

8th Grade Communication Arts Learning Targets

Week of January 30th, 2017

You will be able to:



Identify errors and make corrections while proof reading



Use MLA format to write a research paper



Properly use parenthetical citations

Common Core Standards:

W.8.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.

W.8.8 Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources; assess the credibility of each source; and quote or paraphrase the data and conclusions of others while avoiding plagiarism and providing basic bibliographic information for sources.

L.8.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

L.8.3 Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.

Your task list:

- Complete essay on genetic design
- Complete DLR Week 16 Day 1
- Complete DLR Week 16 Day 2
- Complete DLR Week 16 Day 3
- Complete DLR Week 16 Day 4
- Complete DLR Week 16 Day 5
- Visit the library for 20 minutes _____
- Format research paper using MLA formatting
- Write research paper using outline
- Insert citations as stated in class and posted on website
- Ready *The Good Deed* in Scholastic Scope and complete the sheet that goes with it

You will have 450 minutes this week to complete your tasks