## **GRADE SEVEN**

THEATRE	ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS
1.1 Use the vocabulary of theatre, such	Writing #3 Write narratives to develop
as playwright, rehearsal, dress	real or imagined experiences or events
rehearsal, run-through, and cold	using effective technique, relevant
reading, to describe theatrical	descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.
experiences.  1.2 Identify dramatic elements within a	Writing #3 Write narratives to develop
script, such as foreshadowing, crisis,	real or imagined experiences or events
rising action, catharsis, and	using effective technique, relevant
denouement, using the vocabulary of	descriptive details, and well-structured
theatre.	event sequences.
2.2 Maintain a rehearsal	Writing #2 Write
script/notebook to record directions and	informative/explanatory texts to
blocking.	examine a topic and convey ideas,
	concepts, and information through the
	selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.
2.3 Create character environments,	Writing #3 Write narratives to develop
and actions that exhibit tension and	real or imagined experiences or events
suspense.	using effective technique, relevant
	descriptive details, and well-structured
	event sequences.
3.2 Compare and contrast various	Writing #2 Write
theatre styles throughout history, such	informative/explanatory texts to
as those of Ancient Greece,	examine a topic and convey ideas,
Elizabethan theatre, Kabuki theatre,	concepts, and information through the
Kathakali dance theatre, and	selection, organization, and analysis of
commedia dell-arte.	relevant content.  Speaking & Listening #1 Engage
	effectively in a range of collaborative
	discussions (one-on-one, in groups,
	and teacher-led) with diverse partners
	on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues,
	building on others' ideas and
	expressing their own clearly.
	Speaking & Listening #4 Present
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	and examples; use appropriate eye
	contact, adequate volume, and clear
	building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.  Speaking & Listening #4 Present claims and findings (e.g., argument, narrative, and summary presentations), emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, details,

	pronunciation.  Speaking & Listening #6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
4.2 Explain how cultural influences	Writing #2 Write
affect the content or meaning of works of theatre.	informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.  Informational #1 Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.  Speaking & Listening #1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.  Speaking & Listening #4 Present claims and findings (e.g., argument, narrative, and summary presentations), emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, details, and examples,; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.  Speaking & Listening #6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.
5.1 Use theatrical skills to	Speaking & Listening #6 Adapt
communicate concepts or ideas from	speech to a variety of contexts and
other curriculum areas, such as	tasks, demonstrating command of
creating a musical based on a piece of	formal English when indicated or
literature.	appropriate.
5.2 Demonstrate projection, vocal	Speaking & Listening #6 Adapt
variety, diction, gesture, and	speech to a variety of contexts and
confidence in an oral presentation.	tasks, demonstrating command of
	formal English when indicated or

appropriate.

THEATRE	HISTORY-SOCIAL SCIENCE
3.1 Design and create masks, puppets,	7.1 Students analyze the causes and
	effects of the vast expansion and
	ultimate disintegration of the Roman
•	Empire.
• • •	7.4 Students analyze the geographic,
	political, economic, religious, and social
	structures of the sub-Saharan
	civilizations of Ghana and Mali in
	Medieval Africa.
	7.5 Students analyze the geographic,
	political, economic, religious, and social structures of the civilizations of
	Medieval Japan.
	7.7 Students compare and contrast the
	geographic, political, economic,
	religious, and social structures of the
	Meso-American and Andean
	civilizations.
	7.8 Students analyze the origins,
	accomplishments, and geographic
	diffusion of the Renaissance.
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l	effects of the vast expansion and
·	ultimate disintegration of the Roman
	Empire.
	7.2 Students analyze the geographical,
	political, economic, religious, and social
	structures of the civilizations of Islam in
	the Middle Ages.
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	structures of the civilizations of China
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	political, economic, religious, and social
	structures of the sub-Saharan
	civilizations of Ghana and Mali in
	Medieval Africa.
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	political, economic, religious, and social
	structures of the civilizations of

Medieval Japan.

- 7.6 Students analyze the geographic, political, economic, religious, and social structures of the civilizations of Medieval Europe.
- 7.7 Students compare and contrast the geographic, political, economic, religious, and social structures of the Meso-American and Andean civilizations.
- 7.8 Students analyze the origins, accomplishments, and geographic diffusion of the Renaissance.
- 7.9 Students analyze the historical developments of the Reformation.
- 7.10 Students analyze the historical developments of the Scientific Revolution and its lasting effect on religious, political, and cultural institutions.
- 7.11 Students analyze political and economic change in the sixteenth, seventeenth, and eighteenth centuries (the Age of Exploration, the Enlightenment, and the Age of Reason).