

New Content December 2007

English Language Arts

The following content was added or revised on the ELA Frameworks page (<http://www.georgiastandards.org/elaframework.aspx>):

Revised Curriculum Maps for Kindergarten and Grades 1-3

Added ELA Frameworks Units and Tasks:

<p>Kindergarten Unit</p> <p>Response to Literature <i>Author Attribute</i> <i>Making Connections Work</i> <i>Middle/End Writing Performance Task</i></p>	<p>Grade 3 Unit</p> <p>Persuasive <i>Organizing Persuasive Writing Task</i> <i>Point of View Persuasive Writing Task</i> <i>Persuasive Writing Culminating Performance Task</i></p>
<p>Grade1 Unit</p> <p>Instructional Writing <i>Sequence Strategies</i> <i>Understanding Commands</i> <i>An Original "How To" Performance Task</i> <i>Yummy Soup – Student Work and Teacher Commentary</i></p> <p>Unit</p> <p>Response to Literature <i>Writing Plausible Claim About Characters</i> <i>Writing Plausible Claim About Theme</i> <i>Book Review Final Performance Task</i></p>	<p>Unit</p> <p>Response to Literature <i>Making Connections Task</i> <i>Making Judgment Task</i> <i>Determining Theme Task</i> <i>End of Unit Performance Task</i> <i>Frog Princess – Student Work/Teacher Commentary</i></p>
<p>Grade 2 Unit</p> <p>Persuasive <i>Determining Importance Task</i> <i>Fact vs. Opinion Task</i> <i>Persuasive Culminating Performance Task</i></p> <p>Unit</p> <p>Response to Literature <i>Responding to Nonfiction Task</i> <i>Revisiting Text Task</i> <i>End of Unit Performance Task</i></p>	

Mathematics

The following content was added or revised on the Mathematics Frameworks page (<http://www.georgiastandards.org/mathframework.aspx>):

Added Gr. 5, Sample Multiple Choice Questions for Units 1-5

Science

The following content was added or revised on the Science Frameworks page (<http://www.georgiastandards.org/scienceframework.aspx>):

Added Gr. 2, Life Cycles Framework

Added Gr. 2, Energy Framework

Revised Gr. 2, Matter Framework

Added Gr. 9-12 Framework, Tasks, and Task Sequence & Descriptions for Physical Science:

Energy

Heat it Up!

Energy Transformers

Making and Using Machines

This Little Light of Mine

Playing with Sound

Nuclear Energy

Social Studies

An invitation/application to assist with development of tasks for Gr. 6-12 Frameworks has been posted on the GSO Standards and Frameworks pages.

The following content was added or revised on the Social Studies Frameworks page (<http://www.georgiastandards.org/socialstudiesframework.aspx>):

Added Gr. 6 Units:

- Unit 6, "Latin America in the 20th and 21st Century"
- Unit 7, "Environmental and Economic Impacts on Latin America"

Added Gr. 7 Units:

- Unit 9, "Impact of Environment and Economy on Africa"
- Unit 10, "Connecting Africa's Past with the Present"
- Unit 11, "Your Financial Future"

Added Gr. 8 Units:

- Unit 5, "The Civil War"
- Unit 6, "The New South"
- Unit 7, "The 20th Century"
- Unit 8, "Post WWII Georgia"
- Unit 9, "Civil Rights"
- Unit 10, "Modern Georgia"
- Unit 11, "State and Local Government"
- Unit 12, "Adult and Juvenile Justice System"
- Unit 13, "Personal Finance"

Added Thematic U.S. History Units:

- "Social Movements"
- "Cultural Change"

Training

The following content was added or revised on the Training page (<http://www.georgiastandards.org/training.aspx?PageReq=Online>):

Added GPS Phase III, Day 6: Teacher Commentary content materials for the following

- Math 3-5
- Math 8
- Science K-2 & 8

Added GPS Phase IV, Day 2: Learning to Assess and Assessing to Learn content materials for the following:

- Social Studies K-2
- Social Studies 3-5



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