PACING GUIDE 2023

COURSE: English 2 Honors GRADE(S): Sophomore

MONTH/D AYS	UNIT#	STANDARDS	CONTENT Topics being covered? What do students need to know? (nouns)	ACTIVITIES w/Integration of Technology & Career Ready Practices	ASSESSMENTS What evidence (formative/summative) is utilized to establish that the content, standards, & skills have been mastered?
Sept-Oct/30	Narrative Writing- Poetry	NJSLSA.R1. Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences and relevant connections from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text. NJSLSA.R2. Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas. NJSLSA.R4. Interpret words and	Poetry "Calendar Fragments" "I Went to Kill the Deer/ I Have Killed the Deer" "Funeral Oration" "Song of the Sky Loom" by Tewa "Eagle Poem" by Joy Harjo "Earth, Teach Me" by Ojibwa New England Primer (Puritan alphabet) "The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls" by Henry Longfellow "To My Dear and Loving Husband" by Anne Bradstreet "Upon the Burning of Our House" by Anne Bradstreet "Psalm of Life" by Henry Longfellow "The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls" by Henry Longfellow "The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls" by Henry Longfellow "The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls" by Henry Longfellow "The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls" by Henry Longfellow "The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls" by Henry Longfellow "The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls" by Henry Longfellow "The First Snowfall" by James Russell Lowell	*Extended Metaphor poem * Write a modern Puritan alphabet w rhyming couplets *Short Answer response comparing themes	Poetry critical reading assessment Biopoem quiz *Literary Term Quiz 1 Socratic Seminar

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		conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking. NJSLSA.L2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. NJSLSA. L4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts, and consulting general and specialized reference materials, as appropriate.			
Oct - Nov/ 25	Unit 2 Literary Analysis Creation Myths	NJSLSA.R1. Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences and relevant	Walam Olum Earth on Turtle's Back Native American Yoruba Creation Myth, West African Golden Flower Taino/Puerto Rican Creation Myth	Annotation Group Reading	Mythology Critical Reading Assessment Compare Contrast Essay

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textual evidence
when writing or
speaking to support
conclusions drawn
from the text.
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NJSLSA.R2.
Determine central
ideas or themes of
a text and analyze
their development;
summarize the key
supporting details
and ideas.
NJSLSA.R4.
Interpret words and
phrases as they are
used in a text,
including
determining
technical,
connotative, and
figurative
meanings, and
analyze how
specific word
choices shape
meaning or tone.
NJSLSA.R5.
Analyze the
structure of texts,
including how
specific sentences,
paragraphs, and

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larger portions of
the text (e.g., a
section, chapter,
scene, or stanza)
relate to each other
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NJSLSA.R7.
Integrate and
evaluate content
presented in
diverse media and
formats, including
visually and
quantitatively, as well as in words.
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NJSLSA.W2.
Write Write
informative/explan
atory texts to
examine and
convey complex
ideas and
information clearly
and accurately
through the
effective selection,
organization, and
analysis of content.
NJSLSA.W3.
Write narratives to
develop real or imagined
experiences or
events using
 effective technique,

well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences
NJSLSA.W5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.
NJSLSA.W6. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and to interact and collaborate with others.
NJSLSA.W7. Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects, utilizing an inquiry-based research process, based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.
NJSLSA.W10. Write routinely

over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences
NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
NJSLSA.SL2. Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally. NJSLSA.SL4.

		Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.			
Nov- Dec	Unit 3 Narrative Nonfiction		"The General History of Virginia" John Smith "Journal of the First Voyage" Christopher Columbus "Of Plymouth Plantation" William Bradford Iroquois Constitution "Journey Through Texas" Cabeza de Vaca "Boulders Taller than Seville" by Lopez de Cardenas "Interesting Narrative of Olaudah Equiano" by Olaudah Equiano	Google Classroom review worksheets * Create a travel brochure demonstrating subjective and objective writing	Explanatory essay test Critical reading assessment

"Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl" by Harriet Jacobs
Modern Human Trafficking Narratives
Jamestown Indentured Servant Letter
Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin
Abigail Adams Letters
My New World Journey by Nola Kambanda, (Rwandan)
American Born, Rachel Brownstein (Jewish)
"Is Everyone Hanging out without me" by Mindy Kaling (Indian-American)
"Yes, Chef" Marcus Samuelsson (Ethiopian memoir)
"Hunger" by Roxane Gay (body image and mental illness)
All Boys Aren't Blue by George Johnson memoir (LGBTQ bullying, bias, in African American community)

		"Why Can't Environmentalism be Colorblind" by Jennifer Oladipo "Our Climate Future is Our Climate Present" by Jon Mooallem		
Nov - Jan / 40	Unit 5- Drama	Independent Reading Excerpts from Kaffir Boy by Mathabane and Born a Crime by Noah The Crucible by Arthur Miller Salem Witch Trials Court Documents McCarthy Trials Historical Resources "Letter to the General Court and Testimony" by Mary Dyer	*Salem Newsletter The Crucible Fishbowl Allusion Worksheet	The Crucible Critical Reading Assessment Acts 1 & 2 The Crucible Critical REading Assessment Acts 3 & 4 Crucible Vocab Quiz *Literary Term Quiz 2 The Crucible Essay test Independent Reading Essay Independent Reading multiple choice assessment
Feb- March	Unit 5 Argument	"Speech in the VA Convention" Patrick Henry "Speech in the Convention" Benjamin Franklin "The Crisis" Thomas Paine	Review Worksheets Active Listening Worksheet Argumentative Speech Outline WMMR reflective writing prompts	Unit argumentative essay test Unit multiple choice assessment Argumentative Speech WMMR multiple choice assessment WMMR open ended response Literary Term Quiz 3

	"Declaration of Independence"	
	"What to the Slave is the 4th of July" by Frederick Douglass (Amistad)	
	"Speech to the DNC Convention 1976" Barbara Jordan (African American & LGBTQ)	
	"Speech on Child Labor" by Florence Kelley	
	"Hatred is Unworthy of Us" by Leonard Pitts	
	"He Showed Us The Way" by Cesar Chavez (Latinx)	
	"Indians are a People Not Mascots" by Fred Veilleux	
	Speech to the United Nations Youth Assembly by Malala Yousafzai (AAPI)	
	Speech to Global Climate Summit by Greta Thunberg (climate change)	
	Synthesis Prompt- Limits of Free Speech Conversations	
	What Made Maddy Run by Kate Fagan	

April - May	Unit 6 Expository		"Self Reliance" by Ralph Waldo Emerson	Google Classroom review worksheets Group worksheets Socratic Seminar	Critical Reading Assessment Infographic Literary Terms Quiz 4
			"Civil Disobedience" by Henry David Thoreau		
			Earth Without People by Weissman		
			Indians are a People Not a Mascot by Fred Veuilleux		
			"Fifty Years Ago, the Beatles Changed Our Music, Culture" by Leonard Pitts		
			"My Daughter's Homework is Killing Me" by Karl Taro Greenfield		
			"How One Stupid Tweet Blow Up Justine Sacco's Life" by Jon Ronson		
			"On The Decay of Friendship" by Samuel Johnson		
			"The Struggle to be an All American Girl" by Elizabeth Wong (AAPI)		
			"Black Men and Public Spaces" by Brent Staples (African American)		
			"The Land Ethic" by Aldo Leopold (climate change)		

		"The Perils of Indifference" by Elie Wiesel (holocaust) https://www.historyplace.com/speeches/wiesel.htm "Something to Declare" by Julia Alvarez (Dominican) https://staticl.squarespace.com/static/5d4ecb414ff6c3000104ca87/t/5d508f54567c8a0001acc883/1565560663490/4256-Something+to+Declare.pdf		
May - June	Unit 7 Narrative Fiction	"The Devil and Tom Walker" Washington Irving "The Black Cat" by Edgar Allan Poe "Where is Here" by Joyce Carol Oates "Dr Heidegger's Experiment" by Nathaniel Hawthorne "Reindeer Games" by Sherman Alexie (Native American) "Two Kinds" by Amy Tan (Asian American) "The Fabulous Sinkhole" by Jesus Trevino (Latinx)	Google Classroom review worksheets Group worksheets Write Short Story Socratic Seminar Literature Circle with Animal Farm	Critical Reading Assessment explanatory/ analysis test Argumentative Essay Final Draft Animal Farm by Orwell literary analysis response

	"The Baddest Dog in Harlem" by Walter Dean Myers (African American) "Lelah" by Angela Flournoy (African American) "The Test" by Shelby Osteergard (Dyslexia - common lit) Animal Farm by Orwell	