

School year 2020-2021
Merrimack School District
Essential Learning Competencies

School	Merrimack High School
Discipline	English
Course Title	English 9 Foundations

Quarter 4

Essential Learning Competencies	Links to rubrics/standards/competency	Formative Assessments	Summative Assessments
Students can analyze a central idea in a text.	RL/RI 9-10.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exit slips • Guided practice worksheets • Journal responses • Small group discussions • Whole class discussions • Diagnostic quiz • Reading response questions • Skills packets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short answer questions • Paragraphs • Essays • Unit Test • Objective reading summatives • Individual Projects • Group projects • Presentations
Students can cite textual evidence to	RL/RI 9-10.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exit slips 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short answer questions • Paragraphs • Essays

support analysis of what the text says.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guided practice worksheets • Journal responses • Small group discussions • Whole class discussions • Diagnostic quiz • Reading response questions • Skills packets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit Test • Objective reading summatives • Individual Projects • Group projects • Presentations
Students can introduce a topic and organize ideas and evidence clearly.	W9-10.2a	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exit slips • Guided practice worksheets • Journal responses • Small group discussions • Whole class discussions • Diagnostic quiz • Peer revision • Reading response questions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paragraphs • Essays • Unit test • Objective reading summatives • Individual projects • Group projects • Presentations
Students can determine the meaning of words and phrases.	RL/RI 9-10.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exit slips • Guided practice worksheets • Small group discussions • Whole class discussions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit test • Paragraphs

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diagnostic quiz 	
Students can demonstrate understanding of grammar and mechanics.	L 9-10.1a-b L9-10.2a-c	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exit slips • Guided practice worksheets • Small group discussions • Whole class discussions • Diagnostic quiz 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit quiz • Unit test • Paragraphs