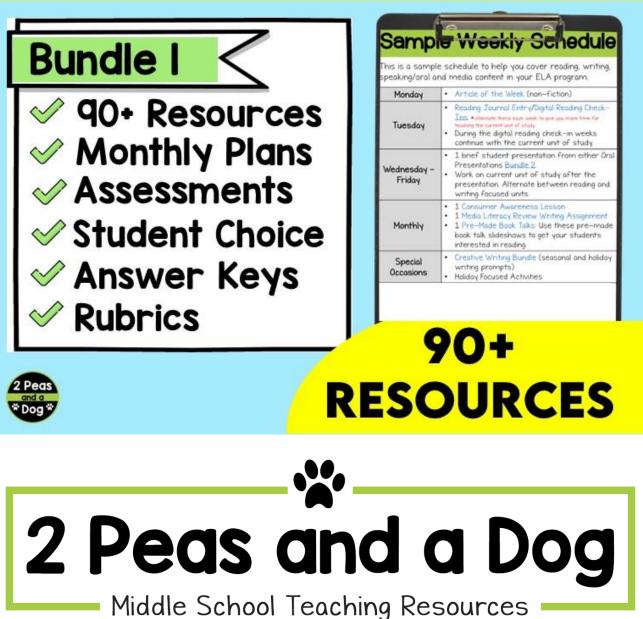
GRADE 7 ELA FULL YEAR LESSONS PDF & DIGITAL FORMATS



RESOURCE INCLUDES

✓ 90+ Resources

- ✓ Detailed Teacher Instructions
- ✓ Monthly Teaching Plan
- ✓ Lessons, Assignments, Rubrics
 ✓ Answer Keys & Exemplars
 ✓ Student Choice & Differentiation
 ✓ PDF & Google Slides[™] Formats

LESSONS INCLUDE

★ Reading & Writing
★ Speaking & Listening
★ Media Literacy & Seasonal

FREE UP YOUR WEEKENDS

THIS RESOURCE IS FOR GRADE 7 ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS TEACHERS WHO:

- \checkmark Want their students to enjoy what they are learning
- Want their evenings and weekends free from lesson planning
 Want to ensure that they are covering the curriculum expectations in a meaningful yet engaging way



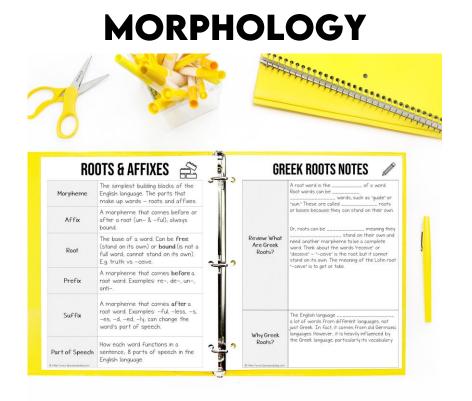
Reading Lessons - Strand C	Writing Lessons – Strand D
✓ Reading Journal Assignment	✓ Middle School Speech Writing Unit
✓ 31 Non-Fiction Articles	✓ Article of the Week Program
✓ Short Story Unit	✓ Parts of Speech Grammar Unit
✓ Novel Study Activities For Any Novel Unit	✓ My Life in Logos Paragraph Assignment
✓ Biography Book Report Assignment	✓ Poetry Unit
✓ Poetry Unit	✓ Creative Writing
✓ Book Versus Movie Comparison Analysis	✓ Middle School Informational Text Graphic
Project	Organizers
✓ Reading Strategies Graphic Organizers	✓ Non-Fiction Graphic Organizers
✓ Fractured Fairy Tales Analysis Project	✓ Global Holiday Celebrations Research
✓ Graphic Novel Book Report	Assignment
✓ Lit Launch Reading Engagement	✓ Middle School Punctuation Unit
Workshop	✓ Middle School Greek Roots Morphology
✓ Middle School ELA Sub Plans — Topic One	Unit and Worksheets
Child Policy	✓ Middle School Cursive Writing Workbook

Speaking/Listening Lessons - Strand B	Media Literacy Lessons – Strand A
 ✓ 12 Podcast Listening Comprehension Lessons ✓ Poetry Unit ✓ Current Events News Assignment ✓ Hot Topics Debate Assignment ✓ Book Talks ✓ Rant Writing Unit 	 ✓ Analyzing PSAs and Commercials Unit ✓ 11 Consumer Awareness Lessons ✓ Fake News Unit ✓ Digital Citizenship Unit
Holiday & Seas	sonal Lessons

- \checkmark Back To School Activities
- ✓ Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer, Back To School, Halloween, Christmas, and Easter Creative Writing Assignments
- ✓ Remembrance Day Unit
- \checkmark Global Holiday Celebrations Research Assignment
- ✓ End-of-the-Year Activities

ONTARIO LANGUAGE CURRICULUM 2023 ALIGNED

- Strand A Literacy Connections and Applications
- Strand B Foundations of Language
- Strand C Critical Thinking in Literacy
- Strand D Composition: Expressing Ideas and Creating Texts



DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP



CURSIVE WRITING



TEACHER FEEDBACK

- ✓ "Fantastic resource. Covers all areas of the New curriculum. Highly recommended!" Patricia B.
- ✓ "Great resource to help with my transition to the role of grade 7 homeroom teacher! Thank you." – Christina D.
- "This resource is my holy grail! It has helped me implement engaging lessons while also teaching curriculum. It has also lead my students to think outside of the box and apply real-world scenarios to their learning. I appreciate all the detail lesson plans, success criteria and rubrics that relate to each task. Thank you so much for creating a very thoughtful resource!" - Subi S.

WHAT'S INSIDE? **MONTHLY OVERVIEW & DAILY LESSON PLANS**

MONTHLY LESSON OVERVIEW

Use these lessons in addition to the lessons mentioned each month.

 Reading Journal Assignment (2 - 4 per month) Monthly • Article of the Week (2 - 4 per month) Lessons 1 Consumer Awareness Lesson 1 Podcast Listening Lesson Parts of Speech Unit (use different lessons each month) Back To School Activities September My Life in Logos Paragraph Writing Assignment Short Story Unit Fall or Halloween Creative Writing October Currents Events Presentation

My Life In Logos Writing Assignment	Lesson Overview: Students will activate their prior short story Knowledge through a graffiti activity and class discussion. Materials Needed: Google Docs (Digital Versi)
Rational: This paragraph writing activity is a great get-to-Know it activity for any class. Students are engaged in writing because it activity for any class. Students and they get to discuss items of directly relates to their lives, and they get to discuss items of directly relates to their lives assignment during back to school season directly relates to them. Use this assignment during back to effocus	Chart paper and markers (Paper Version) Discussion Question Prompts Teacher Inst. Source State Teacher Inst
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ASSIGNMENTS & GRAPHIC ORGANIZERS

SPEECH SUCCESS CRITERIA



- ✓ 2 5 minutes maximum
- ✓ Hook, supporting points, action
- ✓ Clear loud voice
- ✓ Interest and enthusiasm
- ✓ Passionate about the top
- ✓ Eye contact look at you
- ✓ Formal body language
- ✓ Be prepared
- ✓ Knowledge of content
- ✓ Speech memorization
- ✓ Audience engagement ar
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cell phone. Many people listen to

- Podcast Recording Set Up
- dive further into, within each episode What is a podcast? Podcasts are a widespread form of udio entertainment for anyone to
- Often, podcasts have guests to help discuss a certain topic for educational or entertainment purposes. Most podcasts sell advertising space
 - Podcasts can be used to inform, and are most commonly described as listening in on a group of friends chatting about life.

A podcast is made up of episodes.

2 hours each. A podcast usually has

1 or 2 hosts who discuss a variety

ranging from 10 minutes to

of subjects. The topics can be

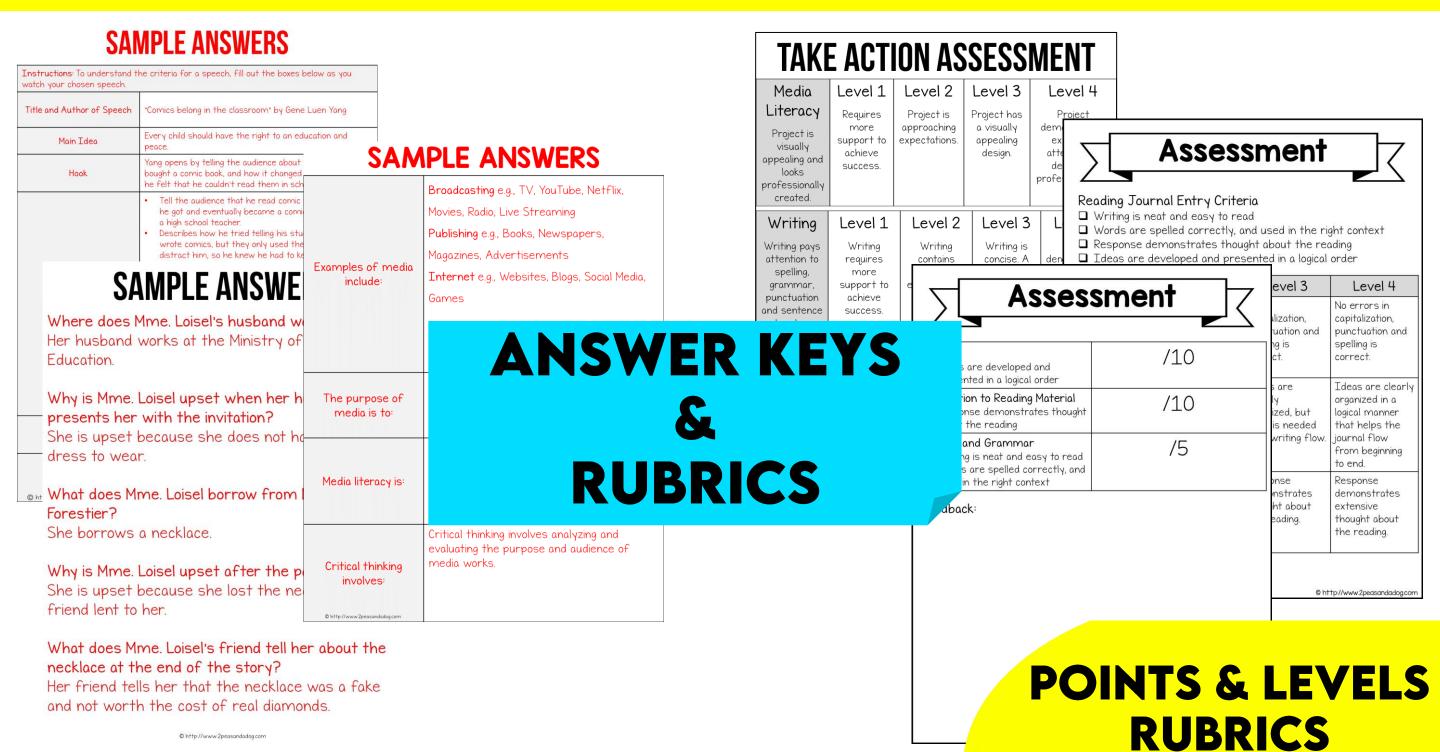
looked at broadly or in specific

Each podcast is usually based

around a theme that the hosts

- Sometimes, podcasts can replicate not need to tune into a broadcast to a TV show by providing weekly episodes that, together, create a serialized story
- Most podcasts can be downloaded to any media player, including your Podcasts have become extremely popular and it would not be hard to podcasts on Apple Podcasts, Spotify Find a subject matter that could meet your interests.
- Most often, a podcast can be Some titles of popular middle described as an audio show that school podcasts are "Mars Patel," you can listen to on your own time. "Six Minutes" and "Smash Boom Best*
- LITERARY ELEMENTS Literary Element Text Example 90+ Inciting Inc **CURRENT EVENTS** Plot The plot is the major events that take place during the LESSONS story Climax Inciting Incident: the event that starts the story **Reading Goals** Climax: is the highest point of conflict in the story. Resolution Resolution: is the ending of the story, where the conflict is usually resolved. Examples **Reading Goal** Month What are Current Events? A Major Char e.g. Read x pages every night Characters is currently happening that r e a Finish 2 hooks this month (Static/Dyn These are the people (e.g. animals, ghosts, etc.) that are in REAL NEWS VS. FAKE NEWS Goal: Task: You will be researching the story. the class. You will create a p Major Characters have a large chosen article. role in the story. Reflection: Minor Characters have a small Process: role in the story. 1. During the days leading Characters are either static (do news or review the onlin Goal - not change throughout the Find out what current e story) or dynamic (change talking about? Why are extensively through out the 3. Select a current events story). Reflection: teacher O Complete all of the curi **Real News** Fake News demonstrate your know Goal: Create a slideshow or p □ Answers the 5 W's + H □ Written by an unknown own text (what you thir (Who, What, Where, news source. your article. When, Why and How). Article is a hoax or a joke. Reflection: Provides facts and Contains inaccurate or false information sources. • Written by a reputable Contains fake facts. **LESSONS INCLUDE** and well-known news Contains bias and/or misleading information. source. Article wants to inform Provokes a strong reaction readers, not provoke an from readers. ★ Reading & Writing Sources are not real. overreaction Can be fact-checked Digital manipulation of ★ Speaking & Listening using multiple sources. images. □ Information is Images can be authenticated. unbelievable.
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Grade 7 Strand A – Literacy Connections and Applications

Expectation		Resource
A1.1 Receptive and Expressive Communication	 Back to School Activities Bundle Pet-Themed Digital Escape Room 	 New Year's Goal Setting Activity and Reflection Sheets End of the Year Activities For Middle School
A1.2 Student Agency and Engagement	Current Events News AssignmentHot Topics Debate Assignment	Book TalksRant Writing Unit
A2.1 Digital Citizenship	 Middle School Digital Citizenship Unit 	
A2.2 Online Safety, Well- Being, and Etiquette		
A2.3 Research and Information Literacy	 Fake News Unit 	
A2.4 Forms, Conventions, and Techniques	 Media Literacy Unit – Analyzing Public Service Anno 	uncements and Commercials
A2.5 Media, Audience, and Production	 Media Literacy Unit – Analyzing Public Service Anno 	uncements and Commercials
A2.6 Innovation and Design	 Podcast Creation Assignment 	
A2.7 Community and Cultural Awareness	 Middle School Digital Citizenship Unit 	
A3.1 Cross-Curricular and Integrated Learning	 Checkout Charities Clothing Waste Gender Price Differences Outlet vs. Retail Bottled Water Dog DNA Tests 	 Misleading Food Labels Breakfast Sandwiches Makeup Testers Healthy or Junk Food? Orange Juice Middle School ELA Sub Plans - Topic One Child Policy

Grade 7 Strand A – Literacy Connections and Applications

Expectation	Resource
A3.2 Identity and Community	 Short Story Unit 1
A3.3 First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Perspectives and Ways of Knowing	 Not included - check with your school district's Indigenous Education Department for literature recommendations Suggestions: Middle School Books by Indigenous Authors Young Adult Books By Indigenous Authors Fantastic Orange Shirt Day Resources For Middle School Teachers

Grade 7 Strand B – Foundations of Language

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Expectation		Resource
B1.1 Effective Listening Skills	 Co-create class discussion expectations 	
B1.2 Listening Strategies for Comprehension	Podcast Listening Comprehension Lessons Online Orders Drones For Delivery Vending Machines Subscription Traps TikTok Creator Fund Personalized Notes Six Minutes Podcast Episode 1	 Dollar Store Prices Pay What You Want Stores Fancy Product Names QR Code Restaurant Menus Right To Repair Subscription Boxes
B1.3 Speaking Purposes and Strategies	 Current Events News Assignment Hot Topics Debate Assignment Book Talks Rant Writing Unit 	
B1.4 Oral and Non-Verbal Communication Strategies	 Co-created success criteria for oral presentations Model a successful and unsuccessful presentation 	

Grade 7 Strand B – Foundations of Language

Expectation	Resource
B1.5 Word Choice, Syntax, and Grammar in Oral Communication	 Parts of Speech Grammar Unit Middle School Punctuation Unit Middle School Greek Roots Morphology Unit and Worksheets
B2.1 Word-Level Reading and Spelling: Using Morphological Knowledge	
B2.2 Vocabulary	
B2.3 Reading Fluency: Accuracy, Rate, and Prosody	
B3.1 Syntax and Sentence Structure	
B3.2 Grammar	
B3.3 Capitalization and Punctuation	

Grade 7 Strand C – Critical Thinking in Literacy

Expectation	Resource
C1.1 Using Foundational Knowledge and Skills to Comprehend Texts	 31 Non-Fiction Articles Reading Journal Assignment Book Versus Movie Comparison Analysis Project Reading Strategies Graphic Organizers Fractured Fairy Tales Analysis Project
C1.2 Text Forms and Genres	 Biography Book Report Novel Study Activities For Any Novel Unit
C1.3 Text Patterns and Features	 Article of the Week Differentiated Lessons Middle School Informational Text Graphic Organizers Non-Fiction Graphic Organizers
C1.4 Visual Elements of Texts	 Graphic Novel Book Report
C1.5 Elements of Style	 Have students locate current area of grammar study in the texts used in class
C1.6 Point of View	 Short Story Unit 1 Novel Study Activities For Any Novel Unit
C1.7 Indigenous Context of Various Text Forms	 Not included - check with your school district's Indigenous Education Department for literature recommendations Suggestions: Middle School Books by Indigenous Authors Young Adult Books By Indigenous Authors Fantastic Orange Shirt Day Resources For Middle School Teachers

Grade 7 Strand C – Foundations of Language

Expectation	Resource
C2.1 Prereading: Activating Prior Knowledge	 Short Story Unit 1 Novel Study Activities For Any Novel Unit Reading Journal
C2.2 Prereading: Identifying the Purpose for Reading, Listening, and Viewing	
C2.3 Monitoring of Understanding: Making and Confirming Predictions	
C2.4 Monitoring of Understanding: Ongoing Comprehension Check	
C2.5 Monitoring of Understanding: Making Connections	
C2.6 Summarizing: Identifying Relevant Information and Drawing Conclusions	 Middle School Informational Text Graphic Organizers Non-Fiction Graphic Organizers
C2.7 Reflecting on Learning	 Lit Launch Middle School Reading Engagement Workshop Reading Journal

Grade 7 Strand C – Critical Thinking in Literacy

Expectation	Resource
C3.1 Literary Devices	 7th Grade Poetry Unit Short Story Unit 1 Novel Study Activities For Any Novel Unit
C3.2 Making Inferences	
C3.3 Analyzing Texts	
C3.4 Analyzing Cultural Elements of Texts	
C3.5 Perspectives within Texts	
C3.6 Analysis and Response	 31 Non-Fiction Articles Novel Study Activities For Any Novel Unit
C3.7 Indigenous Contexts	 Use articles from this website for your Article of the Week program
C3.8 Reflecting on Learning	 Have students complete reflection journal entries after major assignments and/or lessons

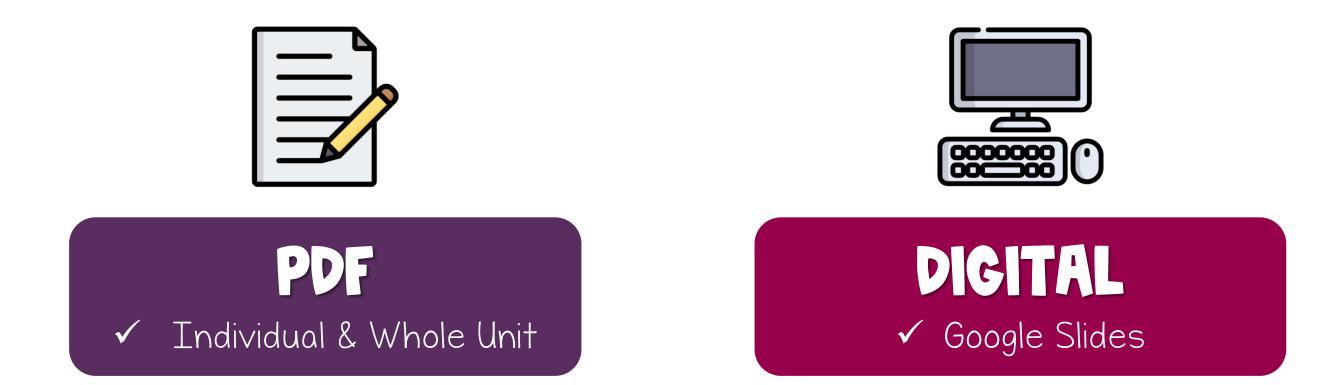
Grade 7 Strand D – Literacy Connections and Applications

Expectation	Resource
D1.1 Purpose and Audience	7th Grade Poetry UnitMy Life in Logos Assignment
D1.2 Developing Ideas	 Creative Writing Assignments Expository Writing Middle School Speech Writing Unit Clabel Helidey Calebrations Descared Assignment
D1.3 Research	 Global Holiday Celebrations Research Assignment Informational Texts
D1.4 Organizing Content	 Read several of the included non-fiction articles then have students write their own non-fiction article including relevant text features Remembrance Day Unit
D1.5 Reflecting on Learning	 Have students complete reflection journal entries after major assignments and/or lessons

Grade 7 Strand A – Literacy Connections and Applications

Expectation	Resource
D2.1 Producing Drafts	 Produce typed-up good copies of written work Integrate cursive writing into warm-up routines or stations Integrate typing skills into warm-up routines or stations Add variety to final projects - Best Creative Student Projects Ideas
D2.2 Printing, Handwriting, and Word Processing	 Middle School Cursive Writing Workbook
D2.3 Voice	
D2.4 Point of View and Perspective	
D2.5 Revision	
D2.6 Editing and Proofreading	
D3.1 Producing Final Texts	
D3.2 Publishing and Presenting Texts	
D3.3 Reflecting on Learning	 Have students complete reflection journal entries after major assignments and/or lessons

LESSON FORMATS



RESOURCE CAN BE USED IN-PERSON OR ONLINE