

Year at a Glance

Grade 8 – English Language Arts and Reading

First Semester	Second Semester
1st Six Weeks	4th Six Weeks
<p>Unit 01: Fundamentals of Communication (15 days) 8.1A, 8.1B, 8.1C, 8.1D; 8.2A, 8.2B, 8.2C; 8.3A; 8.4A; 8.5A, 8.5B, 8.5C, 8.5D, 8.5E, 8.5F, 8.5G, 8.5I; 8.6A, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.6E, 8.6F, 8.6H; 8.10A, 8.10B, 8.10Bi; 8.10D, 8.11D</p> <p>Unit 02A: Analyzing and Composing Literary/Narrative Nonfiction and Fiction (20 days – continues into 2nd Six Weeks) 8.5A, 8.5B, 8.5C, 8.5E, 8.5F, 8.5G, 8.5H; 8.6A, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.6D, 8.6E, 8.6G, 8.6H; 8.7A, 8.7B, 8.7C, 8.7D; 8.8A; 8.9A, 8.9B, 8.9C, 8.9D, 8.9E, 8.9F; 8.10A, 8.10B, 8.10Bi, 8.10Bii, 8.10C, 8.10D, 8.10E; 8.11A, 8.11B</p>	<p>Unit 04: Rhetorically Analyzing and Composing Argumentative Texts (25 days) 8.1C; 8.5A, 8.5B, 8.5C, 8.5E, 8.5F, 8.5G, 8.5H; 8.6A, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.6D, 8.6E, 8.6G, 8.6H, 8.6I, 8.6J; 8.8E, 8.8Ei, 8.8Eii, 8.8Eiii, 8.8F; 8.9A, 8.9B, 8.9C, 8.9D, 8.9F, 8.9G; 8.10A, 8.10B, 8.10Bi, 8.10Bii, 8.10C, 8.10D, 8.10E; 8.11C; 8.12D, 8.12F, 8.12G, 8.12H, 8.12Hi, 8.12Hii, 8.12I, 8.12J</p>
2nd Six Weeks	5th Six Weeks
<p>Unit 02A: Analyzing, and Composing Literary/Narrative Nonfiction and Fiction (continued from 1st Six Weeks)</p> <p>Unit 02B: Analyzing and Composing Literary Texts: Poetry and Drama (15 days) 8.5A, 8.5B, 8.5C, 8.5E, 8.5F, 8.5G, 8.5H; 8.6A, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.6D, 8.6E, 8.6G, 8.6H; 8.7A, 8.7B, 8.7C, 8.7D; 8.8A, 8.8B, 8.8C; 8.9A, 8.9B, 8.9D, 8.9E, 8.9F; 8.10A, 8.10B, 8.10Bi, 8.10Bii, 8.10C, 8.10D, 8.10E; 8.11A, 8.11B</p>	<p>Unit 05: Interpretation and Response Across Genres (20 days) 8.5A, 8.5B, 8.5C, 8.5E, 8.5F, 8.5G, 8.5H, 8.6A, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.6D, 8.6E, 8.6G, 8.6H, 8.6I, 8.7A, 8.7B, 8.7C, 8.7D, 8.8A, 8.8B, 8.8C, 8.8D, 8.8Di, 8.8Dii, 8.8Diii, 8.8E, 8.8Ei, 8.8Eii, 8.8Eiii, 8.8F, 8.9A, 8.9B, 8.9C, 8.9D, 8.9E, 8.9F, 8.9G, 8.10A, 8.10B, 8.10Bi, 8.10Bii, 8.10C, 8.10D, 8.10E, 8.11A, 8.11B</p>
3rd Six Weeks	6th Six Weeks
<p>Unit 03: Analyzing and Composing Informational Texts (25 days) 8.5A, 8.5B, 8.5C, 8.5E, 8.5F, 8.5G, 8.5H; 8.6A, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.6D, 8.6E, 8.6G, 8.6H, 8.6I; 8.8D, 8.8Di, 8.8Dii, 8.8Diii; 8.9A, 8.9B, 8.9C; 8.10A, 8.10B, 8.10Bi, 8.10Bii, 8.10C, 8.10D, 8.10Di, 8.10Dii, 8.10Diii, 8.10Div, 8.10Dv, 8.10Dvi, 8.10Dvii, 8.10E; 8.11B; 8.12A, 8.12B, 8.12C, 8.12D, 8.12E, 8.12F, 8.12H, 8.12Hi</p>	<p>Unit 06: Research-Based Synthesis, Creation, and Innovation (25 days) 8.1C; 8.5A, 8.5B, 8.5C, 8.5E, 8.5F, 8.5G, 8.5H; 8.6A, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.6D, 8.6E, 8.6G, 8.6H, 8.6I, 8.6J; 8.8D, 8.8Di, 8.8Dii, 8.8Diii, 8.8E, 8.8Ei, 8.8Eii, 8.8Eiii; 8.8F, 8.9A, 8.9B, 8.9C, 8.9D, 8.9F, 8.9G; 8.10A, 8.10B, 8.10Bi, 8.10Bii, 8.10C, 8.10D, 8.10E; 8.11C, 8.11D; 8.12A, 8.12B, 8.12C, 8.12D, 8.12E, 8.12F, 8.12G, 8.12H, 8.12Hi, 8.12Hii, 8.12I, 8.12J</p>