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Focus:	Focus:
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(8) Reading/Comprehension of Literary Text/Sensory Language. Students understand, make inferences and draw conclusions about how an author's sensory language creates imagery in literary text and provide evidence from text to support their understanding. Students are expected to:	
READINESS	
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## Students are expected to:

#### **READINESS**

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Between/among other characters	
With self	
With society	
With nature/ environment	
Analyzing Change	
Change From beginning to end	
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Major/Minor	
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Reading/Comprehension Skills. Students use a flexible range of	
metacognitive reading skills in both assigned and independent	
reading to understand an author's message. Students will continue	
to apply earlier standards with greater depth in increasingly more	
complex texts as they become self-directed, critical readers.	
Students are expected to:	
(A) establish purposes for reading selected texts based upon own or	
others' desired outcome to enhance comprehension;	
(B) ask literal, interpretive, and universal of text;	
(C) monitor and adjust comprehension (e.g., using background	
knowledge, creating sensory images, rereading	
a portion aloud, generating questions);	
Readiness (Fiction)	
Supporting (Literary Nonfiction, Poetry, Drama)	
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understanding	
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Figure 19 (E) summarize and paraphrase texts in ways that maintain	
meaning and logical order within a text and across texts	
SUPPORTING	

(F) make connections (e.g., thematic links, author analysis) between and across multiple texts of various genres and provide textual evidence.

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- 5.28 (A) give organized presentations employing eye contact, speaking rate, volume, enunciation, natural gestures, and conventions of language to communicate ideas effectively.
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### **On-Going Process Skills**

- (1) Reading/Fluency. Students read grade-level text with fluency and comprehension. Students are expected to:
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- (9) Reading/Comprehension of Text/Independent Reading. Students read independently for sustained periods of time and produce evidence of their reading. Students are expected to:
- 5.9 (A) read independently for a sustained period of time and summarize or paraphrase what the reading was about, maintaining meaning and logical order (e.g., generate a reading log or journal;
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participate in book talks).	5.20 (A) (ii) collective nouns (e.g., class, public);		
	5.20 (A) (iii) adjectives (e.g., descriptive, including origins: French		
	windows, American cars) and their comparative and superlative forms		
	(e.g., good, better, best);		
	5.20 (A) (iv) adverbs (e.g., frequency: usually, sometimes; intensity:		
	almost, a lot);		
	5.20 (A) (v) prepositions and prepositional phrases to convey location,		
	time, direction, or to provide details;		
	5.20 (A) (vi) indefinite pronouns (e.g., all, both, nothing, anything);		
	5.20 (A) (vii) subordinating conjunctions (e.g., while, because,		
	although, if); and		
	5.20 (A) (viii) transitional words (e.g., also, therefore);		
	5.20 (B) use the complete subject and the complete predicate in a		
	sentence; and		
	5.20 (C) use complete simple and compound sentences with correct		
	subject-verb agreement. (Emphasis: Commas in Compound Sentences)		
	Students are expected to:		
	5.21 (A) use capitalization for: (Emphasis: Proper Nouns)		
	5.21 (A) (i) abbreviations; (Emphasis: Sr., Jr., Gen., Col., Prof., Lt.,		
	Capt., Sgt., Ft., Mt., St., Blvd., Ave. and John Doe, Sr. / Use of periods in		
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