	Week	10th			
		Unit	**Text**	**Writing Assignment**	**Grammar Focus**
Quarter 1	1	Unit 1: Conflict & Connection	The Book of the Dead by Edwiedge Dantica	Literary Analysis:	Noun and Verb Phrases
	2		By Any Oher Name by Santha Rama Rau		
	3		What, of This Goldfish, Would You Wish? by Etgar Kere		Verb Tense
	4		*Lord of the Flies* by William Golding		Tone
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		Fall Break			
Quarter 2	10	Unit 2: The Power of Pereption	Before I Got My Eye Put Out by Emily DIckinson	Informative: Write an explanation that reflects on the variety of different points of view on a particular issue or problem.	Dialect & Dialogue
	11		How Do You See Your Self(ie)? by Sarah Mervosh		
	12		Mirror by Sylvia Plath		Colons
	13		The Night Face Up Julio Cortzar		
	14		The 100-Person Planet		Absolute Phrases
	15		A Contribution to Statistics by Wislawa Szymborska		
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		Winter Break			
Quarter 3	20	Unit 5: Forces of Change	A Sound of Thunder by Ray Bradbury	Research: Using ideas, information and examples from multiple texts in this unit, write a research report to present to your classmates in which you identify a way that humans respond to major changes.	Synonyms & Antonyms
	21		The Bombing of Black Wall Street by Allison Keyes		Participial Phrases
	22		from The Fever: Malaria and Humankind by Sonia Shah		Subject-Verb Agreement & Affixes
	23		The War Works Hard by Dunya Mikhail		
	24		from Rivers and Tides by Thomas Riedelsheimer		
	25		Sonnets to Orpheus Part Two, XII by Rainer Maria Rilke		Transitions
	26		from Popol Vuh by Dennis Tedlock & The Hero Twins Against the Lords of Death *(pulled from Unit 3)*		
	27				Reference Sources
	28		Reflect & Extend: Write A Poem		
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		Spring Break			
Quarter 4	30	Unit 6: Our Place in Nature	The Great Silence by Ted Chiang/Into the Wild by Jon Krakauer	Narrative: Write a short story in which the main character faces a struggle involving nature in some way.	Parallel Structure
	31		Find Your Park by National Park Service/Into the Wild by Jon Krakauer		
	32		Night Garden by Shruti Swamy/Into the Wild by Jon Krakauer		Relative Clauses
	33		Can Genetic Engineering Solve the Problem We Created? by Sarah Zhang/Into the Wild by Jon Krakauer		Colons, Semicolons, and Dashes
	34		The Seventh Man by Haruki Murakami/Into the Wild by Jon Krakauer		Complex Sentences
	35		Into the Wild by Jon Krakauer		
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