TEST BLUEPRINT ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS GRADE 3

IDEAL PERCENTAGE OF ITEMS	IDEAL NUMBER OF ITEMS	STANDARDS
40%	20	STANDARD 2: READING AND WRITING PROCESS** Students will use a variety of recursive reading and writing processes.
12%	6	STANDARD 3: CRITICAL READING AND WRITING Students will apply critical thinking skills to reading and writing.
24%	12	STANDARD 4: VOCABULARY** Students will expand their working vocabularies to effectively communicate and understand texts.
12%	6	STANDARD 5: LANGUAGE Students will apply knowledge of grammar and rhetorical style to reading and writing.
12%	6	STANDARD 6: RESEARCH Students will engage in inquiry to acquire, refine, and share knowledge.
		**Reading Comprehension and Vocabulary standards applied to determine RSA Status
100%	50	TOTAL

^{*}Standard 8: Independent Reading and Writing is assessed throughout the test and dually aligned to each standard. Please note this blueprint does not include items that may be field-tested.

A minimum of 6 items is required to report a standard.



TEST BLUEPRINT ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS GRADE 4

IDEAL PERCENTAGE OF ITEMS	IDEAL NUMBER OF ITEMS	STANDARDS
32%	16	STANDARD 2: READING AND WRITING PROCESS Students will use a variety of recursive reading and writing processes.
20%	10	STANDARD 3: CRITICAL READING AND WRITING Students will apply critical thinking skills to reading and writing.
24%	12	STANDARD 4: VOCABULARY Students will expand their working vocabularies to effectively communicate and understand texts.
12%	6	STANDARD 5: LANGUAGE Students will apply knowledge of grammar and rhetorical style to reading and writing.
12%	6	STANDARD 6: RESEARCH Students will engage in inquiry to acquire, refine, and share knowledge.
100%	50	TOTAL

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A minimum of 6 items is required to report a standard.



TEST BLUEPRINT ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS GRADE 5

IDEAL PERCENTAGE OF MC ITEMS	IDEAL NUMBER OF ITEMS	STANDARDS
32%	16	STANDARD 2: READING AND WRITING PROCESS Students will use a variety of recursive reading and writing processes.
24%	12	STANDARD 3: CRITICAL READING AND WRITING Students will apply critical thinking skills to reading and writing.
20%	10	STANDARD 4: VOCABULARY Students will expand their working vocabularies to effectively communicate and understand texts.
12%	6	STANDARD 5: LANGUAGE Students will apply knowledge of grammar and rhetorical style to reading and writing.
12%	6	STANDARD 6: RESEARCH Students will engage in inquiry to acquire, refine, and share knowledge.
90% OF OVERALL SCORE	50 MC ITEMS	
10% OF OVERALL SCORE	1 PROMPT 5 POINTS	WRITING SECTION Standard 2: Reading and Writing Process Standard 3: Critical Reading and Writing Standard 4: Vocabulary Standard 5: Language Standard 6: Research Standard 8: Independent Reading and Writing
100%	51 ITEMS 55 Points	TOTAL

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TEST BLUEPRINT ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS GRADE 6

IDEAL PERCENTAGE OF ITEMS	IDEAL NUMBER OF ITEMS	STANDARDS
36%	18	STANDARD 2: READING AND WRITING PROCESS Students will use a variety of recursive reading and writing processes.
20%	10	STANDARD 3: CRITICAL READING AND WRITING Students will apply critical thinking skills to reading and writing.
20%	10	STANDARD 4: VOCABULARY Students will expand their working vocabularies to effectively communicate and understand texts.
12%	6	STANDARD 5: LANGUAGE Students will apply knowledge of grammar and rhetorical style to reading and writing.
12%	6	STANDARD 6: RESEARCH Students will engage in inquiry to acquire, refine, and share knowledge.
100%	50	TOTAL

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A minimum of 6 items is required to report a standard.



TEST BLUEPRINT ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS GRADE 7

IDEAL PERCENTAGE OF ITEMS	IDEAL NUMBER OF ITEMS	STANDARDS
36%	18	STANDARD 2: READING AND WRITING PROCESS Students will use a variety of recursive reading and writing processes.
20%	10	STANDARD 3: CRITICAL READING AND WRITING Students will apply critical thinking skills to reading and writing.
16%	8	STANDARD 4: VOCABULARY Students will expand their working vocabularies to effectively communicate and understand texts.
12%	6	STANDARD 5: LANGUAGE Students will apply knowledge of grammar and rhetorical style to reading and writing.
16%	8	STANDARD 6: RESEARCH Students will engage in inquiry to acquire, refine, and share knowledge.
100%	50	TOTAL

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A minimum of 6 items is required to report a standard.



TEST BLUEPRINT ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS GRADE 8

IDEAL PERCENTAGE OF MC ITEMS	IDEAL NUMBER Of Items	STANDARDS
28%	14	STANDARD 2: READING AND WRITING PROCESS Students will use a variety of recursive reading and writing processes.
28%	14	STANDARD 3: CRITICAL READING AND WRITING Students will apply critical thinking skills to reading and writing.
16%	8	STANDARD 4: VOCABULARY Students will expand their working vocabularies to effectively communicate and understand texts.
14%	7	STANDARD 5: LANGUAGE Students will apply knowledge of grammar and rhetorical style to reading and writing.
14%	7	STANDARD 6: RESEARCH Students will engage in inquiry to acquire, refine, and share knowledge.
88% OF OVERALL SCORE	50 MC ITEMS	
12% OF OVERALL SCORE	1 PROMPT 7 POINTS	WRITING SECTION Standard 2: Reading and Writing Process Standard 3: Critical Reading and Writing Standard 4: Vocabulary Standard 5: Language Standard 6: Research Standard 8: Independent Reading and Writing
100%	51 ITEMS 57 POINTS	TOTAL

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