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5th Grade - English/Language Arts and Literacy in History/Social Studies And Science Standards

Standards for Reading

Reading Standards for Literature

- 1. Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.
- 2. Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text, including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges or how the speaker in a poem reflects upon a topic; summarize the text.
- 3. Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., how characters interact).
- 4. Explain how a series of chapters, scenes, or stanzas fits together to provide the overall structure of a particular story, drama, or poem.
- 5. Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described.
- 6. Compare and contrast stories in the same genre (e.g., mysteries and adventure stories) on their approaches to similar themes and topics.
- 7. By the end of the year, independently read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 4–5 text complexity.



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Standards for Reading

Reading Standards for Informational Text

- 1. Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.
- 2. Determine two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details; summarize the text.
- 3. Explain the relationships or interactions between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or concepts in a historical, scientific, or technical text based on specific information in the text.
- 4. Compare and contrast the overall structure (e.g., chronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or information in two or more texts.
- 5. Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent.
- 6. Draw on information from multiple print or digital sources, demonstrating the ability to locate an answer to a question quickly or to solve a problem efficiently.
- 7. Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point(s).
- 8. Integrate information from several texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably.
- 9. By the end of the year, independently read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 4–5 text complexity