

**Grade 7  
English PACING GUIDE  
Lunenburg County Public Schools  
2018-2019**

**First Nine Weeks**

<b>SOL</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>DAYS</b>
	Introduction to 7th grade English class	1
7.7, 7.8, 7.9	Introduce writing complete sentences and paragraphs	3
7.1, 7.2, 7.3, 7.5a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l	<u>The Watsons Go to Birmingham, 1963</u> Unit class novel	15
7.4a	Word Study Greek and Latin root words	3
7.4b	Prefixes and Suffixes	2
7.4e, f	Context Clues	2
7.5e, f	Genres	2
7.5a, c, 7.6m	Plot and plot diagrams	2
7.4b, e, f, 7.6c, 7.8f	Vocabulary nonfiction article	2
7.9a, b, c, d, e, f	Library reference usage and research	2
7.4b	Roots, Affixes, Synonyms and Antonyms	2
7.5a, b, c, 7.6a	Characteristics of Fiction and Nonfiction	2
7.6a, c, d, h, i, j	Weekly nonfiction news article	1
7.1, 7.2, 7.7a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, 7.8a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, 7.9a, b	Narrative writing	5
7.4, 7.5, 7.6	Star Reader Test	1



## Second Nine Weeks

SOL	TOPIC	DAYS
7.7, 7.8, 7.9	Writing complete sentences and paragraphs	3
7.1, 7.2, 7.3, 7.5a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l	<u>Hatchet</u> Unit class novel	15
7.4c, 7.5g	Figurative Language	2
7.5a, c, d, e, f, h	Plot/plot diagram, main idea, static/dynamic characteristics, point -of-view	3
7.5b, i, j, 7.6b, f, g, h, j	Cause/effect, main idea, summarizing, inferences, draw conclusions, fact/opinion	3
7.4a, b	Word study: Greek and Latin root words	3
7.4b, f	Prefixes and suffixes	3
7.4e	Context Clues	2
7.4b, c, d	Weekly nonfiction article	1
7.5e, f, h	Genres	2
7.6, 7.7a	Nonfiction article vocabulary	2
7.9a, b, c, d, e, f	Library reference usage and research	2
7.7, 7.8, 7.9a, b	Persuasive Writing	3
7.4, 7.5, 7.6	Star Reader Test	1

### Third Nine Weeks

SOL	TOPIC	DAYS
7.7, 7.8, 7.9	Writing complete sentences and paragraphs	3
7.5d	Point of view	2
7.1, 7.2, 7.3,7.5a, b, c, d, e, f, g,h, i, j, k, l	<u>The Outsiders</u> unit class novel	15
7.4c, 7.5g	Figurative language	2
7.5c,g, 7.6a, c, d, g, h, i. j	Cause/effect, main idea, summarization, inferences, draw conclusions, fact/opinion	5
7.4a, b	Word study-Greek and Latin root words	2
7.4b,f	Prefixes and suffixes	2
7.4e	Context clues	2
7.5a, h, 7.6a	Fiction/Nonfiction: Characteristics of activating prior knowledge	2
7.4b, c, d, f	Weekly nonfiction vocabulary article	1
7.5j, 7.6d	Text structure: compare/contrast, cause/effect, order of importance, sequence	3
7.7, 7.8, 7.9a, b	Expository writing	5
7.4, 7.5, 7.6	Star Reader Test	1

### Fourth Nine Weeks

SOL	TOPIC	DAYS
7.7, 7.8, 7.9	Writing complete sentences and paragraphs	4
7.5d	Point-of-view	2
7.4g, 7.5a, e, f, h	Comparing stories	10
7.4c, 7.5g	Figurative Language	3
7.5a, c, d, e, f, h	Plot/plot diagram, main idea, static/dynamic characters	3
7.5c,g, 7.6a, c, d, g, h, i, j	Cause/effect, main idea, summarizing, inferences, draw conclusions, fact/opinion	5
7.4a, b	Word study-Greek and Latin root words	3
7.4b,f	Prefixes and suffixes	3
7.4e	Context clues	3
7.5a, h, 7.6a	Fiction/Nonfiction: Characteristics of activating prior knowledge	3
7.4b, c, d, f	Weekly nonfiction vocabulary article	1
7.5j, 7.6d	Text structure: compare/contrast, cause/effect, order of importance, sequence	4
7.4, 7.5, 7.6	Star Reader Test	1