



**1<sup>st</sup> Quarter**

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Week	Unit/Lesson	Reporting Categories & Learning Objectives				Differentiated Activities & Resources
		Reading	Grammar	Writing	Vocabulary	
<b>Week 1</b>	<b>Welcome</b> <b>Survey – getting to know you</b> <b>Collect &amp; log Supplies received</b> <b>Classroom Rules</b> <b>Syllabus overview</b>	Types of writing – Narrative, Argumentative, Expository, Evaluation (review/analysis) (teacher’s choice of examples)			SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 2</b>	Unit 1: The American Revolution Lesson: Understanding Rhetoric, Analyzing Rhetoric, Explore writing and presenting an argument	Apex lesson text, The American Crisis # 1 - Thomas Paine	Elements of rhetoric: ethos	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 3</b>	Unit 1: The American Revolution Lesson: Analyze The American Crisis #1, Understanding the Declaration of Independence, Analyzing The Declaration of Independence	Apex lesson text, The Declaration of Independence	Elements of rhetoric: logos	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 4</b>	Unit 1: The American Revolution Lesson: Explore writing an analysis, Analyze the rough draft of The Declaration, Understand the Constitution, Analyze a Supreme Court decision	Apex lesson text, The rough draft of the Declaration, The Constitution	Elements of rhetoric: pathos	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 5</b>	Unit 1: The American Revolution Lesson: Explore writing an evaluation, Analyze the Address of Susan B Anthony Review & Test	Apex lesson text, Address of Susan B Anthony	Diction – why it matters	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Write an evaluation of a piece of text
<b>Week 6</b>	Unit 2: Romanticism and Transcendentalism Lesson: Understanding Poetry, Analyzing poetry, Read Into the Wild (1-5)	Apex lesson text (Whitman and Dickinson), Into the Wild (1-6)	Poetry: figurative language	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 7</b>	Unit 2: Romanticism and Transcendentalism Lesson: Explore writing an analysis, Understand Gothic Writing, , Read Into the Wild (6-10)	Apex lesson text (Poe selections), The Raven, Into the Wild (7-12)	Poetry: tone, mood, meaning, pacing	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Write an analysis of a poem



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<b>Week 8</b>	Unit 2: Romanticism and Transcendentalism Lesson: Analyze Poetry readings Understand Transcendentalism, Read Into the Wild (13-18)	Apex lesson text, Into the Wild (13-18)	Theme, setting, plot	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Explore writing a narrative poem
<b>Week 9</b>	Unit 2: Romanticism and Transcendentalism Lesson: Analyze “Resistance to Civil Government”, Review and Test (Unit 2 and Into the Wild)	Apex lesson text, review materials	Characterization	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	

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<b>Week 1</b>	Unit 3: The American Narrative Lesson: Understand Mark Twain and Satire, Analyze “Life on the Mississippi”, Analyze “The war prayer”	Apex lesson text, “I sell a dog”, “Life on the Mississippi”, “The war prayer”	Commas, periods, question marks, and exclamation points <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Explore writing a narrative
<b>Week 2</b>	Unit 3: The American Narrative Lesson: Understand the Civil War, Analyze Narrative of the life of Fredrick Douglass, Analyze What to a slave is the fourth of July	Apex lesson text, “The second inaugural address”, “Narrative of the life of Fredrick Douglass”, “What to a slave is the fourth of July”	Semi-colons and colons <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Explore writing an analysis; write an analysis of a speech or autobiography
<b>Week 3</b>	Unit 3: The American Narrative Lesson: Understand westward expansion, Analyze Diary of a pioneer woman	Apex lesson text, “Oregon” “Diary of a pioneer woman”	Apostrophes, contractions and possessives <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Keep a diary



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<b>Week 4</b>	Unit 4: Modernism and the American Dream Lesson: Analyze The significance of the frontier in American History Review & Test Understand the American Dream, Analyze the voices of William Faulkner	Apex lesson text, “The significance of the frontier in American history”, “The end of something”, William Faulkner	Dashes, hyphens, ellipses <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text
<b>Week 5</b>	Unit 4: Modernism and the American Dream Lesson: , Analyze How William Faulkner tackled race..., Understand the Jazz Age, Analyze The Great Gatsby	Apex lesson text, “How William Faulkner tackled race...”, The Great Gatsby (1-3), “The Pen and the Paradox”	Nouns pt 1 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text
<b>Week 6</b>	Unit 4: Modernism and the American Dream Lesson: Analyze Salvation	Apex lesson text, The Great Gatsby (4-6), “Salvation”	Nouns pt 2 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text
<b>Week 7</b>	Unit 4: Modernism and the American Dream Lesson: Analyze Every Man a King, Analyze The Great Gatsby	Apex lesson text, “Every Man a King”, The Great Gatsby (7-9)	Pronouns pt 1 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text
<b>Week 8</b>	Unit 4: Modernism and the American Dream Review and Test Unit 4 & The Great Gatsby	Apex lesson text	Pronouns pt 2 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text
<b>Week 9</b>	Mid-term review and test		Verbs pt 1 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text



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<b>Week 1</b>	Unit 6: Modernism and Language Lesson: Understanding the Great Depression, Analyze FDR’s first inaugural address, Analyze The Grapes of Wrath (1-6)	Apex lesson text, Interviews about the Great Depression, FDR’s first inaugural address, The Grapes of Wrath (1-6)	Verbs pt 2 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 2</b>	Unit 6: Modernism and Language Lesson: Analyze The Grapes of Wrath (7-12), Understanding Modern Poetry	Apex lesson text, The Grapes of Wrath (7-12), “Don’t crowd the wheelbarrow”	Verb agreement <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 3</b>	Unit 6: Modernism and Language Lesson: Analyze The Grapes of Wrath (13-18), Analyze Modern Poetry, Understand breaking traditions	Apex lesson text, The Grapes of Wrath (13-18), Speaking of Symbolism	Sentence parts <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Use symbolism to tell a story about an important event
<b>Week 4</b>	Unit 6: Modernism and Language Lesson: Analyze The Grapes of Wrath (19-24), Analyze stream of consciousness texts	Apex lesson text, The Grapes of Wrath (19-24), Stream of consciousness texts	Adjectives and Adverbs <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 5</b>	Unit 6: Modernism and Language Lesson: Analyze The Grapes of Wrath (25-30), Explore writing a narrative Review and Test	Apex lesson text, The Grapes of Wrath (25-30)	Prepositions <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 6</b>	Unit 7: Redefining Home Lesson: Understand A Raisin in the Sun Act 1, Analyze A Raisin in the Sun Act 1, Analyze The Declaration of Conscience	Apex lesson text, Speech on Civil Rights, The Declaration of Conscience, A Raisin in the Sun (Act I); <a href="https://khdzamlit.weebly.com/uploads/1/1/2/6/11261956/a_raisin_in_the_sun_-_lorraine_hansberry.pdf">https://khdzamlit.weebly.com/uploads/1/1/2/6/11261956/a_raisin_in_the_sun_-_lorraine_hansberry.pdf</a>	Conjunctions and Interjections <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 7</b>	Unit 7: Redefining Home Lesson: Understand A Raisin in the Sun Act II, Analyze A Raisin the	Apex lesson text, The American Promise, An Address at Rice University on the	Verbals and phrases <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	



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	Sun Act II, Analyze An Address at Rice University on the Nation’s Space	Nation’s Space, A Raisin in the Sun (Act II; <a href="https://khdzamlit.weebly.com/uploads/1/1/2/6/11261956/a_raisin_in_the_sun_-_lorraine_hansberry.pdf">https://khdzamlit.weebly.com/uploads/1/1/2/6/11261956/a_raisin_in_the_sun_-_lorraine_hansberry.pdf</a> )			
<b>Week 8</b>	Unit 7: Redefining Home Lesson: Understand the impact of time, Understand A Raisin in the Sun Act III, Analyze A Raisin in the Sun Act III, Analyze Notes of a Native Son	Apex lesson text, A Calm Reply to Hades, Notes of a Native Son, A Raisin in the Sun (Act III; <a href="https://khdzamlit.weebly.com/uploads/1/1/2/6/11261956/a_raisin_in_the_sun_-_lorraine_hansberry.pdf">https://khdzamlit.weebly.com/uploads/1/1/2/6/11261956/a_raisin_in_the_sun_-_lorraine_hansberry.pdf</a> )	Clauses <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text
<b>Week 9</b>	Unit 7: Redefining Home Lesson: Analyze How it feels to be colored me Review and test	Apex lesson text, How it feels to be colored me	Capitalization <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text

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		Reading	Grammar	Writing	Vocabulary	Differentiated Activities & Resources
<b>Week 1</b>	Unit 8: Fractured Identities Lesson: Understand the Vietnam war, Analyze Vietnam poems, Understand divided loyalties,	Apex lesson text, Vietnam, poems about Vietnam, Fish Cheeks	Troublesome words Pt 1 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 2</b>	Unit 8: Fractured Identities Lesson: Analyze Gravity, Understand American Indian Literature, Analyze The way to rainy mountain Review & Test	Apex lesson text, Gravity, Red Jacket’s speech, The way to rainy mountain <a href="http://www.b-g.k12.ky.us/userfiles/1049/The%20">http://www.b-g.k12.ky.us/userfiles/1049/The%20</a>	Troublesome words Pt 2 <a href="https://www.englishgrammar101.com/">https://www.englishgrammar101.com/</a>	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	Write an analysis of The way to rainy mountain



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		<a href="#">Way%20to%20Rainy%20Mountain.pdf</a>				
<b>Week 3</b>	Unit 9: The Influence of Science and Technology Lesson: Understand Humans and the environment, Analyze 1984, Analyze the world without us, Analyze the obligation to endure	Apex lesson text, 1984 (1-4), There will come soft rains, The last wolf, Homework, The world without us, the obligation to endure	Thesis statements	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 4</b>	Unit 9: The Influence of Science and Technology Lesson: Analyze 1984, Analyze Amusing ourselves to death	Apex lesson text, 1984 (5-8), Amusing ourselves to death	Parts of an essay	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 5</b>	Unit 9: The Influence of Science and Technology Lesson: Analyze 1984, Analyze Bradbury and Vonnegut	Apex lesson text, 1984 (9-12), Bradbury and Vonnegut	Supporting paragraphs	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 6</b>	Unit 9: The Influence of Science and Technology Lesson: Analyze 1984, Analyze Is google making us stupid?	Apex lesson text, 1984 (13-16), Is Google making us stupid?	Styles of references/citations	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 7</b>	Unit 9: The Influence of Science and Technology Lesson: Analyze 1984, Analyze The coming merging of mind and machine, Analyze Exhalation	Apex lesson text, 1984 (17-20), The coming merging of mind and machine, Exhalation	Proper sources	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 8</b>	Unit 9: The Influence of Science and Technology Lesson: Analyze 1984, Analyze The ends of the world as we know them	Apex lesson text, 1984 (21-24), The ends of the world as we know them	Works cited pages	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
<b>Week 9</b>	Review and final test	Apex lesson text		Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	