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GRADING PERIOD 1				
Unit/Topics	Timeframe	State Standards	Textbook/Supplemental	Assessments/Assignments
			Materials	
The Essential Questions: How does reading influence us? How do readers reflect and respond? Enduring Understanding - Reading expands understand of the world, its people and oneself Mode/Genre 1. Reading Informational Text; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Language • Essential questions • Historical themes • Summarization • Critical thinking • Inference • Determining word meaning through context • Text complexity • Voice/Point of View • Plot/Theme	1 week	Reading: RL12.1 RL12.2 RL12.3 RL12.6 RL12.10 SL 1 SL 2 SL 3 SL 4	Independent (nonfiction) reading selections - SEE Summer Reading Suggested Reading list of biography, memoir, autobiography	Summer Reading • Review/Process • Presentations • Writing Responses Speaking and Listening • Panel discussions • Small group discussions • Evaluating Listening skills • Whole group Discussions Assessments • Critical Thinking questions • Class Discussions
Purpose/Audience The Essential Questions: Why do we write? How do we approach writing? How does the purpose influence the format of your writing? How do people prepare for reading? What can a reader do when they don't understand? What impact does fluency have on comprehension?	1 week	Language: Vocabulary Ongoing L12.3a. L12.4ad. L12.5b. L12.6	A selection of essays <i>Patterns for</i> <i>College Writing (10th edition)</i>	Reading Writing Speaking and Listening
Academic Reading annotate for a specific purpose skim for a general overview Scan for specific information Identify author's main claim and enumerate supporting points) Academic Writing – summarizing Vocabulary (Ongoing) New words grouped by topic Derivatives 				Language (On going) Academic words College/CCR independence in gathering knowledge and comprehension Assessments Vocabulary Weekly non-fiction readings Sentences using words in context Application tasks

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 Parts of speech Pronunciation Denotation/Connotation Alternate meanings Commonly confused words Words from other languages 				 Bi-weekly quizzes Collins Type 2 writing samples Constructed response questions Semester exams
The Essential Questions: Why is it important to be able to communicate professionally? Resume Updates (Resume Writing. Facility with Language and writing (adapt writing strategies for audience, purpose and task. Produce text whose meaning and purpose can be readily understood by a cold reader)	2 Weeks		Patterns for College Writing (10th Edition) "Indian Education" (Sherman Alexie) "Ground Zero" (Suzanne Berne); various personal experience essays -"Strange Tools" p. 747 -"College Pressures" p. 466	Reading Writing RE-visit Resumes and update for Portfolio requirements Speaking and Listening Language Assessments Peer editing Conference editing
The Essential Questions: How do effective writers hook and hold their readers? In what ways are language and power inseparable? Common Application Essay/Narrative	2 Weeks	Reading: RI12.1 RI12.2 RI12.3 RI12.4 RI12.5 RI12.6 Writing/Language: W12.3ae. W12.4 W12.5 W12.6 L12.1 L12.2 L12.3	Sample college essays: Link to College requirements and The Common Application.	Reading Sample college essays http://teenink.com/college_guide/college_e ssays Writing Writing Portfolio First Quarter Prompt: Choose one of the following real-world college essay topics: a. Evaluate a significant experience, achievement, risk you have taken, or ethical dilemma you have faced and its impact on you. b. Discuss some issue of personal, local, national, or international concern and its importance to you. c. Indicate a person who has had a significant influence on you, and describe that influence. d. Describe a character in fiction, a historical figure, or a creative work's

				 (as in art, music, science, etc.) influence on you, and explain that influence. Speaking and Listening Language Assessments Collins Type 1 or Type 2 Writing (reading response checks) Guided reading questions Student (pair/small group discussion) Text-based Quiz
The Essential Questions: How does reading influence us? How might being able to recognize literary features held in appreciating literature? Beowulf Reading Literature; Reading Informational Text; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Language Critical thinking questions Epic Critical viewing Legendary hero Determining main idea through paraphrasing Comparing/contrasting Close reading Determining word meaning through roots Determining word meaning through context Inference Coordinating conjunctions Word analogies	3 ½ weeks	Reading: RL12.1 RL12.2 RL12.3 RL12.4 RL12.5 RL12.6 RL12.7 RL12.10 Language: L12.5a. L12.6 Speaking/Listening: SL12.1 SL12.2 SL12.3 SL12.4	EPIC: Beowulf (Burton Raffel - translation) Literature: The British Tradition "Focus on Literary Forms: The Epic" pp. 33-35 Contemporary Commentary: Burton Raffel Introduces Beowulf pp. 36-37 "About	Reading Contemporary Commentary: Burton Raffel Introduces Beowulf (nonfiction) Beowulf (fiction) Writing Journaling, Research writing Speaking and Listening Listening to passages read in Old English. Translation exercises Language Vocabulary Central Vocabulary Games Worksheets Grammar and Usage Integrated Language Skills: Latin roots, analogies, coordinating conjunctions Assessments Reading Responses Collins Writing Text-based Quiz

		Oral Reading Background reading to the time period/text Exit tickets
		Intervention/Enrichment Have students work individually or in groups of two or three to write lyrics for a song (rap, R&B, rock, blues, etc.) based on the story of Beowulf. Have students re-read Beowulf's death scene and his request of Wiglaf. Then, assign pairs to make a list of the many accomplishments Beowulf had achieved in his life. Use this list to write Beowulf's obituary utilizing the newspaper to assist in the structure.
		Have students create an Anglo-Saxon boast of themselves as a Geat or a Dane utilizing the tenants of the epic/legendary hero. Students will present to an audience of students and/or faculty judges. Have students create a graphic novel excerpt of an action scene from Beowulf. Students may choose one of Beowulf's
		boasts of his adventures or any of the three battle scenes.