MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

District Pacing Guide

English 3 – 11th Grade

Course Code:100137001

STRAND/BODY OF KNOWLEDGE: Reading Process, Literary Analysis, Writing Process, Writing Applications, Communication, Information and Media Literacy

TOPIC I: Cultural Connections

			Pacing 5 days Week 1 08/23/10-08/27/10
Next Generation Sunshine State Standards	ESSENTIAL CONTENT	OBJECTIVES	INSTRUCTIONAL TOOLS
LA.1112.1.5.1 The student will adjust reading rate based on purpose, text difficulty, form, and style LA.1112.1.6.2 The student will listen to, read, and discuss familiar and conceptually challenging text LA.1112.1.7.1 The student will use background knowledge of subject and related content areas, prereading strategies (e.g., previewing, discussing, generating questions), text features, and text structure to make and confirm complex predictions of content, purpose, and organization of a reading selection LA.1112.1.7.3 The student will determine the main idea or essential message in grade-level or higher texts through inferring, paraphrasing, summarizing, and identifying relevant details and facts LA.1112.1.7.4 The student will identify cause-and-effect relationships in text	Reading • cause-and-effect relationships • compare and contrast characters • descriptive details/supporting details • sequential order • context clues • read a creation myth Literary Analysis • characterization methods • transformation of character • plot • setting • theme • imagery – descriptive and sensory detail • simile • symbol • symbolism Writing Process/Application • use prewriting strategies to generate ideas and formulate a plan • write a draft of a descriptive essay appropriate to the topic, audience, and purpose	 Students will: explore the key idea of origin analyze characteristics of a creation myth read a creation myth develop strategies for reading folk literature understand archetypes identify causes and effects analyze details plan and compose a draft descriptive essay, incorporating sensory language develop the writing trait of <i>ideas</i> (focus and support) within the essay 	Core Textbook: McDougal Littell Literature "The World on the Turtle's Back" (Iroquois) Pg. 32Informational Text Extension Early American Writing 1600-1800: An Emerging Nation Pg. 18Selection Resources Resource Manager Unit 1 pp 17 – 35 Best Practices Toolkit pp.31 -46 -Graphic Organizers/StrategiesVocabulary Resources Vocabulary in Context Vocabulary Study p. 131 Scaffolding Vocabulary Instruction Vocabulary Center at www.classzone.comDifferentiated Instruction See References in TE pages 33-40
in text	Review: capitalization, parts of		

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LA.11112.2.1.1	speech, and writing complete	Technology:
The student will analyze and compare	sentences	Easy Planner CD
historically and culturally significant		Audio Anthology CD
works of literature, identifying the		Test Generator CD
relationships among the major genres	Suggested Prompt	Best Practices Toolkit
(e.g., poetry, fiction, nonfiction, short	Much like "The World on The Turtle's	WriteSmart CD
story, dramatic literature, essay) and the	Back" you are going to write a creation	www.classzone.com
literary devices unique to each, and	myth, but this is going to be about you!	
analyze how they support and enhance	Write a paragraph/essay describing who	
the theme and main ideas of the text	you are, where you are from, and your	
	core beliefs. Use anecdotes to support to	
LA.1112.2.1.4	add necessary descriptive details. Be	
The student will analyze the way in which	sure to use complete sentences.	
the theme or meaning of a selection		
represents a view or comment on life,	Differentiated Instruction Suggestions	
providing textual evidence for the	 Scaffold prewriting activities with 	
identified theme	students	
	 Adjust the length of the assignment 	
LA.1112.2.1.5	for students as needed	
The student will analyze and discuss		
characteristics of subgenres (e.g.,		
satire, parody, allegory) that overlap		
or cut across the lines of genre		
classifications such as poetry, novel,		
drama, short story, essay or editorial		
LA.1112.2.1.7		
The student will analyze,		
interpret, and evaluate an author's use		
of descriptive language (e.g., tone,		
irony,		
mood, imagery, pun,		
alliteration, onomatopoeia,		
allusion), figurative language (e.g.,		
symbolism, metaphor,		
personification, hyperbole),		
common idioms, and		
mythological and literary allusions,		
and explain how they impact meaning		

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in a variety of texts with an emphasis on how they evoke reader's emotions LA.1112.2.1.8 The student will explain how ideas, values, and themes of a literary work often reflect the historical		
period LA.1112.3.1.1 The student will prewrite by generating ideas from multiple sources (e.g., prior knowledge, discussion with others, writer's notebook, research materials, or other reliable		
sources), based upon teacher-directed topics and personal interests LA.1112.3.2.2 The student will draft writing by establishing a logical organizational pattern with supporting details that are substantial, specific, and relevant.		

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Date	Pacing Guide Benchmark(s)	Data Driven Benchmark(s)	Activities	Assessment(s)	Strategies
08/23/10- 08/27/10					