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(2) Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:	
(A) determine the meaning of grade-level academic English words derived from Latin, Greek, or other linguistic roots and affixes;	22, 48, 74, 100, 126, 135, 139, 152
(B) use context (within a sentence and in larger sections of text) to determine or clarify the meaning of unfamiliar or ambiguous words;	2-3, 5-8, 10-12, 14-16, 18-19, 21, 28-30, 32-37, 40-45, 54-56, 58-59, 61-64, 66-67, 70-73, 80-82, 84-85, 88-89, 91-93, 96-97, 106-108, 110-112, 114-116, 118-119, 121-124, 132-133, 135-138, 140-141, 143-145, 148-150
(C) complete analogies that describe part to whole or whole to part;	5, 13, 35, 47, 57, 65, 73, 83, 91, 95, 99, 113, 125, 139, 151
(D) identify the meaning of foreign words commonly used in written English with emphasis on Latin and Greek words (e.g., habeus corpus, e pluribus unum, bona fide, nemesis); and	135, 143
(E) use a dictionary, a glossary, or a thesaurus (printed or electronic) to determine the meanings, syllabication, pronunciations, alternate word choices, and parts of speech of words.	3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 47, 55, 59, 63, 65, 67, 71, 81, 83, 85, 89, 93, 97, 99, 107, 111, 115, 119, 123, 133, 137, 141, 145, 149
Writing/Literary Texts. Students write literary texts to express their ideas and feelings about real or imagined people, events, and ideas. Students are expected to:	

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(A) write an imaginative story that: sustains reader interest;	13, 47, 61, 69, 91,
includes well-paced action and an engaging story line, creates a	95, 135
specific, believable setting through the use of sensory details;	,
develops interesting characters; and uses a range of literary	
strategies and devices to enhance the style and tone;	
(16) Writing. Students write about their own experiences.	13, 17, 73, 87, 91,
Students are expected to write a personal narrative that has a	121, 139, 143
clearly defined focus and communicates the importance of or	
reasons for actions and/or consequences.	
(17) Writing/Expository and Procedural Texts. Students write	
expository and procedural or work-related texts to communicate	
ideas and information to specific audiences for specific purposes.	
Students are expected to:	
(A) write a multi-paragraph essay to convey information about a	5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 31,
topic that: presents effective introductions and concluding	35, 43, 47, 53, 57,
paragraphs, contains a clearly stated purpose or controlling idea,	65, 69, 73, 83, 91,
is logically organized with appropriate facts and details and	95, 99, 109, 113,
includes no extraneous information or inconsistencies, accurately	117, 125, 143, 147,
synthesizes ideas from several sources; and uses a variety of	151
sentence structures, rhetorical devices, and transitions to link	
paragraphs.	
(18) Writing/Persuasive Texts. Students write persuasive texts to	
influence the attitudes or actions of a specific audience on	
specific issues. Students are expected to write a persuasive essay	
to the appropriate audience that:	
(A) establishes a clear thesis or position; considers and responds	9, 35, 39, 43, 57,
to the views of others and anticipates and answers reader	113
concerns and counter-arguments; and includes evidence that is	
logically organized to support the author's viewpoint and that	
differentiates between fact and opinion.	
(23) Research/Gathering Sources. Students determine, locate,	
and explore the full range of relevant sources addressing a	
research question and systematically record the information	
they gather. Students are expected to:	
(A) follow the research plan to gather information from a range of	31, 39, 69, 73
relevant print and electronic sources using advanced search	
strategies; Perfection Learning	

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(B) categorize information thematically in order to see the larger	31, 39, 69, 73
constructs inherent in the information;	
(D) differentiate between paraphrasing and plagiarism and	31, 39, 69, 73
identify the importance of citing valid and reliable sources.	
(24) Research/Synthesizing Information. Students clarify	
research questions and evaluate and synthesize collected	
information. Students are expected to:	
(A) narrow or broaden the major research question, if necessary,	31, 39, 47, 65, 69,
based on further research and investigation	73, 113, 117, 131