English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level) Collaborative **Emerging** Expanding **Bridging** 1. Exchanging information/ideas 1. Exchanging information/ideas 1. Exchanging information/ideas Contribute to class, group, and partner Engage in conversational exchanges and Contribute to class, group, and partner express ideas on familiar current events and discussions, sustaining conversations on a discussions, sustaining conversations on a academic topics by asking and answering variety of age and grade-appropriate variety of age and grade-appropriate *yes-no* guestions and *wh-* guestions and academic topics by following turn-taking academic topics by following turn-taking responding using phrases and short rules, asking and answering relevant, rules, asking and answering relevant, on-topic questions, affirming others, on-topic questions, affirming others, and sentences. providing additional, relevant information, providing coherent and well-articulated and paraphrasing key ideas. comments and additional information. Skills: Skills: Skills: ■ Engage in conversational exchanges ☐ Contribute to class, group, and partner ☐ Contribute to class, group, and partner ■ Express ideas on familiar topics discussions discussions ☐ Ask and answer *yes-no* guestions ☐ Sustain conversations on a variety of ☐ Sustain conversations on a variety of ☐ Ask and answer *wh*- questions age and grade- appropriate academic age and grade-appropriate academic □ Respond using phrases and short topics topics ☐ Follow turn-taking rules ☐ Follow turn-taking rules sentences ☐ Ask and answer relevant, on-topic ☐ Ask and answer relevant, on-topic auestions auestions ☐ Affirm others Affirm others □ Add additional, relevant information □ Provide coherent and well-articulated □ Paraphrase key ideas comments and additional information

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level) Collaborative **Emerging** Expanding **Bridging** 2. Interacting via written English 2. Interacting via written English 2. Interacting via written English Collaborate with peers to engage in a variety Collaborate with peers to engage in short, Collaborate with peers to engage in grade-appropriate written exchanges and increasingly complex grade-appropriate of extended written exchanges and complex written exchanges and writing projects, writing projects, using technology as grade-appropriate writing projects, using using technology as appropriate. technology as appropriate. appropriate. Skills: Skills: Skills: ☐ Collaborate with peers to engage in ☐ Collaborate with peers to increasingly ☐ Collaborate with peers to engage ia short, grade-appropriate written complex, grade-appropriate written variety of extended written exchanges ☐ Collaborate with peers to engage in exchanges exchanges ☐ Collaborate with peers to engage in ☐ Collaborate with peers to engage in complex, grade-appropriate writing short, grade-appropriate writing increasingly complex, projects projects grade-appropriate writing projects ☐ Use technology as appropriate ☐ Use technology as appropriate ☐ Use technology as appropriate

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level) Collaborative **Emerging** Expanding **Bridging** 3. Supporting opinions and persuading 3. Supporting opinions and persuading 3. Supporting opinions and persuading others others others Negotiate with or persuade others in Negotiate with and persuade others (e.g., by Negotiate with or persuade others in conversations (e.g., ask for clarification or presenting counter-arguments) in discussions and conversations in repetition) using learned phrases (e.g., discussions and conversations using learned appropriate registers (e.g., to acknowledge Could you repeat that please? I believe . . .) phrases (e.g., You make a valid point, but new information and politely offer a and open responses to express and defend my view is . . .) and open responses to counterpoint) using a variety of learned opinions. express and defend nuanced opinions. phrases (e.g., You postulate that X. However. I've reached a different conclusion on this issue) and open responses to express and defend nuanced opinions. Skills: Skills: Skills: ■ Negotiate with or persuade others in ■ Negotiate with or persuade others in ☐ Negotiate with or persuade others in conversations discussions and conversations discussions and conversations ☐ Use learned phrases and open ☐ Use learned phrases and open ■ Use appropriate registers responses to express and defend responses to express and defend ☐ Use a variety of learned phrases and opinions (e.g., Could you repeat that nuanced opinions (e.g., You make a open responses to express and defend please? I believe . . .) valid point, but my view is . . .) nuanced opinions (e.g., You postulate that X. However. I've reached a different conclusion on this issue)

Collaborative			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
4. Adapting language choices Adjust language choices according to the context (e.g., classroom, community) and audience (e.g., peers, teachers).	4. Adapting language choices Adjust language choices according to the context (e.g., classroom, community), purpose (e.g., to persuade, to provide arguments or counterarguments), task, and audience (e.g., peers, teachers, guest lecturer).	4. Adapting language choices Adjust language choices according to the task (e.g., group presentation of research project), context (e.g., classroom, community), purpose (e.g., to persuade, to provide arguments or counterarguments), and audience (e.g., peers, teachers, college recruiter).	
Skills: Adjust language choices according to context Adjust language choices according to audience	Skills: Adjust language choices according to context Adjust language choices according to purpose Adjust language choices according to task Adjust language choices according to audience	Skills: Adjust language choices according to context Adjust language choices according to purpose Adjust language choices according to task Adjust language choices according to audience	

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level) Interpretive **Emerging Expanding Bridging** 5. Listening actively 5. Listening actively 5. Listening actively Demonstrate comprehension of oral Demonstrate comprehension of oral Demonstrate comprehension of oral presentations and discussions on familiar presentations and discussions on a variety presentations and discussions on a variety of social and academic topics by asking and of social and academic topics by asking and social and academic topics by asking and answering questions with prompting and answering questions that show thoughtful answering detailed and complex questions substantial support. consideration of the ideas or arguments with that show thoughtful consideration of the ideas or arguments with light support. moderate support. Skills: Skills: Skills: With occasional prompting and moderate With light support With prompting and substantial support ■ Demonstrate comprehension of oral ■ Demonstrate comprehension of oral support presentations and discussions on ☐ Demonstrate comprehension of oral presentations and discussions on a presentations and discussions on a familiar social and academic topics variety of social and academic topics □ Ask and answer questions variety of social and academic topics ☐ Ask and answer detailed and complex ■ Ask and answer questions that show questions that show thoughtful thoughtful consideration of the ideas or consideration of the ideas or arguments arguments

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level)			
Interpretive			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
 6. Reading/viewing closely a. Explain ideas, phenomena, processes, and text relationships (e.g., compare/contrast, cause/effect, evidence-based argument) based on close reading of a variety of grade-appropriate texts, presented in various print and multimedia formats, using phrases, short sentences, and a select set of general academic and domain-specific words. b. Explain inferences and conclusions drawn from close reading of grade-appropriate texts and viewing of multimedia, using familiar verbs (e.g., seems that). c. Use knowledge of morphology (e.g., common prefixes and suffixes), context, reference materials, and visual cues to determine the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words on familiar topics. 	 a. Explain ideas, phenomena, processes, and relationships within and across texts (e.g., compare/contrast, cause/effect, themes, evidence-based argument) based on close reading of a variety of grade-appropriate texts, presented in various print and multimedia formats, using increasingly detailed sentences, and a range of general academic and domain-specific words. b. Explain inferences and conclusions drawn from close reading of grade-appropriate texts and viewing of multimedia using a variety of verbs and adverbials (e.g., indicates that, suggests, as a result). c. Use knowledge of morphology (e.g., affixes, Greek and Latin roots), context, reference materials, and visual cues to determine the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words on familiar and new topics. 	 a. Explain ideas, phenomena, processes, and relationships within and across texts (e.g., compare/contrast, cause/effect, themes, evidence-based argument) based on close reading of a variety of grade-level texts, presented in various print and multimedia formats, using a variety of detailed sentences and precise general academic and domain-specific words. b. Explain inferences and conclusions drawn from close reading of grade-level texts and viewing of multimedia using a variety of verbs and adverbials (e.g., creates the impression that, consequently). c. Use knowledge of morphology (e.g., derivational suffixes), context, reference materials, and visual cues to determine the meaning, including figurative and connotative meanings, of unknown and multiple-meaning words on a variety of new topics. 	
Skills: With substantial support Explain ideas Explain phenomena	Skills: With moderate support Explain ideas Explain phenomena	Skills: With moderate support Explain ideas Explain phenomena	

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	Explain processes		Explain processes		Explain processes
	Explain text relationships		Explain relationships in and across		Explain relationships in and across
	Close read a variety of		texts		texts
	grade-appropriate texts in various print		Close read a variety of		Close read a variety of
	and multimedia formats		grade-appropriate texts in various print		grade-appropriate texts in various print
	Use short sentences and a select set of		and multimedia formats		and multimedia formats
	general academic and domain-specific		Use increasingly detailed sentences		Use a variety of detailed sentences and
	words		and an increasing variety of general		a range of general academic and
	Explain inferences		academic and domain-specific words		domain-specific words
	Explain conclusions		Explain inferences		Explain inferences
	Use familiar verbs		Explain conclusions		Explain conclusions
	Use morphology to determine the meaning of unknown and multiple		Use an increasing variety of verbs and adverbials		Use an increasing variety of verbs and adverbials
	meaning words on familiar topics				Use morphology to determine the
	Use context to determine the meaning	_	meaning of unknown and multiple	_	meaning of unknown and multiple
_	of unknown and multiple meaning		meaning words on familiar topics		meaning words and to determine the
	words on familiar topics		•		meaning, including figurative and
	·		of unknown and multiple meaning		connotative meanings, of unknown and
	the meaning of unknown and multiple		words on familiar topics		multiple-meaning words on a variety of
	meaning words on familiar topics		•		new topics.
	Use visual clues to determine the		the meaning of unknown and multiple		Use context to determine the meaning
	meaning of unknown and multiple		meaning words on familiar topics		of unknown and multiple meaning
	meaning words on familiar topics		Use visual clues to determine the		words and to determine the meaning,
			meaning of unknown and multiple		including figurative and connotative
			meaning words on familiar topics		meanings, of unknown and
					multiple-meaning words on a variety of new topics.
					Use reference materials to determine
					the meaning of unknown and multiple
					meaning words and to determine the
					meaning, including figurative and
					connotative meanings, of unknown and
					multiple-meaning words on a variety of
					new topics.
					Use visual clues to determine the
					meaning of unknown and multiple
					meaning words and to determine the

meaning, including figurative and connotative meanings, of unknown and multiple-meaning words on a variety of new topics.

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English Eanguage Frontiericy (teach toward the next level)			
Interpretive			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
7. Evaluating language choices Explain how successfully writers and speakers structure texts and use language (e.g., specific word or phrasing choices) to persuade the reader (e.g., by providing evidence to support claims or connecting points in an argument) or create other specific effects.	7. Evaluating language choices Explain how successfully writers and speakers structure texts and use language (e.g., specific word or phrasing choices) to persuade the reader (e.g., by providing well-worded evidence to support claims or connecting points in an argument in specific ways) or create other specific effects, with moderate support.	7. Evaluating language choices Explain how successfully writers and speakers structure texts and use language (e.g., specific word or phrasing choices) to persuade the reader (e.g., by providing well-worded evidence to support claims or connecting points in an argument in specific ways) or create other specific effects, with light support.	
Skills: With substantial support Explain how successful writers and speakers structure texts to persuade the reader Explain how successful writers and speakers use language to support ideas with detailed evidence Explain how successful writers and speakers use language to create other special effects	Skills: With moderate support Explain how successful writers and speakers structure texts to persuade the reader Explain how successful writers and speakers use language to support ideas with detailed evidence Explain how successful writers and speakers use language to create other special effects	Skills: With light support Explain how successful writers and speakers structure texts to persuade the reader Explain how successful writers and speakers use language to support ideas with detailed evidence Explain how successful writers and speakers use language to create other special effects	

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level) Interpretive **Emerging Expanding Bridging** 8. Analyzing language choices 8. Analyzing language choices 8. Analyzing language choices Explain how a writer's or speaker's choice of Explain how a writer's or speaker's choice of Explain how a writer's or speaker's choice of phrasing or specific words (e.g., describing phrasing or specific words (e.g., using a variety of different types of phrasing or a character or action as aggressive versus figurative language or words with multiple words (e.g., hyperbole, varying connotations, bold) produces nuances or different effects meanings to describe an event or character) the cumulative impact of word choices) on the audience. produces nuances and different effects on produces nuances and different effects on the audience. the audience. Skills: Skills: Skills: ☐ Explain how a writer's or speaker's ☐ Explain how a writer's or speaker's ☐ Explain how a writer's or speaker's choice of phrasing or specific words choice of phrasing or specific words choice of phrasing or specific words produces nuances produces nuances produces nuances ☐ Explain how a writer's or speaker's ☐ Explain how a writer's or speaker's ☐ Explain how a writer's or speaker's choice of phrasing or specific words choice of phrasing or specific words choice of phrasing or specific words produces different effects on the produces different effects on the produces different effects on the

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Productive			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
9. Presenting Plan and deliver brief oral presentations and reports on grade-appropriate topics that present evidence and facts to support ideas.	9. Presenting Plan and deliver a variety of oral presentations and reports on grade-appropriate topics that present evidence and facts to support ideas by using growing understanding of register.	9. Presenting Plan and deliver a variety of oral presentations and reports on grade-appropriate topics that express complex and abstract ideas, well supported by evidence and reasoning, and are delivered by using an appropriate level of formality and understanding of register.	
 Skills: Plan and deliver brief oral presentations on grade-appropriate topics Deliver brief reports on grade-appropriate topics Present evidence and facts to support ideas 	Skills: ☐ Plan and deliver a variety of oral presentations on grade-appropriate topics ☐ Deliver a variety of reports on grade-appropriate topics ☐ Present evidence and facts to support ideas ☐ Use a growing understanding of register	Skills: Plan and deliver a variety of oral presentations on grade-appropriate topics Deliver a variety of reports on grade-appropriate topics Express complex and abstract ideas well supported by evidence and reasoning Use an appropriate level of formality and understanding of register	

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level) Productive Emerging Expanding Bridging 10. Writing 10. Writing 10. Writing **a.** Write short literary and informational a. Write longer literary and informational **a.** Write longer and more detailed literary texts (e.g., an argument about free texts (e.g., an argument about free and informational texts (e.g., an speech) collaboratively (e.g., with speech) collaboratively (e.g., with argument about free speech) peers) and independently. peers) and independently by using collaboratively (e.g., with peers) and **b.** Write brief summaries of texts and appropriate text organization and independently by using appropriate text growing understanding of register. organization and register. experiences by using complete sentences and key words (e.g., from **b.** Write increasingly concise summaries **b.** Write clear and coherent summaries of notes or graphic organizers). of texts and experiences by using texts and experiences by using complete sentences and key words complete and concise sentences and (e.g., from notes or graphic organizers). key words (e.g., from notes or graphic organizers). Skills: Skills: Skills: Collaboratively and independently Collaboratively and independently Collaboratively and independently ■ Write short literary texts ■ Write longer literary texts ☐ Write longer and more detailed literary □ Write short informational texts ■ Write longer informational texts texts ■ Write brief summaries of texts ☐ Use appropriate text organization ■ Write longer and more detailed ■ Write brief summaries of experiences ■ Use a growing understanding of informational texts ☐ Use complete sentences and key register ■ Use appropriate text organization words ■ Write increasingly concise summaries ■ Use appropriate register ☐ Write clear and coherent summaries of of texts ■ Write increasingly concise summaries texts of experiences ■ Write clear and coherent summaries of ☐ Use complete sentences and key experiences ☐ Use complete and concise sentences words and key words

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level) Productive Emerging Expanding **Bridging** 11. Justifying/arguing 11. Justifying/arguing 11. Justifying/arguing a. Justify opinions by articulating some a. Justify opinions and positions or **a.** Justify opinions or persuade others by textual evidence or background persuade others by making making connections and distinctions knowledge with visual support. connections between ideas and between ideas and texts and **b.** Express attitude and opinions or articulating relevant textual evidence or articulating sufficient, detailed, and temper statements with familiar modal background knowledge. relevant textual evidence or **b.** Express attitude and opinions or background knowledge by using expressions (e.g., can, may). temper statements with a variety of appropriate register. familiar modal expressions (e.g., **b.** Express attitude and opinions or temper statements with nuanced modal possibly/likely, could/would). expressions (e.g., possibly/potentially/certainly/absolutely, should/might). **Skills:** With substantial support **Skills:** With moderate support **Skills:** With moderate support Justify opinions Justify opinions Justify opinions Justify positions Justify positions □ Provide some textual evidence □ Provide some background knowledge ■ Make connections between ideas □ Make connections between ideas and with visual support ☐ Articulate relevant textual evidence texts ■ Express attitude with familiar modal □ Articulate relevant background □ Articulate sufficient, detailed, and information relevant textual evidence expressions ☐ Express opinions with familiar modal ☐ Express attitude with a variety of □ Articulate relevant background expressions familiar modal expressions knowledge using appropriate register ☐ Temper statements with familiar modal ■ Express opinions with a variety of ☐ Express attitude with a variety of familiar modal expressions familiar modal expressions expressions ☐ Temper statements with a variety of ■ Express opinions with a variety of familiar modal expressions familiar modal expressions ☐ Temper statements with nuanced modal expressions

Productive			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
 12. Selecting language resources a. Use familiar general academic (e.g., temperature, document) and domain-specific (e.g., cell, the Depression) words to create clear spoken and written texts. b. Use knowledge of morphology to appropriately select basic affixes (e.g., The news media relies on official sources). 	 12. Selecting language resources a. Use an increasing variety of grade-appropriate general academic (e.g., fallacy, dissuade) and domain-specific (e.g., chromosome, federalism) academic words accurately and appropriately when producing increasingly complex written and spoken texts. b. Use knowledge of morphology to appropriately select affixes in a growing number of ways to manipulate language (e.g., The cardiac muscle works continuously.). 	 12. Selecting language resources a. Use a variety of grade-appropriate general (e.g., alleviate, salutary) and domain-specific (e.g., soliloquy, microorganism) academic words and phrases, including persuasive language, accurately and appropriately when producing complex written and spoken texts. b. Use knowledge of morphology to appropriately select affixes in a variety of ways to manipulate language (e.g., changing inaugurate to inauguration). 	
Skills:	Skills:	Skills:	
 Use familiar general academic words to create clear spoken texts 	Use an increasing variety of grade-appropriate general academic	Use an increasing variety of grade-appropriate general academic	
Use familiar general academic words to		words accurately and appropriately	
create clear written texts Use domain-specific words to create clear spoken texts	 Use an increasing variety of domain-specific academic words accurately and appropriately 	 Use an increasing variety of domain-specific academic words accurately and appropriately 	
 Use domain-specific words to create clear written texts 	 Produce increasingly complex written and spoken texts 	 Produce increasingly complex written and spoken texts 	
 Use knowledge of morphology to select basic affixes 	•	Use knowledge of morphology to select affixes in a growing number of ways to manipulate language	

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level)			
Structuring Cohesive Texts			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
1. Understanding text structure Apply analysis of the organizational structure of different text types (e.g., how arguments are organized by establishing clear relationships among claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence) to comprehending texts and to writing brief arguments, informative/explanatory texts, and narratives.	1. Understanding text structure Apply analysis of the organizational structure of different text types (e.g., how arguments are organized by establishing clear relationships among claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence) to comprehending texts and to writing increasingly clear and cohesive arguments, informative/explanatory texts, and narratives.	1. Understanding text structure Apply analysis of the organizational structure of different text types (e.g., how arguments are organized by establishing clear relationships among claims, counterclaims, reasons, and evidence) to comprehending texts and to writing clear and cohesive arguments, informative/explanatory texts, and narratives.	
Skills: Apply analysis of the organizational structure of different text types Comprehend texts Write brief arguments, informative/explanatory texts and narratives	Skills: Apply analysis of the organizational structure of different text types Comprehend texts Write increasingly clear arguments, informative/explanatory texts and narratives	Skills: Apply analysis of the organizational structure of different text types Comprehend texts Write clear and cohesive arguments, informative/explanatory texts and narratives	

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level)			
Structuring Cohesive Texts			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
 2. Understanding cohesion a. Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for referring to make texts more cohesive (e.g., using pronouns or synonyms to refer back to characters or concepts introduced earlier) to comprehending and writing brief texts. b. Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for linking ideas, events, or reasons throughout a text (e.g., using connecting/transition words and phrases, such as first, second, finally) to comprehending and writing brief texts. 	 a. Apply knowledge of a growing number of language resources for referring to make texts more cohesive (e.g., using nominalizations to refer back to an action or activity described earlier) to comprehending texts and to writing increasingly cohesive texts for specific purposes and audiences. b. Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for linking ideas, events, or reasons throughout a text (e.g., using connecting/transition words and phrases, such as meanwhile, however, on the other hand) to comprehending texts and to writing increasingly cohesive texts for specific purposes and audiences. 	 2. Understanding cohesion a. Apply knowledge of a variety of resources for referring to make texts more cohesive (e.g., using nominalization, paraphrases, or summaries to reference or recap an idea or explanation provided earlier) to comprehending grade-level texts and to writing clear and cohesive texts for specific purposes and audiences. b. Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for linking ideas, events, or reasons throughout a text (e.g., using connecting/transition words and phrases, such as on the contrary, in addition, moreover) to comprehending grade-level texts and writing cohesive texts for specific purposes and audiences. 	
Skills: Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for referring to: Make texts more cohesive Comprehending brief texts Writing brief texts Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for linking ideas, events, or reasons throughout a text to	Skills: Apply knowledge of a growing number of language resources for referring to: Make texts more cohesive for specific purposes and audiences Comprehending brief texts for specific purposes and audiences Writing brief texts for specific purposes and audiences	Skills: Apply knowledge of a variety of language resources for referring to: Make texts more cohesive for specific purposes and audiences Comprehending grade-level for specific purposes and audiences Writing clear and cohesive grade-level texts for specific purposes and	

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□ Comprehending brief text□ Writing brief texts	Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for linking ideas, events, or reasons throughout a text to: Comprehending texts for specific purposes and audiences. Writing increasingly cohesive texts for specific purposes and audiences	audiences Apply knowledge of familiar language resources for linking ideas, events, or reasons throughout a text to: Comprehending texts for specific purposes and audiences. Writing increasingly cohesive texts for specific purposes and audiences.
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English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level)			
Expanding and Enriching Ideas			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
3. Using verbs and verb phrases Use a variety of verbs in different tenses (e.g., past, present, future, simple, progressive) appropriate to the text type and discipline to create short texts on familiar academic topics.	3. Using verbs and verb phrases Use a variety of verbs in different tenses (e.g., past, present, future, simple, progressive, perfect) appropriate to the text type and discipline to create a variety of texts that explain, describe, and summarize concrete and abstract thoughts and ideas.	3. Using verbs and verb phrases Use a variety of verbs in different tenses (e.g., past, present, future, simple, progressive, perfect), and mood (e.g., subjunctive) appropriate to the text type and discipline to create a variety of texts that describe concrete and abstract ideas, explain procedures and sequences, summarize texts and ideas, and present and critique points of view.	
Skills:	Skills:	Skills:	
Use a variety of:	Use a variety of:	Use a variety of verbs:	
verbs in different tenses	□ verbs in different tenses	in different tenses	
verbs appropriate to the text type on	verbs appropriate to the text type	in different moods	
familiar academic topics	verbs appropriate to the discipline	appropriate to the text type	
 verbs appropriate to the discipline on familiar academic topics 	Create a variety of texts that: a explain concrete and abstract thoughts	☐ appropriate to the discipline Create a variety of texts that:	
lamiliar academic topics	and ideas	explain concrete and abstract ideas	
	describe concrete and abstract	explain concrete and abstract ideas explain procedures and sequences	
	thoughts and ideas	□ summarize texts and ideas	
	□ summarize concrete and abstract	present and critique points of view	
	thoughts and ideas		

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level)			
Expanding and Enriching Ideas			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
4. Using nouns and noun phrases Expand noun phrases to create increasingly detailed sentences (e.g., adding adjectives for precision) about personal and familiar academic topics.	4. Using nouns and noun phrases Expand noun phrases in a growing number of ways (e.g., adding adjectives to nouns, simple clause embedding) to create detailed sentences that accurately describe, explain, and summarize information and ideas on a variety of personal and academic topics.	4. Using nouns and noun phrases Expand noun phrases in a variety of ways (e.g., complex clause embedding) to create detailed sentences that accurately describe concrete and abstract ideas, explain procedures and sequences, summarize texts and ideas, and present and critique points of view on a variety of academic topics.	
Skills: Expand noun phrases to create increasingly detailed sentences about personal topics academic topics	Skills: Expand noun phrases in a growing number of ways to create detailed sentences that accurately describe, information and ideas on a variety of personal and academic topics accurately explain, information and ideas on a variety of personal and academic topics accurately summarize information and ideas on a variety of personal and academic topics	Skills: Expand noun phrases in a variety of ways to create detailed sentences that accurately describe concrete and abstract ideas, information and ideas on a variety academic topics	

English Language Proficiency (teach toward the next level)			
Expanding and Enriching Ideas			
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging	
5. Modifying to add details Expand sentences with simple adverbials (e.g., adverbs, adverb phrases, prepositional phrases) to provide details (e.g., time, manner, place, cause) about familiar activities or processes.	5. Modifying to add details Expand sentences with a growing variety of adverbials (e.g., adverbs, adverb phrases, prepositional phrases) to provide details (e.g., time, manner, place, cause) about familiar or new activities or processes.	5. Modifying to add details Expand sentences with a variety of adverbials (e.g., adverbs, adverb phrases and clauses, prepositional phrases) to provide details (e.g., time, manner, place, cause) about a variety of familiar and new activities and processes.	
Skills: Expand sentences with simple adverbials Provide details about a familiar activities or processes	Skills: Expand sentences with a growing variety of adverbials Provide details about a familiar or new activities and processes	Skills: Expand sentences with a variety of adverbials Provide details about a variety of familiar and new activities and processes	

Connecting and Condensing Ideas		
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging
6. Connecting ideas Combine clauses in a few basic ways (e.g., creating compound sentences using and, but, so; creating complex sentences using because) to make connections between and join ideas (e.g., I want to read this book because it tells the history of Pi).	6. Connecting ideas Combine clauses in a growing number of ways to create compound and complex sentences that make connections between and link concrete and abstract ideas, for example, to express a reason (e.g., He stayed at home on Sunday in order to study for Monday's exam) or to make a concession (e.g., She studied all night even though she wasn't feeling well).	6. Connecting ideas Combine clauses in a variety of ways to create compound and complex sentences that make connections between and link concrete and abstract ideas, for example, to make a concession (e.g., While both characters strive for success, they each take different approaches to reach their goals), or to establish cause (e.g., Women's lives were changed forever after World War II as a result of joining the workforce).
Skills: Combine clauses in a few basic ways Make connections between Use connecting words to join ideas	Skills: ☐ Combine clauses in a growing number of ways ☐ Create compound and complex sentences ☐ Make connections between and link concrete and abstract ideas ☐ Express a reason	Skills: Combine clauses in a variety of ways Create compound and complex sentences Make connections between and link concrete and abstract ideas Make a concession or establish a cause

Connecting and Condensing Ideas		
Emerging	Expanding	Bridging
7. Condensing ideas Condense ideas in a few basic ways (e.g., by compounding verb or prepositional phrases) to create precise and detailed simple, compound, and complex sentences (e.g., The students asked survey questions and recorded the responses).	7. Condensing ideas Condense ideas in a growing number of ways (e.g., through embedded clauses or by compounding verb or prepositional phrases) to create more precise and detailed simple, compound, and complex sentences (e.g., Species that could not adapt to the changing climate eventually disappeared).	7. Condensing ideas Condense ideas in a variety of ways (e.g., through a variety of embedded clauses, or by compounding verb or prepositional phrases, nominalization) to create precise simple, compound, and complex sentences that condense concrete and abstract ideas (e.g., The epidemic, which ultimately affected hundreds of thousands of people, did not subside for another year).
Skills: Condense ideas in a few basic ways by compounding verbs, or prepositional phrases Create precise and detailed simple, compound, and complex sentences	Skills: Condense ideas in a growing number of ways by compounding verbs, adding prepositional phrases, or through simple embedded clauses Create precise and detailed simple, compound, and complex sentences	Skills: Condense ideas in a variety of ways through a variety of embedded clauses, by compounding verbs, and nominalization Create precise and detailed simple, compound, and complex sentences that condense concrete and abstract ideas