

# Eighth Grade Language Arts

December 2019

Projection Calendar subject to change; The Hub and teacher sites will bear the most current information.

## Objectives

8.6c Skim materials to develop an overview or locate information.

8.6d Make inferences and draw conclusions based on explicit and implied information using evidence from text as support.

8.6e Analyze the author's qualifications, viewpoint, word choice, and impact.

8.6f Analyze details for relevance and accuracy.

8.6g Differentiate between fact and opinion.

8.6k Evaluate, organize, and synthesize information for use in written and other formats.

8.6l Analyze ideas within and between selections providing textual evidence.

8.9a Formulate and revise questions about a research topic.

8.9b Collect and synthesize information from multiple sources.

8.9c Evaluate and analyze the validity and credibility of resources.

8.9f Quote, summarize and paraphrase research findings.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Research Skills	3 Research Skills	4 Research Skills	5 Research Skills	6 Reading Conferences (8.5;8.6) French/Webster
9 Research Project Production	10 Research Project Production	11 Research Project Production	12 Project Peer Review and Conferences	13 Reading Conferences (8.5;8.6) Anderson/Collis
16 Research Presentations	17 Research Presentations	18 Research Presentations	19 Research Presentations	20 Reading Conferences (8.5;8.6) French/Webster
23 No School Winter Break	24 No School Winter Break	25 No School Winter Break	26 No School Winter Break	27 No School Winter Break
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## Vocabulary

compositional unity  
counter argument  
elaboration  
expression  
thesis  
transition

reliable  
unreliable  
bibliography  
paraphrase  
counterclaim  
counterargument

Text Structures  
-Matrix  
-Web  
-Flow  
-Venn  
-Outline

