

Grade 7 ELA Curriculum Map Semester 1			
Unit & Timeline	Unit 1 38 Days	Unit 2 38 Days	Unit 3
Unit Title	Identity and Transformation/Narrative and Memoirs	Social Justice/Informational	Assessments and Sundry
Possible Themes	Identity and Transformation/Narrative and Memoirs	Social Justice/Informational	GMAP, Write Score, Unit Assessments, YGA, Spelling Bee, Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas
Reading Unit Focus	Literary: Character and Story Development	Literary: Historical and Informational	
Reading Prioritized Standards	RL 1, 2, 3, 4	RL 1, 2, 3 / RI 1, 2, 3	
Reading Support Standards	RL 5, 6, 7, 10	RL 9 / RI 6, 9	
Writing Unit Focus	Text Types: Narrative	Text Types: Informational	Write Score
Writing Prioritized Standards	W 3a-e	W 2a-f	
Writing Support Standards	W 4, 5	W 4, 5	
Language Prioritized Standards	L 1a-c	L 1a-c	
Language Supporting Standards	L 2	L 2	
Speaking and Listening Prioritized Standards	SL 1	SL 1	
Speaking and Listening Supporting Standards	SL 6	SL 6	
Text Selections	<i>The Outsiders</i> by SE Hinton--novel (Actively Learn) "How Long Does it Take to Make a Friend?"--Article (AL) "Nothing Gold Can Stay" by Robert Frost--Poem (AL) "Seventh Grade" by Gary Soto--Short Story (AL) "Mrs. Flowers" by Maya Angelou--Short Story "A Retrieved Reformation" by O. Henry--Short	<i>The Watsons Go to Birmingham, 1963</i> by Christopher Paul Curtis Additional Texts: "The Treasure of Lemon Brown" by Walter Dean Myers--Short Story "Thank You, Ma'am" by Langston Hughes--Short Story "We Wear the Mask" by Paul Laurence Dunbar--Poem JFK Speech in Response to Birmingham	