

Jr. High ELA Curriculum Map

| | | Trimester 1 | Trimester 2 | Trimester 3 |
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| 6th Grade | Writing | Argument Writing | Informational Writing | Narrative Writing |
| | Reading | Eleven, President Cleveland, Where Are You? Scout's Honor, Nadia the Willful, Matthew Henson, On Top of the World, Summer of Fire | The Ghost of the Lagoon, Dog of Pompeii, Lob's Girl, Tutankhamen, from Lost Worlds, Poetry | Watson's Go to Birmingham |
| | Vocabulary | Sadlier: Units 1-5 | Sadlier: Units 6-10 | Sadlier: Units 11-15 |
| | Standards | W.6.1, W.6.4, W.6.5, W.6.6, W.6.8, W.6.9, RL.6.1, RL.6.2, RL.6.3, RL.6.4, RL.6.5, RI.6.1, RI.6.2, L.6.1, L.6.2, L.6.3, L.6.4, L.6.5, L.6.6 | W.6.1, W.6.4, W.6.5, W.6.6, W.6.8, W.6.9, RL.6.1, RL.6.2, RL.6.3, RL.6.4, RL.6.5, RI.6.1, RI.6.2, L.6.1, L.6.2, L.6.3, L.6.4, L.6.5, L.6.6 | W.6.1, W.6.4, W.6.5, W.6.6, W.6.8, W.6.9, RL.6.1, RL.6.2, RL.6.3, RL.6.4, RL.6.5, RI.6.1, RI.6.2, L.6.1, L.6.2, L.6.3, L.6.4, L.6.5, L.6.6 |
| 7th Grade | Writing | Informational (transitions, prepositional phrases, clauses, MLA format) Text Analysis (textual evidence) | Argumentative (counterclaim, evidence, MLA format, parenthetical citations) Text Analysis (text evidence) Narrative (rewrite the ending) | Narrative (sensory details, perspective, dialogue) Text Analysis (text evidence) |
| | Reading | "Eleanor Roosevelt"; "The Noble Experiment"; <i>A Christmas Carol</i> (organizational text structure, elements of drama) | <i>Fly Girl</i> (Summarizing, comprehension strategies, historical time period analysis, photo analysis, collaborative reading) Poetry (poetic devices, TP-CASTT) | Short stories (plot, characterization, story elements, perspective) <i>The Giver</i> (setting affecting plot and characters, textual evidence) |
| | Vocabulary | Units 1-5 | Units 6-10 | Units 11-15 |
| | Standards | W.7.2, RI.7.1, RI.7.5, RL.7.7, L.7.1, L.7.4 | | |
| 8th grade | Writing | Argument Writing (Claim, Counterclaim, Rebuttal); Text evidence; Research and citations; MLA Format | Informational/Research (Text support with evidence; Explaining evidence; Research and citations; MLA Format) | Narrative (Structure; Plot Elements; Figurative Language; Dialogue) |
| | Reading | Character Evolution Texts (TKAM; The Bet; If/Travel; Raymond's Run; Mother in Manville; Flowers for Algernon; Poe) | Social Justice Texts (Code Talker; Boy in the Striped Pajamas; Hotel Rwanda); Holocaust; SPUNKI; SOAPSTONE | Short Fiction (Charles; Ransom of Red Chief; Checkouts); Short Stories; AMND |
| | Vocabulary | Sadlier Units 1-5; Synonyms, Antonyms, Parts of Speech | Sadlier Units 6-10; Grammar; (Gerunds, Participles, Infinitives) | Sadlier Units 11-15; Dialogue; Figurative Language; Plot; Etc. |
| | Standards | W 8.1, 8.4, 8.5, 8.7, 8.8 RI 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5, 8.6, 8.8 | W 8.2, 8.4 8.5, 8.7, 8.8 RI 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5, 8.6, 8.8 | W 8.3, 8.4, 8.5, 8.9, 8.10 |