

Main Criteria: Spelling Classroom

Secondary Criteria: South Dakota Content Standards

Subject: Language Arts

Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

Spelling Classroom

Word Introduction

Summary: Words are pronounced and introduced in a contextual setting.

South Dakota Content Standards

Language Arts

Grade 1 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.1.RF.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Fluency
STANDARD	1.RF.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	1.RF.4.c.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.1.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	1.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	1.L.2.d.	Use conventional spelling for words with common spelling patterns. e. Spell grade-appropriate high-frequency words f. Spell untaught words phonetically, drawing on phonemic awareness and spelling conventions.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.1.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	1.L.4.	Choose a strategy to determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade level content.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	1.L.4.a.	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.

GOAL/STRAND	SD.1.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	1.L.5.	With guidance and support, demonstrate understanding of word relationships and subtle differences in word meanings.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	1.L.5.c.	Identify real-life connections between words and their use.

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Grade 2 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.

GOAL/STRAND	SD.2.RF.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Fluency
STANDARD	2.RF.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	2.RF.4.c.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.

GOAL/STRAND	SD.2.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	2.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	2.L.2.d.	Spell grade appropriate high frequency words correctly.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	2.L.2.e.	Generalize learned spelling patterns when writing words (e.g., cage - badge; boy - boil).

GOAL/STRAND	SD.2.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	2.L.3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening, including making comparisons between formal and informal English.

GOAL/STRAND	SD.2.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	2.L.4.	Determine the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based

		on grade level content using flexible strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	2.L.4.a.	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.2.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	2.L.5.	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and subtle differences in word meanings.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	2.L.5.a.	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe foods that are spicy or juicy).

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Grade 3 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.3.RF.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Fluency
STANDARD	3.RF.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	3.RF.4.c.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.3.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	3.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	3.L.2.e.	Use high frequency words and spelling patterns to spell grade appropriate words correctly, consulting reference materials as needed.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.3.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	3.L.4.	Use flexible strategies to determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases
SUPPORTING SKILLS	3.L.4.a.	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.3.L.	Language Standards

INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	3.L.5.	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and subtle differences in word meanings.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	3.L.5.a.	Distinguish the literal and nonliteral meanings of words and phrases in context.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	3.L.5.b.	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.3.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	3.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases to convey ideas precisely.

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Grade 4 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.4.RF.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Fluency
STANDARD	4.RF.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	4.RF.4.c.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.4.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	4.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	4.L.2.d.	Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.4.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	4.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 4 level content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

SUPPORTING SKILLS	4.L.4.a.	Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.4.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	4.L.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and subtle differences in word meanings.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	4.L.5.c.	Demonstrate understanding of words by relating them to their opposites (antonyms) and to words with similar but not identical meanings (synonyms).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.4.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	4.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).

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Grade 5 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.5.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.5.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.5.RF.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Fluency
STANDARD	5.RF.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	5.RF.4.c.	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.5.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	5.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	5.L.2.e.	Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.5.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

STANDARD	5.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade level content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	5.L.4.a.	Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.5.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	5.L.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and subtle differences in word meanings.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	5.L.5.c.	Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonyms, antonyms, homographs) to better understand each of the words.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.5.L.	Language Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	5.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).

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Grade 6 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.6.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	6.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	6.L.1.e.	Recognize variations from standard English in their own and others' writing and speaking, and identify and use strategies to improve expression in conventional language.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.6.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	6.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	6.L.2.b.	Spell correctly; consult references as needed

GOAL/STRAND	SD.6.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	6.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 6 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	6.L.4.a.	Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.6.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	6.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

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Grade 7 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.7.SL.	Speaking and Listening Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
STANDARD	7.SL.4.	Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, details, and examples; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.7.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	7.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	7.L.2.b.	Spell correctly; consult references as needed.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.7.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	7.L.3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.

SUPPORTING SKILLS	7.L.3.a.	Choose language that expresses ideas precisely and concisely, recognizing and eliminating wordiness and redundancy.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.7.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	7.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 7 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	7.L.4.a.	Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.7.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	7.L.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	7.L.5.b.	Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.7.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	7.L.6.	Acquire and accurately use grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

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Grade 8 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.8.RL.	Reading Standards for Literature
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	8.RL.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, figurative and connotative meanings; analyze how specific word choices, including sound devices, analogies or allusions to other texts, affect meaning and tone.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.8.RI.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Craft and Structure

STANDARD	8.RI.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze how specific word choices, including analogies or allusions to other texts on affect meaning and tone.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.8.SL.	Speaking and Listening Standards
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
STANDARD	8.SL.4.	Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with relevant evidence, sound valid reasoning, and well-chosen details; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.8.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	8.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	8.L.2.c.	Spell correctly.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.8.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	8.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 8 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	8.L.4.a.	Use context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.8.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	8.L.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	8.L.5.b.	Use the relationship between particular words to better understand each of the words.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.8.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	8.L.6.	Acquire and accurately use grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

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Grade 9 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting

		general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.RL.	Reading Standards for Literature
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	9-10.RL.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	9-10.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar; consult references as needed.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	9-10.L.2.c.	Spell correctly
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	9-10.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9–10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	9-10.L.4.a.	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	9-10.L.4.d.	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	9-10.L.6.	Acquire and accurately use general academic and subject-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

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Language Arts**

Grade 10 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

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STANDARD	CCR.12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.RL.	Reading Standards for Literature
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	9-10.RL.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	9-10.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar; consult references as needed.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	9-10.L.2.c.	Spell correctly
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	9-10.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9–10 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	9-10.L.4.a.	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	9-10.L.4.d.	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.9-10.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	9-10.L.6.	Acquire and accurately use general academic and subject-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

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Grade 11 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.RL.	Reading Standards for Literature
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	11-12.RL.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including words with multiple meanings or language.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	11-12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.1.a.	Apply the understanding that usage is a matter of convention, can change over time, and is sometimes contested.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	11-12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar; consult references as needed.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.2.b.	Spell correctly; consult references as needed.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	11-12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening. Vary syntax for effect, consulting references for guidance as needed; apply an understanding of syntax to the study of complex texts when reading.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	11-12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 11–12 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.4.a.	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.4.d.	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	11-12.L.6.	Acquire and accurately use general academic and subject specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

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Grade 12 - Adopted: 2018

GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.CCR.12.L.	College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.
STANDARD	CCR.12.L.6.	Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.RL.	Reading Standards for Literature
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Craft and Structure
STANDARD	11-12.RL.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including words with multiple meanings or language.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	11-12.L.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.1.a.	Apply the understanding that usage is a matter of convention, can change over time, and is sometimes contested.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Conventions of Standard English
STANDARD	11-12.L.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar; consult references as needed.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.2.b.	Spell correctly; consult references as needed.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Knowledge of Language
STANDARD	11-12.L.3.	Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening. Vary syntax for effect, consulting references for guidance as needed; apply an understanding of syntax to the study of complex texts when reading.
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language

INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	11-12.L.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 11–12 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.4.a.	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
SUPPORTING SKILLS	11-12.L.4.d.	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
GOAL/STRAND	SD.11-12.L.	Language
INDICATOR/BENCHMARK		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	11-12.L.6.	Acquire and accurately use general academic and subject specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.