

Course: 6th Grade English
Instructor: Hileana Jaime

Instructional Plan

Course Content Description Template

Provide a brief overview of the course content, including key topics and themes covered throughout the course.

In this course, students will strengthen their understanding and application of proper writing conventions, including grammar, punctuation, and sentence structure. They will also develop critical thinking skills by engaging meaningfully with texts through strategies such as annotating, freewriting, and illustrating. These practices will help students deepen comprehension, express ideas clearly, and build a strong foundation for academic writing.

Major Assignments and Projects Template

List the major assignments and projects for the course, including their purpose and any relevant deadlines or evaluation criteria.

Throughout the year, students will apply what they’ve learned in reading class to compose a variety of structured essays, including literary responses, personal narratives, and persuasive writing. In addition to written work, students will complete at least one presentation project. This may take the form of a slideshow, skit, poster board, or other creative format, allowing students to demonstrate understanding and communicate ideas in engaging ways.

Required Textbooks and Instructional Materials Template

List the textbooks and other instructional materials required for the course, including authors, publication dates, and any additional resources needed for successful completion.

Students will complete assignments using the *Write on Course 20•20 SkillsBook* for Grade 6, along with the *Student Handbook for Writing, Thinking, and Learning*. Lessons will also incorporate activities from **MindPlay** and **MobyMax** to support individualized literacy and language development. In addition, students will be encouraged to regularly use dictionaries and thesauruses to strengthen vocabulary and independent learning skills.