

## NATIONAL CORE ARTS STANDARDS

### Theatre

#### GRADE 3

##### CREATING

**TH:Cr1.1.3.c.** Collaborate to determine how characters might move and speak to support the story and given circumstances in drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr2-3.b.** Compare ideas with peers and make selections that will enhance and deepen group drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr3.1.3.b.** Participate and contribute to physical and vocal exploration in an improvised or scripted drama/theatre work.

##### PERFORMING

**TH:Pr4.1.3.b.** Investigate how movement and voice are incorporated into drama/theatre work.

**TH:Pr5.1.3.a.** Participate in a variety of physical, vocal, and cognitive exercises that can be used in a group setting for drama/theatre work.

**TH:Pr6.1.3.a.** Practice drama/theatre work and share reflections individually and in small groups.

##### RESPONDING

**TH:Re7.1.3.a.** Understand why artistic choices are made in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re8.1.3.c.** Examine how connections are made between oneself and a character's emotions in drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re9.1.3.c.** Evaluate and analyze problems and situations in a drama/theatre work from an audience perspective.

##### CONNECTING

**TH:Cn10.1.3.a.** Use personal experiences and knowledge to make connections to community and culture in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cn11.1.3.a.** Identify connections to community, social issues and other content areas in drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cn11.2.3.a.** Explore how stories are adapted from literature to drama/theatre work.

#### GRADE 4

##### CREATING

**TH:Cr1.1.4.c.** Imagine how a character might move to support the story and given circumstances in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr2-4.b.** Make and discuss group decisions and identify responsibilities required to present a drama/theatre work to peers.

##### PERFORMING

**TH:Pr4.1.4.b.** Make physical choices to develop a character in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Pr5.1.4.a.** Practice selected exercises that can be used in a group setting for drama/theatre work.

## **RESPONDING**

**TH:Re8.1.4.b.** Compare and contrast the qualities of characters in a drama/theatre work through physical characteristics and prop or costume design choices that reflect cultural perspectives.

**TH:Re9.1.4.c.** Observe how a character's choices impact an audience's perspective in a drama/theatre work.

## **CONNECTING**

**TH:Cn10.1.4.a.** Identify the ways drama/theatre work reflects the perspectives of a community or culture.

**TH:Cn11.1.4.a.** Respond to community and social issues and incorporate other content areas in drama/theatre work.

## **GRADE 5**

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### **CREATING**

**TH:Cr.1.1.5.a.** Identify physical qualities that might reveal a character's inner traits in the imagined world of a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr2-5.a.** Devise original ideas for a drama/theatre work that reflect collective inquiry about characters and their given circumstances.

### **PERFORMING**

**TH:Pr4.1.5.b.** Use physical choices to create meaning in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Pr6.1.5.a.** Present drama/theatre work informally to an audience.

### **RESPONDING**

**TH:Re7.1.5.a.** Explain personal reactions to artistic choices made in a drama/theatre work through participation and observation.

**TH:Re8.1.5.b.** Explain responses to characters based on cultural perspectives when participating in or observing drama/theatre work.

### **CONNECTING**

**TH:Cn10.1.5.a.** Explain how drama/theatre connects oneself to a community or culture.

**TH:Cn11.1.5.a.** Investigate historical, global and social issues expressed in drama/theatre work.

## **GRADE 6**

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### **CREATING**

**TH:Cr2-6.b.** Contribute ideas and accept and incorporate the ideas of others in preparing or devising drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr3.1.6.b.** Identify effective physical and vocal traits of characters in an improvised or scripted drama/theatre work.

### **PERFORMING**

**TH:Pr4.1.6.a.** Identify the essential events in a story or script that make up the dramatic structure in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Pr6.1.6.a.** Adapt a drama/theatre work and present it informally for an audience.

### **RESPONDING**

**TH:Re7.1.6.a.** Describe and record personal reactions to artistic choices in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re8.1.6.b.** Identify cultural perspectives that may influence the evaluation of a drama/theatre work

### **CONNECTING**

**TH:Cn10.1.6.a.** Explain how the actions and motivations of characters in a drama/theatre work impact perspectives of a community or culture.

**TH:Cn11.1.6.a.** Identify universal themes or common social issues and express them through a drama/theatre work.

## **GRADE 7**

### **CREATING**

**TH:Cr2-7.a.** Examine and justify original ideas and artistic choices in a drama/theatre work based on critical analysis, background knowledge, and historical and cultural context.

**TH:Cr3.1.7.b.** Develop effective physical and vocal traits of characters in an improvised or scripted drama/theatre work

### **PERFORMING**

**TH:Pr5.1.7.a.** Participate in a variety of acting exercises and techniques that can be applied in a rehearsal or drama/theatre performance.

**TH:Pr6.1.7.a.** Participate in rehearsals for a drama/theatre work that will be shared with an audience.

### **RESPONDING**

**TH:Re7.1.7.a.** Compare recorded personal and peer reactions to artistic choices in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re8.1.7.b.** Describe how cultural perspectives can influence the evaluation of drama/theatre work

**TH:Re9.1.7.b.** Consider the aesthetics of the production elements in a drama/theatre work.

### **CONNECTING**

**TH:Cn10.1.7.a.** Incorporate multiple perspectives and diverse community ideas in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cn11.2.7.a.** Research and discuss how a playwright might have intended a drama/theatre work to be produced.

## **GRADE 8**

### **CREATING**

**TH:Cr2-8.a.** Articulate and apply critical analysis, background knowledge, research, and historical and cultural context to the development of original ideas for a drama/theatre work.

### **PERFORMING**

**TH:Pr4.1.8.b.** Use various character objectives and tactics in a drama/theatre work to overcome an obstacle.

**TH:Pr6.1.8.a.** Perform a rehearsed drama/theatre work for an audience.

### **RESPONDING**

**TH:Re8.1.8.b.** Analyze how cultural perspectives influence the evaluation of a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re9.1.8.a.** Respond to a drama/theatre work using supporting evidence,

personal aesthetics, and artistic criteria.

## **CONNECTING**

**TH:Cn10.1.8.a.** Examine a community issue through multiple perspectives in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cn11.1.8.a.** Use different forms of drama/theatre work to examine contemporary social, cultural, or global issues.

## **HIGH SCHOOL**

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### **CREATING**

#### **Proficient**

**TH:Cr1.1.I.c.** Use script analysis to generate ideas about a character that is believable and authentic in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr2-I.a.** Explore the function of history and culture in the development of a dramatic concept through a critical analysis of original ideas in a drama/theatre work.

#### **Accomplished**

**TH:Cr1.1.II.c.** Use personal experiences and knowledge to develop a character that is believable and authentic in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr2-II.a.** Refine a dramatic concept to demonstrate a critical understanding of historical and cultural influences of original ideas applied to a drama/theatre work.

#### **Advanced**

**TH:Cr1.1.III.c.** Integrate cultural and historical contexts with personal experiences to create a character that is believable and authentic, in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cr2-III.a.** Develop and synthesize original ideas in a drama/theatre work utilizing critical analysis, historical and cultural context, research, and western or non-western theatre traditions.

### **PERFORMING**

#### **Proficient**

**TH:Pr4.1.I.a.** Examine how character relationships assist in telling the story of a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Pr6.1.I.a.** Perform a scripted drama/theatre work for a specific audience.

#### **Accomplished**

**TH:Pr6.1.II.a.** Present a drama/theatre work using creative processes that shape the production for a specific audience.

#### **Advanced**

**TH:Pr6.1.III.a.** Present a drama/theatre production for a specific audience that employs research and analysis grounded in the creative perspectives of the playwright, director, designer, and dramaturg.

### **RESPONDING**

#### **Proficient**

**TH:Re8.1.I.b.** Identify and compare cultural perspectives and contexts that may influence the evaluation of a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re9.1.I.a.** Examine a drama/ theatre work using supporting evidence and criteria, while considering art forms, history, culture, and other disciplines.

#### **Accomplished**

**TH:Re8.1.II.b.** Apply concepts from a drama/theatre work for personal realization about cultural perspectives and understanding.

**TH:Re9.1.II.a.** Analyze and assess a drama/theatre work by connecting it to art forms, history, culture, and other disciplines using supporting evidence and criteria.

### **Advanced**

**TH: Re7.1.-III.a.** Use historical and cultural context to structure and justify personal responses to a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re8.1.III.b.** Use new understandings of cultures and contexts to shape personal responses to drama/theatre work.

**TH:Re9.1.III.c.** Compare and debate the connection between a drama/theatre work and contemporary issues that may impact audiences.

## **CONNECTING**

### **Proficient**

**TH:Cn10.1.I.a.** Investigate how cultural perspectives, community ideas and personal beliefs impact a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cn11.1.I.a.** Explore how cultural, global, and historic belief systems affect creative choices in a drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cn11.2.I.b.** Use basic theatre research methods to better understand the social and cultural background of a drama/theatre work.

### **Accomplished**

**TH:Cn10.1.II.a.** Choose and interpret a drama/theatre work to reflect or question personal beliefs.

**TH:Cn11.1.II.a.** Integrate conventions and knowledge from different art forms and other disciplines to develop a cross- cultural drama/theatre work.

**TH:Cn11.2.II.b.** Explore how personal beliefs and biases can affect the interpretation of research data applied in drama/theatre work.

### **Advanced**

**TH:Cn10.1.III.a.** Collaborate on a drama/theatre work that examines a critical global issue using multiple personal, community, and cultural perspectives.

**TH:Cn11.1.III.a.** Develop a drama/theatre work that identifies and questions cultural, global, and historic belief systems.

**TH:Cn11.2.III.b.** Present and support an opinion about the social, cultural, and historical understandings of a drama/theatre work, based on critical research.

## **COMMON CORE**

**Key Ideas and Details**

- RL.3.2. Recount stories, including fables, folktales, and myths from diverse cultures; determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text.
- RL.3.3. Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of

**Craft and Structure**

- RL.3.5. Refer to parts of stories, dramas, and poems when writing or speaking about a text, using terms such as chapter, scene, and stanza; describe how each successive part builds on earlier sections.
- RL.3.6. Distinguish their own point of view from that of the narrator or those of the characters.

**Fluency**

- RF.3.4. Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
  - Read grade-level text with purpose and understanding.
  - Read grade-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate and expression.

**Text Types and Purposes**

- W.3.1. Write opinion pieces on familiar topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons.
- W.3.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.

**Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.3.4. With guidance and support from adults, produce writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task and purpose.

**Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.3.1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 3 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
- SL.3.2. Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

### **Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.3.4. Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience with appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details, speaking clearly at an understandable pace.

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## **Fourth**

## **READING**

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### **Key Ideas and Details**

- RL.4.2. Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text; summarize the text.
- RL.4.3. Describe in depth a character, setting, or event in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., a character's thoughts, words, or actions).

### **Craft and Structure**

- RL.4.5. Explain major differences between poems, drama, and prose, and refer to the structural elements of poems (e.g., verse, rhythm, meter) and drama (e.g., casts of characters, settings, descriptions, dialogue, stage directions) when writing or speaking about a text.

### **Integration of Knowledge and Ideas**

- RL.4.7. Make connections between the text of a story or drama and a visual or oral presentation of the text, identifying where each version reflects specific descriptions and directions in the text.
- RL.4.9. Compare and contrast the treatment of similar themes and topics (e.g., opposition of good and evil) and patterns of events (e.g., the quest) in stories, myths, and traditional literature from different cultures.

### **Fluency**

- RF.4.4. Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.

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## **Fourth**

## **WRITING**

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### **Text Types and Purposes**

- W.4.1. Write opinion pieces on familiar topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.
- W.4.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.

### **Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.4.4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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## **Fourth**

## **SPEAKING AND LISTENING**

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**Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.4.1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
- SL.4.2. Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

**Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.3.4. Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience in an organized manner, using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.

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**Fifth****READING**

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**Key Ideas and Details**

- RL.5.2. Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text, including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges or how the speaker in a poem reflects upon a topic; summarize the text.
- RL.5.3. Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., how characters interact).

**Craft and Structure**

- RL.5.4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative language such as metaphors and similes.

**Integration of Knowledge and Ideas**

- RL.4.9. Compare and contrast stories in the same genre (e.g., mysteries and adventure stories) on their approaches to similar themes and topics.

**Fluency**

- RF.4.4. Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.

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**Fifth****WRITING**

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**Text Types and Purposes**

- W.5.1. Write opinion pieces on familiar topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.
- W.5.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.



### **Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.5.4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

**Fifth**

## **SPEAKING AND LISTENING**

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### **Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.5.1. Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
- SL.5.2. Summarize written a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

### **Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.5.4. Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience in an organized manner, using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.
- SL.5.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, using formal English when appropriate to task and situation.

**Sixth**

## **READING**

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### **Key Ideas and Details**

- RL.6.1. Cite textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
- RL.6.2. Determine a theme or central idea of a text and how it is conveyed through particular details; provide a summary of the text distinct from personal opinions or judgments.
- RL.6.3. Describe how a particular story's or drama's plot unfolds in a series of episodes as well as how the characters respond or change as the plot moves toward a resolution.

### **Craft and Structure**

- RL.6.6. Explain how an author develops the point of view of the narrator or speaker in a text.

### **Integration of Knowledge and Ideas**

- RL.6.7. Compare and contrast the experience of reading a story, drama, or poem to listening to or viewing an audio, video, or live version of the text, including contrasting what they "see" and "hear" when reading the text to what they perceive when they listen or watch.
- RL.6.9. Compare and contrast texts in different forms or genres (e.g., stories and poems; historical novels and fantasy stories) in terms of their approaches to similar themes and topics.

**Sixth****WRITING**

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**Text Types and Purposes**

- W.6.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique. Relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.

**Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.6.4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

**Sixth****SPEAKING AND LISTENING**

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**Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.6.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 6 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

**Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.6.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

**Seventh****READING**

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**Key Ideas and Details**

- RL.7.1. Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
- RL.7.2. Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RL.7.3. Analyze how particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g. how setting shapes the characters or plot).

**Craft and Structure**

- RL.7.6. Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text.

**Integration of Knowledge and Ideas**

- RL.7.7. Compare and contrast a story, drama, or poem to its audio, filmed, staged, or multimedia version, analyzing the effects of techniques unique to each medium (e.g., lighting, sound, color, or camera focus and angles in a film).
- RL.7.9. Compare and contrast a fictional portrayal of a time, place, or character and a historical account of the same period as a means of understanding how authors of fiction use or alter history.

**Seventh****WRITING**

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**Text Types and Purposes**

- W.7.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique. Relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.

**Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.7.4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

**Seventh****SPEAKING AND LISTENING**

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**Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

**Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.7.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

**Eight****READING**

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**Key Ideas and Details**

- RL.8.1. Cite the textual evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
- RL.8.2. Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to the characters, setting, and plot; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RL.8.3. Analyze how particular lines of dialogue or incidents in a story or drama propel the action, reveal aspects of a character, or provoke a decision.

**Craft and Structure**

- RL.8.6. Analyze how differences in the points of view of the characters and the audience or reader (e.g., created through the use of dramatic irony) create such effects as suspense or humor.

### **Integration of Knowledge and Ideas**

- RL.8.7. Analyze the extent to which a filmed or live production of a story or drama stays faithful to or departs from the text or script, evaluating the choices made by the director or actors.
- RL.8.9. Analyze how a modern work of fiction draws on themes, patterns of events, or character types from myths, traditional stories, or religious works such as the Bible, including describing how the material is rendered

**Eight**

### **WRITING**

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#### **Text Types and Purposes**

- W.8.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique. Relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.

#### **Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.8.4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

**Eight**

### **SPEAKING AND LISTENING**

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#### **Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.8.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 8 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

#### **Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.8.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

**Nine & Ten**

### **READING**

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#### **Key Ideas and Details**

- RL.9-10.1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
- RL.9-10.2 Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RL.9-10.3. Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

**Craft and Structure**

- RL.9-10.6. Analyze a particular point of view or cultural experience reflected in a work of literature from outside the United States, drawing on a wide reading of world literature.

**Integration of Knowledge and Ideas**

- RL.9-10.7. Analyze the representation of a subject or a key scene in two different artistic mediums, including what is emphasized or absent in each treatment (e.g., Auden’s “Musée des Beaux Arts” and Breughel’s Landscape with the Fall of Icarus).

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**Nine & Ten** | **WRITING****Text Types and Purposes**

- W.9-10.3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique. Relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.

**Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.9-10.4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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**Nine & Ten** | **SPEAKING AND LISTENING****Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.9-10.1 Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 9–10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others’ ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

**Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.9-10.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

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**Eleven & Twelve** | **READING**

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**Key Ideas and Details**

- RL. 11-12.1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- RL.11-12.2 Determine two or more themes or central ideas of a text and analyze their development over the course of the text, including how they interact and build on one another to produce a complex account; provide an objective summary of the text.
- RL.11-12.3 Analyze the impact of the author’s choices regarding how to develop and relate elements of a story or drama (e.g., where a story is set, how the action is ordered, how the characters are introduced and developed).

**Integration of Knowledge and Ideas**

- RL.11-12.7 Analyze multiple interpretations of a story, drama, or poem (e.g., recorded or live production of a play or recorded novel or poetry), evaluating how each version interprets the source text.

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**Elven & Twelve** | **WRITING****Text Types and Purposes**

- W.11-12.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique. Well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.

**Production and Distribution of Writing**

- W.11-12.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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**Eleven & Twelve** | **SPEAKING AND LISTENING****Comprehension and Collaboration**

- SL.11-12.1 Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 9–10 topics, texts, and issues, building on others’ ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

**Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

- SL.11-12.6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

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**HAWAII CORE STANDARDS IN SOCIAL STUDIES**

## **Anchor Standard 2 Gathering and Evaluating Sources**

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### **Grades 3 – 5**

- Inquiry Standard SS.3-5.2.3 Gather relevant information from multiple sources that would be helpful in addressing compelling and supporting questions

### **Grades 6 – 8**

- Inquiry Standard SS.6-8.2.1 Evaluate the credibility of a source by examining its origin, author, context, and content
- Inquiry Standard SS.6-8.2.2 Gather relevant information from credible sources representing a wide range of views

## **Anchor Standard 4 Communicating Conclusions**

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### **Grades 6 – 8**

- Inquiry Standard SS.6-8.4.1 Construct arguments and explanations using claims and evidence from multiple sources while acknowledging the strengths and limitations of the arguments
- Inquiry Standard SS.6-8.4.2 Present arguments and explanations using a variety of print and oral technologies (e.g., posters, essays, letters, debates, speeches, reports, maps) and digital technologies (e.g., Internet, social media, digital documentary)

## **Anchor Standard 5 Taking Informed Action**

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### **Grades 3 – 5**

- Inquiry Standard SS.3-5.5.1 Identify local, regional, or global problems or issues in various times and places
- Inquiry Standard SS.3-5.5.2 Explain different ways students could work individually or in collaboration with others (e.g., other students, teachers, community and/or global organizations) to address local, regional, or global problems or issues and predict possible results of their actions

### **Grades 6 – 8**

- Inquiry Standard SS.6-8.5.1 Identify local, regional and/or global problems or issues using interdisciplinary lenses
- Inquiry Standard SS.6-8.5.2 Examine the origins of a problem or issue and explain the challenges and opportunities faced by those trying to address it

## Civics

### Anchor Standard 8 Processes, Rules, and Laws

- SS.4.8.8.1 Explain the roles and responsibilities of the ali'i in governing Hawaiian society

## Grades 6-8

### History

#### Anchor Standard 17 Change, Continuity, and Context

- SS.7HHK.2.17.2 Assess the social and cultural changes resulting from missionary influence in Hawaiian society

### Geography

#### Anchor Standard 14 Human-Environment Interaction: Place, Regions, and Culture

- SS.7HHK.2.14.4 Explain the social and environmental changes resulting from foreign influence

## HAWAII CONTENT AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS III

### Physical Education

### MOVEMENT FORMS

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**Standard 1:** Use motor skills and movement patterns to perform a variety of physical activities

- PE.3-5.1.1 Use locomotor and non-locomotor skills in a mature (proper) form
- PE.3-5.1.2 Use manipulative skills in a mature (proper) form
- PE.3-5.1.3 Use combinations of mature (proper) movement forms, including locomotor, non-locomotor, and manipulative skills
- PE.6-8.1.1 Use mature (proper) movement forms appropriately in the context of modified games or activities, such as sports, dance, exercise, and gymnastics
- PE.6-8.1.2 Use combinations of movement forms in the context of modified games or activities, such as sports, dance, exercise, and gymnastics