Cornwall-Lebanon School District Curriculum Overview

Honors English 11

length of time in weeks	Concepts & Competencies	Common Assessments	Academic Standards (PA Core if applicable)
Unit 1 6	DRAMA Students will: Analyze how complex characters develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme; Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools; Read and comprehend literary fiction on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.	Crucible Act QuizzesUnit Exam	CC.1.3.11-12.C CC.1.3.11-12.I CC.1.3.11-12.K
Unit 2 10	NOVEL UNITS Students will: Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on gradelevel reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools; Read and comprehend literary fiction on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.	 The Great Gatsby Unit Test The Great Gatsby Vocabulary Assessments Fahrenheit 451 Unit Test Reading Comprehension Quizzes 	CC.1.3.11-12.K
Unit 3	POETRY Students will: Analyze how words and phrases shape meaning and tone in texts; Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text; Read and comprehend literary fiction on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.	 Poetry Out Loud Poetry Test Poetry Explication 	CC.1.3.11-12.A CC.1.3.11-12.F CC.1.3.11-12.K
Unit 4	RESEARCH Students will: Develop and analyze the topic with relevant, well-chosen, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the	Research EssayResearch OutlineBibliography	CC.1.4.11-12.C CC.1.4.11-12.G CC.1.4.11-12.W

	topic; include graphics and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension; Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics; Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness of each source in answering the research question; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and following a standard format for citation.		
Unit 5	DEBATE Students will: Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning; ensure that the presentation is appropriate to purpose, audience, and task; Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks; Make strategic use of digital media in presentations to add interest and enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence.	 Annotated Bibliography Debate presentation 	CC.1.5.11-12.D CC.1.5.11-12.E CC.1.5.11-12.F
Unit 6	NONFICTION Students will: Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly, as well as inferences and conclusions based on an author's explicit assumptions and beliefs about a subject; Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools; Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently.	 Transcendentalism overview Poe background information Miller overview Romanticism and the Dark Romantics overview Fitzgerald background 	CC.1.2.11-12.B CC.1.2.11-12.K CC.1.2.11-12.L
Unit 7 5	ELEMENTS OF FICTION Students will: Analyze how complex characters develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme; Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools; Read and comprehend literary fiction on grade level, reading independently and proficiently. Inventions, Speaking, Listening skills and standards addressed thro	➤ Short Story test ➤ Midterm Assessment	CC.1.3.11-12.C CC.1.3.11-12.I CC.1.3.11-12.K

Grammatical Conventions, Speaking, Listening skills and standards addressed throughout each unit, especially with a focus on speaking and listening critically as well as responding intelligently as individuals or group discussions. (CC 1.5. 11-12)