



1st Quarter

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Week	Unit/Lesson	Reporting Categories & Learning Objectives				Differentiated Activities & Resources
		Reading	Grammar	Writing	Vocabulary	
Week 1	Welcome Survey – getting to know you Collect & log Supplies received Classroom Rules Syllabus overview				SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 2	Unit 1: Getting Started Lesson: Introduction to English Literature, Literature: Genres and Terminology, Critical Reading, The writing process Read, discuss, analyze The Scarlet Letter	Apex lesson text, The Raven The Scarlet Letter (1-4)	Elements of rhetoric: ethos	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 3	Unit 2: Fiction and Poetry Lesson: Read Araby, The Story of an Hour, and Sweat – Complete and discuss the reading guides. Read, discuss, analyze The Scarlet Letter	Apex lesson text, Araby , The Story of an Hour , Sweat The Scarlet Letter (5-7)	Elements of rhetoric: logos	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 4	Unit 2: Fiction and Poetry Lesson: Read High Holy Days, The Collar, Design, The most of it – Complete and discuss reading guides. Review & Test Read, discuss, analyze The Scarlet Letter	Apex lesson text, High Holy Days , The Collar, Design , The Most of it The Scarlet Letter (8-10)	Elements of rhetoric: pathos	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 5	Unit 3: Drama Lesson: The art of drama, Hedda Gabler analysis and interpretation Read, discuss, analyze The Scarlet Letter	Apex lesson text, Hedda Gabler , The Scarlet Letter (11-13)	Diction – why it matters	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 6	Unit 3: Drama Lesson: A Streetcar Named Desire analysis and interpretation Review and test Read, discuss, analyze The Scarlet Letter	Apex lesson text, A Streetcar Named Desire , The Scarlet Letter (14-17)	Poetry: figurative language	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 7	Unit 4: Poetry Lesson: The art of poetry, Read Corina Goes A'Maying – Complete and discuss reading guide Read, discuss, analyze The Scarlet Letter	Apex lesson text, Reading a Renaissance Love Poem The Scarlet Letter (18-21)	Poetry: tone, mood, meaning, pacing	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	



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Week 8	Unit 4: Poetry Lesson: Read The Sun Rising – Complete and discuss reading guide Read, discuss, analyze The Scarlet Letter	Apex lesson text, The Sun Rising The Scarlet Letter (22-24)	Theme, setting, plot	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text
Week 9	Unit 4: Poetry Lesson: Read To His Coy Mistress – Complete and discuss reading guide, Read and discuss My Last Duchess, Attitudes towards women Review & test	Apex lesson text, To His Coy Mistress , My Last Duchess	Characterization	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text

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		Reading	Grammar	Writing	Vocabulary	
Week 1	Unit 5: Long Fiction Lesson: The Art of Fiction, Read Their Eyes Were Watching God – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Their Eyes Were Watching God (1-5)	Commas, periods, question marks, and exclamation points https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 2	Unit 5: Long Fiction Lesson: Read Their Eyes Were Watching God – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Their Eyes Were Watching God (6-10)	Semi-colons and colons https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 3	Unit 5: Long Fiction Lesson: Read Their Eyes Were Watching God – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Their Eyes Were Watching God (11-15)	Apostrophes, contractions and possessives https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 4	Unit 5: Long Fiction Lesson: Read Their Eyes Were Watching God – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Their Eyes Were Watching God (16-20)	Dashes, hyphens, ellipses	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	



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Week 5	Unit 6: Shakespearean Comedy Lesson: Shakespeare and Language, Read The Twelfth Night Act I – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, The Twelfth Night Act I	Nouns pt 1 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 6	Unit 6: Shakespearean Comedy Lesson: Read The Twelfth Night Act II – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, The Twelfth Night Act II	Nouns pt 2 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 7	Unit 6: Shakespearean Comedy Lesson: Read The Twelfth Night Act III – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, The Twelfth Night Act III	Pronouns pt 1 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 8	Unit 6: Shakespearean Comedy Lesson: Read The Twelfth Night Act IV and V – Complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, The Twelfth Night Acts IV and V	Pronouns pt 2 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 9	Review and Test		Verbs pt 1 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	

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Week		Reporting Categories & Learning Objectives				
		Reading	Grammar	Writing	Vocabulary	Differentiated Activities & Resources
Week 1	Unit 8: Victorian Era Literature Lesson: Victorian era life and literature, Jane Eyre (1-10) – complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Jane Eyre (1-10)	Verbs pt 2 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 2	Unit 8: Victorian Era Literature Lesson: Jane Eyre (11-20) – complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Jane Eyre (11-20)	Verb agreement https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	



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Week	Reporting Categories & Learning Objectives					
Week 3	Unit 8: Victorian Era Literature Lesson: Jane Eyre (21-29) – complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Jane Eyre (21-29)	Sentence parts https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 4	Unit 8: Victorian Era Literature Lesson: Jane Eyre (30-38) – complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Jane Eyre (30-38)	Adjectives and Adverbs https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 5	Unit 9: 19 th Century Literature British Authors Lesson: The Romantic movement, Poems by Blake and Wadsworth, Poems by Shelley and Coleridge, Keats-Ode to a nightengale	Apex lesson text, The Tyger , London , My Heart Leaps Up , The World is too much with us , Kubla Khan , Ozymandias , Ode to a nightengale	Prepositions https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 6	Unit 9: 19 th Century Literature American Authors Lesson: Poems by Emily Dickinson, Poems by Walt Whitman, Bartleby the Scrivener	Apex lesson text, There’s a certain slant of light , I felt a funeral in my brain , A narrow fellow in the grass , Song of Myself (sections 1, 6, and 52), Bartleby the Scrivener	Conjunctions and Interjections https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 7	Unit 10: Turn-of-the-century literature Lesson: Turn-of-the-century life and literature, Heart of Darkness pt I – complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Heart of Darkness pt I An image of Africa	Verbals and phrases https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 8	Unit 10: Turn-of-the-century literature Lesson: Heart of Darkness pt II – complete and discuss reading guide	Apex lesson text, Heart of Darkness pt II	Clauses https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 9	Unit 10: Turn-of-the-century literature Lesson: Heart of Darkness pt III – complete and discuss reading guide Review and Test	Apex lesson text, Heart of Darkness pt III, The Yellow Wallpaper	Capitalization https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	



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		Reading	Grammar	Writing	Vocabulary	Differentiated Activities & Resources
Week 1	Unit 11: Modern Literature Lesson: Modern Age Life and Literature, Poems by Hardy, Hopkins, and Yeats, T.S. Eliot, Read, Analyze, & Discuss Poems by Stevens, H.D., and Williams Read, Analyze, & Discuss Review and test	Apex lesson text, God's Grandeur , The Darkling Thrush , The Second Coming , The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock , Thirteen Ways of Looking at a Blackbird , Sea Violet , The Red Wheelbarrow , The Dance	Troublesome words Pt 1 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 2	Unit 13: Contemporary Literature Lesson: Contemporary Life and Literature, Read Sonny's Blues – complete reading guide and discuss, Read I stand here ironing – complete reading guide and discuss, Poems by Bishop – read, analyze, and discuss	Apex lesson text, Sonny's Blues , I stand here ironing , The Fish , In the waiting room ,	Troublesome words Pt 2 https://www.englishgrammar101.com/	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 3	Unit 13: Contemporary Literature Lesson: The House on Mango Street (The House on Mango Street, The Monkey Garden, and Mango Says Goodbye Sometimes) – Complete reading guide and discuss, Read Two Kinds – complete reading guide and discuss	Apex lesson text, The House on Mango Street (excerpts), Two Kinds	Thesis statements	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 4	Unit 13: Contemporary Literature Lesson: A very old man with enormous wings – complete reading guide and discuss, Read Annie John – complete reading guide and discuss	Apex lesson text, A very old man with enormous wings , Annie John	Parts of an essay	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 5	King Lear Act I and II	Apex lesson text, King Lear	Supporting paragraphs	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 6	King Lear Act III	Apex lesson text, King Lear	Styles of references/citations	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 7	King Lear Act IV	Apex lesson text, King Lear	Proper sources	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	
Week 8	King Lear Act V	Apex lesson text, King Lear	Works cited pages	Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text	



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Week 9	Review and test			Annotating reading selections, writing exercises	SAT Words, vocab words from novels or text