# Balanced Literacy Learning October 30-November 3, 2017 <br> $8^{\text {th }}$ Grade 

## Common Core Standards Addressed:

* CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.8.1 Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text
* CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.8.9 Compare and contrast a fictional portrayal of a time, place, or character and a historical account of the same period as a means of understanding how authors of fiction use or alter history.
* CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.8.10 Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.


## Learning Targets

## Students will:

$\checkmark$ Read at least 3/4 of Dystopian novel by 11/3 (Read)
$\checkmark$ Listen to 1.5 hours of House of the Scorpion (Listen)
$\checkmark$ Adverbs worksheet (POS)
$\checkmark$ Vetran's Day Writing Prompt (Write)
$\checkmark \quad$ Write a short scary story using figurative language (Write)

## Anticipated Weekly Outlook:

| Monday 10/30 | Tuesday 10/31 | Wednesday 11/1 | Thursday 11/2 | Friday 11/3 |
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| Circle Up Introduce Week's Plan | (substitute) Scary Stories |  |  |  |
| Sm. Group/Work Time <br> - Rotations |  | Sm. Group/Work Time <br> - Rotations | Sm. Group/Work Time <br> - Rotations | Sm. Group/Work Time <br> - Rotations |
| 1) Meet with Mrs. K |  | 1) Meet with Mrs. K | 1) Meet with Mrs. K | 1) Meet with Mrs. K for |
| 2) Listen to audiobook |  | 2) Listen to audiobook | 2) Listen to audiobook | adverbs quiz |
| 3) STAR Test |  | 3) STAR Test | 3) Work time | 2) Finish Week's Work |
| 4) Work time |  | 4) Work time | A. Read book | A. Turn in Vetran's |
| A. Read book |  | A. Read book | B. Vetran's Day | Day Essay |
| B. Vetran's Day |  | B. Vetran's Day | Essay |  |
| Essay |  | Essay | C. Adverbs Review |  |
| C. Adverbs Review |  | C. Adverbs Review |  |  |
| See reverse side of rotation schedule |  | See reverse side of rotation schedule | See reverse side of rotation schedule | See reverse side of rotation schedule |


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| Monday |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Meet with Mrs. Koenecke | Listen to Audiobook | Read Science Fiction Book | STAR Test |
| 8:15-8:40 | Group 2 | Group 1 | Group 4 | Group 3 |
| 8:40-9:05 | Group 4 | Group 2 | Group 3 | Group 1 |
| $9: 05-9: 30 ~$ | Group 3 | Group 4 | Group 1 | Group 2 |


| Tuesday |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| $8: 15-8: 40$ | Scary Story Intro |
| $8: 40-9: 05$ | Scary Story Writing |
| $9: 05-9: 30$ | Scary Story Share Time |


| Wednesday |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Meet with Mrs. Koenecke | Listen to Audiobook | Read Science Fiction Book | STAR/Work Time |
| $8: 15-8: 40$ | Group 1 | Group 2 | Group 3 | Group 4 |
| $8: 40-9: 05$ | Group 2 | Group 4 | Group 1 | Group 3 |
| $9: 05-9: 30$ | Group 3 | Group 1 | Group 4 | Group 2 |


| Thursday |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Meet with Mrs. Koenecke | Listen to Audiobook | Read Science Fiction Book | Work Time |  |
| 8:15-8:40 | Group 4 | Group 1 | Group 2 | Group 3 |  |
| 8:40-9:05 | Group 1 | Group 2 | Group 3 | Group 4 |  |
| 9:05-9:30 | Group 2 | Group 4 | Group 1 | Group 3* |  |


| Friday |  |  |
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|  | Adverbs Quiz | Work Time |
| $8: 15-8: 25$ | Group 1 | Other Groups |
| $8: 25-8: 35$ | Group 2 | Other Groups |
| $8: 35-8: 45$ | Group 3 | Other Groups |
| $8: 45-8: 55$ | Group 4 | Other Groups |


| Group 1 | Group 2 | Group 3* | Group 4 |
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| Devon | Colton | Kaylee | CJ |
| Brady | Grady | Brodie | Christian |
| Taylor | Ella | Lauren | Emma |
| Kelton | Ashten | Adam | Salena |
| Bryson | Aleigha | Gabi | Kyle |

