

East Carter Co. R-II School District Course Scope and Sequence

## Course: 12th Grade ELA

| # OF DAYS | TOPICS   |
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| 30        | Unit 1: Choice Novel Study/Socratic Seminars<br>Texts: Varies<br>Concepts: Persuasive writing, speaking and listening, responding to diverse media,<br>reading and comprehending grade-level text independently, determine the meaning of<br>words and phrases, grammar and conventions  |
| 10        | Unit 2: The Crucible/Socratic Seminars<br>Texts: The Crucible<br>Concepts: Persuasive writing, speaking and listening, responding to diverse media,<br>reading and comprehending grade-level text independently, determine the meaning of<br>words and phrases, grammar and conventions  |
| 55        | Unit 3: Beowulf/Epics and Creative Writing<br>Text: Beowulf/Non-fiction texts<br>Concepts: Persuasive writing, speaking and listening, responding to diverse media,<br>reading and comprehending grade-level text independently, determine the meaning of<br>words and phrases, grammar and conventions                          |
| 30        | Unit 4: Great Expectations/Socratic Seminars<br>Text: Great Expectations<br>Concepts: Persuasive writing, speaking and listening, responding to diverse media,<br>reading and comprehending grade-level text independently, determine the meaning of<br>words and phrases, grammar and conventions                               |
| 15        | Unit 5: Mock Interviews/Resume-building/Research<br>Texts: Non-fiction texts<br>Concepts: Persuasive writing, non-verbal communication, speaking and listening,<br>responding to diverse media, reading and comprehending grade-level text<br>independently, determine the meaning of words and phrases, grammar and conventions |
| 25        | Unit 6: Extended Research Writing Project: Argumentative Essay<br>Texts: Assorted non-fiction texts  |

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| Bellringers | Communication, grammar and conventions, morphemes/vocabulary   |

## **Course Description**

In this course, students will be taught the Missouri Learning Standards for ELA while developing critical-thinking skills that will help them in the real world. These standards will be taught through novel studies based on student interests, evidence-based persuasive essays, and standards-based projects and presentations. Students will read, analyze, and respond to grade-level texts, as well as be challenged to improve oral and written communication in realistic scenarios to prepare them for life beyond high school.