

I can Common Core- 7th Grade Language Standards

L 1

I can demonstrate understanding of the English grammar when writing or speaking.

A.

I can explain the functions of phrases and clauses in general.

I can explain the functions of phrases and clauses in specific sentences.

B.

I can choose the correct form to use when writing, between simple, compound, complex, and compound-complex sentences.

C.

I can use phrases and clauses correctly in sentences.

I can recognize and correct misplaced and dangling modifiers.

L 2 I can demonstrate understanding of English conventions including...

... capitalization

... punctuation

... spelling.

I can use a comma to separate multiple adjectives correctly.

I can spell correctly.

L 3

I can demonstrate understanding of the English language through speaking, writing, reading, and listening.

A.

I can choose language that expresses ideas concisely and is not too wordy or repetitive.

L 4 I can determine the definitions of unknown words based on multiple strategies including...

...using Context Clues

...understanding Greek and Latin roots and affixes

... using dictionaries, glossaries, and other reference guides.

L 5

I can demonstrate understanding of figurative language in context.

I can interpret figures of speech and allusions in texts.

I can understand the difference between connotations and denotations.

L 6

I can add new, appropriate, and academic words and phrases to my vocabulary and use them correctly in speaking and writing.