your research? Can you use an organizer to help you group your ideas? Academic Vocabulary: sources, list, bibliography, citation page, cite, note-taking, paraphrasing, internet search, library sources	
	3W 9.	Standard begins in grade 4.					
Rai	nge of Writ	ing					
	3W 10.	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 discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.				Write about You will have minutes to write about What will you do to plan your writing? Use your proofreading checklist when you are editing and revision. Re-read your writing, or ask a partner to read it to see if there are additions your need to make. As you plan your paper, think about who your audience is and why you are writing. How is writing a report different from writing a narrative? Academic Vocabulary: research, report, narrative, reflection, revise, proofreed edit and income proofreed to the proofreed of the proofreed to the proofree	
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SPEAKING and LISTENING:

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Co	mprehensio	n and Collaboration					
0	3SL 1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.					
_	3SL 1a.	Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.				Have you done your reading? Today you will be working in your teams Ask your partner? Tell your partner everything you learned about Did you listen carefully to your partner? Did you offer suggestions or comments when your partner was finished speaking? Academic Vocabulary: discussion, conversation, group work, understanding, role, comments, suggestion	
	3SL 1b.	Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions (e.g., gaining the floor in respectful ways, listening to others with care, speaking one at a time about the topics and texts under discussion).					
	3SL 1c.	Ask questions to check understanding of information presented, stay on topic, and link their comments to the remarks of others.					
	3SL 1d.	Explain their own ideas and understanding in light of the discussion.					
	3SL 2.	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.				What was the main idea of the video; share with your partner. How did you decide this was the main idea? Using your own words, summarize the video with your partner. Can you explain this graph? This chart explains Why is information put into charts or graphs? Can you think of any other information that could be graphed or charted? Academic Vocabulary: oral, media, video, graphs, graphics, charts, main idea, supporting ideas, summarize	
	3SL 3.	Ask and answer questions about information from a speaker, offering appropriate elaboration and detail.				What is the speaker trying to tell you? What is the speaker doing to support what he/she is saying? Do you believe what the speaker is saying? Why? What reasons made you agree/disagree with what you heard or saw? Based on what you saw or heard, what conclusions did you come up with? Academic Vocabulary: reasons, speaker, support, evidence, points, opinions, conclusions	





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Pre	sentation of	of Knowledge and Ideas					
	3SL 4.	Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience with appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details, speaking clearly at an understandable pace.				What is the theme of your report or presentation? Did you write or present facts that were relevant? What descriptive words or language did you use? When you related the	
	3SL 4.a	Plan and deliver an informative/ explanatory presentation on a topic that: organizes ideas around major points of information, follows a logical sequence, includes supporting details, uses clear and specific vocabulary, and provides a strong conclusion.				events, did they have a beginning, middle, and an end? Academic Vocabulary: theme, pace, descriptive, relate, recount, recall, relevant	
	3SL 5.	Create engaging audio recordings of stories or poems that demonstrate fluid reading at an understandable pace; add visual displays when appropriate to emphasize or enhance certain facts or details.				What is the theme of your presentation? What visuals will you use to enhance your presentation? Have you practiced your reading emphasizing important words or points? How is your pacing? At what time in your presentation will you show your visuals? Do your visuals support your presentation theme? Academic Vocabulary: presentation, display, visual, theme, enhance, emphasizing	
	3SL 6.	Speak in complete sentences when appropriate to task and situation in order to provide requested detail or clarification. (See grade 3 Language standards 1 and 3 for specific expectations.)				Who is your audience? Would you use formal, or informal, English with this audience? Why would you use formal English? Why would you use informal English? What type of language do you use when talking to friends? What type of language do you use when giving a presentation? What is the specific vocabulary that relates to your topic? When will you use this specific vocabulary? Academic Vocabulary: audience, formal English, informal English, presentation, respond, specific vocabulary	



GRADE 3 - English Language Arts - Teaching Plan for Common Core 2013-2014 **LANGUAGE: Conventions**



	Number	Standard	T1	T2	Т3	Academic Language Words and Phrases/Prompts	Recommended materials from CORE and Instructional Strategies from Professional Development
Cor	ventions o	of Standard English					
	3L 1	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English	n gramm	ar an	d usag	e when writing or speaking.	
	3L 1a.	Explain the function of nouns, pronouns, verbs, adjectives, an general and their functions in particular sentences.	d adverl	os in			
	3L 1b.	Form and use regular and irregular plural nouns.					
	3L 1c.	Use abstract nouns (e.g., childhood).					
	3L 1d.	Form and use regular and irregular verbs.					
	3L 1e.	Form and use the simple (e.g., I walked; I walk; I will walk) verb tenses.				Listen as I read what you wrote. Did that sound right? Read what you wrote slowly? Did you write what you just said? Is	
	3L 1f.	Ensure subject-verb and pronoun-antecedent agreement.*				there another word that would be specific? How would you write that word when you are comparing two people or	
	3L 1g.	Form and use comparative and superlative adjectives and adverbs, and choose between them depending on what is to be modified.				objects? How would you write that word when you are comparing three or more people or objects?, Academic Vocabulary: comparative, superlative, specific,	
	3L 1h.	Use coordinating and subordinating conjunctions.				object, simple, compound, complex sentences	
	3L 1i.	Produce simple, compound, and complex sentences.					
	3L 1j.	Write legibly in cursive or joined italics, allowing margins and correct spacing between letters in a word and words in a sentence.					
	3L 1k.	Use reciprocal pronouns correctly.					
	3L 2	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English	capital	zatior	n, punc	tuation, and spelling when writing.	
	3L 2a.	Capitalize appropriate words in titles.					
	3L 2b.	Use commas in addresses.					
	3L 2c.	Use commas and quotation marks in dialogue.				Mark 1991	
	3L 2d.	Form and use possessives.				What words in this sentence should be capitalized? How should this sentence be written to show someone is talking?	
	3L 2e.	Use conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding suffixes to base words (e.g., sitting, smiled, cries, happiness).				How would you make this a compound sentence? How should this sentence be written correctly? Academic Vocabulary: analogies, generalization,	
	3L 2f.	Use spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts) in writing words.				dictionary appropriate, roots, affixes, compound and simple sentences, conjunctions, quotes	
	3L 2g.	Consult reference materials, including beginning dictionaries, as needed to check and correct spellings.					
Kno	owledge of	Language					
	3L 3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing,	speakir	g, rea	ading, o	or listening.	
	3L 3a	Choose words and phrases for effect.*				Have you determined the purpose for your	
	3L 3b	Recognize and observe differences between the conventions of spoken and written standard English.				speech/writing/presentation? Who will be your audience? Is the tone or style appropriate to your audience? Have you followed the rules of punctuation and grammar? Did you practice your presentation with your group, and did they provide you with feedback? In your group, did you talk about using precise language to convey your ideas? Did you use a thesaurus to locate other ways to say ? Did you use quotes, questions, or exclamations to add to importance to your writing/presentation? Academic Vocabulary: purpose, presentation, audience, tone, style, punctuation, grammar, precise, thesaurus, quote, speech	

Beginning in grade 3, skills and understandings that are particularly likely to require continued attention in higher grades as they are applied to increasingly sophisticated writing and speaking are marked with an asterisk (). See the table "Language Progress Skills, by Grade" for a complete list and Appendix A for an example of how these skills develop in sophistication.





LANGUAGE: Knowledge of Language and Vocabulary

	Number	Standard	T1	T2	Т3	Academic Language Words and Phrases/Prompts	Recommended materials from CORE and Instructional Strategies from Professional Development							
Kn	owledge of	Language			•									
	3L 3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when wr	riting, s	peakin	ıg, read	ding, or listening.								
	3L 3a	Choose words and phrases for effect.*				Have you determined the purpose for your								
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Vo	/ocabulary Acquisition and Use													
	3L 4	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning word and phrases based on <i>grade 3 reading and content,</i> choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.												
	3L 4a.	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.				What strategies have you used to help you figure out what this word means? Have you tried looking in the dictionary or								
	3L 4b.	Determine the meaning of the new word formed when a known affix is added to a known word (e.g., agreeable/disagreeable, comfortable/uncomfortable, care/careless, heat/preheat).				glossary to help you figure out the meaning of the word? Have you read the sentences around the word to help you determine what the word means? Can you go online and search for the meaning of the word? Did you check the thesaurus for other ways you can write								
	3L 4c.	Use a known root word as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word with the same root (e.g., <i>company</i> , <i>companion</i>).				Academic Vocabulary, multiply meaning, precise, definition, affixes (prefix, suffixes)								
	3L 4d.	Use glossaries or beginning dictionaries, both print and digital, to determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and phrases in all content areas.												
	3L 5	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.				Question Stems and Prompts What real-life connections can you make? In what other								
	3L 5a.	Distinguish the literal and non-literal meanings of words and phrases in context (e.g., take steps).				context could this word be used? Without changing the meaning, what word could you add to make the sentence stronger? What word would best describe this character?								
	3L 5b.	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are <i>friendly</i> or <i>helpful</i>).				What is the literal meaning of this sentence? What is the purpose of writing with "non-literal" words or phrases? Academic Vocabulary: shades of meaning, literal meaning, non-literal meaning, real life- connections, context, specific								
	3L 5c.	Distinguish shades of meaning among related words that describe states of mind or degrees of certainty (e.g., knew, believed, suspected, heard, wondered).												
_	3L 6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships (e.g., <i>After dinner that night we went looking for them</i>).				Without changing the meaning of the sentence, which word can best be used to replace the underlined part? What word would best describe? Can you restate this sentence using more precise words? Can you replace a word in this sentence with another word that is more precise or specific? Academic Vocabulary: Academic, specific, general, emotions, actions, precise, shades of meaning								