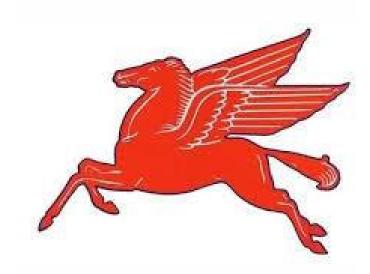
# **Curriculum Management System**

# PAULSBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS



# English II / Grade 10

Updated 2022

For adoption by all regular education programs as specified and for adoption or adaptation by all Special Education Programs in accordance with Board of Education Policy.

**Board Approved: 2022** 

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# **Paulsboro Public Schools**

# **Mission Statement**

The mission of the Paulsboro School District is to work with students, parents, educators, and community to develop excellence in education while preparing each student to be viable and productive citizens in society. Our goal is to develop the unique potential of the whole student by creating a challenging and diverse learning climate that prepares students for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century and is rich in tradition and pride.

## DEFINITIONS

NJ Student Learning Standards – Clear and specific benchmarks for students' achievement in various content areas. The standards ensure that each child receives a "thorough and efficient education".

**21st Century Life and Careers Standards** – These skills that are comprised of the "12 Career Ready Practices" and Standards 9.1 through 9.4. The organization of these standards intends to enable students to make informed decisions that prepare them to engage as active citizens in global society and be prepared for the opportunities of the 21st century workplace.

**Gifted and Talented Learners** – Students with high-ability who may need more depth and complexity in instruction.

**Special Education Learners** – Students in need of support and interventions to improve student achievement.

**English Language Learners** – Students with a native language other than English or who are at varying degrees of English language proficiency.

# 10th GRADE PACING CHART (2022-2023)

TOPIC	# OF DAYS	DATES	COMMENTS
1 – Conflict and Connection	22	MP1	Short Story, Memoir, Poem, Court Opinion, Editorial, Write an argument
2 – The Power of Perception	23	MP1	Short Story, Poem, Informational Text, Poem, Infographic, Essay, News Article, Write an Explanation/ Explanatory Essay, Deliver a Multimedia Presentation
3 – Hard-Won Liberty	22	MP 2	Argument, Short Story, Memoir, Speech, Documentary Film, Myth, Graphic Novel, Poem, Write an Argument, Deliver an Argument
4 – Reckless Ambition	23	MP 2	Drama, Film, Graphic Novel, Book Review, Argument, Short Story, Poem, Informational Text, Write a Literary Analysis
5 – Forces of Change	22	MP 3	Short Story, Article, Science Writing, Poem, Documentary Film, Informational Article, Memoir, Write a Research Report
6 – Our Place in Nature	23	MP 3	Short Story, Public Service Advertisement, Argument, Poem, Informational Text, Essay, Write a Short Story, Produce a Podcast
7 – Research Report	45	MP 4	Write a Research Paper

## **Unit 1: Conflict and Connections** Big Idea: What differences can't be bridged?

#### NJSLS:

RL.10.2, RL.10.6, RI.10.1, RI.10.6, RL.10.1, RL.10.3, RI.10.9, RI.10.8, RL.10.4, RI.10.4, W.10.9.a, W.10.2.f, SL.10.5, W.10.7, W.10.1, SL.10.1.a, W.10.5, W.10.10, W.10.8, W.10.3.a-b, W.10.3.d-e, W.10.2, W.10.9.b, SL.10.1, SL.10.6, W.10.1.a-e, SL.10.1.b, SL.10.1.c, SL.10.1.d, L.10.5.a, L.10.4, L.10.4.a, L.10.4.b, L.10.5.b, L.10.1.b, L.10.1, RL.10.10, RI.10.10

#### 21st Century Life and Careers:

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CRP4. Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.

CRP5: Consider the environmental, social and economic impacts of decisions.

CRP6: Demonstrate creativity and innovation.

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problems and persevere in solving them.

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#### **Technology Standards:**

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## **Critical Knowledge and Skills**

## Concept(s):

1: The ability to read a variety of text requires independence, comprehension, and fluency.

- How to use text evidence to support analysis.
- Identify the theme or central idea of the text by analyzing the development of the story.
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- Identify how the author develops and contrasts different characters' points of view.
- Use context clues, online, or print resources to expand vocabulary ٠ usage/understanding.

2: Writing is the process of communicating in print for a variety of audiences and purposes.

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CRP12: Work productively in teams while using cultural 3: Oral language and listening are tools for communicating, thinking, and learning.

- Follow the rules for discussion. •
- Vary sentence structure when in a conversation.

4: A media literate person can evaluate how words, images, and sounds influence a message.

Evaluate and understand how technology (computers, webpages, digital media, online texts and reports) assists during the writing process.

Students are able to:	Learning Goal(s):	
Analyze theme	1. Communicate in clear,	
	concise, organized language that	

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Students with Disabilities:	
Students Hands on activity, cooperative learning, peer	
tutoring, extended time, reteach in utilizing various	
methods.	
Utilize remediation resources which include	
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Instruction.	
English Language Learners:	
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## UNIT 2: The Power of Perception Big Idea: How does our point of view shape our view of the world?

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- Use evidence from the text to support your analysis, reflection, or research.

**3**: Oral language and listening are tools for communicating, thinking, and learning.

- Follow the rules for discussion.
- Vary sentence structure when in a conversation.

4: A media literate person can evaluate how words, images, and sounds influence a message.

• Evaluate and understand how technology (computers, webpages, digital media, online texts and reports) assists during the writing process.

Students are able to:	Learning Goal(s):
<ul> <li>Analyze character motivations</li> <li>Make inferences</li> <li>Analyze central idea</li> </ul>	1. Communicate in clear, concise, organized language that varies in content, format, and form for different audiences and purposes.

TECH.8.1.8.C: Communication and Collaboration: Students use digital media and environments to communicate and work collaboratively, including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to the learning of others. TECH.8.1.8.D: Digital Citizenship: Students understand human, cultural, and societal issues related to technology and practice legal and ethical behavior. TECH.8.1.8.D.1: Understand and model appropriate online behaviors related to cyber safety, cyber bullying, cyber security, and cyber ethics including appropriate use of social media. TECH.8.1.8.D.4: Assess the credibility and accuracy of	<ul> <li>Analyze author's purpose and point of view</li> <li>Analyze figurative language</li> <li>Analyze plot structure</li> <li>Interpret graphics</li> <li>Analyze motives</li> <li>Analyze literary devices</li> <li>Analyze structure</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Comprehend, understand, analyze, evaluate, critique, and respond to messages from various literary and written formats.</li> <li>Investigate, research, and synthesize information from various media sources.</li> <li>Follow the process for writing an explanatory essay</li> </ol>
<ul> <li>digital content. Locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a variety of sources and media.</li> <li>TECH.8.1.8.E: Research and Information Fluency: Students apply digital tools to gather, evaluate, and use information.</li> <li>TECH.8.1.8.E.CS2: Locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a variety of sources and media.</li> <li>TECH.8.1.8.F: Critical thinking, problem solving, and decision making: Students use critical thinking skills to plan and conduct research, manage projects, solve problems, and make informed decisions using appropriate digital tools and resources.</li> <li>TECH.9.4.12.IML.4: Assess and critique the appropriateness and impact of existing data visualizations for an intended audience.</li> <li>TECH.9.4.12.IML.9: Analyze the decisions creators make to reveal explicit and implicit messages within information and media</li> <li>Companion Standards:</li> <li>SOC.9-12.1.1.1: Compare present and past events to evaluate the consequences of past decisions and to apply lessons learned.</li> <li>SOC.9-12.1.1.2: Analyze how change occurs through time due to shifting values and beliefs as well as technological advancements and changes in the</li> </ul>	Formative/Summative Assessments FORMATIVE: Guided reading/ Conferencing Reading Response Journal Teacher Observation Class discussion Homework/Classwork SUMMATIVE: NJ SmartStart Assessment 1 Link-It Assessment HMH Unit Tests	Primary & Supplementary Resources1. HMH into Literature Grade 10 (Text & Online Resources)2. HMH Writable (Text & Online Resources)3. Novels4. Commonlit.com5. NewsELA.com6. Link-It7. Open Educational Resources
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# UNIT 3: Hard – Won Liberty

## Big Idea: How can we escape what oppresses us?

#### NJSLS:

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Students are able to:	Learning Goal(s):
Analyze:	1. Communicate in clear, concise,
Argument	organized language that varies in

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# UNIT 4: Reckless Ambition Big Idea: When is ambition dangerous?

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**TECH.8.1.8.C:** Communication and Collaboration: Students use digital media and environments to

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## **UNIT 5: Forces of Change** Big Idea: How do changes, large and small, affect us?

#### NJSLS:

RL.10.5, RL.10.1, RI.10.2, RI.10.3, RI.10.5, RI.10.4, RI.10.6, RL.10.4, RL.10.2, SL.10.2, SL.10.3, W.10.3.a, SL.10.4, SL.10.6, SL.10.1, W.10.2, W.10.2.d, W.10.7, W.10.8, W.10.6, SL.10.1.c, SL.10.1.d, W.10.2.a, W.10.10, SL.10.2, SL.10.3, SL.10.5, SL.10.1.b, L.10.5.b, L.10.4.c, L.10.4.b, W.10.3.c, L.10.1.b, L.10.1, RI.10.1, RL.10.10, RI.10.10, W.10.4

#### 21st Century Life and Careers:

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problems and persevere in solving them.

**CRP9**: Model integrity, ethical leadership and effective management.

CRPIO: Plan education and career paths aligned to personal goals.

**CRPII**: Use technology to enhance productivity.

global competence.

### **Technology Standards:**

TECH.8.1.8: All students will use digital tools to access, manage, evaluate, and synthesize information in order to solve problems individually and collaborate and to create and communicate knowledge.

TECH.8.1.8.A.CS1: Understand and use technology systems.

TECH.8.1.8.A.CS2: Select and use applications effectively and productively.

TECH.8.1.8.A.1: Demonstrate knowledge of a real world problem using digital tools.

TECH.8.1.8.A.2: Create a document (e.g., newsletter, reports, personalized learning plan, business letters or flyers) using one or more digital applications to be critiqued by professionals for usability.

TECH.8.1.8.B.CS2: Create original works as a means of personal or group expression.

**Critical Knowledge and Skills** 

## Concept(s):

1: The ability to read a variety of text requires independence, comprehension and fluency.

- How to use text evidence to support analysis.
- Identify the theme or central idea of the text by analyzing the development of the story.
- Analyze how the text's form/structure contributes to its meaning.
- Identify how the author develops and contrasts different characters' points of view.
- Use context clues, online, or print resources to expand vocabulary usage/understanding.

2: Writing is the process of communicating in print for a variety of audiences and purposes.

- Use clear reasons and relevant evidence to support claims in arguments.
- Write a detailed story using a well-structured event sequence.
- Write a report drawing on several sources to answer a question.
- Organize relevant information from multiple credible sources and quote/paraphrase data/conclusions while citing sources.
- Use evidence from the text to support your analysis, reflection, or research.

CRP12: Work productively in teams while using cultural 3: Oral language and listening are tools for communicating, thinking, and learning.

- Follow the rules for discussion. •
- Vary sentence structure when in a conversation.

4: A media literate person can evaluate how words, images, and sounds influence a message.

• Evaluate and understand how technology (computers, webpages, digital media, online texts and reports) assists during the writing process.

	Students are able to:	Learning Goal(s):
f	<ul><li>Analyze:</li><li>Plot and setting</li><li>Word choice and tone</li></ul>	1. Communicate in clear, concise, organized language that varies in

TECH.8.1.8.C: Communication and Collaboration: Students use digital media and environments to communicate and work collaboratively, including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to the learning of others. TECH.8.1.8.D: Digital Citizenship: Students understand human, cultural, and societal issues related to technology and practice legal and ethical behavior. TECH.8.1.8.D.1: Understand and model appropriate online behaviors related to cyber safety, cyber bullying, cyber security, and cyber ethics including appropriate use of social media. TECH.8.1.8.D.4: Assess the credibility and accuracy of digital content. Locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a variety of sources and media.	<ul> <li>Text structure</li> <li>Purpose and audience</li> <li>Figurative language and satire</li> <li>Media techniques</li> <li>Theme</li> </ul>	content, format, and form for different audiences and purposes. 2. Comprehend, understand, analyze, evaluate, critique, and respond to messages from various literary and written formats. 3. Investigate, research, and synthesize information from various media sources. 4. Follow the process for writing a research report / poem
TECH.8.1.8.E: Research and Information Fluency:	Formative/Summative	Primary & Supplementary
Students apply digital tools to gather, evaluate, and use	Assessments	Resources
<ul> <li>information.</li> <li>TECH.8.1.8.E.CS2: Locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a variety of sources and media.</li> <li>TECH.8.1.8.F: Critical thinking, problem solving, and decision making: Students use critical thinking skills to plan and conduct research, manage projects, solve problems, and make informed decisions using appropriate digital tools and resources.</li> <li>TECH 9.4.12.CI.1: Demonstrate the ability to reflect, analyze and use creative skills and ideas.</li> <li>TECH 9.4.12.TL.1: Assess digital tools based on features such as accessibility options, capacities and utility for accomplishing a specified task</li> <li>Companion Standards:</li> <li>SOC.9-12.1.1.1: Compare present and past events to evaluate the consequences of past decisions and to apply lessons learned.</li> <li>SOC.9-12.1.1.2: Analyze how change occurs through time due to shifting values and beliefs as well as technological advancements and changes in the political and economic landscape.</li> <li>MODIFICATIONS: Advanced Learner: Independent research &amp; Presentations Frequent writing tasks Vocabulary Study Independent Reading</li> </ul>	FORMATIVE: Guided reading/ Conferencing Reading Response Journal Teacher Observation Class discussion Homework/Classwork SUMMATIVE: NJ SmartStart Assessment 1 Link-It Assessment HMH Unit Tests	1. HMH into Literature Grade 10 (Text & Online Resources) 2. HMH Writable (Text & Online Resources) 3. Novels 4. Commonlit.com 5. NewsELA.com 6. Link-It 7. Open Educational Resources
Students with Disabilities:		

<ul> <li>Students Hands on activity, cooperative learning, peer tutoring, extended time, reteach in utilizing various methods.</li> <li>Utilize remediation resources which include assessment and intervention, in planning and instruction.</li> <li>English Language Learners:</li> <li>Provide hands-on activities and explanations.</li> <li>Use reduced text, so that print is not so dense. Assess comprehension through demonstration or other alternative means (gestures, drawings).</li> <li>Give instructions/directions in writing and orally. Use of translation dictionaries to locate words in the native language.</li> <li>Use English Learners resources such as study guides, assessments and a visual glossary.</li> </ul>	

# **UNIT 6: Our Place in Nature**

## Big Idea: What effect do we have on nature, and how does nature affect us?

### NJSLS:

RL.10.3, RL.10.5, RL.10.4, RI.10.1, RI.10.4, RI.10.3, RI.10.5, RL.10.2, SL.10.2, SL.10.3, W.10.3.a, W.10.7, SL.10.1.d, W.10.1.a, W.10.1.d, SL.10.5, SL.10.1, W.10.2.a, SL.10.1.c, W.10.6, SL.10.1.b, W.10.2, W.10.2.c, W.10.2.d, W.10.8, SL.10.6, W.10.1, SL.10.2, L.10.4, L.10.4.d, L.10.4.c, L.10.1.a, L.10.1.b, L.10.2.b, L.10.2.a, RL.10.1, SL.10.4, RL.10.10, RI.10.10, W.10.4, W.10.10, SL.10.4

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CRP6: Demonstrate creativity and innovation.

CRP7: Employ valid and reliable research strategies. CRP8: Utilize critical thinking to make sense of

problems and persevere in solving them.

**CRP9**: Model integrity, ethical leadership and effective management.

CRPIO: Plan education and career paths aligned to personal goals.

**CRP11**: Use technology to enhance productivity.

global competence.

### **Technology Standards:**

TECH.8.1.8: All students will use digital tools to access, manage, evaluate, and synthesize information in order to solve problems individually and collaborate and to create and communicate knowledge. TECH.8.1.8.A.CS1: Understand and use technology systems. TECH.8.1.8.A.CS2: Select and use applications

effectively and productively.

TECH.8.1.8.A.1: Demonstrate knowledge of a real world problem using digital tools. TECH.8.1.8.A.2: Create a document (e.g., newsletter,

reports, personalized learning plan, business letters or flyers) using one or more digital applications to be critiqued by professionals for usability.

**Critical Knowledge and Skills** 

## **Concept(s)**:

1: The ability to read a variety of text requires independence, comprehension and fluency.

- How to use text evidence to support analysis.
- Identify the theme or central idea of the text by analyzing the • development of the story.
- Analyze how the text's form/structure contributes to its meaning.
- Identify how the author develops and contrasts different characters' points of view.
- Use context clues, online, or print resources to expand vocabulary usage/understanding.

2: Writing is the process of communicating in print for a variety of audiences and purposes.

- Use clear reasons and relevant evidence to support claims in arguments.
- Write a detailed story using a well-structured event sequence.
- Write a report drawing on several sources to answer a question.
- Organize relevant information from multiple credible sources and quote/paraphrase data/conclusions while citing sources.
- Use evidence from the text to support your analysis, reflection, or research.

CRP12: Work productively in teams while using cultural 3: Oral language and listening are tools for communicating, thinking, and learning.

- Follow the rules for discussion. •
- Vary sentence structure when in a conversation.

4: A media literate person can evaluate how words, images, and sounds influence a message.

• Evaluate and understand how technology (computers, webpages, digital media, online texts and reports) assists during the writing process.

iu	Students are able to:	Learning Goal(s):
r	<ul><li>Analyze:</li><li>Point of view</li><li>Narrative structure</li></ul>	1. Communicate in clear, concise, organized language that varies in content, format, and form for different audiences and purposes.

TECH.8.1.8.B.CS2: Create original works as a means of personal or group expression. TECH.8.1.8.C: Communication and Collaboration: Students use digital media and environments to communicate and work collaboratively, including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to the learning of others. TECH.8.1.8.D: Digital Citizenship: Students understand human, cultural, and societal issues related to technology and practice legal and ethical behavior. TECH.8.1.8.D.1: Understand and model appropriate online behaviors related to cyber safety, cyber bullying, cyber security, and cyber ethics including appropriate	<ul> <li>Media techniques and purposes</li> <li>Pacing and tension</li> <li>Figurative language</li> <li>Pro – con organization</li> <li>Symbol and theme</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Comprehend, understand, analyze, evaluate, critique, and respond to messages from various literary and written formats.</li> <li>Investigate, research, and synthesize information from various media sources.</li> <li>Follow the process for writing a short story</li> </ol>
use of social media. TECH.8.1.8.D.4: Assess the credibility and accuracy of	Formative/Summative Assessments	Primary & Supplementary Resources
digital content. Locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a variety of sources and media. <b>TECH.8.18.E:</b> Research and Information Fluency: Students apply digital tools to gather, evaluate, and use information. <b>TECH.8.18.E.CS2:</b> Locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a variety of sources and media. <b>TECH.8.18.F:</b> Critical thinking, problem solving, and decision making: Students use critical thinking skills to plan and conduct research, manage projects, solve problems, and make informed decisions using appropriate digital tools and resources. <b>TECH 9.4.12.CI.I:</b> Demonstrate the ability to reflect, analyze and use creative skills and ideas. <b>TECH 9.4.12.TL.1:</b> Assess digital tools based on features such as accessibility options, capacities and utility for accomplishing a specified task. <b>TECH.9.4.12.IML.2:</b> Evaluate digital sources for timeliness, accuracy, perspective, credibility of the source, and relevance of information, in media, data, or other resources. <b>TECH.9.4.12.IML.7:</b> Develop an argument to support a claim regarding a current workplace or societal/ethical issue such as climate change <b>Companion Standards:</b> <b>SOC.9-12.1.3.1:</b> Distinguish valid arguments from false arguments when interpreting current and historical events. <b>SOC.9-12-1.3.2:</b> Evaluate sources for validity and credibility and to detect propaganda, censorship, and bias	FORMATIVE: Guided reading/ Conferencing Reading Response Journal Teacher Observation Class discussion Homework/Classwork SUMMATIVE: NJ SmartStart Assessment 1 Link-It Assessment HMH Unit Tests	1. HMH into Literature Grade 10 (Text & Online Resources)         2. HMH Writable (Text & Online Resources)         3. Novels         4. Commonlit.com         5. NewsELA.com         6. Link-It         7. Open Educational Resources
MODIFICATIONS: Advanced Learner:		

Independent research & Presentations Frequent writing tasks Vocabulary Study Independent Reading	
Students with Disabilities: Students Hands on activity, cooperative learning, peer tutoring, extended time, reteach in utilizing various methods. Utilize remediation resources which include assessment and intervention, in planning and instruction.	
English Language Learners: Provide hands-on activities and explanations. Use reduced text, so that print is not so dense. Assess comprehension through demonstration or other alternative means (gestures, drawings). Give instructions/directions in writing and orally. Use of translation dictionaries to locate words in the native language. Use English Learners resources such as study guides, assessments and a visual glossary.	

UNIT 7: Research Paper			
Big Idea:			
NJSLS:	Critical Knowledge and Skills		
<ul> <li>RL.9-10.1, RI.9-10.1., RI.9-10.2, RI.9-10.3, RI.9-10.6, RI.9-10.8, W.9-10.1, W.9-10.4, W.9-10.5, W.9-10.6, W.9- 10.7, W.9-10.8, W.9-10.9, W.9-10.10, L.9-10.1, L.9-10.2. D, L.9-10.3, L.9-10.5</li> <li><b>21</b><sup>st</sup> Century Life and Careers: CRP1: Act as a responsible and contributing citizen and employee.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Concept(s):</li> <li>1: The ability to read a variety of text req and fluency.</li> <li>How to use text evidence to support of the theme or central idea development of the story.</li> </ul>	uires independence, comprehension ort analysis.	
<ul> <li>CRP2: Apply appropriate academic and technical skills.</li> <li>CRP3: Attend to personal health and financial wellbeing.</li> <li>CRP4. Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.</li> <li>CRP5: Consider the environmental, social and</li> </ul>	• Analyze how the text's form/struc	and contrasts different characters'	
economic impacts of decisions. <b>CRP6</b> : Demonstrate creativity and innovation. <b>CRP7</b> : Employ valid and reliable research strategies. <b>CRP8</b> : Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them. <b>CRP9</b> : Model integrity, ethical leadership and effective	<ul> <li>2: Writing is the process of communicati and purposes.</li> <li>Use clear reasons and relevant evi arguments.</li> </ul>	idence to support claims in	
management. <b>CRP10</b> : Plan education and career paths aligned to personal goals. <b>CRP11</b> : Use technology to enhance productivity. <b>CRP12</b> : Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence.	<ul> <li>Write a detailed story using a well-structured event sequence.</li> <li>Write a report drawing on several sources to answer a question.</li> <li>Organize relevant information from multiple credible sources and quote/paraphrase data/conclusions while citing sources.</li> <li>Use evidence from the text to support your analysis, reflection, or research.</li> </ul>		
Technology Standards: TECH.8.1.8: All students will use digital tools to access, manage, evaluate, and synthesize information in order to solve problems individually and collaborate and to create and communicate knowledge. TECH.8.1.8.A.CSI: Understand and use technology	<ul> <li>3: Oral language and listening are tools for communicating, thinking, and learning.</li> <li>Follow the rules for discussion.</li> <li>Vary sentence structure when in a conversation.</li> </ul>		
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critiqued by professionals for usability. <b>TECH.8.1.8.B.CS2</b> : Create original works as a means of personal or group expression. <b>TECH.8.1.8.C</b> : Communication and Collaboration: Students use digital media and environments to	• understand the primary purpose of an academic research paper.	1. Communicate in clear, concise, organized language that varies in content, format, and form for different audiences and purposes.	

communicate and work collaboratively, including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to the learning of others. <b>TECH.8.1.8.D:</b> Digital Citizenship: Students understand human, cultural, and societal issues related to technology and practice legal and ethical behavior. <b>TECH.8.1.8.D.1:</b> Understand and model appropriate online behaviors related to cyber safety, cyber bullying, cyber security, and cyber ethics including appropriate use of social media. <b>TECH.8.1.8.D.4:</b> Assess the credibility and accuracy of digital content. Locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a variety	<ul> <li>know ways to get started with the writing process.</li> <li>understand barriers associated with writing a research paper.</li> <li>be able to start writing a research paper</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2. Comprehend, understand, analyze, evaluate, critique, and respond to messages from various literary and written formats.</li> <li>3. Investigate, research, and synthesize information from various media sources.</li> <li>4. Follow the process for writing a research paper</li> </ul>
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