Grade 7 English Language Arts Common Core Standards Correlation

Common Core English Language Arts Standards Grade 7	Vocabu-Lit Book G Grade 7 Lesson Components
Reading: Literature	
Craft and Structure	
4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or drama.	Reading the Passage Self-Testing for Understanding Writing Definitions Fitting Words into Context
Reading: Informational Text	
Craft and Structure	
4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone.	Reading the Passage Self-Testing for Understanding Writing Definitions Fitting Words into Context
Language	
Vocabulary Acquisition and Use	
4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 7 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of	Reading the Passage Fitting Words into Context
• Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.	Writing Definitions
• Use common, grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., belligerent, bellicose, rebel).	Writing Definitions
• Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning or its part of speech.	Self-Testing for Understanding Writing Definitions
• Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).	Reading the Passage Self-Testing for Understanding Writing Definitions Fitting Words into Context
5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	Choosing Synonyms/Antonyms Completing Analogies
• Interpret figures of speech (e.g., literary, biblical, and mythological allusions) in context.	Choosing Synonyms/Antonyms Completing Analogies
• Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words.	Choosing Synonyms/Antonyms Completing Analogies
• Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., refined, respectful, polite, diplomatic, condescending).	Writing Definitions
6. Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	Reading the Passage Self-Testing for Understanding Writing Definitions Choosing Synonyms/Antonyms Completing Analogies Fitting Words into Context Playing with Words