



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

Course: 9th Grade ELA

# OF DAYS	TOPICS
40	Unit 1: Introduction to Theme -Themes across Genres -Writing Grammar Review, root words Novel: The Outsiders
35	Unit 2: Analyzing Fiction and Literature -Author's Craft -Literary Fundamentals -Literature in all its Forms -Writing about Literature Grammar Review Novel: The Boy In the Striped Pajamas
30	Unit 3: Analyze Informational Text -Informational Citizenship -What is Nonfiction -Craft of the Author
30	Unit 4: World Literature -Defining Culture -Culture in Genres -Culturally Influenced Writing
30	Unit 5: Multi Genre -Theme Identification -Craft and Genre Review -Synthesis of Texts and Writing

Bellings	Grammar, vocabulary, journal writing, and communication
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Course Description

English Language Arts 1 both develops and deepens student skills in the English Language Arts and serves as a foundation course for ELA 2. This course promotes rigorous study in the areas of reading, writing, speaking, listening, and critical thinking. Skills and concepts taught in this course will help students use language purposefully as they comprehend, construct, and convey meaning in all other English Language Arts courses.