

Gr. 8 English Language Arts

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Room 211

This year in grade 8 English Language Arts, students will be working on different projects and assignments in order to meet the following curriculum outcomes:

Speaking and Listening
Students will speak and listen to explore, extend, clarify and reflect on their thoughts, ideas, feelings, and experiences
Students will be able to communicate information and ideas effectively and clearly, and to respond personally and critically
Students will be able to interact with sensitivity and respect, considering the situation, audience and purpose
Reading and Viewing
Students will be expected to select, read, and view with understanding a range of literature, information, media, and visual texts
Students will be expected to interpret, select, and combine information using a variety of strategies, resources, and technologies
Students will be expected to respond personally to a range of texts
Students will be expected to respond critically to a range of texts, applying their knowledge of language, form, and genre
Writing and Representing
Students will be expected to use writing, and other forms of representation to explore, clarify, and reflect on their thoughts, feelings, experiences, and learnings; and to use their imaginations
Students will be expected to create texts collaboratively and independently, using a variety of forms for a range of audiences and purposes
Students will be expected to use a range of strategies to develop effective writing and media products to enhance their clarity, precision, and effectiveness

Evaluation will be based on three language strands:

- ✓ speaking and listening
- ✓ reading and viewing
- ✓ writing and representing

Evaluations will include:

- ✓ Observations: Class work and Presentations
- ✓ Conversations: Class discussions, Journals and Starters
- ✓ Products: Assignments and Projects

** New Brunswick Reading and Writing Achievement Standards can be viewed by visiting the link below.**

https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/education/k12/content/anglophone_sector/curriculum_anglophone.html