

Optio	ons EHS Language Arts 12A-OR	Scope and Sequence
Unit	Lesson	Objectives
Shor	t Story	
	Writing about Theme in Fiction and Citing Evidence	
		Identify a theme in a short story
		Cite evidence to support a theme
		Organize a paragraph using effective structure and transition words
	Conflicting Perspectives	
		Trace the development of a character's perspective.
		Analyze conflicting character perspectives.
		Analyze the influence of classic literature on contemporary world texts.
	Understanding Others: Analyzing Conflict in "Eleven"	
		Explain elements of plot in a short story
		Examine internal and external conflict
		Evaluate a character's actions
	Setting and Conflict in "The Lottery"	
		Analyze the role that setting plays in a short story
		Assess the society vs. individual conflict
		Analyze irony in a short story
	Literary Text: Short Story - "The Dog of Pompeii" by Louis Untermeyer	
		Use descriptive language to visualize a scene.
		Visualize to draw conclusions about mood and tone.
		Vocabulary: Understand terms associated with a specific time and place.

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		Fluency: Create and maintain unique voices for different characters.
	Literary Text - Short Story: Sherlock Holmes - The Adventure of the Sussex Vampire	
		Reading Comprehension: Ask questions about author's choices in creating text; word choice, narrator, and style.
		Literary Comprehension: Identify plot components in a short story.
		Vocabulary: Understand the difference between denotation and connotation in vocabulary words.
		Fluency: Change the expression in your voice to show whether the information is surprising, serious, or descriptive.
	Test	
Shor	t Story - Flannery O'Connor	
	Introduction: What is an Author Study?	
		Literary Skill: Identify the components of an author study.
	Flannery O'Connor - Biography	
		Literary Skill: Characteristics of Biographies
		Reading Skill: Applying Biographies to Literature, Making Inferences
	Flannery O'Connor Criticism	
		Reading Skill: Discerning Fact from Opinion
		Literary Skill: Influence of Setting
	O'Connor and Short Stories 1	
		Literary Skill: Allegory
		Reading Skill: Characterization
	O'Connor and Short Stories 2	

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	Reading Skill: Reader Empathy
	Literary Skill: Symbolism, Epiphany
O'Connor and Short Stories 3	
	Literary Skill: Symbolic Conflict, Irony
	Reading Skill: Characterization
Flannery O'Connor: Conclusion	
	Review the author study of Flannery O'Connor. Discuss the recurring themes of her works.
Test	
Epic Beginnings	
Math - In Sunlight and Shadow: Mythology and Knowledge of the Ancient Maya	
	Reading Comprehension: Students will make inferences about causes and their effects.
	Math Comprehension: Perform basic calculations using different counting systems such as Roman and Mayan numerals.
	Vocabulary: Students will recognize and understand vocabulary using base words and affixes.
	Fluency: Students will identify words not from English and develop a strategy to read them fluently.
Introduction to Anglo-Saxon Literature: Beowulf	
	Recognize the characteristics of the Anglo-Saxon period.
	Make inferences that are well supported by textual evidence.
	Analyze the development of the English language.
Characterization in Grendel	

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		Identify point of view and perspective.
		Analyze characterization.
		Compare two interpretations of the same story.
	Building Vocabulary: Word Roots, Affixes, and Reference Materials	
		Recognize word roots and affixes.
		Analyze word parts to determine meaning, spelling, and usage.
		Use reference materials to determine the correct spelling and usage of a word.
	Heroic Characteristics in "Perseus"	
		Identify characteristics of a Greek hero.
		Identify aspects of Greek life that are reflected in a myth.
		Analyze how a myth shows Greek values.
	Unit Test	
From	the Middle Ages through the Renaissance	
	Satire in The Pardoner's Tale	
		Identify characteristics of the medieval period.
		Analyze characterization.
		Analyze satire.
	Chivalry in the Middle Ages: Sir Gawain and the Green Knight	
		Identify features of medieval court culture and chivalry.
		Analyze characters.
		Identify characteristics of a chivalric hero.
	Central Ideas and Context: Utopia	

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		Connect a text to its social and historical context.
		Identify central ideas and supporting details in a text.
		Critique ideas in a text.
	Part 1: An Introduction to Elizabethan England	
		Identify explicit and implicit information about a time period.
		Cite textual evidence to support inferences.
		Analyze the effects of point of view on a reader.
	Speeches of Queen Elizabeth I	
		Determine an author's purpose.
		Analyze an author's use of rhetorical appeals.
		Compare and contrast two persuasive texts.
	Part 2: Summarizing Central Ideas about Elizabethan England	
		Determine central ideas in an informational text.
		Analyze the development of central ideas.
		Objectively summarize a text.
	Part 3: Text Structure in an Informational Text	
		Identify chronological text structure.
		Analyze the author's use of chronological text structure.
		Evaluate the effectiveness of text structure and style.
	Part 4: Writing to Evaluate Mortimer's Style	
		Evaluate the effectiveness of an author's style.
		Develop a paragraph with relevant evidence.

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	Use precise language appropriate for the audience and purpose.
Connecting Sentences and Clauses	
	Identify different types of clauses.
	Recognize compound and complex sentences.
	Correctly use coordinating conjunctions, subordinating conjunctions, and conjunctive adverbs.
Writing an Informative Essay about a Utopia	
	Generate ideas and supporting details based on a given topic.
	Organize and develop ideas.
	Revise writing to create cohesion and vary syntax.
	Write an informative essay.
Unit Test	
Elizabethan Drama: The Tragedy of Hamlet	
Hamlet, Part 1: An Introduction to Elizabethan Theater	
	Identify and analyze the elements of a drama.
	Analyze characterization.
	Evaluate an author's use of dramatic conventions.
Hamlet, Part 2: Word Choice and Tone	
	Determine word meaning by using context.
	Analyze the impact of word choice on meaning and tone.
	Evaluate words with multiple meanings.

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Hamlet, Part 3: Figurative Language and Allusions	
	Identify figurative language.
	Determine the meaning of allusions.
	Analyze the effect of language choices.
Hamlet, Part 4: Comparing and Contrasting Interpretations	
	Analyze a source text that is commonly adapted.
	Compare and contrast different adaptations.
	Evaluate the choices of an adaptation.
Hamlet, Part 5: Characteristics of Elizabethan Drama	
	Make connections between characteristics of Elizabethan drama and Hamlet.
	Draw conclusions about what makes a character complex.
	Support conclusions with evidence from the text.
Hamlet, Part 6: Applying Literary Criticism	
	Analyze a text using a historical lens.
	Analyze a text using formalist lens.
	Analyze a text using feminist lens.
Hamlet, Part 8: Themes	
	Determine themes in a text.

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	Summarize the development of a theme objectively.
	Analyze the development or interaction of themes within a text.
Hamlet, Part 7: Plot and Character	
	Analyze how conflict drives plot in a story.
	Analyze character development.
	Evaluate the impact of plot on character development.
Unit Test	
The Gothic Novel: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	
Part 1: Gothic Fiction: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	
	Analyze setting in gothic fiction.
	Analyze characterization in gothic fiction.
	Identify mood in gothic fiction.
Part 2: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde: Plot Development and Conflict	
	Recognize plot elements and analyze plot development.
	Identify conflict.
	Evaluate how plot elements and conflict create suspense.
Part 3: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde: Making Inferences and Predictions	
	Make inferences about a story.
	Make and check predictions.
	Analyze characters' internal conflicts.

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Part	4: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde: Theme	
		Identify themes in a text.
		Analyze the way a theme is developed.
		Make connections between events in the plot and themes.
	5: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde: Summary Plot Development	
		Summarize plot events.
		Analyze the point of view and perspectives in a text.
		Determine the effects of plot devices on a story.
Part	6: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde: Character	
		Analyze characterization.
		Compare and contrast characters.
		Explain how a character develops.
	7: The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde: Conflict Resolution	
		Identify conflicts, complications, and resolution.
		Analyze the relationship between plot and conflict.
		Make connections between a story's resolution and its theme(s).
Edga	ar Allan Poe's "The Tell-Tale Heart"	
		Identify features of gothic literature.
		Analyze aspects of narration, including point of view and unreliable narration.
		Compare and contrast two gothic texts.
Cumulative	e Exam	

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