| Theme/Unit: 12.2.FPYMiH.Estabrook | | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly | | |
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| Enduring Understandings: The five messages from Eddie's five people: There are no random acts; all lives are connected. Sacrifice is a part of life. We must all learn to forgive. Life has to end; love doesn't We are where we're supposed to be. | Reading Outcomes | RL 1, 2, and 4; RI 1-3; 7 Cite thorough textual evidence Determine two or more central themes or ideas Determine meanings of important textual words Analyze a complex set of ideas Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats | Chapter worksheets Class discussions that require students to answer based on text Homework and class notes requiring students to write and analyze character's actions, motivations, and reactions Reading for information from internet and library sources | Literature | G. K Chesterton's "The Fallacy of Success" |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Daily quizzes on homework reading Short answer essays after reading or | | W 1, 2, 4, 5, Write informative/explanatory text to examine and convey complex information Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of the text | Literature Based Writing: Short Answer Essay: At least one essay based on one of Eddie's lessons in which the student explains what is meant and how it applies to his or her life. | Poetry | |
| Summative – End of Unit: Unit test on characterization, content, and theme Presentation: Informational or narrative essay based on one person and the life lesson that person has given the student. | Writing Outcomes | Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to the task, purpose, and audience Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, etc. | Informational Writing: Informational essay about the one person who has most influenced a student and has left that student with at least one life lesson comparable to those Eddie learned from his five people. This can be done as a narrative or as an informational essay. | <u>Informational</u> | |
| Notes: Review: Websites: G. K. Chesterton's "The Fallacy of Success" | Language/Listening and Speaking | L 1, 2, 6; SL 1, 2, 4, and 5 Demonstrate command of standard English grammar and punctuation Class discussions Acquire and use accurately general academic words and phrases Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective Make strategic use of digital media in presentations to enhance the understanding of findings and evidence to add interest | Spelling and vocabulary tests Essay will include work with pre-writing, graphic organizers, and rough drafts to develop a polished, final essay. Lessons and worksheets will continue to keep students "fresh" on understanding of grammar and conventions | Focus Vocabulary | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Regular vocabulary lists 5-7. Tier 3 – Content Vocabulary: Flashback, symbolism, |

| Theme/Unit: 12.3.TMC.Estabrook Enduring Understandings: | | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts | | Instructional Resources | |
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| "We Earth men have a talent for | con | RL 1-6: | Worksheets for particular chapters, | The Martian Chronicles by Ray Bradbury | | |
| ruining big, beautiful things." – Jeff Spender • "Anything that's strange is no good to the average American." – Jeff Spender • Is imposing our own way of life on others a good idea? | | Citing strong and thorough textual evidence Determining two or more themes Analyzing impact of author's choices on the novel Determining word meanings, figurative and connotative meanings Analyzing author's choices on story structure Analyzing point of view in what's stated and what's meant | requiring students to find answers in the text Class discussions that require students to answer based on text Homework and class notes requiring students to write and analyze a character's actions and motivations, but also to analyze why the author wrote that into the book and into that particular spot | <u>Literature</u> | Edgar Allan Poe's "The Fall of the House of Usher" and "The Tell-Tale Heart" | |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Daily quizzes on homework reading Short answer essay questions after | | W 1 OR 2; 4; 5; 11: • Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of the text OR • Write informative/explanatory text to examine complex | arguments to support claims in an analysis of the text quotations, arguing an opinion based on contents of the book and on research into | Poetry | Chief Joseph's "I Will Fight No More Forever" | |
| reading or after class discussions Summative – End of Unit: • Unit test which covers characterization, content, and theme Presentation: • One full-length essay based on one of two possible topics | Writing Outcomes | ideas or information clearly and accurately Produce clear and coherent writing in which developments, organization, and style are appropriate Develop and strengthen writing by planning, revising, rewriting, etc. Create interpretive and responsive texts to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of connections between life and the literary work | modern times. Informational Writing: | <u>Informational</u> | Research in "conquering" Native Americans or in trying to impose democracy in the Middle East. | |
| Notes: Review: Websites: | Language/Listening and Speaking | L 1, 2, 3 and 6; SL 1: Demonstrate command of the conventions of English grammar and usage Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English Apply knowledge of language to make effective choices for meaning or style Acquire and use accurately general academic words and phrases Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) | Weekly spelling and vocabulary tests For full-length essay, do pre-writing, graphic organizers, and rough drafts to develop a polished, final essay. Note-taking will be done on reading assignments and class discussions, adding examples and accurate information from the text to the essay. Lessons and worksheets will evaluate where students are and give further work to get students to an understanding of grammar, usage, and conventions. | Focus Vocabulary | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Regular vocabulary lists: 8-11. Tier 3 – Content Vocabulary: Science fiction, fantasy, suspense, tone, foreshadow, hyperbole, irony, motivation, allusion | |

| Theme/Unit: 12.4.Illusions.Estabrook Enduring Understandings: | (0) | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts | | Instructional Resources | |
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| To get ahead in life, we cannot cling to security. | Reading Outcomes | RL 1, 2, and 4; RI 1-3; 7 Cite thorough textual evidence Determine two or more central themes or ideas Determine meanings of important textual words Analyze a complex set of ideas Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats Chapter worksheets Class discussions that require answer based on text Homework and class notes students to write and analymactions, and response to the complex set of information actions, motivations, and response to the complex set of ideas | · | | Illusions by Richard Bach | |
| Much of life is our own responsibility. | | | answer based on text | Literature | Our Town by Thornton Wilder | |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Daily quizzes on homework reading Short answer essay questions after | | W 1, 4, 5, 8 Write arguments to support claims, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to the | Literature Based Writing: • Narrative essay that develops one of Bach's maxims on a personal level. Informational Writing: | Poetry | Carl Dennis's "The God Who Loves You" | |
| reading or after class discussions • Worksheets on various chapters Summative – End of Unit: • Unit Test on characterization, content, and themes Presentation: • Narrative essay that develops one of Bach's maxims on a personal level. | Writing Outcomes | task, purpose, and audience Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, etc. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; integrate information into the text and avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source of information. | Short answer essays after reading or after class discussions on the other literature or poetry offered in this unit. | Informational | | |
| Notes: Review: Websites: Dennis's "The God Who Loves You" | Language/Listening and Speaking | L 1, 2; SL 1, 2, 4, and 5 Demonstrate command of standard English grammar and punctuation Class discussions Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective | Spelling and vocabulary tests Essay will include work with pre-writing, graphic organizers, and rough drafts to develop a polished, final essay. Lessons and worksheets will continue to keep students "fresh" on understanding of grammar and conventions | Focus Vocabulary | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Regular vocabulary lists: 12-14. Tier 3 – Content Vocabulary: Maxim, foil, metaphor, analogy, parable | |

| Theme/Unit: 12.5.ADH.Estabrook Enduring Understandings: Women's rights and roles today are quite different from those in the past. Is lying ever a correct option? Which kinds of relationships are most valuable? Social drama examines a problem in society, and the characters are there to show reactions of people to the problem. What societal problem(s) does this | RL 1, 2, and 4; RI 1-3; 7 Cite thorough textual evidence Determine two or more central themes or ideas Determine meanings of important textual words Analyze a complex set of ideas Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts Chapter worksheets Class discussions that require students to answer based on text Homework and class notes requiring students to write and analyze character's actions, motivations, and reactions Reading for information from internet and library sources essay | Instructional Resources A Doll's House by Henrik Ibsen Kate Chopin's "The Story of an Hour" |
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| play address? Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Daily quizzes on homework reading Short answer essay questions after reading or after class discussions Summative – End of Unit: Unit test which covers characterization, content, and theme Presentation: One full-length essay based on one of two possible topics | W 1, 4, 5, 8 • Write arguments to support claims, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. • Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to the task, purpose, and audience • Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, etc. • Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; integrate information into the text and avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source of information. | Informational Writing: Full-length essay that compares and contrasts period research to any of the literature involved in this unit in regard to women's rights and roles. | Anne Bradstreet's "To My Dear and Loving Husband" Haught's "God Says Yes to Me" Period (1800's) research on roles and rights of women. |
| Notes: Review: Websites: | L 1, 2; SL 1, 2, 4, and 5 Demonstrate command of standard English grammar and punctuation Class discussions Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective Make strategic use of digital media in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest | Spelling and vocabulary tests Essay will include work with pre-writing, graphic organizers, and rough drafts to develop a polished, final essay. Lessons and worksheets will continue to keep students "fresh" on understanding of grammar and conventions | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Regular vocabulary lists: 15-17. Tier 3 – Content Vocabulary: Drama, Social Drama, Melodrama, Tragedy, Dramatic irony, aside, soliloquy, comic relief |

| Theme/Unit: 12.6.GM.Estabrook Enduring Understandings: | | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts | | Instructional Resources | |
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| Social drama examines a problem in society, and the characters are there | es | RL 1, 2, and 4; RI 1-3; 7 • Cite thorough textual evidence | Chapter worksheetsClass discussions that require students to | The Glass Menagerie by Tennessee Williams | | |
| to show reactions of people to the problem. How does society influence the way we think of ourselves and our handicaps? What part of a child's success is a parent's responsibility? What societal problem(s) does this play address? | Reading Outcomes | Reading Outcom | Determine two or more central themes or ideas Determine meanings of important textual words Analyze a complex set of ideas Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats | e Homework and class notes requiring students to write and analyze character's actions, motivations, and reactions e Reading for information from internet and library sources for oral presentation | Literature | Nancy Mairs' "On Being a Cripple" |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Daily quizzes on homework reading Short answer essay questions after | | W 1, 4, 5, 8 Write arguments to support claims, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to the | Literature Based Writing: Short answer essay questions after reading or after class discussions Full length argumentative essay written on a choice of several topics such as: | Poetry | | |
| reading or after class discussions Summative – End of Unit: • Unit test which covers characterization, content, and theme Presentation: • One full-length essay based on several possible topics | Writing Outcomes | task, purpose, and audience Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, etc. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; integrate information into the text and avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source of information. | A) Was Tom right to leave the family at the end of the play? B) Will Laura ever assimilate into society? C) Has Amanda Wingfield the right to push her children toward the successes she imagines? D) Is Jim O'Connor a positive or negative force for Laura? Informational Writing: Opinion: what do you consider a handicap? Opinion: what does society consider a handicap? | <u>Informational</u> | A Day in the Life of Bonnie Consolo | |
| Notes: Review: Websites: | Language/Listening and Speaking | L 1, 2; SL 1, 2, 4, and 5 Demonstrate command of standard English grammar and punctuation Class discussions Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective | Spelling and vocabulary tests Essay will include work with pre-writing, graphic organizers, and rough drafts to develop a polished, final essay. Lessons and worksheets will continue to keep students "fresh" on understanding of grammar and conventions | Focus Vocabulary | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Regular vocabulary lists: 18-20 Tier 3 – Content Vocabulary: Drama, Social Drama, Melodrama, Tragedy, Dramatic irony, aside, soliloquy, comic relief, allusion | |

| Theme/Unit: 12.7.1984 Estabrook Enduring Understandings: | | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts | | | <u>Instructional Resources</u> 1984 by George Orwell | |
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| What is a government's responsibility toward its people? What does "Big Brother is watching you" mean? How does The Party control people's lives? Is The Party, Big Brother, or 1984 relevant to your life today? What issues regarding privacy have you ever experienced, or what privacy issues are relevant or concerning to you today? | Reading Outcomes | RL 1, 2, and 4; RI 1-3; 7 Cite thorough textual evidence Determine two or more central themes or ideas Determine meanings of important textual words Analyze a complex set of ideas Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats | Chapter worksheets Class discussions that require students to answer based on text Homework and class notes requiring students to write and analyze character's actions, motivations, and reactions Reading for information from internet and library sources for oral presentation | Literature | | |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Daily quizzes on homework reading Short answer essay questions after | mes | W 1, 4, 5, 8 Write arguments to support claims, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the | Literature Based Writing: Informational Writing: Instruct students to research one of the key personalities in world communism or fascism (i.e. Karl Marx, Vladimir Lenin, Leon Trotsky, Joseph | Poetry | | |
| reading or after class discussions Summative – End of Unit: Unit test on characterization, content, and theme Presentation: Power point presentation on a totalitarian, communist, or fascist leader that shows a relationship to the processes exhibited in 1984. Comparison and contrast essay detailing the similarities and differences between the book and privacy issues today. | Writing Outcomes | development, organization, and style are appropriate to the task, purpose, and audience Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, etc. Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; integrate information into the text and avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source of information. | Stalin, Fidel Castro, Alexander Dubcek, Mikhail Gorbachev, Eric Honecker, Wojciech Jaruszelski, Mao Tse Tung, Ho Chi Minh, Pol Pot, Vladimir Putin, Benito Mussolini, Adolf Hitler). Have them write and present a five minute power point that includes a discussion of how the life or ideas of this leader relate to 1984. Students will conduct Internet and/or print research about current privacy-related issues affecting our society and will then make a chart about "Privacy" with the headings "1984" and "Today." They will contribute examples of privacy restrictions for each. After they have made the chart, they will write a compare and contrast essay, using their information. | <u>Informational</u> | Internet and/or print articles on privacy violations and/or issues regarding surveillance techniques today. Internet and/or print articles or books about totalitarian, communist, or fascist leaders who have some connection to the ideas listed in 1984. | |
| Notes: Review: Websites: | Language/Listening and Speaking | L 1, 2; SL 1, 2, 4, and 5 Demonstrate command of standard English grammar and punctuation Class discussions Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective Make strategic use of digital media in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest | Spelling and vocabulary tests Essay will include work with pre-writing, graphic organizers, and rough drafts to develop a polished, final essay. Lessons and worksheets will continue to keep students "fresh" on understanding of grammar and conventions Oral presentations and power point will allow students to obtain, integrate, and present information from multiple sources | Focus Vocabulary | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Regular vocabulary lists: 21-25 Tier 3 – Content Vocabulary: Motif, totalitarianism, psychological manipulation, urban decay, Big Brother, prole, comparison and contrast | |

| Theme/Unit: E12 Research paper (Estabrook) Enduring Understandings: | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit RI1, 4, 6, 7, | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts • Students will select their own materials | Instructional Resources Successful College Writing by Kathleen T. McWhorter (Chapters 18-20) |
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| Choosing and evaluating useful sources Analyzing and thinking critically about sources Extracting information from sources Avoiding plagiarism Organizing the paper and integrating sources Documenting in MLA syle | Cite strong, textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly and though inference Determine the meanings of words and phrases as they are used in a text Determine an author's point of views or purpose Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats | Students will select their own materials when working on their own projects Students will critically read and evaluate their sources | Literature |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Class and homework assignments and | W 1 a-e, 4, 5, 6,7,8 Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly Produce clear and coherent writing with appropriate | Literature Based Writing: Informational Writing: Annotated bibliographies Summaries of sources | Poetry |
| exercises dealing with MLA research papers (annotated bibliographies, plagiarism, etc.) • A short research paper as a result of the guided writing process shown in the chapters Summative – End of Unit: • Test on terms and processes used in writing a MLA research paper Presentation: • Major MLA style research paper will be produced by the end of the unit | development, organization, and style Develop and strengthen writing with planning, revising, editing, and rewriting Use technology to produce, publish, and update writing products Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to address a topic | A guided writing assignment based on the instructions given in the chapters Major MLA style research paper | Students will gather, read, analyze, and evaluate multiple sources regarding their chosen research topics |
| Notes: Review: Websites: | | Class and group discussions about texts read, authors' viewpoints, claims and counterclaims Peer editing of essays | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Paraphrase, plagiarism, cyberplagiarism, quotations, block quotations, Works Cited, In-text citations, thesis, bias, viewpoint, fact, opinion, generalization, assumption, citation, annotated bibliography, summary notes, relevancy rating, reliability rating, synthesizing information, outline, documentation, |

| Theme/Unit: English 12: Writing an Argumentative essay and Presenting a Debate (Estabrook) | | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts | | Instructional Resources |
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| Enduring Understandings: Basic parts of an argument Strategies for reading an argument Strategies for structuring an argument | Reading Outcomes | RI1, 4, 6, 7, Cite strong, textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly and though inference | The chapters contain several essays and articles (see "Informational Instructional Resources) for students to read, process, and analyze | | Chapters 16 and 17 of Successful College Writing by Kathleen T. McWhorter |
| Analysis of an argument Characteristics of an argument Evaluating evidence and claims Ability to write an argument Ability to orally present an argument | Reading (| Determine the meanings of words and phrases as they are used in a text Determine an author's point of views or purpose Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats | Students will select their own materials when working on their own projects | Literature | |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Quizzes on terms learned | comes | W 1 a-e, 4, 5, 6,7,8 Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or | Literature Based Writing: Informational Writing: | Poetry | |
| Homework and classwork based on the exercises given in the chapters. Guided writing assignment on one of eight topics supplied in the chapter Summative – End of Unit: Unit test on terms and two passages for students to analyze and then to write an argumentative essay explaining their position on the subject. Presentation: A finished argument essay on a topic of each student's choice. This will be a research paper that clearly shows the student has considered multiple claims and pieces of evidence Debate or power point presentation that clearly shows the student's well-informed argument | Writing Outcomes | texts Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly Produce clear and coherent writing with appropriate development, organization, and style Develop and strengthen writing with planning, revising, editing, and rewriting Use technology to produce, publish, and update writing products Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to address a topic | A guided writing assignment based on the instructions given in the chapters A final argumentative essay based on claims and evidence gathered by each student | <u>Informational</u> | "When Volunteerism Isn't Noble" by Lynn Steirer "Economic Affirmative Action" by Ted Koerth "How Much is that Kidney in the Window" by Bruce Gottlieb "'Strip-Mining' the Dead: When Human Organs Are for Sale" by Gilbert Meilaender "Abolish the Penny" by William Safire "Not White, Just Right" by Rachel Jones "Would You Buy a Car that Looked Like This?" by Andrew Simms "Why Consumers Have Ben Choosing SUVs" by John Merline |
| Notes: Review: Websites: | Language/Listening and Speaking | SL 1 (a-e), 2, 4, 6 Start and participate in collaborative discussions Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate | Debate or power point presentation that clearly shows the student's well-informed argument | Focus Vocabulary | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Tier 3 – Content Vocabulary: Issue, evidence, qualification, claim, warrant, backing, evidence, rebuttal, refutation, counter argument, counter claim Paraphrase, plagiarism, cyberplagiarism, quotations, block quotations, Works Cited, Intext citations, thesis, bias, viewpoint, fact, opinion, generalization, assumption, citation, annotated bibliography, summary notes, relevancy rating, reliability rating, synthesizing information, outline, documentation, editing, proofreading |

| Theme/Unit: E12 Compare and Contrast Essay (Estabrook) | | Standards-Based Essential Skills to be Targeted Throughout the Unit | Strategies or Best Practices Used to Explicitly Teach Skills and Concepts | <u>Instructional Resources</u> |
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| Enduring Understandings: Definition of a Compare and Contrast Essay Characteristics of Compare and Contrast Essay Integration of Compare and Contrast into an essay Combining Comparison and Contrast with other patterns | Reading Outcomes | RI1, 4, 6, 7, Cite strong, textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly and though inference Determine the meanings of words and phrases as they are used in a text Determine an author's point of views or purpose Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats | The chapters contain several essays and articles (see "Informational Instructional Resources) for students to read, process, and analyze Students will select their own materials when working on their own projects | Chapter 12 of Successful College Writing by Kathleen T. McWhorter |
| Assessments: Formative – During Unit: Quizzes on terms learned Homework and classwork based on the exercises given in the chapters. Guided writing assignment supplied in the chapter Summative – End of Unit: Unit test on terms and two passages for students to analyze and then to write an argumentative essay explaining their position on the subject. Presentation: A finished Compare and Contrast essay on a topic of each student's choice. This will be a researched paper that clearly shows the student has considered multiple sources, points, and subjects. | Writing Outcomes | W 2 (a-f), 4, 5, 6,7,8 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly Produce clear and coherent writing with appropriate development, organization, and style Develop and strengthen writing with planning, revising, editing, and rewriting Use technology to produce, publish, and update writing products Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to address a topic | Literature Based Writing: A guided writing assignment based on the instructions given in the chapter A final Compare and Contrast essay based on claims and evidence gathered by each student | "An Amazing Journey: 100 Years in America" by Roger Simon and Angie Cannon "Dearly Disconnected" by Ian Frazier "Who's Eating What, and Why, in the United States and Europe" by Thomas Kinnear, Kenneth Bernhardt, and Kathleen Krentler "His Marriage and Hers: Childhood Roots" by Daniel Goleman "Defining a Doctor, with a Tear, a Shrug, and a Schedule" by Abigail Zuger |
| Notes: Review: Websites: | Language/Listening and Sneaking | L 1, 2; SL 1, 2, 4, and 5 Demonstrate command of standard English grammar and punctuation Class discussions Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective | Essay will include work with pre-writing, graphic organizers, and rough drafts to develop a polished, final essay. Lessons and worksheets will continue to keep students "fresh" on understanding of grammar and conventions Oral presentations and visual aids will allow students to obtain, integrate, and present information from multiple sources Class discussions | Tier 2 – Academic Vocabulary: Nocabulary: Nocabulary: |