

2024-2025 Hickman County Pacing Guide 7th Grade English Language Arts

1st Cumulative MVPA Assessment, Sept. 30 - Oct. 4

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Unit	Standards	Major Topics/Concepts
Informational Text	7.RL.KID.1-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Show mastery of standards 1-10 at a lower depth of knowledge (DOK 1) to lay foundations of levels defined in the ELA Standards Guides (DOK 3). ● Read to understand both literary and informational texts. ● Respond to sequenced questions to build understanding. ● Complete text-based tasks in various forms (e.g., drawing, discussion, writing, dramatic play, speaking). ● Respond to text-based questions/tasks to focus on academic and domain-specific words. ● Participate in collaborative discussions about anchor texts to process and extend learning.
Literature Text	7.RI.KID.1-10	
Speaking and Listening	7.SL.CC.1, 7.SL.CC.2, 7.SL.CC.3, 7.SL.PKI.4, 7.SL.PKI.5, 7.SL.PKI.6	
Language	7.L.CSE.1 7.L.CSE.2 7.L.KL.3 7.L.AU.4 7.L.AU.5 7.L.AU.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage ● Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling. ● Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in text. ● Explain the function of figurative language, word relationships, and connotation/denotation ● Accurately use grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases.
Writing	7.W.TTP.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Write narratives (fiction and nonfiction) to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective techniques, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.

2nd Cumulative MVPA Assessment, Dec. 16 - Dec. 20

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Unit	Standards	Major Topics/Concepts
Informational Text	7.RL.KID.1-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Show mastery of standards 1-10 with increasing depth of knowledge (DOK 2), approaching levels defined in the ELA Standards Guides (DOK 3). ● Read to understand both literary and informational texts. ● Respond to sequenced questions to build understanding. ● Complete text-based tasks in various forms (e.g., drawing, discussion, writing, dramatic play, speaking). ● Respond to text-based questions/tasks to focus on academic and domain-specific words. ● Participate in collaborative discussions about anchor texts to process and extend learning.
Literature Text	7.RI.KID.1-10	
Speaking and Listening	7.SL.CC.1, 7.SL.CC.2, 7.SL.CC.3, 7.SL.PKI.4, 7.SL.PKI.5, 7.SL.PKI.6	
Language	7.L.CSE.1 7.L.CSE.2 7.L.KL.3 7.L.AU.4 7.L.AU.5 7.L.AU.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage ● Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling. ● Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in text. ● Explain the function of figurative language, word relationships, and connotation/denotation ● Accurately use grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases.
Writing	7.W.TTP.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.

3rd Cumulative Assessment, March 17 - March 21

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Informational Text	7.RL.KID.1-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Show mastery of the standard as it is given in the ELA Standards Guides (DOK 3). ● Read to understand both literary and informational texts. ● Respond to sequenced questions to build understanding. ● Complete text-based tasks in various forms (e.g., drawing, discussion, writing, dramatic play, speaking). ● Respond to text-based questions/tasks to focus on academic and domain-specific words. ● Participate in collaborative discussions about anchor texts to process and extend learning.
Literature Text	7.RI.KID.1-10	
Speaking and Listening	7.SL.CC.1, 7.SL.CC.2, 7.SL.CC.3, 7.SL.PKI.4, 7.SL.PKI.5, 7.SL.PKI.6	
Foundational Literacy	7.FL.PWR.3, 7.FL.WC.4, 7.FL.F.5, 7.FL.SC.6, 7.FL.VA.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills when decoding and encoding. ● Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension. ● Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage ● Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases in text. ● Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
Writing	7.W.TTP.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Write arguments to support claims with clear reasons and relevant evidence.