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| **Main Criteria:** North Carolina Standard Course of Study |
| **Secondary Criteria:** Standards Close-Up, Text Connections, Text Connections: Guided Close Reading |
| **Subject:** Language Arts |
| **Grades:** 5 |
| **Correlation Options:** Show Correlated |  |  |

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| **Language Arts** |

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| Grade: **5** - Adopted: **2017** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.2.** | **Determine central ideas (RI) or themes (RL) of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **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.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryBooks that Changed My LifeFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesInterpreting Our DreamsLasting Legacies: America's First GameMy Trip to Historic BostonOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American Folktales** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.3.** | **Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **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.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryBooks that Changed My LifeGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesLasting Legacies: America's First GameOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American Folktales** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.RL.** | **READING: LITERATURE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.4.** | **Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RL.5.4.** | **Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, recognizing specific word choices that contribute to meaning and tone.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryBooks that Changed My LifeFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesLasting Legacies: America's First GameOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesStandards Close-UpRevolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.RL.** | **READING: LITERATURE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.5.** | **Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RL.5.5.** | **Explain how chapters, scenes, or stanzas provide the overall structure of a particular story, drama, or poem.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About PoetryFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe WallWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American Folktales** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.RL.** | **READING: LITERATURE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.6.** | **Assess how point of view, perspective, or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RL.5.6.** | **Describe how a narrator’s or speaker’s point of view influences how events are described.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe WallWally Smithers and the Germ Squad** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.RL.** | **READING: LITERATURE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.7.** | **Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RL.5.7.** | **Analyze how visual and multimedia elements contribute to the meaning, tone, or aesthetics of a text.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American Folktales** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.9.** | **Analyze how two or more texts address similar themes or topics in order to build knowledge or to compare the approaches the authors take.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RL.5.9.** | **Compare and contrast stories in the same genre on their approaches to similar themes and topics.Text ConnectionsAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryBooks that Changed My LifeHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesLasting Legacies: America's First GameRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RL.10.** | **Read and understand complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently, connecting prior knowledge and experiences to text.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RL.5.10.** | **By the end of grade 5, read and understand literature at the high end of the 4-5 text complexity band proficiently and independently for sustained periods of time. Connect prior knowledge and experiences to text.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryBooks that Changed My LifeFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesLasting Legacies: America's First GameOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesStandards Close-UpRevolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.3.** | **Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.3.** | **Explain the relationships or interactions between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or concepts in a historical, scientific, or technical text based on specific information in the text.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.4.** | **Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.4.** | **Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.5.** | **Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.5.** | **Compare and contrast the overall structure of events, ideas, concepts, or information in two or more texts.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe da Vinci NotebooksWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpFrom Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.6.** | **Assess how point of view, perspective, or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.6.** | **Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe da Vinci NotebooksWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.7.** | **Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.7.** | **Draw on information from multiple print or digital sources, demonstrating the ability to locate an answer to a question or to solve a problem efficiently.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"When I Was Your AgeWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.8.** | **Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, including the validity of the reasoning as well as the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.8.** | **Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point(s).Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe da Vinci NotebooksWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.9.** | **Analyze how two or more texts address similar themes or topics in order to build knowledge or to compare the approaches the authors take.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.9.** | **Integrate information from several texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe da Vinci NotebooksWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.RI.** | **READING: INFORMATIONAL TEXT** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RI.10.** | **Read and understand complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently, connecting prior knowledge and experiences to text.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RI.5.10.** | **By the end of grade 5, read and understand informational texts at the high end of the 4-5 text complexity band proficiently and independently for sustained periods of time. Connect prior knowledge and experiences to text.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe da Vinci NotebooksWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.RF.** | **READING: FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **RF.5.** | **Fluency** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RF.5.5.** | **Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.** |
| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RF.5.5.a.** | **Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RF.5.5.b.** | **Read on-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"When I Was Your AgeWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **RF.5.5.c.** | **Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.W.** | **WRITING** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **W.1.** | **Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.1.** | **Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.** |
| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.1.a.** | **Organize information and ideas around a topic to plan and prepare to write.Text ConnectionsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMy Trip to Historic BostonOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.1.b.** | **Introduce a topic or text clearly, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure in which ideas are logically grouped to support the writer’s purpose.Text ConnectionsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMy Trip to Historic BostonOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.1.c.** | **Provide logically ordered reasons that are supported by facts and details.Standards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Text ConnectionsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMy Trip to Historic BostonOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWomen Justices of the Supreme Court** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.1.d.** | **Link opinion and reasons using words, phrases, and clauses.Text ConnectionsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMy Trip to Historic BostonOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.1.e.** | **Provide a concluding statement or section related to the opinion presented.Text ConnectionsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMy Trip to Historic BostonOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.1.f.** | **With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, with consideration to task, purpose, and audience.Text ConnectionsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMy Trip to Historic BostonOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.W.** | **WRITING** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **W.2.** | **Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.2.** | **Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.** |
| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.2.a.** | **Organize information and ideas around a topic to plan and prepare to write.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"When I Was Your AgeWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.2.c.** | **Develop the topic with facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples related to the topic.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.2.d.** | **Link ideas within and across categories of information using words, phrases, and clauses.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Women of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.2.f.** | **Provide a concluding statement or section related to the information or explanation presented.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"When I Was Your AgeWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.W.** | **WRITING** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **W.3.** | **Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.** | **Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.** |
| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.a.** | **Organize information and ideas around a topic to plan and prepare to write.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.b.** | **Orient the reader by establishing a situation and introducing a narrator and/or characters; organize an event sequence that unfolds naturally.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAntarctica: A Year of ScienceChildhood in Different Times and PlacesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsLasting Legacies: America's First GameMy Life with the StarsMysteries Set in StoneNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Modern ZoosRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe WallWar DiariesWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpGiants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.c.** | **Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, description, and pacing to develop experiences and events or show the responses of characters to situations.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceChildhood in Different Times and PlacesGallileo's GiftI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsLasting Legacies: America's First GameMy Life with the StarsMysteries Set in StoneNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Cadence of WarThe Red-Tail AngelsThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWar DiariesWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpFrom Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.d.** | **Use a variety of transitional words, phrases, and clauses to manage the sequence of events.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Women of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.e.** | **Use concrete words and phrases and sensory details to convey experiences and events precisely.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesGallileo's GiftI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.f.** | **Provide a conclusion that follows from the narrated experiences or events.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.3.g.** | **With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, with consideration to task, purpose, and audience.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.W.** | **WRITING** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **W.5.** | **Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.5.** | **Conduct short research projects that use several sources to build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"When I Was Your AgeWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.W.** | **WRITING** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **W.6.** | **Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **W.5.6.** | **Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **SL.1.** | **Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others’ ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.1.** | **Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others’ ideas and expressing their own clearly.** |
| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.1.a.** | **Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.1.c.** | **Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and elaborate on the remarks of others.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.1.d.** | **Review the key ideas expressed and draw conclusions in light of information and knowledge gained from the discussions.Text ConnectionsAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesStandards Close-UpInventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **SL.2.** | **Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.2.** | **Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **SL.3.** | **Evaluate a speaker’s point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.3.** | **Summarize the points a speaker makes and explain how each claim is supported by reasons and evidence.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"When I Was Your AgeWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.SL.** | **SPEAKING AND LISTENING** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **SL.4.** | **Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.4.** | **Report on a topic or text or present an opinion, sequencing ideas logically and using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNarrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American SlaveNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Cadence of WarThe Dust BowlThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWhen I Was Your AgeWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **SL.5.** | **Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **SL.5.5.** | **Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations when appropriate to enhance the development of main ideas or themes.Text ConnectionsAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldStandards Close-UpGrowing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.L.** | **LANGUAGE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **L.1.** | **Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking; demonstrate proficiency within the appropriate grade band grammar continuum.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.1.** | **Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking; demonstrate proficiency within the 4-5 grammar continuum.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Cadence of WarThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.L.** | **LANGUAGE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **L.2.** | **Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing; demonstrate proficiency within the appropriate grade band conventions continuum.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.2.** | **Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing; demonstrate proficiency within the 4-5 conventions continuum.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! Technologies That Changed the WorldLasting Legacies: America's First GameMonsters Among Us?My Life with the StarsMy Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Presidential SpeechesOpinions About Putting Humans in Space: Worth the Cost?Opinions About Science Fiction Technology: From Fiction to FactOpinions About The Trail of Tears: The Indian Removal ActRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRobin Hood Saves Will Stutely: Interpreting a Legend in Three Literary FormatsRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandTake Off: A Pilot's MemoirThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Cadence of WarThe Herschels: A Family of AstronomersThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"The True Story of Paul Revere's RideThe WallThe da Vinci NotebooksWally Smithers and the Germ SquadWar DiariesWomen Justices of the Supreme CourtWomen of the Civil WarStandards Close-UpBuilding Barriers (Comprehension Card)Building Barriers (Student Book)Building Barriers (Teacher's Guide)From Apples to Energy (Comprehension Card)From Apples to Energy (Student Book)From Apples to Energy (Teacher's Guide)Giants of the Gilded Age (Comprehension Card)Giants of the Gilded Age (Student Book)Giants of the Gilded Age (Teacher's Guide)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Comprehension Card)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Student Book)Gravity: The Universe's Most Mysterious Force (Teacher's Guide)Growing Food (Comprehension Card)Growing Food (Student Book)Growing Food (Teacher's Guide)Invasive Species (Comprehension Card)Invasive Species (Student Book)Invasive Species (Teacher's Guide)Inventions in Communication (Comprehension Card)Inventions in Communication (Student Book)Inventions in Communication (Teacher's Guide)Native American Rights (Comprehension Card)Native American Rights (Student Book)Native American Rights (Teacher's Guide)Native Childhood (Comprehension Card)Native Childhood (Student Book)Native Childhood (Teacher's Guide)Observing Animals (Comprehension Card)Observing Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)On the Space Station (Comprehension Card)On the Space Station (Student Book)On the Space Station (Teacher's Guide)Opinions About Water Power (Comprehension Card)Opinions About Water Power (Student Book)Opinions About Water Power (Teacher's Guide)Remarkable Roads (Comprehension Card)Remarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Revolutionary Women (Comprehension Card)Revolutionary Women (Student Book)Revolutionary Women (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Comprehension Card)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)The Northwest Ordinance (Comprehension Card)The Northwest Ordinance (Teacher's Guide)The Science of Modern Technology (Comprehension Card)The Science of Modern Technology (Student Book)The Science of Modern Technology (Teacher's Guide)Transportation Innovations (Comprehension Card)Transportation Innovations (Student Book)Transportation Innovations (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.L.** | **LANGUAGE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **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.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.3.** | **Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.** |
| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.3.a.** | **Expand, combine, and reduce sentences for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAntarctica: A Year of ScienceInterpreting Our DreamsLasting Legacies: America's First GameLives of Service: Stories from the Peace CorpsMonsters Among Us?My Trip to Historic BostonMysteries Set in StoneNonverbal Communication: What You Are Saying When You Are Not Even TalkingOpinions About Art: A Study of Paintings from the Romantic Era Opinions About Difficult Times Portrayed in LiteratureOpinions About Freedom of Speech: Reports from the Trenton BulletinOpinions About Matthew BradyOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeOpinions About Youth Tackle FootballRodrigo and the DogsSelections from Alice in WonderlandThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Red-Tail AngelsThe Science of FlightThe Science of Sleep and DreamsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"Wally Smithers and the Germ SquadWashington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesStandards Close-UpObserving Animals (Student Book)Observing Animals (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.3.b.** | **Compare and contrast the varieties of English used in stories, dramas, or poems.Text ConnectionsAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreGallileo's GiftOliver Twist: A DramatizationOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtStorm scenes from two classic works of children's literature: The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and The CayThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Adventures of Tom Sawyer: An ExcerptThe Black Stallion: Selections from the NovelThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"Where There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American Folktales** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **L.4.** | **Determine and/or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, word relationships, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.4.** | **Determine and/or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 5 reading and content, choosing flexibly from an array of strategies: context clues, word parts, word relationships, and reference materials.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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| **CONTENT AREA / STRAND** | **NC.L.** | **LANGUAGE** |
| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **L.5.** | **Demonstrate understanding of figurative language and nuances in word meanings.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.5.** | **Demonstrate understanding of figurative language and nuances in word meanings.** |
| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.5.a.** | **Interpret figurative language, including similes and metaphors, in context.Text ConnectionsA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About PoetryInterpreting Our DreamsMy Life with the StarsOpinions About Weather Scenes: Creating Mood in Literature and ArtOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeThe Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle: A Sherlock Holmes MysteryThe Cadence of WarThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoThe Story of "Casey at the Bat"Washington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"** |

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| **CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.5.b.** | **Recognize and explain the meaning of common idioms, adages, and proverbs.Text ConnectionsGallileo's GiftLasting Legacies: America's First GameOpinions About Modern ZoosOpinions About Worker's Rights: The 1913 Ludlow Coal Miners' StrikeRising Above: Profiles in GreatnessRodrigo and the DogsThe Secret Language of ElephantsThe Sky Is Green: A Memoir About Surviving a TornadoWar DiariesWhere There's No Such Thing as Worry and Other African American FolktalesStandards Close-UpRemarkable Roads (Student Book)Remarkable Roads (Teacher's Guide)Seas in Danger (Student Book)Seas in Danger (Teacher's Guide)** |

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| **STRAND / ESSENTIAL STANDARD** | **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 developing vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.** |
| **ESSENTIAL STANDARD / CLARIFYING OBJECTIVE** | **L.5.6.** | **Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships.Text ConnectionsA Day in the Life of a Chicken WranglerA Tail for a Tail: Cherokee Trickster TalesAnalytical Arguments About CourageAnalytical Arguments About FolkloreAnalytical Arguments About Four Pioneers of FlightAnalytical Arguments About Influential SpeechesAnalytical Arguments About Life LessonsAnalytical Arguments About PoetryAnimals in Film: Their Stories On and Off ScreenAntarctica: A Year of ScienceBehind the Microscope: Solving Scientific MysteriesBooks that Changed My LifeCareers on the Cutting EdgeChildhood in Different Times and PlacesFolk Songs: The Music of My LifeFrom Mexico and Slovakia: Memoirs of Two Immigrants' Journeys to the United StatesGallileo's GiftGreat Native American LeadersHow the Stars Got Into the Sky: Two Native American Pourquoi TalesI Am Deaf and I Dance: A MemoirI Was a 21st Century Civil War ReporterInterpreting Our DreamsIt's Revolutionary! 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