Main Criteria: Indiana Academic Standards

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Subject: Language Arts

Grade: 7

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Indiana Academic Standards

Language Arts

Grade: 7 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

	READING
	READING: Literature
	Learning Outcome
7.RL.1	Read a variety of literature within a range of complexity appropriate for grades 6-8. By the end of grade 7, students interact with texts proficiently and independently at the middle of the range and with scaffolding as needed for texts at the high end of the range. BookTaco Book Notes Opportunity for students to submit their thoughts, feelings, insight and observations on a book. Once submitted, Book Notes is marked completed and game coins earned with the notes appearing in the teacher's Reports page ready for review and assessment. Book Quiz Multiple choice based comprehension questions allowing teachers to customize test settings including passing score, number of attempts, and day of the week. Quiz questions are shuffled and randomized to maintain testing integrity. Book Taco survey questions about how the student experienced the book and their overall rating of the characters, plot, and appeal. Book Taco Speaking skills, collaboration, advocacy and student voice. Chapter Notes One page chapter notes organizer helps students organize characters and events for each chapter read. Compare & Contrast Characters Template and word bank for the analysis of two characters' similarities and differences. Draw It! Fun activity where students get to express their creativity by drawing their favorite parts of books and providing description. Paragraph Writing Prompts Students can view and select from a variety of different writing prompts. Once their paragraph(s) is ready it can be submitted for review/grading. Plot Diagram Students organize the elements of a narrative text by identifying the exposition, rising action, the climax, the main events of the falling action and the resolution. Port Of Wew! Assess the level of a student's thinking about the reading and their ability to support conclusions with text-based evidence. Retell The Story Practice summarizing and retelling the story (writing or pictures) by challenging students to identify main ideas, themes, and key details. Story Mapping The describe the characters
	READING
	READING: Literature Key Ideas and Textual Support
	7.RL.1

STANDARD		
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RL.2.1	Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what a text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
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EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RL.2.2	Analyze the development of a theme or central idea over the course of a work of literature; provide a detailed summary that supports the analysis. BookTaco Book Talk Student generated video response where students record and capture their true feelings about the books they read. The perfect tool to promote public speaking skills, collaboration, advocacy and student voice. Chapter Notes
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EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RL.2.3	Analyze the interaction of elements in a work of literature (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot). BookTaco
		Book Review Book Review Book Taco survey questions about how the student experienced the book and their overall rating of the characters, plot, and appeal. Chapter Notes
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STANDARD /		READING
STRAND		
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Literature
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Structural Elements and Organization
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RL.3.1	Analyze how a work of literature''s structural elements such as subplots, parallel episodes, climax, and conflicts contribute to its meaning and plot.
		BookTaco Book Review Book Taco survey questions about how the student experienced the book and their overall rating of the characters, plot, and appeal. Paragraph Writing Prompts Students can view and select from a variety of different writing prompts. Once their paragraph(s) is ready it can be submitted for review/grading. Plot Diagram Students organize the elements of a narrative text by identifying the exposition, rising action, the climax, the main events of the falling action and the resolution.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RL.3.2	Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a work of literature.
		<u>BookTaco</u> Point Of View! Assess the level of a student's thinking about the reading and their ability to support conclusions with text-based evidence.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Nonfiction
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RN.1	Read a variety of nonfiction within a range of complexity appropriate for grades 6-8. By the end of grade 7, students interact with texts proficiently and independently at the middle of the range and with scaffolding as needed for texts at the high end of the range.
		BookTaco Book Notes Opportunity for students to submit their thoughts, feelings, insight and observations on a book. Once submitted, Book Notes is marked completed and game coins earned with the notes appearing in the teacher's Reports page ready for review and assessment. Book Quiz

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STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Nonfiction
INDICATOR / STANDARD		KeyIdeas and Textual Support
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RN.2.1 7.RN.2.2	Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what a text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text. <u>BookTaco</u> Nonfiction 3-2-1 Fun Nonfiction graphic organizer helps students organize their understanding of a book or text. Nonfiction Book Report Great activity to get your students reading for information allowing for assessment of understanding and comprehension. Paragraph Writing Prompts Students can view and select from a variety of different writing prompts. Once their paragraph(s) is ready it can be submitted for review/grading. Analyze the development of two or more central ideas over the course of a text; provide a detailed, objective summary of the text.
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EXPECTATION / INDICATOR		Analyze the interactions between individuals, events, and ideas in a text (e.g., how ideas influence individuals or events, or how individuals influence ideas or events). <u>BookTaco</u> Book Notes Opportunity for students to submit their thoughts, feelings, insight and observations on a book. Once submitted, Book Notes is marked completed and game coins earned with the notes appearing in the teacher's Reports page ready for review and assessment. Book Quiz

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STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.1	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and content- specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression. BookTaco Chapter Notes One page chapter notes organizer helps students organize characters and events for each chapter read. Compare & Contrast Characters Template and word bank for the analysis of two characters' similarities and differences. Definition Matching Definition matching exercise leveraging high level engagement with pronunciation reinforcement. Draw it! Fun activity where students get to express their creativity by drawing their favorite parts of books and providing description. Nonfiction Book Report Great activity to get your students reading for information allowing for assessment of understanding and comprehension. Plot Diagram Students organize the elements of a narrative text by identifying the exposition, rising action, the climax, the main events of the falling action and the resolution. Point of View! Assess the level of a student's thinking about the reading and their ability to support conclusions with text-based evidence. Retell The Story Practice summarizing and retelling the story (writing or pictures) by challenging students to identify main ideas, themes, and key details. Sample Unscramble Sentence These scrambled sentences are a great way to teach and reinforce vocabulary, sentence Completion Matching exercise challenges the understanding of the appropriate contextual usage of the words. Story Mapping The describe the characters, setting, beginning, middle and end of the story. Vocabulary Test Final assessment module featuring multiple choice environment. Word Introduction Introduction to definitions, synonyms, antonyms and contextual usage.

		Word Jumble Active and fun learning medium promoting language acquisition through contextual and visual experience. Word Ladder Interactive exercise deepening knowledge of new words, boosting working memory and increasing student exposure.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases. BookTaco Sample Unscramble Sentence These scrambled sentences are a great way to teach and reinforce vocabulary, sentence structure, and grammar. Sentence Completion Matching exercise challenges the understanding of the appropriate contextual usage of the words. Word Introduction Introduction to definitions, synonyms, antonyms and contextual usage. Word Jumble Active and fun learning medium promoting language acquisition through
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.2.2	contextual and visual experience. Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words. BookTaco Word Introduction
EXPECTATION /	7.RV.2.3	Introduction to definitions, synonyms, antonyms and contextual usage. Distinguish among the connotations of words with similar denotations.
INDICATOR		<u>BookTaco</u> Definition Matching Definition matching exercise leveraging high level engagement with pronunciation reinforcement.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.2.5	Consult general and specialized reference materials, both print and digital (e.g., dictionary, thesaurus, style guide), to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, part of speech, or origin. <u>BookTaco</u> Nonfiction Text Features Encourage your students to review nonfiction books for text features and discuss the impact and significance of each.
STANDARD /		READING
STRAND PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary in Literature and Nonfiction Texts
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.3.1	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in works of literature, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) within a story, poem, or play. BookTaco Definition Matching Definition matching exercise leveraging high level engagement with pronunciation reinforcement.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.3.2	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a nonfiction text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone. <u>BookTaco</u> Definition Matching Definition matching exercise leveraging high level engagement with pronunciation reinforcement. Nonfiction Book Report

STANDARD / STRAND		Great activity to get your students reading for information allowing for assessment of understanding and comprehension. Sample Unscramble Sentence These scrambled sentences are a great way to teach and reinforce vocabulary, sentence structure, and grammar. WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.W.1	Write routinely over a variety of time frames for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences; apply reading standards to support analysis, reflection, and research by drawing evidence from literature and nonfiction texts. <u>BookTaco</u> Book Notes Opportunity for students to submit their thoughts, feelings, insight and observations on a book. Once submitted, Book Notes is marked completed and game coins earned with the notes appearing in the teacher's Reports page ready for review and assessment. Book Review Book Taco survey questions about how the student experienced the book and their overall rating of the characters, plot, and appeal. Book Take Student generated video response where students record and capture their true feelings about the books they read. The perfect tool to promote public speaking skills, collaboration, advocacy and student voice. Chapter Notes One page chapter notes organizer helps students organize characters and events for each chapter read. Draw It! Fun activity where students get to express their creativity by drawing their favorite parts of books and providing description. Nonfiction Book Report Great activity to get your students reading for information allowing for assessment of understanding and comprehension. Paragraph Writing Prompts Students can view and select from a variety of different writing prompts. Once their paragraph(s) is ready it can be submitted for review/grading. Point Of View! Assess the level of a student's thinking about the reading and their ability to support conclusions with text-based evidence. Reteil The Story Practice summarizing and retelling the story (writing or pictures) by challenging students to identify main ideas, themes, and key details.
STANDARD / STRAND		WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		The Research Process: Finding, Assessing, Synthesizing, and Reporting Information
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.W.5	Conduct short research assignments and tasks to build knowledge about the research process and the topic under study.
INDICATOR		Gather relevant information from multiple sources, using search terms effectively, and annotate sources. <u>BookTaco</u> Book Notes Opportunity for students to submit their thoughts, feelings, insight and observations on a book. Once submitted, Book Notes is marked completed and game coins earned with the notes appearing in the teacher's Reports page ready for review and assessment.
STANDARD / STRAND		WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English: Grammar and Usage/ Capitalization, Punctuation, and Spelling

EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.W.6.1	Demonstrate command of English grammar and usage, focusing on:
INDICATOR	7.W.6.1e	Usage – Writing simple, compound, complex, and compound-complex sentences; recognizing and correcting sentence fragments and run-ons; varying sentence patterns for meaning, reader interest, and style.
		BookTaco Sample Unscramble Sentence These scrambled sentences are a great way to teach and reinforce vocabulary, sentence structure, and grammar. Sentence Completion Matching exercise challenges the understanding of the appropriate contextual usage of the words.
STANDARD / STRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.SL.1	Listen actively and adjust the use of spoken language (e.g., conventions, style, vocabulary) to communicate effectively with a variety of audiences and for different purposes.
		<u>BookTaco</u> Book Talk Student generated video response where students record and capture their true feelings about the books they read. The perfect tool to promote public speaking skills, collaboration, advocacy and student voice.
STANDARD / STRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Discussion and Collaboration
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.SL.2.1	Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) on grade-appropriate topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing personal ideas clearly. <u>BookTaco</u> Book Talk Student generated video response where students record and capture their
		true feelings about the books they read. The perfect tool to promote public speaking skills, collaboration, advocacy and student voice. Nonfiction Text Features Encourage your students to review nonfiction books for text features and discuss the impact and significance of each.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.SL.2.2	Investigate and reflect on ideas under discussion by identifying specific evidence from materials under study and other resources.
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EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.SL.2.3	Follow rules for considerate discussions, track progress toward specific goals and deadlines, and define individual roles as needed.
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EXPECTATION /	7.SL.2.4	Pose questions that elicit elaboration and respond to others' questions and

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EXPECTATION /	7.SL.2.5	Acknowledge new information expressed by others, and consider it in relation to one''s own views.
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STANDARD / STRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
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INDICATOR / STANDARD		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.SL.4.1	Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, details, and examples; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation. <u>BookTaco</u> <u>Book Talk</u> Student generated video response where students record and capture their true feelings about the books they read. The perfect tool to promote public speaking skills, collaboration, advocacy and student voice. Definition Matching Definition matching exercise leveraging high level engagement with pronunciation reinforcement. Hear It Say It Write It Word pronunciation with student modeling along with word writing in print or cursive. Sample Unscramble Sentence These scrambled sentences are a great way to teach and reinforce vocabulary, sentence structure, and grammar. Word Introduction Introduction to definitions, synonyms, antonyms and contextual usage. Word Jumble Active and fun learning medium promoting language acquisition through contextual and visual experience. Word Ladder Interactive exercise deepening knowledge of new words, boosting working memory and increasing student exposure.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.SL.4.2	Create engaging presentations that include multimedia components and visual displays to clarify claims and findings and emphasize salient points.
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