7th Grade Language Arts Curriculum Map

	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May
Core Knowledge Poems	Annabel Lee	Because I Could Not Stop for Death	The Charge of the Light Brigade	The Chimney Sweeper	Macavity Heritage	Life is Fine	The Negro Speaks of Rivers Harlem	This Is Just to Say	The Red Wheelbarrow
Core Knowledge Sayings & Phrases	Ad hoc Bona fides Carpe diem	Caveat emptor De facto In extremis	In medias res In toto Modus operandi Modus vivendi	Persona non grata Prima facie	Pro bono, Publico	Pro forma, Quid pro quo	Sic transit	Gloria mundi	Requiescat in pace Sine qua non Sub rosa
Core Knowledge Stories - Literature	The Call of the Wild	The Call of the Wild	Short Stories	Short Stories	Cyrano De Bergerac	The Prince and the Pauper	Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl	Essays & Speeches	Poetry
Grammar	Parts of Speech	Parts of Speech Sentence Practice	Phrases	Phrases Practice	Clauses	Clauses Practice	Clauses Punctuation Review	Sentence Levels	Practice
Latin/Greek Roots	Review Lists 15-20	Review Lists 21-25	Lists 26-28	Lists 29-30	Lists 32-34	Lists 35-37	Lists 38-40	Lists 41-43	Lists 44-45
Literary Terms	Characters & characterizatio n Conflict Flashback Foreshadowing	Plot exposition Rising action Climax Falling Action	Narrator Point of view Dialect Dialogue	Irony Suspense Genre Moral	Satire Parody Farce Action	Denotation Connotation Hyperbole Idiom	Imagery Metaphor Simile Person	Symbols Rhyme Rhythm Resolution	Alliteration Assonance Consonance Theme
Writing (Institute for Excellence in Writing)	Units 1-3	Units 4-7	Units 8-11	Units 12-15	Units 16-19	Units 20-23	Units 24-27	Units 28-29	Review
Writing Pieces (Content)	Journal Writing- throughout year	Informative Essay	Persusasive Essay	Descriptive Essay with Illustration	Narrative (Characters, Setting, Main Idea, Plot, Ending) with Dialogue	Persuasive Essay with Contrast	Speech Writing	Research Writing	Poetry