



PARCC PBA Paper Practice Test Answer and Alignment Document
ELA/Literacy: Grade 7

Items 1-7		
Task: Literary Analysis (LAT)		
Passage 1: from <i>The Count of Monte Cristo</i> by Alexandre Dumas		
Item Number	Answer(s)	Standards Alignment
1	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: B	RL1; RL4
2	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: B	RL1; RL3
3	Item Type: EBSR Part A: D Part B: A	RL1; RL2
Passage 2: from <i>Blessings</i> by Mary Hall Surface		
4	Item Type: EBSR Part A: C Part B: B	RL1; RL4
5	Item Type: EBSR Part A: A Part B: C	RL1; RL5
6	Item Type: EBSR Part A: A Part B: E, F	RL1; RL5
Passage 1: from <i>The Count of Monte Cristo</i> by Alexandre Dumas and Passage 2: from <i>Blessings</i> by Mary Hall Surface		
7	Item Type: PCR Refer to Grade 4-11 Scoring Rubric	RL1; RL2; W2; W4-10
Items 8-17		
Task: Research Simulation (RST)		
Passage 1: from "Energy Story" by Editors		
Item Number	Answer	Standards Alignment
8	Item Type: EBSR Part A: D Part B: C	RST1; RST4
9	Item Type: EBSR Part A: C Part B: B	RST1; RST5
10	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: A	RST1; RST2
Passage 2: "Short Circuit"		

11	Item Type: EBSR Part A: D Part B: C	RST1; RI4
12	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: D	RST1; RST2
13	Item Type: EBSR Part A: D Part B: C	RST1; RST3
14	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: C, D, F	RST1; RST2
Passage 3: "Conducting Solutions"		
15	Item Type: EBSR Part A: D Part B: B	RST1; RI4
16	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: D	RST1; RST6
Passage 1: from "Energy Story" by Editors; Passage 2: "Short Circuit"; Passage 3: "Conducting Solutions"		
17	Item Type: PCR Refer to Grade 6-11 Scoring Rubric	RST1; RST6; W2; W4-10
Items 18-23		
Task: Narrative (NWT)		
Passage: from <i>The Fast and the Furriest</i> by Andy Behrens		
Item Number	Answer(s)	Standards Alignment
18	Item Type: EBSR Part A: C Part B: A	RL1; RL3
19	Item Type: EBSR Part A: D Part B: D	RL1; RL4
20	Item Type: EBSR Part A: C Part B: D and F	RL1; RL6
21	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: A, E	RL1; RL6
22	Item Type: EBSR Part A: B Part B: C	RL1; RL2
23	Item Type: PCR Refer to Grade 6-11 Scoring Rubric	W3-10