Yearbook 1, 2 & 3

Course Compendium

UNITS OF STUDY*

Unit 01: Welcome to Yearbook

Unit 02: Communication through Pictures and Words

Unit 03 Design Rules to Live by

Unit 04: Commitment, Dedication, Teamwork

Unit 05. Developing a Plan for Success

Unit 06: A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words

Unit 07: Visual Representation of a Story

Unit 08. It is all in the Details

Unit 09: Deck the Halls

This course introduces students to page makeup and layout, graphic arts, photojournalism and the function of computer technology in the production of a yearbook. Students work collaboratively towards the completion of the school yearbook and will serve as a junior editor, working with a senior editor on assigned tasks. Students are required to devote time outside of the school day to photograph events.

This course reinforces basic concepts learned in Yearbook Production 1, and students are expected to take on additional responsibilities. Those students who display outstanding leadership qualities and proficiency in yearbook creation are expected to serve as a senior editor-in-chief and will work with junior editors on assigned tasks. Students are required to devote time outside of the school day to photograph events.

This course reinforces basic concepts learned in Yearbook Production 2. Students in this course who display outstanding leadership qualities and proficiency in yearbook creation are expected to serve as a senior editor-in-chief and work with junior editors on assigned tasks. Students in this course are also expected to create sections of the yearbook independently. Students are required to devote time outside of the school day to photograph events.

INTERDISCIPLINARY CONNECTIONS

NJSLS Companion Standards Grades

9-12 (Reading & Writing in Science & Technical Subjects)

RST.9-10.4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 9-10 texts and topics.

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.9-10.7. Translate quantitative or technical information expressed in words in a text into visual form (e.g., a table or chart) and translate information expressed visually or mathematically (e.g., in an equation) into words.

RST.9-10.10. By the end of grade 10, read and comprehend science/technical texts in the grades 9-10 text complexity band independently and proficiently.

RST.11-12.2. Determine the central ideas, themes, or conclusions of a text; summarize complex concepts, processes, or information presented in a text by paraphrasing them in simpler but still accurate terms.

RST.11-12.3. Follow precisely a complex multistep procedure when carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks; analyze the specific results based on explanations in the text.

RST.11-12.4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 11-12 texts and topics.

RST.11-12.5. Analyze how the text structures information or ideas into categories or hierarchies, demonstrating understanding of the information or ideas.

RST.11-12.6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing an experiment in a text, identifying important issues that remain unresolved.

RST.11-12.7. Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., quantitative data, video, multimedia) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

RST.11-12.9. Synthesize information from a range of sources (e.g., texts, experiments, simulations) into a coherent understanding of a process, phenomenon, or concept, resolving conflicting information when possible.

RST.11-12.10. By the end of grade 12, read and comprehend science/technical texts in the grades 11-CCR text complexity band independently and proficiently

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

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.W8. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.

WHST.9-10.1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant sufficient textual and non-textual evidence.

WHST.9-10.2. Write informative/explanatory texts, including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.

WHST.11-12.2. Write informative/explanatory texts, including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/ experiments, or technical processes.

Science Connections

- **HS-ETS1-1.** Analyze a major global challenge to specify qualitative and quantitative criteria and constraints for solutions that account for societal needs and wants.
- **HS-ETS1-2.** Design a solution to a complex real-world problem by breaking it down into smaller, more manageable problems that can be solved through engineering.
- **HS -ETS1-3.** Evaluate a solution to a complex real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs that account for a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, as well as possible social, cultural, and environmental impacts.

21st Century Life and Careers

- **CRP2.** Apply appropriate academic and technical skills
- CRP4. Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.
- **CRP5.** Consider the environmental, social and economic impacts of decisions.
- **CRP6.** Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
- **CRP7**. Employ valid and reliable research strategies.
- **CRP8.** Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.
- **CRP11**. Use technology to enhance productivity.
- **CRP12.** Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence
- **9.3.ST.1** Apply engineering skills in a project that requires project management, process control and quality assurance.
- **9.3.ST.2** Use technology to acquire, manipulate, analyze and report data.
- **9.3.ST.4** Understand the nature and scope of the Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics Career Cluster and the role of STEM in society and the economy.
- **9.3.ST.5** Demonstrate an understanding of the breadth of career opportunities and means to those opportunities in each of the Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics Career Pathways.
- **9.3.ST-ET.1** Use STEM concepts and processes to solve problems involving design and/or production.
- **9.3.ST-ET.2** Display and communicate STEM information.
- **9.3.ST-ET.4** Apply the elements of the design process.
- **9.3.ST-ET.5** Apply the knowledge learned in STEM to solve problems.
- **9.3.ST-ET.6** Apply the knowledge learned in the study of STEM to provide solutions to human and societal problems in an ethical and legal manner.
- *See individual units for Pacing Guide, NJSLS Standards, Transfer Skills, Enduring Understandings, Essential Questions, Learning Objectives, Key Vocabulary, Skills, Resources, & Assessments

9.3.ST-SM.4 Apply critical thinking skills to review information, explain statistical analysis, and to translate, interpret and summarize research and statistical data.

Technology

- **8.1 Educational Technology:** All students will use digital tools to access, manage, evaluate, and synthesize information in order to solve problems individually and collaborate and to create and communicate knowledge.
- **8.1 Educational Technology: A. Technology Operations and Concepts:** Students demonstrate a sound understanding of technology concepts, systems and operations.
- **8.1.12.A.CS1** Understand and use technology systems.
- **8.1 Educational Technology: B. Creativity and Innovation:** Students demonstrate creative thinking, construct knowledge and develop innovative

products and process using technology.

- **8.1.12.B.CS1** Apply existing knowledge to generate new ideas, products, or processes.
- **8.2 Technology Education, Engineering, Design, and Computational Thinking Programming:** All students will develop an understanding of the nature and impact of technology, engineering, technological design, computational thinking and the designed world as they relate to the individual, global society, and the environment.
- **8.2 Technology Education, Engineering, Design, and Computational Thinking Programming: A. The Nature of Technology: Creativity and Innovation** Technology systems impact every aspect of the world in which we live
- **8.2.12.A.1** Propose an innovation to meet future demands supported by an analysis of the potential full costs, benefits, trade-offs and risks, related to the use of the innovation.
- **8.2.12.A.2** Analyze a current technology and the resources used, to identify the trade-offs in terms of availability, cost, desirability and waste.
- **8.2 Technology Education, Engineering, Design, and Computational Thinking Programming: B. Technology and Society:** Knowledge and understanding of human, cultural and societal values are fundamental when designing technological systems and products in the global society
- **8.2.12.B.2** Evaluate ethical considerations regarding the sustainability of environmental resources that are used for the design, creation and maintenance of a chosen product.
- **8.2 Technology Education, Engineering, Design, and Computational Thinking Programming: C. Design:** The design process is a systematic approach to solving problems.
- **8.2.12.C.5** Create scaled engineering drawings of products both manually and digitally with materials and measurements labeled.
- **8.2 Technology Education, Engineering, Design, and Computational Thinking Programming: D. Abilities for a Technological World:** The designed world is the product of a design process that provides the means to convert resources into products and systems.

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 National Center on Universal Design for Learning - About UDL UDL Checklist UDL Key Terms	- Use of high level academic vocabulary/texts - Problem-based learning - Preassess 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 Teachers are responsible for implementing designated services and strategies identified on a student's 504 Plan.
At Risk Learners / Differentiation Strategies		
Alternative Assessments Choice Boards Games and Tournaments Group Investigations Learning Contracts Leveled Rubrics Multiple Texts Personal Agendas Homogeneous Grouping	Independent Research & Projects Multiple Intelligence Options Project-Based Learning Varied Supplemental Activities Varied Journal Prompts Tiered Activities/Assignments Tiered Products Graphic Organizers Choice of Activities Mini-Workshops to Reteach or Extend Think-Pair-Share by readiness or interest	Jigsaw Think-Tac-Toe Cubing Activities Exploration by Interest Flexible Grouping Goal-Setting with Students Homework Options Open-Ended Activities Varied Product Choices Stations/Centers Work Alone/Together

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