### **California Common Core State Standards (2013)**









Founded in 2007, Great Minds PBC has evolved from an education advocacy start-up to a respected curriculum developer providing the highest-quality materials and professional development to schools and districts nationwide. In pursuit of its goal of raising expectations for every student, Great Minds⊚ enlists educators to write curricula based on proven learning strategies to reward students' natural curiosity, build knowledge, and cultivate lifelong critical-thinking skills. Writing teams collaborate to ensure a consistent structure and vision for learning within and across all grade levels. We are pleased to bring you our newest kindergarten through grade level 8 English language arts (ELA) offering, *Arts & Letters™*.

Arts & Letters students engage with high-quality texts to explore science and social studies topics, literature, and fine art. By studying topics in depth, students build knowledge of the lived experiences of others and learn how a deeper knowledge of those experiences can change the world. The text-based lessons build strong readers, writers, and communicators through effective use of grammar and vocabulary. All students read and discuss gradelevel texts, and the curriculum provides guidance for supporting all learners at key moments in the lessons.

There are four topic-driven modules for each grade level in *Arts & Letters*. The modules last between six and eight weeks and contain approximately 40 lessons. The core of each module is a selection of literary works, informational texts, and visual art. All modules integrate reading, writing, speaking, listening, and language instruction.

Arts & Letters was intentionally designed to be implemented alongside a high-quality, research-based foundational skills program. With strategic placement of supplemental materials, students can successfully achieve the proficiencies of California standards while benefiting from the rich texts and knowledge-building of Arts & Letters. A detailed alignment analysis between California standards and Arts & Letters follows.

# Reading Standards for Literature Key Ideas and Details

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RL.5.1	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37
Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 36
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 39
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 39
RL.5.2	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 3, 5, 16, 19, 20, 21, 23, 28, 30, 31, 32, 36
Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text, including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges or how the speaker in a poem reflects upon a topic; summarize the text.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 5, 36
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 3, 5, 8, 13, 14, 17, 30, 32, 33, 36
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 3, 5, 10, 14, 21, 23, 26, 27, 29, 39
RL.5.3	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 17, 19, 20, 23, 26, 27
Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., how characters interact).	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 5
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 9, 12, 13, 15, 17, 21, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 31
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 22, 23

### **Reading Standards for Literature**

**Craft and Structure** 

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RL.5.4  Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative language such as metaphors and similes.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 3, 15, 22, 29, 30, 32, 43 Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 3 Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 8, 9, 10, 13, 21, 24, 28 Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 3, 5, 11, 15, 18, 23, 27, 28
RL.5.5  Explain how a series of chapters, scenes, or stanzas fits together to provide the overall structure of a particular story, drama, or poem.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 3, 4, 19, 20, 21, 22, 31 Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 13, 31 Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 3, 6, 21, 25, 26, 27
RL.5.6  Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 31 Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 4, 10, 12, 18, 22, 29

# Reading Standards for Literature Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RL.5.7  Analyze how visual and multimedia elements contribute to the meaning, tone, or beauty of a text (e.g., graphic novel, multimedia presentation of fiction, folktale, myth, poem).	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 16, 29, 30 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 4, 8, 10, 12, 25, 31
RL.5.8 (Not applicable to literature)	
RL.5.9  Compare and contrast stories in the same genre (e.g., mysteries and adventure stories) on their approaches to similar themes and topics.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 28 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 5, 7, 25, 29

### Reading Standards for Literature Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RL.5.10  By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 4–5 text complexity band independently and proficiently.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37
	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 36
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 39
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 39

### **Reading Standards for Informational Text**

**Key Ideas and Details** 

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RI.5.1	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 25, 33, 36
Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 6, 33
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 6, 7, 9, 11, 24, 26, 29, 32
RI.5.2	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 9, 11, 36
Determine two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details; summarize the text.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 8, 9, 13, 24, 30, 32, 36
RI.5.3	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 8
Explain the relationships or interactions between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or concepts in a historical, scientific, or technical text based on specific information in the text.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 19, 20, 22, 23, 26, 28, 30, 32

### **Reading Standards for Informational Text**

**Craft and Structure** 

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RI.5.4  Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 8, 10, 11 Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 8, 9, 14, 26 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 7, 9
RI.5.5  Compare and contrast the overall structure (e.g., chronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or information in two or more texts.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 8 Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 31 Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 11
RI.5.6  Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 9 Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 31

### **Reading Standards for Informational Text**

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RI.5.7  Draw on information from multiple print or digital sources, demonstrating the ability to locate an answer to a question quickly or to solve a problem efficiently.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 8, 10, 13, 21 Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 26
RI.5.8  Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point(s).	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 12, 15, 27
RI.5.9  Integrate information from several texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 10, 11 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 6, 7

#### **Reading Standards for Informational Text**

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

lle 1, Lessons 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 25, 33, 36 lle 2, Lessons 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, , 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36 lle 3, Lessons 6, 33 lle 4, Lessons 6, 7, 9, 11, 24, 26, 29, 32

### **Reading Standards for Foundational Skills**

**Phonics and Word Recognition** 

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RF.5.3	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 18, 19, 20, 22, 25, 26, 29, 30, 35
Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 35
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 25, 26, 31, 35
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 25
RF.5.3.a  Use combined knowledge of all letter-sound correspondences, syllabication patterns, and morphology (e.g., roots and affixes) to read accurately unfamiliar multisyllabic words in context and out of context.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 18, 19, 20, 22, 25, 26, 29, 30, 35
	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 35
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 25, 26, 31, 35
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 25

### **Reading Standards for Foundational Skills**

Fluency

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
RF.5.4	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 39
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 25
RF.5.4.a	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 39
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 25
RF.5.4.b	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
Read on-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate,	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
and expression on successive readings.	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 39
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 25
RF.5.4.c	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 6
Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 6
understanding, rereading as necessary.	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 6, 39
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 7, 25

### **Writing Standards**

**Text Types and Purposes** 

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
W.5.1 Write opinion pieces on topics or texts, supporting a point of view with reasons and information.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 47, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 59, 60, 61, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 71, 73, 76, 77, 78  Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 36, 37, 38

W.5.1.a  Introduce a topic or text clearly, state an opinion, and create an organizational structure in which ideas are logically grouped to support the writer's purpose.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 36, 37, 38
W.5.1.b  Provide logically ordered reasons that are supported by facts and details.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 13, 16, 19, 20, 21, 24, 27, 29, 31, 33, 37, 38
W.5.1.c  Link opinion and reasons using words, phrases, and clauses (e.g., consequently, specifically).	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 7, 11, 12, 14, 15, 20, 21, 25, 26, 29, 31, 33, 36, 37, 38
W.5.1.d  Provide a concluding statement or section related to the opinion presented.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 20, 21, 29, 31, 37, 38
W.5.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.	Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 28
W.5.2.a  Introduce a topic clearly, provide a general observation and focus, and group related information logically; include formatting (e.g., headings), illustrations, and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 9, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38, 39
W.5.2.b  Develop the topic with facts, definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples related to the topic.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 29, 31, 32, 36, 37, 38, 39
W.5.2.c  Link ideas within and across categories of information using words, phrases, and clauses (e.g., in contrast, especially).	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 15, 16, 17, 29, 30, 33, 38, 39

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Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 9, 17, 18, 32, 38, 39
Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 22, 23, 32, 38, 39
Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 22, 23, 32, 38, 39
Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38
Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 11, 12, 14, 18, 22, 24, 26, 28, 32, 33, 37, 38
Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 13, 14, 21, 22, 23, 25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 36, 37, 38
Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 22, 28, 37, 38
Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 22, 28, 29, 37, 38

Writing Standards
Production and Distribution of Writing

Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38, 39
Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 36, 37, 38
Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38
Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 8, 15, 18, 25, 33, 34, 35
Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 29, 30, 33, 36, 37, 39
Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, 31, 36, 38
Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 11, 12, 13, 15, 17, 18, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38
Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 33, 34, 35, 36
Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 38
Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 39
Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 35

Writing Standards
Research to Build and Present Knowledge

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
W.5.7	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 15, 16, 17, 29, 30, 31, 32, 36, 37, 38
Conduct short research projects that use several sources to build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, 36
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 35, 36, 38
W.5.8	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 36, 37
Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 32, 36, 39
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 36, 39
W.5.9	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 30, 32, 36, 37, 38, 39
Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 11, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21, 23, 25, 26, 27, 29, 31, 36, 37, 38
W.5.9.a	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 30, 32, 36, 37, 38, 39
Apply grade 5 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or a drama, drawing on specific details in the text [e.g., how characters interact]").	
W.5.9.b	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 11, 23, 25, 26, 27, 29, 31, 36, 37, 38
Apply grade 5 Reading standards to informational texts (e.g., "Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point[s]").	

# Writing Standards Range of Writing

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
W.5.10  Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38, 39  Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38  Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38  Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39

# **Speaking and Listening Standards Comprehension and Collaboration**

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
SL.5.1  Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 39  Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 36, 38, 39
SL.5.1.a  Come to discussions prepared, having read or studied required material; explicitly draw on that preparation and other information known about the topic to explore ideas under discussion.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 36  Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 39  Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 36, 37  Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 2, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 39

SL.5.1.b  Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 36  Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 39  Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 36, 37  Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 36, 38, 39
SL.5.1.c  Pose and respond to specific questions by making comments that contribute to the discussion and elaborate on the remarks of others.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 24, 32, 36 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 5, 17, 32, 36 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 5, 23, 29, 39
SL.5.1.d  Review the key ideas expressed and draw conclusions in light of information and knowledge gained from the discussions.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 5, 11, 23, 32, 36 Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 5, 24, 32, 33, 36 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 7, 23 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 5, 23, 29, 39
SL.5.2  Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 17, 20, 26, 27, 30 Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 10 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 3, 5, 6, 9, 10
SL.5.3  Summarize the points a speaker or media source makes and explain how each claim is supported by reasons and evidence, and identify and analyze any logical fallacies.	Arts & Letters partially addresses this standard; the program does not explicitly address identifying and analyzing any logical fallacies.  Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 27  Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 12, 23, 26, 39  Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 5, 32, 36

# **Speaking and Listening Standards Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas**

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
SL.5.4	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 3, 5, 11, 12, 17, 19, 22, 23, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38
Report on a topic or text or present an opinion, sequencing ideas logically and using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 5, 6, 15, 16, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 32, 36, 37, 38, 39
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 5, 6, 13, 14, 17, 21, 29, 32, 36, 37
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 5, 37, 38, 39
SL.5.4.a	Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 39
Plan and deliver an opinion speech that: states an opinion, logically sequences evidence to support the speaker's position, uses transition words to effectively link opinions and evidence (e.g., consequently and therefore), and provides a concluding statement related to the speaker's position.	
SL.5.4.b	Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 25
Memorize and recite a poem or section of a speech or historical document using rate, expression, and gestures appropriate to the selection.	
SL.5.5	Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 39
Include multimedia components (e.g., graphics, sound) and visual displays in presentations when appropriate to enhance the development of main ideas or themes.	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 36, 37, 38
SL.5.6	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 5, 11, 23, 32, 36
Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, using formal English	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 5, 24, 30, 32, 36
when appropriate to task and situation.	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 5, 17, 32, 36
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 5, 37, 38, 39

# **Language Standards**Conventions of Standard English

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
L.5.1	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 9, 12, 24, 25, 33
Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 25, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 37, 38
	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 23
L.5.1.a	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 9, 12, 24, 25, 33
Explain the function of conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in general and their function in particular sentences.	Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 30
L.5.1.b	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 7, 14, 24
Form and use the perfect (e.g., I had walked; I have walked; I will have walked) verb tenses.	
L.5.1.c	Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 7
Use verb tense to convey various times, sequences, states, and conditions.	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 14, 24, 30
L.5.1.d	Level 5, Module 3, Lesson 23
Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb tense.	
L.5.1.e	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 25, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 37, 38
Use correlative conjunctions (e.g., either/or, neither/nor).	
L.5.2	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 9, 17, 18, 22, 23, 31, 32, 38, 39
Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 6, 13, 16, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28, 29, 31, 37, 38
capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 6, 8, 14, 15, 18, 22, 23, 28, 37, 38
	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 12, 28
L.5.2.a	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 18, 23
Use punctuation to separate items in a series.	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 12, 28

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L.5.2.b  Use a comma to separate an introductory element from the rest of the sentence.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 9, 18, 22, 23, 31, 32, 38, 39
L.5.2.c  Use a comma to set off the words yes and no (e.g., Yes, thank you), to set off a tag question from the rest of the sentence (e.g., It's true, isn't it?), and to indicate direct address (e.g., Is that you, Steve?).	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 8, 14, 15, 22, 28, 37, 38
L.5.2.d Use underlining, quotation marks, or italics to indicate titles of works.	Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 13, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28, 29, 31, 37, 38
L.5.2.e Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.	Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 14, 22, 28, 37, 38

# Language Standards Knowledge of Language

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
L.5.3  Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 6, 12, 24, 25, 28, 33 Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 6, 16, 25, 33 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 7, 9, 14, 23, 24, 30, 33, 34, 35, 36
L.5.3.a  Expand, combine, and reduce sentences for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 6, 12, 24, 25, 28, 33 Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 6, 16, 25, 33 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 7, 14, 23, 24, 30, 34, 35
L.5.3.b  Compare and contrast the varieties of English (e.g., dialects, registers) used in stories, dramas, or poems.	Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 2, 9, 33, 36

# **Language Standards**Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

California Standards	Aligned Components of Arts & Letters
L.5.4  Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 5 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 3, 5, 11, 14, 22, 25, 31, 35 Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 21, 26, 35 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 3, 8, 9, 10, 20, 22, 25, 28, 31, 35 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 5, 8, 10, 11, 17, 25, 27, 32
L.5.4.a  Use context (e.g., cause/effect relationships and comparisons in text) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 3 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 8, 9
L.5.4.b  Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., photograph, photosynthesis).	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 5, 11, 14, 25, 31, 35 Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 18, 21, 35 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 3, 9, 10, 20, 22, 25, 28, 31, 35 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 5, 10, 11, 17, 32
L.5.4.c  Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation and determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and phrases and to identify alternate word choices in all content areas.	Arts & Letters partially addresses this standard; the program does not explicitly address identifying alternate word choices.  Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 15, 22  Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 8, 17, 27
L.5.5  Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 10, 22, 29, 30, 32, 36 Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 4, 27 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 4, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 36 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 3, 5, 11, 20, 23, 26, 27, 28

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L.5.5.a Interpret figurative language, including similes and metaphors, in context.	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 10, 22, 29, 32 Level 5, Module 2, Lesson 27 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 21, 24, 36 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 3, 5, 20, 23, 27, 28
L.5.5.b  Recognize and explain the meaning of common idioms, adages, and proverbs.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 30 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 13, 14, 21, 24 Level 5, Module 4, Lesson 11
L.5.5.c  Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonyms, antonyms, homographs) to better understand each of the words.	Level 5, Module 1, Lesson 36 Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 9, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 22, 25, 26, 28, 29 Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 26, 27
L.5.6  Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition).	Level 5, Module 1, Lessons 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39  Level 5, Module 2, Lessons 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38  Level 5, Module 3, Lessons 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38  Level 5, Module 4, Lessons 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 18, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 34, 35, 39