Essential Elements by Linkage Level Data

GRADE 3 - GRADE 10





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ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE LEVEL DATA

Introduction

These data forms are intended to be an aid for teachers administering the Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM). They provide the linkage level skill description to assist teachers in choosing the correct linkage level for instructional plans. They can then be used to track instruction and inform teachers when the student is ready to test on an individual essential element. At the initial level, essential elements are separate since there is an overlap of individual skills measuring different Essential Elements (EE). The distal precursor is also separate at the 3rd, 4th and 5th grade level due to some specific skills measuring more than one essential element at that linkage level. The proximal precursor and target levels are grouped together according to essential element for 3rd, 4th and 5th grade. For grades 6, 7, 8 and 10 the distal precursor, proximal precursor and target level are grouped with each essential element. Science is broken down by grade (5th, 8th and 11th).

Data can be individualized to meet your needs. Below are some examples.

- Record date and accuracy based on data collection (9/10 or 90%).
- Record date and mark when skill was introduced (intro).
- Record date and code:
 - **P** Physical assistance
 - **G** Gestural prompt
 - **V** Verbal prompt
 - I Independent
 - + Can do skill
 - Cannot do skill

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GRADE 3

Student name:	Year:

Initial Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.3.NBT.2 Recognize set.										
Recognize separateness										
EE.3.NBT.3 Recognize before.										
Recognize after.										
EE.E.NF.1-3 Recognize some.										

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.3.OA.4 Recognize set.										
Recognize separateness.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.3.G.2	Recognize unit.										
	Recognize wholeness.										
	Recognize parts of a given whole or a unit.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.3.MD.1	Attend										
	Recognize different.										
EE.3.MD.4	Recognize attribute values.										
EE.3.MD.3	Recognize attribute values.										
	Arrange objects in pairs.										

4. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.3.OA.1-2	Recognize set.										
	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize subset.										
EE.3.OA.8	Combine sets.										
	Partition sets.										
EE.3.OA.9	Recognize different.										
	Recognize same.										

GRADE 3 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Initial Precursor Level English Language Arts (ELA) Skills

ELA.C1.1. Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.1	Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										
EE.RL.3.2	Can correctly look at the scene demonstrating a possible event and ignore the scene demonstrating an impossible event based on an understanding that objects still exist despite not being seen (i.e. object permanence).										
EE.RL.3.3	The student is able to use or identify feeling words related to self, such as happy, sad, tired, worried, or angry.										
EE.RL.3.5	Student engages in a behavior indicating he or she is attending to the text (story, information book, alphabet book). May display this with gaze, decreased movement (i.e., stilling) and noise.										

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1	•	DATE									
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possible event and an impossible eve	at the scene demonstrating a d ignore the scene demonstrating nt based on an understanding xist despite not being seen (i.e. re).										
EE.RI.3.3 Can identify the no from a familiar rou	ext step or event in a sequence utine.										
movement, sound indicating he or sh	e type of communication (body l, facial expression, or gaze) ne desires a specific object in his or vironment, such as food or a toy.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.4 Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										
EE.RI.3.4 Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										
EE.RI.3.8 When attending, react to a change to an object or situation.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.L.3.5.A Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										
EE.L.3.5.C The student is able to use or identify feeling words related to self, such as happy, sad, tired, worried, or angry.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

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EE.RL.3.9	9 Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										
EE.RI.3.9	O Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										

ELA C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.W.3.2.A Turns own body, head, or otherwise directs own attention to objects or people.										
EE.W.3.4 Turns own body, head, or otherwise directs own attention to objects or people.										

GRADE 3 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor Level Math Skills

Demonstrate the concept of addition.

Demonstrate the concept of subtraction.

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

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Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.3.G.2 Partition shapes.										

Partition sets.

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.3.MD.1 Recognize measurable attributes.										
EE.3.MD.4 Make direct comparison of two lengths.										
EE.3.MD.3 Classify										
Order objects.										

4. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.3.OA.1-2	Combine										
	Combine sets										
	Demonstrate the concept of addition.										
EE.3.OA.8	Demonstrate the concept of addition.										
	Demonstrate the concept of subtraction.										
EE.3.OA.9	Classify										
	Order objects.										
	Contrast objects (pattern/order).										

GRADE 3 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor Level ELA Skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.1	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RL.3.2	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RL.3.3	Student can identify words in a familiar text that are associated with feelings.										
EE.RL.3.5	Can differentiate between text and pictures.										
	Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										
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ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.3.1	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RI.3.2	Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										
EE.RI.3.3	As a result of experience with a routine, the student is able to identify actions associated with the routine.										
EE.RI.3.5	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.4 Can demonstrate understanding of the names of objects or people who are not immediately present.										
EE.RI.3.4 Can demonstrate understanding of the names of objects or people who are not immediately present.										
EE.RI.3.8 Can demonstrate an understanding that objects differ in the physical characteristics and can make judgments of similarity or difference based on the physical characteristics of objects.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.L.3.5.A Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.L.3.5.C Student exhibits an understanding of basic feeling words, including happy, sad and mad.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.9 Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RI.3.9 Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.W.3.2.A Given a choice of two objects, uses eye-gaze, physical movement, gesture or vocalization to indicate choice.										
EE.W.3.4 Sustains own attention to objects, pictures or multimedia for more than a fleeting moment.										

GRADE 3 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Proximal Precursor and Target Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.3.NBT.2 PP = Recognize multiple tens and something. • Compose numbers based on tens.										
T = Explain place value for ones and tens.										
EE.3.NBT.3 PP = Rote count to 30. • Count to 30.										
T = Skip count by 10s.										
EE.3.NF.1-3 PP = Partition shapes.										
T = Recognize parts of a given whole or a unit. • Explain unit fraction.										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.3.OA.4 PP = Recognize the addition sign.										
T = Determine the unknown in a subtraction equation. • Determine the unknown in an addition equation.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.3.G.2 PP = Model equal part.										
T = Partition any shape into equal parts.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.3.MD.1 PP = Recognize the hour on a d • Recognize the minute on a										
T = Tell time to the hour.										
EE.3.MD.4 PP = Demonstrate iteration of le • Measure length using infor										
T = Use an appropriate tool to using inches. • Use an appropriate tool to using feet.										
EE.3.MD.3 PP = Recognize the structure of • Recognize the structure of										
T = Use bar graphs to read the •Use picture graphs to read										

4. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.3.OA.1-2	PP = Represent repeated addition with an equation. • Represent repeated addition with a model.										
	T = Solve repeated addition problems.										
EE.3.OA.8	PP = Determine the unknown in an addition equation. • Determine the unknown in a subtraction equation.										
	T = Solve subtraction word problems within 100. • Solve addition word problems within 100.										
EE.3.OA.9	PP = Recognize patterns.										
	T = Recognize repeating patterns. • Recognize symbolic patterns. • Recognize growing patterns.										

GRADE 3 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Proximal Precursor and Target ELA Skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.1 PP = Can answer questions posed by others asking who and what about the key details in a familiar narrative.										
T = Can produce responses to questions seeking information on specific characters and what each of them did in a narrative by providing details on them.										
EE.RL.3.2 PP = The student can represent a conceptual connection between a detail and an event in a familiar text.										
T = Can associate details with events in stories from fables, folktales or diverse cultures										
EE.RL.3.3 PP = Student can identify the feelings of characters when explicitly stated in familiar stories.										
T = Can identify the feelings of specific characters in narratives.										
EE.RL.3.5 PP = Can determine the elements (e.g., setting, events) that occur at the beginning and end of a familiar, linear story.										
T = Can determine the events that occur at the beginning, middle and end of a familiar, linear story.										

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.3.1	PP = Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
-	T = Can answer questions posed by others regarding the concrete details of an informational text.										
EE.RI.3.2	PP = Can identify illustrations or tactile graphics/ objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as setting, characters, or action if it is a story or a person, place, thing, or idea if it is an informational text.										
-	T = Can identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
EE.RI.3.3	PP = Can identify specific events in a familiar information text.										
-	T = Can identify the order in which two events occur in an informational text.										
EE.RI.3.5	PP = Can identify illustrations or tactile graphics/ objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as setting, characters, or action if it is a story or a person, place, thing, or idea if it is an informational text.										
	T = Can locate information within an informational text by using the text features including bold, italics and underlined text, headings, captions, icons, graphics or illustrations, text boxes, table of contents and glossaries.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.4 PP = Can provide real-life examples of words connected to a use (describe people who are friendly).										
T = Can ascertain which words or phrases fit the meaning of literal sentences in a text and can complete those sentences by choosing the best ones.										
EE.RI.3.4 PP = Can determine when two words have the same, similar, or different meanings or whether meanings of a single word are the same or different.										
T = Can ascertain which words or phrases fit the meaning of literal sentences in a text and can complete those sentences by choosing the best ones.										
EE.RI.3.8 PP = Can identify the relationship between multiple concrete facts or details in a literature or informational text.							·			
T = Can find two points made by an author of an informational text that relate to each other.										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT (CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.L.3.5.A P	PP = Can determine when two words have the same, similar, or different meanings or whether meanings of a single word are the same or different.										
T	T = Can determine the literal meaning of words and phrases using the context in which they are located.										
EE.L.3.5.C P	PP = Student exhibits an understanding of feeling words.										
T	Γ = Student can identify feeling words to describe himself or herself.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.3.9	PP = The student can represent a conceptual connection between a detail and an event in a familiar text.										
	T = Can pick out the story elements, such as characters, settings and events, across two narratives with the same series of books.										
EE.RI.3.9	PP = Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
	T = Can determine how various informational texts on the same topic are similar in what is presented on the topic.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.W.3.2.A PP = Student can select a familiar topic to share about (may be from a set of options) and can use drawing, dictating, or writing to share about it.										
T = Can write about a specific topic using facts and details to describe the topic.										
EE.W.3.4 PP = Can use two words together when producing a written text.										
T = Writes more than one idea about a topic.										

GRADE 4

Student name:	Year:

Initial Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.NF.1-2 Recognize wholeness.										
Recognize separateness.										
EE.4.NF.3 Recognize wholeness.										
Recognize separateness.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.NBT.2 Recognize set.										
Recognize separateness.										
EE.4.NBT.3 Use perceptual subitizing.										
EE.4.NBT.4 Recognize separateness.										
Recognize subset.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.G.1 Recognize attribute values.										
EE.4.MD.5 Recognize attribute values.										
EE.4.MD.6 Recognize attribute values.										
Recognize same.										
ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.3 Recognize some.										
Recognize separateness.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.2.A	Attend										
	Recognize different.										
EE.4.MD.2.B	Recognize same.										
EE.4.MD.2.D	Recognize different.										
	Attend										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.4.B Classify										
Order objects.										

4. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE	DATE								
EE.4. OA.1-2	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
	Recognize subset.									<u> </u>	
EE.4.OA.3	Combine sets.										
	Partition sets.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE	DATE								
EE.4. OA.5	Recognize attribute values.										
	Arrange objects in pairs.										

GRADE 4 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Initial Precursor Level English Language Arts (ELA) Skills

ELA.C1.1. Determine critical elements of text.

- Determine entreal elements of text.										
ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.4.1 Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RL.4.3 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RL.4.5 Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.1 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by										

ELEMENT CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.1 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RI.4.2 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RI.4.3 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RI.4.5 Can demonstrate an understanding that objects differ in the physical characteristics and can make judgments of similarity or difference based on the physical characteristics of objects.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.4.2 Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RL.4.4 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RL.4.6 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.4 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RI.4.8 When attending, react to a change to an object or situation.										
EE.L.4.5.C Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.9 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										

ELA C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.4.2.A Student understands that we use letters to write words. We don't use numbers, punctuation, or other symbols and we don't draw pictures to represent the referent.										
EE.L.4.2.D Student understands that we use letters to write words. We don't use numbers, punctuation, or other symbols and we don't draw pictures to represent the referent.										
EE.W.4.2.B Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										

GRADE 4 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.NF.1-2 Partition shapes.										
EE.4.NF.3 Partition shapes.										
ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.NBT.2 Count all objects in a set or subset.										
Recognize same number of.										
Recognize different number of.										
EE.4.NBT.3 Recognize a unit.										
Explain ten as a composition of ten ones.										
Recognize ten and something.										
Recognize multiple tens and something.										
Decompose numbers based on tens.										
EE.4.NBT.4 Count all objects in a set or subset.										
Combine sets.										
Partition sets.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.G.1 Recognize point.										
EE.4.MD.5 Recognize point.										
EE.4.OA.1-2 Combine sets.										
EE.4.MD.6 Recognize different amount.										
Recognize same amount.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:										
EE.4.MD.3 Recognize enclosure.	DATE									

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.2.A Recognize measurable attributes.										
EE.4.MD.2.B Make direct comparison of 2 volumes.										
Make direct comparison of 2 masses.										
EE.4.MD.2.D Recognize attribute values.										

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.4.B Recognize the structure of a bar graph.										
Recognize the structure of a picture graph.										

4. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.OA.1-2 Demonstrate the concept of addition.										
Combine										
EE.4.OA.3 Demonstrate the concept of addition.										
Demonstrate the concept of subtraction.										
ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.4.OA.5 Recognize patterns.										

GRADE 4 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor Level ELA Skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.4.1 Can identify the behavior and actions of specific characters in a familiar story.										
EE.RL.4.3 Can identify elements in a story (characters, other key details in the text) when asked.										
EE.RL.4.5 When shown a familiar book ("familiar" means that the student has had several shared reading experiences with the same text), can name the objects shown in the pictures/tactile graphics or the objects representing the book pictures.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.1 When shown a familiar book ("familiar" means that the student has had several shared reading experiences with the same text), can name the objects shown in the pictures/tactile graphics or the objects representing the book pictures.										
EE.RI.4.2 When shown a familiar book ("familiar" means that the student has had several shared reading experiences with the same text), can name the objects shown in the pictures/tactile graphics or the objects representing the book pictures.										
EE.RI.4.5 When shown a familiar book ("familiar" means that the student has had several shared reading experiences with the same text), can name the objects shown in the pictures/tactile graphics or the objects representing the book pictures.										
EE.RI.4.3 Using their categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.4.2 Can identify the major events of a familiar story.										
EE.RL.4.4 Can determine when two words have the same, similar, or different meanings or whether meanings of a single word are the same or different.										
EE.RL.4.6 When shown a familiar book ("familiar" means that the student has had several shared reading experiences with the same text), can name the objects shown in the pictures/tactile graphics or the objects representing the book pictures.										
ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.4 Can determine when two words have the same, similar, or different meanings or whether meanings of a single word are the same or different.										
EE.RI.4.8 Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
EE.L.4.5.C Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.9 Compare details presented in two texts on the same										
topic.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:										
ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.4.2.A Can recognize when a letter is uppercase and when it is lowercase.										
EE.L.4.2.D Can recognize the sound of the letter of their first name in words they hear and see and can correctly represent this letter when spelling words that start with the same letter.										
EE.W.4.2.B Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										

GRADE 4 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Proximal Precursor and Target Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.NF.1-2 PP = Partition any shapes into equal parts.										
T = Recognize one half on an area model. • Recognize one fourth on an area model.										
EE. 4.NF.3 PP = Recognize parts of a given whole or a unit. • Explain unit fraction.										
T = Recognize fraction. • Recognize one half on an area model. • Recognize whole on an area model.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.NBT.2	PP = Compare 2 quantities up to 10 using models.										
	T = Compare 2 numerals up to 10 using symbols (=,<,>).										
EE.4.NBT.3	PP = Explain place value for ones and tens. • Explain the relationship between rounding and place value.			·							
	T = Round whole numbers from 0-30 to the nearest ten.										
EE. 4.NBT.4	PP = Add within 10. Add within 20. Subtract within 20. Subtract within 10. Add within 5. Add 1,2, 3 and/or 4. Add 1 and 1. Subtract 1 from 2. Subtract 1 from up to 5.										
	 T = Add within 100 where all addends are multiple of 10. Add within 100. Add within 100 with a 2 digit number and a multiple of 10. Subtract within 100 where both numbers are multiple of 10. Subtract within 100. Subtract a multiple of 10 from a 2 digit number within 100. 										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.G.1	PP = Recognize line. • Recognize line segment.										
	T = Recognize intersecting lines/line segments. • Recognize parallel lines/line segments.										
EE.4.MD.5	PP = Recognize line. • Recognize ray. • Recognize line segment.										
	T = Recognize angle.										
EE.4.MD.6	PP = Recognize more amount. • Recognize less amount.										
	T = Make direct comparison of 2 angles										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.3	PP = Explain unit square. • Explain area.										
	T = Calculate area by counting unit squares. • Calculate area of a rectangle with tiling.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.2.A PP = Recognize the hour hand • Know hours on a clock • Recognize the hour on a digital clock • Recognize the minute hand • Recognize the minute on a digital clock										
T = Tell time to the hour • Read a digital clock										
EE.4.MD.2.B PP = Measure volume using informal units • Measure mass using informal units										
T = Use an appropriate tool to measure liquid volumes in cups. • Mass in ounces; mass in pounds										
EE.4.MD.2.D PP = State value of penny, nickel, dime, quarter. • Recognize penny, nickel, dime, quarter.										
T = State the value of a penny related to a quarter. State the value of a nickel related to a quarter. State the value of a penny related to a dime. State the value of a penny related to a nickel. State the value of a nickel related to a dime.										

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.4.MD.4.B PP = Use bar graphs to read the data • Use picture graphs to read the data										
T = Use graphs to read between the data										

5. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.4.OA.1-2 PP = Represent repeated addition with an equation. • Represent repeated addition with a model.										
T = Demonstrate the concept of multiplication.										
EE.4.OA.3 PP = Determine the unknown in an addition equation. • Determine the unknown in a subtraction equation.										
T = Solve subtraction word problems within 100. • Solve addition word problems within 100.										
ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.4.OA.5 PP = Recognize symbolic, repeating and pictorial										

patterns.

T = Recognize the core unit in a repeated pattern.

GRADE 4 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Proximal Precursor and Target ELA skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL CI	HOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.4.1 PP	 Student can identify the explicitly-stated actions of characters in a story. 										
T=	Student can recount events from a narrative using details. They may not be able to provide a complete summary or tell the details in temporal order but the details are accurate.										
EE.RL.4.3 PP	 Can identify the key elements in a story, including the main characters, setting and the major events. 										
T =	Can describe characters in a narrative using appropriate words, rather than reacting to/relying on the illustrations.										
EE.RL.4.5 PP	 Can determine the events that occur at the beginning, middle and end of a familiar, linear story. 										
T=	The student can identify characteristic elements of stories in a text, including main character, setting, initiating and resolution events.										

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.1	PP = Can identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
	T = Able to identify explicit details in an informational text.										
EE.RI.4.2	PP = Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
	T = Can identify the overall, general topic of any brief (no more than a paragraph) familiar informational text.										
EE.RI.4.3	PP = Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
	T = Can determine whether a concrete detail is related to an individual, event, or idea discussed in an informational text.										
EE.RI.4.5	PP = Understands that informational texts often provide pictures/illustrations or tactile graphics/objects that supplement the text and can help to provide information or clarify the text.										
	T = Can identify elements that are characteristic of informational texts. These elements in the presentation of information, which is organized using text features (that serve to organize information - titles, keywords, illustrations/graphics, headings, etc.) and logical presentation of information (rather than event oriented structure).										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CH	HOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.4.2	PP =	identify and recall how characters' actions affect the consequences.										
	T =	identify the theme of a familiar story, which includes a short, concise sentence about the overall meaning of the narrative.										
EE.RL.4.4	PP =	ascertain which words or phrases fit the meaning of literal sentences in a text and can complete those sentences by choosing the best ones.										
	T =	identify simple semantic definitions for unambiguous words in a text.										
EE.RL4.6	PP =	identify the explicitly-stated actions of characters in a story.										
	T =	determine who the narrator is in a story.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.4 PP = ascertain which words or phrases fit the meaning of literal sentences in a text and can complete those sentences by choosing the best ones.										
T = identify simple semantic definitions for unambiguous words in a text.										
EE.RI.4.8 PP = determine what the points are that the author of an unfamiliar informational text is trying to communicate to the reader.										
T = Can provide the reasons an author includes (i.e. details) that support the points of an informational text.										
EE.L.4.5.C PP = Can provide real-life examples of words connected to a use (describe people who are friendly).										
T = Can demonstrate an understanding of words with opposite meaning (e.g. cold, hot, up, down).										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.4.9 PP = Can determine when two different informational texts on the same topic make a similar point or statement.										
T = Can compare informational texts on the same topic based on the specific details used to discuss the topic.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL	CHOOSE 1:										
ELEMENT	All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.4.2.A	PP = Can indicate a knowledge that when a word is capitalized, the first letter in the word is in uppercase.										
	T = Capitalizes the first letter of sentences.										
EE.L.4.2.D	PP = Can produce a string of letters (student attempts to write words) by combining random letters.										
	T = Can use letter-sound knowledge to spell words phonetically by including letters that represent sounds from the word.										
EE.W.4.2.B	PP = Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										
	T = Can determine the words, facts, details, or other information that relate to a specific topic when preparing to write.										

GRADE 5

Student name:	Year:	

Initial Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.NF.1 Recognize some.										
Recognize separateness.										
EE.5.NF.2 Recognize some.										
Recognize separateness.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.5.NBT.1	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
EE.5.NBT.3	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
EE.5.NBT.4	Use perceptual subitizing.										
EE.5.NBT.5	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
	Recognize subset.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.G.1-4 Recognize same.										
Recognize different.										
EE.5.MD.3 Notice what is new.										
EE.5.MD.4-5 Recognize separateness.										
Recognize enclosure.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.MD.1.A	Attend										
	Recognize different.										
EE.5.MD.1.B	Recognize attribute values.										
EE.5.MD.1.C	Recognize attribute values.										
ESSENTIAL	MUST TEST:	DATE									
		DATE									
EE.5.MD.2	Arrange objects in pairs.										
	Recognize attribute values.										

5. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.5.OA.3	Order objects.										
	Classify										
	Contrast objects.										

GRADE 5 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Initial Precursor Level English Language Arts (ELA) Skills

ELA.C1.1. Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.1	Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.5.1	Can demonstrate an understanding that he or she can communicate their preference for an object (like, dislike) through either verbal or nonverbal means when asked yes/no questions about their preferences.										
EE.RI.5.5	Can pay attention to either the entire object, a characteristic of the object, or an action in which the object can perform after some verbal label has been attached to it.										
EE.RI.5.7	Comprehends that all objects have some function or action typically associated with it (object action).										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

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ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.2	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RL.5.4	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RL5.6	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.5.2	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RI.5.4	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.RI.5.8	Identify or name objects that are identical as same. Identify sameness within familiar contexts.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.L.5.4.A	Can demonstrate a receptive understanding of the object words that accompany familiar games or routines.										
EE.L.5.5.C	Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.3 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RL.5.5 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RL.5.9 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RI.5.3 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										
EE.RI.5.9 Can indicate an object when it is referred to by name.										

ELA C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:										
ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.W.5.2.B Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										
EE.W.5.2.A Given a choice of two objects, uses eye-gaze, physical movement, gesture or vocalization to indicate choice.										

GRADE 5 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.NF.1 Partition any shape into equal parts.										
EE.5.NF.2 Partition any shape into equal parts.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE
EE.5.NBT.1	Count all objects in a set or subset.										
	Recognize same number of.										
	Recognize different number of.										
	Recognize more number of.										
	Recognize fewer number of.										
EE.5.NBT.3	Compare 2 quantities up to 10 using models.										
EE.5.NBT.4	Recognize ten and something.										
	Recognize multiple tens and something.										
	Decompose numbers based on tens.										
	Explain ten as a composition of ten ones.										
	Recognize a unit.			<u></u>		<u></u>					
EE.5.NBT.5	Explain repeated addition.										
	Represent repeated addition with an equation.										
	Solve repeated addition problems.										
EE.5.NBT.6-7	Model equal set.										
	Recognize equal.			<u></u>				<u></u>			
	Recognize same number of.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.G.1-4	Classify same two dimensional shapes with same size and same orientation.										
	Classify same two dimensional shapes with different size and/or different orientation.										
EE.5.MD.3	Recognize same.										
	Recognize different.										
EE.5.MD.4-5	Explain volume.										
	Explain a unit cube.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.MD.1.A Recognize measurable attributes										
EE.5.MD.1.B Recognize measurable attributes										
EE.5.MD.C Recognize money										

ESSENTIAL MUST	TEST:	DATE									
EE.5.MD.2 Classify											
Order objec	CS .										

5. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.5.OA.3 Recognize patterns										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor Level ELA Skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.1 Can identify the major events of a familiar story										
ESSENTIAL										
ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.5.1 Can understand a familiar text read aloud or through oral or other media by answering questions posed by others.										
EE.RI.5.5 Can identify illustrations or tactile graphics/objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as setting, characters, or action if it is a story or a person, place, thing, or idea if it is an informational text.										
EE.RI.5.7 Can identify illustrations or tactile graphics/objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as setting, characters, or action if it is a story or a person, place, thing, or idea if it is an informational text.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.2	Can identify the behavior and actions of specific characters in a familiar story.										
EE.RL.5.4	Can provide real-life examples of words connected to a use (describe people who are friendly).										
EE.RL.5.6	Student can identify the explicitly-stated actions of characters in a story.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.5.2	Can identify illustrations or tactile graphics/objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as setting, characters, or action if it is a story or a person, place, thing, or idea if it is an informational text.										
EE.RI.5.4	Can provide real-life examples of words connected to a use (describe people who are friendly).										
EE.RI.5.8	Can identify the relationship between multiple concrete facts or details in a literature or informational text.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.L.5.4.a	Can determine when two words have the same, similar, or different meanings or whether meanings of a single word are the same or different.										
EE.L.5.5.c	Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.3	Can identify character(s) and setting in a familiar story.										
EE.RL.5.5	Can identify illustrations or tactile graphics/objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as setting, characters, or action if it is a story or a person, place, thing, or idea if it is an informational text.										
EE.RL.5.9	Can understand adjectives in others' speech.										
EE.RI.5.3	Can understand adjectives in others' speech.										
EE.RI.5.9	Using their categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.W.5.2.B Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										
EE.W.5.2.A Can respond to wh- questions regarding choice of topic and other questions related to writing about the topic.										

GRADE 5 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Proximal Precursor and Target Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.NF.1 PP = Recognize one fourth in a set model. • Recognize one half in a set model. • Recognize one half on and area model. • Recognize one fourth on an area model.										
T = Recognize fourths in a set model. • Recognize halves in a set model. • Recognize halves on an area model. • Recognize fourths on an area model.										
EE.5.NF.2 PP = Recognize one third on an area model. • Recognize one tenth on an area model.										
T = Recognize thirds on an area model. • Recognize tenths on an area model.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.5.NBT.1	PP = Compare 2 quantities up to 10 using models.										
	T = Compare 2 quantities up to 100 using models.										
EE.5.NBT.3	PP = Compare 2 numerals up to 10 using symbols (= ,<,>).										
	T = Compare 2 numerals up to 100 using symbols (= ,<,>).										
EE.5.NBT.4	PP = Explain place value for ones and tens. • Explain the relationship between rounding and place value.										
	T = Round whole numbers 0-100 to the nearest ten.										
EE.5.NBT.5	T = Round whole numbers 0-100 to the nearest ten.										
	T = Multiply by 1. • Multiply by 2. • Multiply by 3. • Multiply by 4. • Multiply by 5.										
EE.5.NBT.6-7	PP = Partition sets.										
	T = Partition sets into equal subsets.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.G.1-4 PP = Describe attributes of shapes.										
T = Analyze shapes to identify common attributes.										
 EE.5.MD.3 PP = Match the same three-dimensional shapes with same size and different orientation and different size and different orientation. • Match the same three-dimensional shapes with same size and same orientation and different size and same orientation. 										
T = Recognize spheres. • Recognize cones. • Recognize cubes. • Recognize cylinders.										
EE.5.MD.4-5 PP = Explain volume as a composition of cube units Calculate volume by counting unit cubes.										
T = Calculate volume of a right rectangular prism by packing unit cubes.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.5.MD.1.A PP = Recognize the hour hand. · Knows hours on a clock. · Recognize the hour on a digital clock. · Recognize the minute hand. · Recognize the minute on a digital clock.										
T = Tell time to the quarter hour. •Tell time to the half hour.										
EE.5.MD.1.B PP = Make direct comparison of 2 lengths. Order more than 2 lengths by direct comparison. Order more than 2 masses by direct comparison. Make direct comparison of 2 masses.										
 T = Use an appropriate tool for measuring length using inches. Use an appropriate tool for measuring length using feet. Use an appropriate tool for measuring mass in pounds. Use an appropriate tool for measuring mass in ounces. 										
EE.5.MD.1.C PP = State the value of a penny, nickel, dime, quarter. • Recognize penny, nickel, dime, quarter.										
T = State the value of a nickel related to a dime. • State the value of a nickel related to a quarter. • State the value of a penny related to a nickel. • State the value of a penny related to a dime. • State the value of a penny related to a quarter.										
ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.5.MD.2 PP = Use bar graphs to read the data. • Use picture graphs to read the data. • Use line plots (dot plots) to read the data.										
T = Represent data using bar graph; picture graph; line plot (dot plot). • Use graphs to read between the data.										

5. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.5.OA.3 PP = Recognize repeating patterns										
T = Extend a symbolic pattern by applying the rule										

GRADE 5 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Proximal Precursor and Target ELA Skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.1	PP = Can identify the key elements in a story (main characters, setting and major events).										
	T = Can produce responses to questions asking about explicit information contained in a narrative by determining specific words related to or comprising of information.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.EI.5.1	PP = Can answer questions posed by others regarding the concrete details of an informational text.										
	T = Can identify words or details to answer a question about explicit information presented in the text.										
EE.RI.5.5	PP = Can identify a detail from either the text itself or the illustration provided with the text (the goal here is to promote understanding that structurally informational texts often contain images that support text and provide info).										
	T = Can determine if an informational text is providing information about events, giving directions, or providing information on a topic.										
EE.RI.5.7	PP = Can identify a detail from either the text itself or the illustration provided with the text (the goal here is to promote the understanding the structurally informational texts often contain images that support the text and provide information).										
	T = Can locate information by using the text features including bold, italics and underlined text, headings, captions, icons, graphics or illustrations, text boxes, table of contents and glossaries.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.2 PP = Can identify and recall how characters' actions affect the consequences that occur in the story afterwards.										
T = Can identify the theme of a story, which includes a short, concise sentence about the overall meaning of the narrative.										
EE.RL.5.4 PP = Can understand that words can have multiple meanings that may include a concrete and psychological meaning (e.g., sweet).										
T = Can use the surrounding context of a word in a text to determine the meaning of multiple meaning words.										
EE.RL.5.6 PP = Can determine who the narrator is in a story he or she is reading.										
T = Can determine what the point of view for the narrator of a story is.										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.5.2	PP = Can identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
	T = Can identify the main idea for a paragraph in an informational text that lacks an explicit statement of the topic.										
EE.RI.5.4	PP = Can identify simple semantic definitions for unambiguous words in a text										
	T = Can represent the meaning of domain specific words and phrases in text.										
EE.RI.5.8	PP = Can find two points made by an author of an informational text that relate to each other.										
	T = Can find out how specific points made by an author in an informational text relate to the reasons supporting it.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text, *continued*.

ESSENTIAL CH	HOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.L.5.4.A PP =	 Can determine the meaning of a word when the definition is given using appositives, relative clauses, within a conjunction, or a direct explanation within a text. Examples and restatements may also be used in the sentence. 										
T =	Can identify what word is missing in a written sentence by using the surrounding words in the sentence and the sentence's meaning as clues.										
EE.L.5.5.C T =	Can identify what word is missing in a written sentence by using the surrounding words in the sentence and the sentence's meaning as clues.										
T=	Can demonstrate an understanding that when two words have the same meaning, they are synonyms (the student may or may not explicitly use the term synonym, but this term should be used with the student).										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.5.3 PP = Can use illustrations and/or details of a text to describe the events.					,					
T = Can compare different characters in a familiar story.										
EE.RL.5.5 PP = The student can identify characteristic elements of stories in a text, including main character, setting, initiating and resolution events.										
T = The student will identify an element of or setting) the story that undergoes change(s) from beginning to end (e.g., character).										
EE.RL.5.9 PP = Can identify and recall how characters' actions affect the consequences that occur in the story afterwards.										
T = Can determine how two narratives on similar topics or specific themes are similar to one another on their coverage of the topics.										
EE.RI.5.3 PP = Can identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
T = Can find the similarities between the key details, such as the individuals, events, or ideas, located within an informational text.										
EE.RI.5.9 PP = Can compare informational texts on the same topic based on the specific details used to discuss the topic.										
T = Can compare and contrast informational texts on the same topic based on the specific details used to discuss the topic.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.W.5.2.B PP = Can identify the specific details, such as the people, places, things and events, that occur within a specific personal experience.										
T = Student is already able to identify facts and details related to topic from a set of choices. Now they are able to provide written facts, details and/or information about a topic.										
EE.W.5.2.A PP = Can write about a specific topic using facts and details to describe the topic.										
T = Can introduce a topic while writing an informational text and convey information about it including visual, tactual, or multimedia information as appropriate.										

GRADE 6

Student name:	Year:	

Initial Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.6.RP.1	Recognize wholeness.										
	Recognize a unit.										
	Recognize parts of a given whole or a unit.										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.6.NS.1	Recognize wholeness.										
	Recognize a unit.										
	Recognize parts of a given whole or a unit.										
EE.6.NS.5-8	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
EE.6.NS.2	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set										
	Recognize subset										
EE.6.NS.3	Recognize separateness										
	Recognize set										
	Recognize subset										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.6.G.1 Recognize some										
Recognize separateness										
EE.6.G.2 Recognize separateness										
Recognize enclosure										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.6.SP.5 Classify										
Order objects										

3. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.6.EE.1-2	Combine sets										
	Compare sets										
EE.6.EE.3	Combine sets										
	Compare sets										
EE.6.EE.5-7	Partition sets										
	Combine sets										

GRADE 6 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Initial Precursor Level English Language Arts (ELA) Skills

ELA.C1.1. Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.6.5 Demonstrates receptive understanding of action words that accompany familiar games and routines.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.6.1 Demonstrates receptive understanding of action words that accompany familiar games and routines.										
EE.RL.6.2 Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										
EE.RL.6.4 Can understand adjectives in others' speech.										
EE.RL.6.6 Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.6.1 Can differentiate between text and pictures. Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										
EE.RI.6.2 Can demonstrate a receptive understanding of the property words that describe the objects that accompany familiar games or routines.										
EE.RI.6.4 Can demonstrate a receptive understanding of the property words that describe the objects that accompany familiar games or routines.										
EE.RI.6.6 Can demonstrate a receptive understanding of the property words that describe the objects that accompany familiar games or routines.										
EE.RI.6.8 Can demonstrate an understanding that objects differ in the physical characteristics and can make judgments of similarity or difference based on the physical characteristics of objects.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text, *continued*.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.L.6.5.A Can understand adjectives in others' speech.										
EE.L.6.5.B Using their categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.6.3 Can perform requested actions on objects ("Kiss it. Throw it.").										
EE.RL.6.5 Can recognize when he or she encounters familiar people, objects, places and events.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.6.3 Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										
EE.RI.6.9 As a result of experience with a routine, the student is able to identify actions associated with the routine.										

ELA C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1: All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.6.2.B	Can recognize the sound of the letter of their first name in words they hear and see and can correctly represent this letter when spelling words that start with the same letter.										
EE.W.6.2.A	Given a choice of two objects, uses eye-gaze, physical movement, gesture or vocalization to indicate choice.										
EE.W.6.2.B	Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										

GRADE 6 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.6.RP.1 DP = Model equal parts										
PP = Partition any shape into equal parts • Explain unit fraction • Recognize fraction										
T = Recognize many to 1 ratio • Represent many to 1 ratio										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.6.NS.1	DP = Model equal part. • Partition any shape into equal parts.										
	PP = Recognize fraction.										
	T = Explain relationships between unit fractions.										
EE.6.NS.5-8	DP = Count all objects in a set or subset. • Recognize different number of • Recognize same number of • Recognize fewer number of • Recognize more number of										
	PP = Recognize opposite numbers.										
	T = use positive and negative numbers in real- world context (temp above/below zero).										
EE.6.NS.2	DP = Partition sets • Partition sets into equal subsets .										
	PP = Explain repeated subtraction. • Represent repeated subtraction with an equation. • Represent repeated subtraction with a model.										
	T = Demonstrate the concept of division.										
EE.6.NS.3	DP = Explain repeated addition. • Represent repeated addition with an equation • Solve repeated addition problems.										
	PP = Demonstrate the concept of multiplication.										
	T = Multiply by 1, 2, 3, 4, and/or 5.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.6.G.1	DP = Explain unit square. • Explain area.										
	PP = Calculate area by counting unit squares. • Calculate area of a rectangle with tiling										
	T = Solve word problems involving area of rectangles.										
EE.6.G.2	DP = Explain volume. • Explain a unit cube. • Explain volume as a composition of cube units.										
	PP = Calculate volume by counting unit cubes. • Calculate volume of a right rectangular prism by packing unit cubes.										
	T = Solve world problems involving volume of rectangular prism.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.6.SP.5 DP = Recognize that distribution of data can be described by overall shape of a graph. • Recognize the structure of a line plot (dot plot).										
PP = Recognize outliers.										
T = summarize data by overall shape										

5. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.6.EE.1-2 DP = Demonstrate the concept of addition and subtraction.										
PP = Represent addition with equations. • Represent the unknown in an equation. • Represent subtraction with equations.										
T = Evaluate if equations are true or false. • Recognize equivalent algebraic expressions										
EE.6.EE.3 DP = Represent the unknown in an equation. Represent subtraction with equations. Represent addition with equations.										
PP = Evaluate if equations are true or false. • Apply associative property of addition. • Apply commutative property of addition.										
T = Recognize equivalent algebraic expressions. • Use properties of addition to create an equivalent algebraic expression.										
EE.6.EE.5-7 DP = Represent subtraction with equations. • Represent addition with equations.										
PP = Represent expressions with variables. • Represent the unknown in an equation.										
T = Represent real-world problems as equations.										

GRADE 6 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target ELA skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.6.5 DP = Identify the concrete details (individuals, events, or ideas) in familiar informational text.										
PP = Determine if an informational text is providing info about events, giving directions, or providing info on a topic.										
T = Understand how the title indicates info about or fits the structure of an informational text										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE	DATE	DATE							
EE.RL.6.1	DP = Identify the key elements in a story, including the main characters, setting and the major events.										
	PP = Identify the concrete details, such as characters, objects, setting and major events, that are specifically stated in text.										
	T = Analyze a narrative and differentiate between explicitly-stated information and implications in the text that require an inference.										
EE.RL.6.2	DP = Identify elements in a story (characters, other key details in the text).										
	PP = identify what the overall goal or main idea of a single episode is in a narrative by inferring from the characters, settings and actions.										
	T = determine the details that provide for the foundation of the theme in a narrative.										
EE.RL.6.4	DP = demonstrate an understanding of words with opposite meaning (cold/hot, up/down).										
	PP = understands that words might have a slightly different meaning or use depending on the specific context in which they are used.										
	T = can ascertain how the meaning of a narrative is influenced by the author's choice of words.										
EE.RL.6.6	DP = identify the feelings of specific characters in narratives.										
	PP = can determine who the narrator is in a story he or she is reading.										
	T = can describe what the narrator or current speaker is thinking or feeling by identifying relevant words or phrases, such as "I ruminated on the missed opportunity at catching the thief on that fateful night at the mansion.										

SSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.6.1 DP = Identify illustrations or tactile graphics/objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as setting, characters, or action if it is a story or a person, place thing, or idea in informational text.										
PP = Identify explicit details in an informational text.										
T = Analyze an informational text and differentiate between explicitly-stated information and implications in the text that require an inference.										
EE.RI.6.2 DP = Identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
PP = Determine which details in a paragraph of an informational text are important.										
T = Determine which details contained within a paragraph of an informational text provides an important contribution to the paragraph's main idea.										
EE.RI.6.4 DP = Demonstrate an understanding of words with opposite meaning (cold/hot, up/down).										
PP = Understand that words might have a slightly different meaning or use depending on the specific context in which they are used.										
T = Can ascertain how the meaning of an informational text is altered by the specific word choices the author makes.										
EE.RI.6.6 DP = Identify concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational text.										- <u></u>
PP = Identify the relationship between multiple concrete facts or details in a literature or informational text.										
T = Identify words or phrases for determining the point of view of an informational text's author.										
EE.RI.6.8 DP = Identify details that have some relationship to the topic of a paragraph in informational text.										
PP = Determine the details used by another person to defend a claim.										
T = Distinguish between claims that a speaker/ author supports with evidence from those that aren't supported.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.6.3	DP = Identify the explicitly stated actions of characters in a story.										
	PP = Identify how a character's actions make them feel or can identify how the character's desires or feelings lead to an action.	·				·					
	T = Correctly identify how a character responds to a challenge that is presented within a story.										
EE.RL.6.5	DP = Identify elements in a story (characters, other key details in the text).										
	PP = Determine the events that come at the beginning, middle and end of a text.										
	T = Use info about structure to make determinations about what comes next in text.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.6.3	DP = Provide real-life examples of words connected to a use (describe people who are friendly).										
	PP = Determine whether a concrete detail is related to an individual, event, or idea discussed in an informational text.										
	T = Determine when specific details provided in an informational text expand and elaborate on other details in the same text.										
EE.RI.6.9	an informational text expand and elaborate on										
EE.RI.6.9	an informational text expand and elaborate on other details in the same text. DP = Identify specific events in a familiar information										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.6.2.B DP = Produce a string of letters by combining random letters.										
PP = Use spelling patterns (rimes) in familiar words to spell new words.										
T = Use letter sounds knowledge to spell words phonetically by including letters that represent sounds from different words.										
EE.W.6.2.A DP = Can respond to wh- questions regarding choice of topic and other questions related to writing about the topic.										
PP = Can select a topic for writing an informational text and then find info that is either tactile, visual, or multimedia for use when writing the text.										
T = Introduce an informational topic while writing and extend by writing about ideas and info related to topic.										
EE.W6.2.B DP = Identify a photograph of object that is personally relevant to the student from a set of personally relevant and irrelevant photographs or objects and provide a specific detail about it.										
PP = Select a topic and use drawing, dictating, or writing to compose a message with at least one fact or detail about the selected topic (may require some interpretation as student may not be using phonetic spelling or complete simple sentences).										
T = Able to identify facts and details related to topic from a set of choices. Now they are able to provide written facts, details and /or info about the topic.										

GRADE 7

Student name:	Year:

Initial Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.7.NS.2.C-D	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
EE.7.RP.1-3	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
	Recognize subset.										
EE.7.NS.3	Recognize separateness.										
	Recognize set.										
	Recognize subset.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.7.NS.1 Recognize separateness.										
Recognize set.										
EE.7.NS.2.A Recognize separateness.										
Recognize set.										
EE.7.NS.2.B Recognize separateness.										
Recognize set.										
Recognize subset.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.7.G.1 Attend										
Notice what is new.										
EE.7.G.2 Recognize same.										
Recognize different.										
EE.7.G.5 Recognize attribute values.										
ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.7.G.4 Recognize attribute values.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.7.SP.3 Classify										
Order objects.										
EE.7.SP.5-7 Recognize attribute values.										

5. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.7.EE.1	Partition sets.										
	Combine sets.										
EE.7.EE.2	Classify										
	Contrast objects.										
	Order objects.										

GRADE 7 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Initial Precursor Level English Language Arts (ELA) Skills

ELA.C1.1. Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.7.5 Comprehends that all objects have some functions or action typically associated with it (object action).										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.7.1 Can differentiate between text and pictures. Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										
EE.RL.7.2 Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										
EE.RL.7.4 Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.7.1 Can differentiate between text and pictures. Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										
EE.RI.7.2 Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic, or other symbolic representation of the object.										
EE.RI.7.4 Can understand adj. in others' speech.										
EE.RI.7.6 As a result of experience with a routine, the student is able to identify people associated with the routine.										
EE.RI.7.8 Has an association with a certain event and anticipates what is to come. Can produce the appropriate response to well-known interactions with another individual. Concept of instantaneity.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.7.3 Can understand adj. in others' speech.										
EE.RL.7.5 Can differentiate between text and pictures. Can pair an object with a picture, tactile graphic or other symbolic representation of the object.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.7.3 Using categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										
EE.RI.7.9 Using categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										

ELA C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1: All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.7.2.A	Comprehends that all objects have some functions or action typically associated with it (object action).										
EE.L.7.2.B	Can recognize the sound of the letter of their first name in words they hear and see and can correctly represent this letter when spelling words that start with the same letter.										
EE.W.7.2.A	Given a choice of two objects, uses eye-gaze, physical movement, gesture or vocalization to indicate choice.										
EE.W.7.2.B	Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										
EE.W.7.2.D	Can demonstrate understanding that specific members comprise a broad category.										

GRADE 7 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.7.NS.2.C-D	DP = Recognize whole on a set model.										
	PP = Recognize tenths in a set model; recognize one tenth in a set model.										
	T = Explain the decimal point; represent a fraction with a denominator of 10 as a decimal.										
EE.7.RP.1-3	DP = Recognize fraction, explain unit fraction, partition.										
	PP = Explain ratio, recognize many to 1 ratio.										
	T = Recognize many to many ratio, represent many to many ratio.										
EE.7.NS.3	DP = Recognize one tenth in a set model. • Recognize tenths in a set model.										
	PP = Represent a decimal to tenths as a fraction.										
	T = Compare two decimals to tenths using symbols.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT C	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.7.NS.1	DP = Recognize parts of given whole.										
P	PP = Explain concept + and - of fractions. • Decompose a fraction into a sum of unit fractions with same denominator.										
Т	= Add fractions with common denominators.										
EE.7.NS.2.A	OP = solve repeated addition problems; represent repeated addition with an equation; explain repeated addition.										
P	PP = demonstrate concept of multiplication.										
T	= multiply by 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.										
EE.6.NS.2.B	OP = Solve repeated subtraction problems; Explain repeated subtraction; Represent repeated subtractions w an equation.										
P	PP = demonstrate concept division.										
T	= divide by 1,2,3,4,5, and/or 10.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.7.G.1	DP = Recognize same/different.										
	PP = Match 2D or 3D shapes that are same size and orientation.										
	T = Match 2D or 3D shapes different size same orientation.										
EE.7.G.2	DP = Recognize squares, circles, triangles, rectangles, cubes, cones, cylinders, spheres.										
	PP = Describe attributes of shapes.										
	T = Recognize shapes with specified attributes.										
EE.7.G.5	DP = Recognize line, point, ray.										
	PP = Recognize angle.										
	T = Recognize obtuse, acute and right angles.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.7.G.4 DP = Describe and recognize measurable attributes.										
PP = Explain length, perimeter.										
T = Calculate perimeter by counting unit lengths on grid or adding all the side lengths.										

5. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL C	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.7.SP.3 DI	P = Recognize the structure of a bar, line and picture graph.										
PF	P = Recognize peaks in data distribution; symmetric distribution, outliers; and variability in a data set.										
T	= Compare differences in shape of 2 or more sets of data.										
EE.7.SP.5-7 DI	P = Classify										
PF	P = Recognize outcomes of an event.										
T:	= Classify events as possible or impossible.										

6. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.7.EE.1 DP = Model associativity of multiplication. • Model additive commutativity. • Model associativity of addition. • Model multiplicative commutativity.										
PP = Apply the associative property of multiplication.										
T = Use properties of operations to generate equivalent expressions involving subtraction. • Use properties of operations to generate equivalent expressions involving addition										
EE.7.EE.2 DP = Recognize symbolic patterns and sequences.										
PP = Recognize growing and shrinking patterns.										
T = Recognize arithmetic sequences.										

GRADE 7 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target ELA Skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.7.5 DP = Identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
PP = Understand how the title indicates information about or fits the structure of an informational text.										
T = Taking the structure of the text into account, the student can identify how a fact, step, or event fits into the text.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.7.1 DP = Can identify the key elements in a story, including the main characters, setting and the major events.			·				·			
PP = Can produce responses to questions asking about explicit info contained in a narrative by determine specific words related to or comprising of information										
T = Analyze a narrative to identify where it expresses info explicitly and where inferences should be made to determine the implicit info underlying the explicit info.										
EE.RL.7.2 DP = Identify elements in a story (characters, other key details in the text) when asked identify elements in a story (characters, other key details in the text) when asked.										
PP = Identify what the overall goal or main idea of a single episode is in a narrative by inferring from the characters, settings and actions.										
T = Determine the events that provide for the foundation of the theme in an narrative.										
EE.RL.7.4 DP = Can determine the meaning of a word when the definition is given using appositives, relative clauses, within a conjunction, or a direct explanation within a text. Examples and restatements may also be used in the sentence.										
PP = Use the surrounding context of a word in a text to determine the meaning of multiple meaning words.										
T = Determine the meaning of frequently occurring or transparent simple idioms and figures of speech when reading a narrative.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.7.1 DP = Identify illustrations or tactile graphics/ objects that reflect aspects of a familiar text, such as person, place, thing, or idea if it is an informational text.										
PP = Can identify words or details to answer a question about explicit information presented in the text.										
T = Student can determine both explicit information and can identify within the text where an inference is needed (they still don't necessarily have to be able to make the inference).										
EE.RI.7.2 DP = Identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
PP = Identify the main idea for a paragraph in an informational text that lacks an explicit statement of the topic.										
T = Determine more than one main idea in an informational text.										
EE.RI.7.4 DP = Recognize the literal meaning of a word or phrase is the meaning directly stated.										
PP = Use the surrounding context of a phrase to determine the meaning of an unknown phrase.										
T = Determine how word choice in an informational text is used to persuade or inform.										
EE.RI.7.6 DP = Identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
PP = Identify words or phrases for determining the point of view of an informational text's author.										
T = Identify the author's point of view or purpose for writing (authors physical or mental relationship with a specific event or area of a general topic).										
EE.RI.7.8 DP = Identify the main idea when it is explicitly included in the paragraph, usually as the first of last sentence.										
PP = Determine how a key word, phrase, sentence, or paragraph contributes to the overall structure of an informational text.										
T = Ascertain the organization an author of an informational text uses in arranging the claims and reasons on the topic.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.7.3	DP = Can identify how a character's actions make them feel OR can identify how the character's desires or feelings lead to an action.										
	PP = Correctly identify how a character responds to a challenge that is presented within a story.										
	T = Ascertain the relations between some of the story elements of a narrative, such as characters, settings, or major events.										
EE.RL.7.5	DP = Determine the elements (e.g., setting, events) that occur at the beginning and end of a familiar, linear story.										
	PP = Use information about structure to make determinations about what comes next in a text.										
	T = Compare the structure of 2 or more texts (stories, poems, dramas).										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.7.3	DP = Determine which of the points that the author makes in an informational text are the most important.										
	PP = Can find 2 point made by an author of an informational text that relate to each other.										
	T = Determine the specific relationship between 2 or more individuals, events, ideas, or other details in an informational text.										
EE.RI.7.9	DP = Determine when two different informational texts on the same topic make a similar point or statement.										
	PP = Compare and contrast informational texts on the same topic based on the specific details used to discuss the topic.										
	T = Determine how informational texts relate to each other based on their central ideas, theme, or arguments and the concepts included in them.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.7.2.A DP = Points to the first word, in the upper left when asked, "Show me where I should start reading.										
PP = Demonstrate an understanding that some type of punctuation needs to occur after each sentence and can recognize the different types.										
T = Can use appropriately the various types of end punctuation in his or her writing.										
EE.L.7.2.B DP = Can produce a string of letters (student attempts to write words) by combining random letters.										
PP = Can use spelling patterns (e.g., rimes) in familiar words to spell new words.										
T = Can use letter-sound knowledge to spell words phonetically by including letters that represent sounds from the word.										
EE.W.7.2.A DP = Can respond to wh- questions regarding choice of topic and other questions related to writing.										
PP = Can select a topic for writing an informational text and then find information that is either tactile, visual, or multimedia for use when writing the text.										
T = Can introduce an informational topic while writing and extend by writing about ideas and information related to the topic.										
EE.W.7.2.B DP = Can use functional words (describe a noun's function/use) to describe common persons, places, objects, or events										
PP = Adds information to writing (writing is meant inclusively here - writing, drawing, or dictation) that helps to strengthen the overall message.										
T = Able to identify facts and details related to topic from a set of choices. Now they are able to provide written facts, details and/or information about a topic.										
EE.W.7.2.D DP = Using their categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										
PP = Can identify words in speech or text that are domain- specific words (i.e., words that are specific to a content area or discipline).										
T = Student is able to select domain-specific words to use for writing about a topic.										

GRADE 8

Student name:	Year:	

Initial Precursor Level Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.8.NS.2.A Recognize separateness										
Recognize set										
EE.8.NS.2.B Recognize separateness										
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ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.8.EE.1	Combine										
	Combine set										
	Demonstrate concept of addition										
EE.8.NS.1	Recognize separateness										
	Recognize subset										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.8.G.1	Recognize attribute values.										
EE.8.G.2	Recognize same.										
	Recognize different.										
EE.8.G.4	Recognize same.										
	Recognize different.										
EE.7.G.5	Recognize attribute values.										
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ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.8.G.9	Recognize attribute values.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.8.SP.4 Classify										
Order objects.										

4. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.8.EE.7	Partition sets.										
	Combine sets.										
EE.8.EE.2	Classify										
	Contrast objects.										
	Order objects.										
EE.8.F.1-3	Arrange objects in pairs.										
	Order objects.										
EE.8.F.4	Arrange objects in pairs.										
	Order objects.										

GRADE 8 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Initial Precursor Level English Language Arts (ELA) Skills

ELA.C1.1. Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.8.5 When supplied with a member of a category, can determine if the member belongs in the category.										

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.8.1 As a result of experience with a routine, the student is able to identify the objects that are used in a routine.										
EE.RL.8.2 Can identify the next step or event in a sequence from a familiar routine.										
EE.RL.8.4 Can determine when two words have the same, similar, or different meanings or whether meanings of a single word are the same or different.										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.8.1	As a result of experience with a routine, the student is able to identify the objects that are used in a routine.										
EE.RI.8.2	2 Can demonstrate an understanding when information is not pertinent to the current task and can prevent this information from affecting their decisions and performance, allowing him or her to focus on the relevant task information.										
EE.RI.8.4	Can determine when two words have the same, similar, or different meanings or whether meanings of a single word are the same or different.										
EE.RI.8.6	As a result of experience with a routine, the student is able to identify people associated with the routine.										
EE.RI.8.8	Realizes that what he or she is thinking or viewing may or may not be the same as what other people see or think.										
EE.L.8.5A	A Can understand adjectives in others' speech.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.8.3 Comprehends that all objects have some function or action typically associated with it (object action).										
EE.RL.8.5 Can identify the next step or event in a sequence from a familiar routine.										
EE.RL.8.9 Can understand adjectives in others' speech.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.8.3 Can identify the next step or event in a sequence from a familiar routine.										
EE.RI.8.9 Realizes that what he or she is thinking or viewing may or may not be the same as what other people see or think.										

ELA C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.8.2.B Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										
EE.L.8.2.C Can produce single word utterances.										
EE.W.8.2.D When supplied with a member of a category, can determine if the member belongs in the category.										
EE.W.8.2.F As a result of the experience with a routine, the student is able to identify the end or completion of a routine.										
EE.W.8.2.A Given a choice of two objects, uses eye-gaze, physical movement, gesture or vocalization to indicate choice.										

GRADE 8 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target Math Skills

1. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of number sense.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.8.NS.2.A	DP = Partition sets into equal subsets. • Explain unit fraction.										
	PP = Explain decimal point. • Represent a fraction w/ denominator of 10 as decimal.										
	T = Represent fraction w denominator of 100 as decimal.										
EE.8.NS.2.B	DP = Recognize one tenth in a set model. • Recognize tenths in a set.										
	PP = Represent a decimal to tenths as a fraction. • Represent a decimal to hundredths as a fraction.										
	T = Compare 2 decimals to hundredths using symbols.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.8.EE.1 DP = Explain repeated +. • Represent repeated + with model. • Solve repeated + with model.										
PP = Demonstrate concept of X. • Explain multiplication problems. • Explain product.										
T = Recognize exponents.										
EE.8.NS.1 DP = Recognize parts of given whole or unit.										
PP = Decompose a fraction into a sum of unit fractions with same denominator. • Explain concept of + and – of fractions										
T = Subtract fractions with common denominators.										

2. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT		DATE									
EE.8.G.1	DP = Recognize defining attributes of shapes and non-defining attributes of a shape.										
	PP = Explain transformations.										
	T = Recognize translation, reflection and rotation.										
EE.8.G.2	DP = Match 2 D shape w/ same size and same orientations. • Match 2 D shape w/ different size and same orientation.										
	PP = Describe attributes of shapes. • Analyze shapes to identify common attributes. • Explain attribute relationship between shapes.										
	T = Recognize congruent figures.										
EE.8.G.4	DP = match 3D shape w/ different size and same orientation. • Match 2 D shape with different size and same orientation.										
	PP = Recognize similar figures. • Recognize rotation.										
	T = Explain the relationship between similar figures and transformations.										
EE.8.G.5	DP = Recognize angle.										
	PP = Recognize obtuse, acute and right angles.										
	T = Compare angles to a rt angle.										

3. Students demonstrate increasingly complex spatial reasoning and understanding of geometric principles.

ESSENTIAL MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.8.G.9 DP = Recognize measurable attributes.										
PP = Explaining volume, area, length, perimeter.										
T = Calculate volume of rt rectangular prisms with formula. • Calculate area for rectangles w/ formula. • Calculate the perimeter of parallelograms w/ formula.										

4. Students demonstrate increasingly complex understanding of measurement, data and analytic procedures.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.8.SP.4 DP = Recognize structure of bar graph, picture graph, line plot and tally chart.										
PP = Use bar graphs, picture graphs, line plots and tally charts to read the data.										
T = Represent data using bar graph, picture graph, line plot and tally chart. • Use graphs and tally charts to read between the data.										

5. Students solve increasingly complex mathematical problems, making productive use of algebra and functions.

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GRADE 8 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target ELA Skills

ELA.C1.1 Determine critical elements of text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT MUST TEST:	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE
EE.RI.8.5 DP = Identify explicit details in an informational text.										
PP = Determine which key details in an informational text support the main idea of the whole text or a section of it.										
T = Locate topic sentence and identify the supporting details in the paragraph.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.8.1 DP = Can identify the concrete details, such as characters, objects, setting and major events that are specifically stated.										
PP = Identify details about characters, objects, setting and major events that come from info not specifically stated in a narrative text.										
T = Can identify and cite the explicit info stated in the text supporting the inferences made while reading a narrative text.										
EE.RL.8.2 DP = Can identify early elements of story grammar. • Can point to pictures or objects or use speech to identify the characters or objects in a simple story.										
PP = Identify theme of a story - short, concise sentence about the overall meaning of the narrative.										
T = Can relate an event w details about specific characters and settings that help the reader to infer the theme or central idea.										
EE.RL.8.4 DP = Can determine the literal meaning of words and phrases using the context.										
PP = Can determine the meaning of frequently occurring or transparent simple idioms and figures of speech.										
T = Identify the commonly understood cultural and/or emotional meaning of words and phrases used in text.										

SSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.RI.8.1 DP = Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
PP = Use information and details explicitly mentioned in the text for citing.										
T = Can use information and details inferred from the information and details explicitly mentioned in the text for citing.										
EE.RI.8.2 DP = Identify explicit details in an informational text.										
PP = Determine more than one main idea in an informational text.										
T = Summarize the information in a familiar informational text.										
EE.RI.8.4 DP = Determine the literal meaning of words and phrases using context in which they are located.										
PP = Use surrounding context of a word in a text to determine meaning of multiple meaning words.										
T = Identify the commonly understood cultural and/ or emotional meaning of words and phrases.										
EE.RI.8.6 DP = Can identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
PP = Identify author's point of view or purpose for writing an informational text on the topic at hand. (his/her physical or mental relationship w a specific event or area of a general topic.)										
T = Pick out examples in an informational text or a presentation on a topic describing or supporting author's or presenter's point of view on topic.										
EE.RI.8.8 DP = Determine what the points are that the author of an unfamiliar informational text is trying to communicate.										
PP = Find out how specific points made by an author relate to the reasons supporting it.										
T = Identify an explicitly made argument (overly stated) – similar to locating the main idea. In persuasive text – central argument presented.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.8.3	DP = Student can correctly identify how a character responds to a challenge that is presented within a story.										
	PP = Recall the causes of major actions included in a story.										
	T = Can identify the impact that certain events have in a narrative, such as causing subsequent events to occur.										
EE.RL.8.5	DP = Determine the events that occur at the beginning, middle and end of a familiar, linear story.										
	PP = Compare the structure of 2 or more texts (stories, poems, or dramas).										
	T = Compare and contrast the structure of 2 or more texts.										
EE.RL.8.9	DP = Identify the behavior and actions of specific characters in a familiar story.										
	PP = Determine when a character changes in how he/she/ it feels emotionally over the course of and in response to the events in a story.										
	T = Determine how different narratives are the same and different in terms of their theme, plot and story elements, such as characters, settings and events.					·				·	

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RI.8.3	DP = Identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
	PP = Identify the relationship between multiple concrete facts or details.										
	T = Recall and describe events and details in the same order as they appeared in text.										
EE.RI.8.9	DP = Can determine the specific claims made by a speaker or author.										
	PP = Can determine the specific points that an author or speaker uses that corroborate and support a claim.										
	T = Can identify how authors of two different informational texts on the same topic use details differently when forming their interpretations.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1: All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.W.8.2.A	DP = Respond to wh- questions regarding choice of topic and other questions related to writing about the topic.										
	PP = Select a topic for writing an informational text and then find information that is either tactile, visual, or multimedia for use when writing the text.										
	T = Introduce an informational topic while writing and extend by writing about ideas and information related to the topic.										
EE.W.8.2.B	DP = Use perceptual words (describe a noun's features) to describe common persons, places, objects, or events.										
	PP = Provide written facts, details and/or information about a topic.										
	T = Put facts or details identified about a topic into writing.										
EE.W.8.2.C	DP = Produce utterances comprising of two words.										
	PP = Use two words together when producing a written text.										
	T = Create a complete thought (e.g., Frogs jump). May not be grammatically correct (i.e., The frogs can jump), but still conveys a complete thought or idea.										
EE.W.8.2.D	DP = Make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										
	PP = Select domain-specific words to use for writing about a topic.										
	T = Include domain-specific vocabulary when writing an informative text.										
EE.W.8.2.F	DP = Produce a universal ending in writing (e.g., the student can write "the end") .										
	PP = Write a concluding sentence, statement, or section of a written text to bring together all the information presented in the text.										
	T = Produce a conclusion for text he/she is writing.										

GRADE 10

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Initial Precursor Level Math Skills

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.S-CP.1-5 Contrast objects										
Arrange objects in pairs										
Compare objects for sameness										
EE.G-CO.4-5 Recognize same										
Recognize different										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.N-Q.1-3 Use perceptual subitizing.										
EE.S-ID.1-2 Classify										
Order objects.										
EE.S-ID.4 Recognize attribute values.										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 3:	DATE									
EE.A-CED.1	Combine sets.										
	Partition sets.										
EE.A-CED.2-4	Combine sets.										
	Partition sets.										
EE.A.REI.10-12	Order objects.										
	Arrange objects in pairs.										
EE.F-BF.1	Order objects.										
	Arrange objects in pairs.										

Initial Precursor Level English Language Arts (ELA) Skills

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.RL.9-10.1	Can identify elements in a story (characters, other key details in the text) when asked.										
EE.RL.9-10.2	Can identify the next step or event in a sequence from a familiar routine.										
EE.RL.9-10.4	Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										
EE.RI.9-10.1	Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
EE.RI.9-10.2	Can identify the concrete details, such as individuals, events, or ideas in familiar informational texts.										
EE.RI.9-10.4	Can determine some of the relevant words for describing people, places, things, or events familiar to the student.										
EE.RI.9-10.5	Using their categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										
EE.RI.9-10.8	Realizes that what he or she is thinking or viewing may or may not be the same as what other people see or think.										
EE.L.9-10.4.A	Can demonstrate a receptive understanding of the property words that describe the objects that accompany familiar games or routines.										
EE.L.9-10.5.B	Using their categorical knowledge, can make generalizations about the category to novel instances of that category.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
ELA.RL.9-10.3	Can demonstrate an understanding that categories are broad and contain varying subgroups differing on their characteristics (furniture = chairs, tables, couches, etc.).										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.9-10.5	Can identify the next step or event in a sequence from a familiar routine.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.9-10.5	Can identify the next step or event in a sequence from a familiar routine.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RI.9-10.3	As a result of experience with a routine, the student is able to identify actions associated with the routine.										

ELA C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1: All writing will be selected after one is chosen.	DATE									
EE.L.9-10.2.C	Can recognize the sound of the letter of their first name in words they hear and see and can correctly represent this letter when spelling words that start with the same letter.										
EE.W.9-10.2.C	Can produce utterances comprising of two words.										
EE.W.9-10.2.D	Can demonstrate an understanding that categories are broad and contain varying subgroups differing on their characteristics (furniture = chairs, tables, couches, etc.).										
EE.W.9-10.2.F	As a result of the experience with a routine, the student is able to identify the end or completion of a routine.										
EE.W.9-10.2.A	Can demonstrate an understanding that he or she can communicate their preference for an object (like, dislike) through either verbal or nonverbal means when asked yes/no questions about their preferences.										
EE.W.9-10.2.B	Can use functional words (describe a noun's function/use) to describe common persons, places, objects, or events.										

GRADE 10 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target Math Skills

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1:	DATE									
EE.S-CP.1-5	DP = Classify										
	PP = Recognize possible outcomes.										
	T = Determine if 2 events are dependent or independent.										
EE.G-CO.4-5	DP = Match the same three-dimensional shapes with same size and different orientation. • Match the same two-dimensional shape with same sizes and different orientations.										
	PP = Recognize translation. • Recognize rotation. • Recognize reflection. • Recognize congruent figures.										
	T = Explain the relationship between congruent figures and transformation.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 2:	DATE									
EE.N-Q.1-3 DP = Round decimals to any place.										
PP = Solve word problems involving multiplication with rational numbers. • Solve word problems involving subtraction with rational numbers. • Solve word problems involving addition with rational numbers.										
T = Express numerical answers with a degree of precision appropriate for the problem context.										
EE.S-ID.1-2 DP = Recognize the structure of a bar graph, picture graph, line graph and pie chart.										
PP = Use bar graphs, picture graphs, line graphs and pie charts to read data.										
T = Use graphs to read beyond the data. • Represent data using bar graphs, picture graphs, line graphs and pie charts										
EE.S-ID.4 DP = Classify										
PP = Summarize data by the number of observations.										
T = Calculate mean.										

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.A-CED.1	DP = Represent multiplication with equations.										
	PP = Represent expressions with variables. • Represent the unknown in an equation										
	T = Solve real-world problems using equations with non-negative rational numbers.Represent real-world problems as equation										
EE.A-CED.2-4	 DP = Represent division with equations. Represent subtraction with equations. Represent addition with equations. Represent multiplication with equations. 										
	PP = Solve linear equalities in one variable.										
	T = Solve linear inequalities in 1 variable. • Represent solutions of inequalities on a number line.										
EE.A-REI.10-12	DP = Explain coordinate pairs (ordered pairs). • Explain x-coordinate. • Explain y-coordinate.										
	PP = Recognize covariation. • Recognize direction of covariation. • Describe rate of change in a graph.										
	T = Analyze linear function graphs.Interpret a point on the graph of a linear function.										
EE.F-BF.1	DP = Explain y-coordinate. • Explain coordinate pairs (ordered pairs). • Explain x-coordinate.										
	PP = Recognize covariation. • Recognize direction of covariation. • Describe rate of change in a graph.										
	T = Represent real world problems as graphs.										

GRADE 10 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS BY LINKAGE DATA

Distal Precursor, Proximal Precursor and Target ELA skills

ELA.C1.2 Construct understanding of text.

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT From this table (from EE.RL.9-10.1 to EE.L.9-10.5.B).	DATE									
EE.RL.9-10.1 DP = Use text to answer questions posed by others regarding a narrative.										
PP = Use information and details explicitly mentioned in the text for citing.										
T = Determine which citations refer to explicit information and which citations refer to inferred.										
EE.RL.9-10.2 DP = Identify overall goal or main idea of a single episode in a narrative by inferring from the characters, settings and actions.										
PP = Determine details that provide for foundation of the theme in a narrative.										
T = Relate 2 or more events with details about specific characters and settings that help the reader to infer the theme or central idea.										
EE.RL.9-10.4 DP = Ascertain which words or phrases fit the meaning of literal sentences in a text and can complete those sentences by choosing the best.										
PP = Determine the meaning of frequently occurring or transparent simple idioms and figures of speech.										
T = Ascertain the figurative meanings of words and phrases in narratives (common idioms, analogies and figures of speech).										
EE.RI.9-10.1 DP = Identify the concrete details mentioned in beginner level informational texts.										
PP = Use info and details inferred from the info and details explicitly mentioned in the text for citing.										
T = Determine which citations refer to explicit info and which citations refer to inferred info in an informational text.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT From this table (from EE.RL.9-10.1 to EE.L.9-10.5.B).	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE
EE.RI.9-10.2 DP = Identify the details in an informational text that relate to the topic of the text based on their similarities.										
PP = Summarize the info in a familiar informational text.										
T = Pick out details that are relevant and contribute to the understanding of central idea of informational text.										
EE.RI.9-10.4 DP = Ascertain which words or phrases fit the meaning of literal sentences in a text and can complete those sentences by choosing the best ones.										
PP = Identify the commonly understood cultural and/or emotional meaning of words and phrases.										
T = Determine the figurative meaning of words and phrases (such as common idioms, analogies and figures of speech).										
EE.RI.9-10.5 DP = Can answer who and what questions about concrete details in a familiar informational text to demonstrate his or her understanding.										
PP = Determine important details in inform. text.										
T = Determine the specific evidence used to support a claim.										
EE.RI.9-10.8 DP = Determine the specific claims made by speaker/author.										
PP = Determine specific evidence used to support claim regarding either an informational or literary text or the topic of a presentation.										
T = Analyze how specific evidence supports claims that form an argument in an informational text or presentation on a topic.										

ESSENTIAL CHOOSE 1: ELEMENT From this table (from EE.RL.9-10.1 to EE.L.9-10.5.B).	DATE	DATE								
EE.L.9-10.4.A DP = Determine the meaning of a word when the definition is given using appositives, relative clauses, within a conjunction, or a direct explanation within a text.									<u> </u>	
PP = Identify what word is missing in a written sentence by using the surrounding words in the sentence and the sentence's meaning as clues.										
T = Infer word meaning using semantic clues in the sentence or paragraph, including restatement, illustrations or examples, similes, metaphors, personification, summary, cause/effect.										
EE.L.9-10.5.B DP = Understand that words can have multiple meanings that may include a concrete and psychological meaning (e.g., "sweet").										
PP = Use the surrounding context of word in text to determine meaning of multiple meaning words.										
T = Determine the intended meaning of multiple meaning words.										

ELA.C1.3 Integrate ideas and information from text

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.9-10.3	DP = Student can identify the feelings of characters when explicitly stated in familiar stories.										
	PP = Describe the internal (motivations, feelings) and external traits (appearance) of a character.										
	T = Determine the changes or development that occurs in a specific character in a narrative.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.9-10.5	DP = Student can identify the beginning and end of an unfamiliar story.										
	PP = Identify an element of the story that undergoes change(s) from beginning to end (character or setting).										
	T = identify where a text deviates from a chronological presentation of events.										
ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	MUST TEST:	DATE									
EE.RL.9-10.3	DP = Identify the order in which two events occur in an informational text.										
	PP = Identify the relationship between multiple concrete facts or details in a literature or informational text.										
	T = Ascertain the logical relationship or interaction between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or other details in an informational text.										

ELA.C2.1 Use writing to communicate.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENT	CHOOSE 1: T From this table (from EE.L.9-10C to EE.W.9-10.2.B).	DATE									
EE.L.9-10.C	DP = Produce a string of letters (student attempts to write words) by combining random letters.										
	PP = Accurately selects (from a complete alphabet array on a keyboard or other AT device) or writes the correct initial sound that corresponds with a word.										
	 T = Use letter-sound knowledge to spell words phonetically by including letters that represent sounds from the word. Produce conventional spellings for single syllable words including some words with long vowels in which the vowel sound is broken up in the written word by placing the -e associated with long vowel sound at the end. 										
EE.W.9-10.2.C	DP = Use two words together when producing a written text.										
	PP = Produce a complete thought in writing (e.g., Frogs jump). The produced thought may not be grammatically correct (i.e., The frogs can jump), but still conveys a complete thought or idea.										
	T = Write coherent, semantically accurate and grammatically correct simple sentences.										
EE.W.9-10.2.D	D DP = Identify words in speech or text that are domain-specific words (i.e., specific to a content area or discipline).										
	PP = Use domain-specific vocabulary in informative writing.										
	T = Use domain-specific vocabulary to strengthen claims in informative writing (write claims and appropriately make use of domain specific vocabulary to enhance claims).										
EE.W.9-10.2.F	F DP = Produce a universal ending in writing (e.g., the student can write "the end."										
	PP = Write a concluding sentence, statement, or section of a written text to bring together all the information presented in the text.					·					
	T = Produce a conclusion for a text he or she is writing.										

	HOOSE 1: om this table (from EE.L.9-10C to EE.W.9-10.2.B).	DATE									
EE.W.9-10.2.A DP	 Select a topic and use drawing, dictating, or writing to compose a message with at least one fact or detail about the selected topic (message may require some interpretation as student may not be using phonetic spelling or complete simple sentences). 										
PP	 Introduce a topic while writing an informational text and convey information about it including visual, tactual, or multimedia information as appropriate. 										
T=	Produce an informational piece of writing in which the topic is clearly introduced and the details about the topic (may be visual, tactual, or multimedia) are presented within a clear organizational structure.										
EE.W.9-10.2.B DP	 use words that categorize (actually identify the category a noun belongs to) to describe common persons, places, objects, or events. 										
PP	 Put facts or details identified about a topic into writing. 										
T =	Develop a topic with facts or details related to the topic.										



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- Kindergarten readiness
- Individual Plan of Study focused on career interest
- High school graduation
- Postsecondary success



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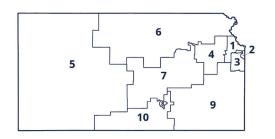


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