Unit: **Literature**

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Course Content	Student Performance	Resources	Assessments
 A. A Gathering of Voices: Literature of Early America Of Plymouth Plantation The Crucible B. A Nation is Born: Early National Literature Speech in Virginia Convention C. A Growing Nation: Nineteenth-Century Literature Self-Reliance D. Division, Reconciliation, and Expansion: The Age of Realism An Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge The Notorious Jumping Frog of Calaveras County 	 Demonstrate after reading understanding and interpretation of fiction texts Demonstrate fluency and comprehension in reading Read and understand works of literature Analyze the relationships, uses and effectiveness of literary elements Read and respond to fiction Write complex informational pieces Write with a sharp, distinct focus Write using well-developed content appropriate for the topic Write with logical order 	 Prentice Hall Literature: The American Experience (copyright 2007) The Crucible Death of a Salesman The Great Gatsby A Raisin in the Sun Fallen Angels (Myers) The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman (Gaines) The Crucible (video) Death of a Salesman (video) The Great Gatsby (video) A Raisin in the Sun (video) Audio and video support materials appropriate to board approved texts at teacher discretion 	 Tests and quizzes Classroom discussions Written responses: Reader response (PSSA format) Journals Essays Readers' notebook Cooperative learning activities Shared inquiry Oral presentations Role playing Teacher-generated activities

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 E. Disillusion, Defiance, and Discontent: The Modern Age From Dust Tracks on a Road F. Prosperity and Protest: The Contemporary Period The Woman Warrior Death of a Salesman G. Independent Reading Two student choices by American author H. Glossary Terms (see appendix B) Students will be familiar 	 Include an effective introduction and conclusion Listen to others Listen to selections of literature Contribute to discussions Participate in small and large group discussions and presentations Locate text for independent reading Understand the meaning of new words during reading Analyze and evaluate in 	Resources	Assessments
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 Dialogue Plot Imagery Irony Mood Paraphrase Point of view (first and third person, limited view, omniscient) 	 Listen to others Listen to selections of literature Contribute to discussions Participate in small and large group discussions and presentations Use media for learning purposes 		

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 Public document Symbolism Tone Theme I. The following novels may be taught at teacher discretion: The Great Gatsby (in Unit E) A Raisin in the Sun (in Unit F) Other selections from the Prentice Hall Literature textbook will be used at teacher discretion in each unit 			

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 A. Active and Passive Voice Chapter 21.4 (Writing and Grammar) B. Parallelism Chapter 20.6 (Writing and Grammar) C. Standardized Test Preparation (Writing and Grammar, pages 430-1, 472-3, 516-7, 558-9, 580-1, 616-7, 638-9, 664-5, 688-9, 768-9) with remediation to bring students to proficiency through use of the corresponding chapters D. Preparing a Paper Chapters 12 and 13 E. Proofreading Chapters 12 and 13 	 Revise writing to improve style, word choice, and sentence variety Edit writing using the conventions of language Ask clarifying questions Edit writing using the conventions of language Write with a command of the stylistic aspects of composition 	 Prentice Hall Literature: The American Experience (copyright 2007) Prentice Hall Writing & Grammar Ruby Level (Copyright 2007) 	 Text exercises Teacher-generated tests and quizzes Worksheets Student generated essays Response to literature Informative Persuasive Response to PSSA prompts

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F. Glossary Terms (see			
appendix B)			
 Students will be familiar 			
with the following			
glossary terms:			
 Conventions of 			
language			

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 A. Selected Chapters from Prentice Hall Writing & Grammar Ruby Level Chapter 7, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16 B. Glossary Terms (see appendix B) Students will be familiar with the following glossary terms: Cause and effect Compare and contrast Conclusion Expository Focus Informational text Primary source Secondary source Direct quotation 	 Write a minimum of two multi-paragraph essays including: Response to literature Informational Persuasive (see research unit) Two topics from the Prentice Hall on-line essay scorer. (Teacher's choice except for chapter 9 topic, which is reserved for the final exam) Write a funnel introduction and inverted conclusion in each essay with a minimum of five sentences Write a minimum of ten sentences per body paragraph 	 Prentice Hall Literature: The American Experience (copyright 2007) Prentice Hall Writing & Grammar Ruby Level (copyright 2007) Prentice Hall online essay scorer The Crucible (Arthur Miller) Death of a Salesman (Arthur Miller) The Great Gatsby (F. Scott Fitzgerald) A Raisin in the Sun (Lorraine Hansberry) Fallen Angels(Myers) The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman (Gaines) 	 Teacher-generated prompts Essays Self-evaluation Conferencing Peer editing Rubrics Prentice Hall online essay scorer

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 Selected Chapters from Prentice Hall Writing & Indirect quotation Summarize Style Thesis Venn diagrams 	 Use a minimum of five sentences for introduction and conclusion Write a minimum of 10-12 sentence body paragraphs within each essay Demonstrate after reading, understanding, and interpretation of both fiction and non-fiction texts Demonstrate fluency and comprehension in reading Evaluate text organization and content to determine author's purpose Read and respond to nonfiction and fiction Write complex informational pieces Write persuasive pieces 		

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 Write different types and lengths of sentences Revise writing to improve style, word choice, sentence variety Edit writing using the conventions of language Analyze and synthesize the selections relating them to others
 Use a variety of sentence structures to add interest to a presentation Respond with relevant information or opinions to questions asked Listen to and acknowledge contributions of others Participate in small and large group discussions and

Unit: Vocabulary

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Course Content	Student Performance	Resources	Assessments
 A. Vocabulary Workshop Level F, (Shostak); Units 1-6 or 10-15 B. Vocabulary from the Given Literary Texts C. Glossary Terms (see appendix B) Students will be familiar with the following glossary terms: Affix Antonym Prefix Suffix Context clues Root word Synonym Target words 	 Establish a reading vocabulary by identifying and correctly using new words acquired through the study of their relationship to other words Understand the meaning of and apply key vocabulary across the various subject areas Read and understand essential content of informational text Read and understand works of literature Use precise language and specific detail Spell all words correctly Listen to others Understand vocabulary units cumulatively 	 Prentice Hall Literature: The American Experience (copyright 2007) The Crucible (Miller) Death of a Salesman (Miller) A Raisin in the Sun (Hansberry) The Great Gatsby (Fitzgerald) Fallen Angels, The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman Prentice Hall Writing & Grammar Ruby Level (copyright 2007) Measuring Up to the Pennsylvania Academic Standards: Final Level Vocabulary Workshop Level F (Shostak) Prentice Hall online essay scorer 	 Shostak Unit Quiz booklet Teacher-generated quizzes Teacher-generated activities Essays Responses to literature Word wall Student projects

Unit: PSSA Prep

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Course Content	Student Performance	Resources	Assessments
 A. Reading for Information – 1.2 and 1.4 B. Reading Narratives for Literary Experience – chapter 3 C. The English Language – chapter 5 D. Glossary Terms (see appendix B) Students will be familiar with the following glossary terms: Analysis Author's purpose Context clues Expository Fiction Focus Inference Style Main idea Informational text 	 Attain proficiency in timed writing and response writing. Demonstrate after reading understanding and interpretation of both fiction and non-fiction texts Demonstrate fluency and comprehension in reading Read and understand essential content of informational text Read and understand works of literature. Analyze the relationships, uses and effectiveness of literary elements. Analyze the effectiveness, in terms of literary quality, of the author's use of literary devices. 	 Measuring Up to the Pennsylvania Academic Standards: Final Level PA Department of Education on-line resources 	 Timed writing Reader response writing Multiple Choice questions Comprehension checks Workbook exercises Teacher-made quizzes and prompts

Unit: Research

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 A. Reinforcement of Skills Covered in Tenth grade: Plagiarism, Direct Quotations, Blending of Quotations, Parenthetical References, and Works Cited B. Indirect Quotations C. Works Cited for all Forms of Media D. Persuasive Research Paper of 5-7 Pages with Five or More Sources E. Glossary Terms (See Appendix B) Students will be familiar with the following glossary terms: Propaganda Techniques and Persuasive Tactics: Name-calling 	 Locate various text, media and traditional resources Analyze the structure of informational materials Identify, describe, evaluate and synthesize the essential ideas in a text Demonstrate after reading understanding and interpretation of nonfiction text Read and understand essential content of informational text and documents in all academic areas Use and understand a variety of media and evaluate quality of material. Write a 5-7 page persuasive research paper utilizing five or more sources 	 Measuring Up to the Pennsylvania Academic Standards: Final Level Prentice Hall Literature: The American Experience (copyright 2007) The Crucible (Miller) Death of a Salesman (Miller) The Great Gatsby (Fitzgerald) A Raisin in the Sun (Hansberry) Fallen Angels, The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman Prentice Hall Writing & Grammar, Ruby Level: MLA pages 894-900 and Internet Research pages 901-903 Library technologies and resources 	 Final persuasive research paper Rubrics Conferencing Outlines Bibliography/note cards Peer/outside audience editing Review of rough drafts Review of revised drafts Journals Self-evaluation and reflection Peer response groups Self-editing Teacher assessments Peer response groups Teacher assessments Peer response groups Teacher assessments Self evaluation/self editing/reflection

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 Bandwagon Red herring Emotional appeal Testimonial Repetition Sweeping generalization Circular argument Appeal to numbers, facts or statistics Print media Research Summarize Validity Bias Analysis Evaluate Editorials Fallacies of Logic (see propaganda) Headings, Graphics and Charts 	 Write using well-developed content appropriate for topic Write with organization. Use proper MLA formatting techniques Revise writing to improve style, word choice and sentence variety Edit writing using conventions of language. Listen to others Contribute to discussion in small and large groups 	 Computer online sources NoodleBib citationmachine.net 	 Peer/outside audience editing Conferencing Preliminary works cited Review of rough drafts Review of revised drafts Review of note cards/outlines Final research paper