Contemporary Living Course Compendium

UNITS OF STUDY*

Unit 1- Relationships built on interlinked qualities

Unit 2- Devoted caregivers help generations mature

Unit 3- Textiles surround you

Unit 4- Sewing your own clothes expresses personal style

Unit 5- The fashion industry influences your life

Unit 6- Wellness allows you to function well

Unit 7- Healthy meals strat with effective meal managers

Unit 8- Meal preparation: cooking techniques in action

Unit 9- Eating wisely and exercising equals healthy life

Unit 10- Shopping smart

Credits: 5 Grades: 9, 10 This course fulfills the graduation requirement for career education/practical arts.

Contemporary Living focuses on useful skills for today's teen living in contemporary society. Students gain hands-on experience in the various areas of home and life skills. This course serves as an introduction to the courses offered in the Family Life department. Topics covered include: food preparation, nutrition, textile arts, clothing construction and childcare.

INTERDISCIPLINARY CONNECTIONS

NJSLS Companion Standards Grades 9-10 (Reading & Writing in History, Soc. St., Science, & Tech. Subjects) Anchor Standards for Reading

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 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.R8. Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, including the validity of the reasoning as well as the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.

NJSLSA.R10. Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently with scaffolding as needed.

Reading History

RH.9-10.3. Analyze in detail a series of events described in a text; draw connections between the events, to determine whether earlier events caused later ones or simply preceded them.

RH.9-10.8. Assess the extent to which the reasoning and evidence in a text support the author's claims.

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Reading Science and Technical Subjects

RST.9-10.3. Follow precisely a complex multistep procedure when carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks, attending to special cases or exceptions defined in the text.

RST.9-10.5. Analyze the relationships among concepts in a text, including relationships among key terms (e.g., *force, friction, reaction force, energy*).

RST.9-10.9. Compare and contrast findings presented in a text to those from other sources (including their own experiments), noting when the findings support or contradict previous explanations or accounts.

Anchor Standards for Writing

NJSLSA.W2. Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

NJSLSA.W4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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.

Writing History

WHST.9-10.4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

WHST.9-10.5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.

WHST.9-10.6. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, share, and update writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

WHST.9-10.7. Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.

21st Century Life and Careers

CRP1. Act as a responsible and contributing citizen and employee.

CRP4. Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.

CRP11. Use technology to enhance productivity.

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CRP12. Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence

9.3.ST.2 Use technology to acquire, manipulate, analyze and report data.

Technology

8.2.12.D.6 Synthesize data, analyze trends and draw conclusions regarding the effect of a technology on the individual, society, or the environment and publish conclusions.

8.2.8.E.1 Identify ways computers are used that have had an impact across the range of human activity and within different careers where they are used.

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR DIVERSE LEARNERS			
English Language Learners	Students Receiving Special Education Services	Advanced Learners	
- Personal glossary - Text-to-speech - Extended time - Simplified / verbal instructions - Frequent breaks WIDA Can Do Descriptors for Grade 9-12 WIDA Essential Actions Handbook FABRIC Paradigm Wall Township ESL Grading Protocol *Use WIDA Can Do Descriptors in coordination with Student Language Portraits (SLPs).	- Small group/One to one - Additional time - Review of directions - Student restates information - Space for movement or breaks - Extra visual and verbal cues and prompts - Preferential seating - Follow a routine/schedule - Rest breaks - Verbal and visual cues regarding directions and staying on task - Checklists - Immediate feedback Students receiving Special Education programming have specific goals and objectives, as well as accommodations and modifications outlined within their Individualized Education Plans (IEP) due to an identified disability and/or diagnosis. In addition to exposure to the general education curriculum, instruction is differentiated based upon the student's needs. The IEP acts as a supplemental curriculum guide inclusive of instructional strategies that support each learner. Considerations for Special Education Students 6-12	- Use of high level academic vocabulary/texts - Problem-based learning - Pre Assess to condense curriculum - Interest-based research - Authentic problem-solving - Homogeneous grouping opportunities Knowledge and Skill Standards in Gifted Education for All Teachers Pre-K-Grade 12 Gifted Programming Standards Gifted Programming Glossary of Terms Students with 504 Plan	
	National Center on Universal Design for Learning - About UDL UDL Checklist	Teachers are responsible for implementing designated services and strategies identified on a	

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UDL Key '	<u>'erms</u>	student's 504 Plan.	
At Risk Learners / Differentiation Strategies			
Alternative Assessments	Independent Research & Projects	Jigsaw	
Choice Boards	Multiple Intelligence Options	Exploration by Interest	
Games and Tournaments	Project-Based Learning	Flexible Grouping	
Group Investigations	Varied Supplemental Activities	Goal-Setting with Student	
Guided Reading	Varied Journal Prompts or RAFT Writing	Homework Options	
Learning Contracts	Tiered Activities/Assignments	Open-Ended Activities	
Leveled Rubrics	Tiered Products	Use of Reading Buddies	
Literature Circles	Graphic Organizers	Varied Product Choices	
Multiple Texts	Choice of Books/Activities	Stations/Centers	
Personal Agendas	Mini-Workshops to Reteach or Extend	Work Alone/Together	
	Think-Pair-Share by readiness or interest		
	Use of Collaboration of Various Activities		