

Jr. English
Competency # 3: Research

Demonstrate the ability to effectively engage in ethical inquiry and research practices - managing multiple streams of information, evaluating sources, analyzing information, and presenting results. *

**As specified in course specific criteria for each semester.*

<p>90% of Term Grade</p> <p>Summative assessments demonstrating evidence of competency performance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thesis-Based Research Paper • Multi-Genre Research Paper • Podcast Performance • Kiosk Presentation 	<p>I can ethically gather, evaluate, and synthesize data from a variety of relevant sources to establish connections to American literature.</p>	<p>I can identify and draw evidence from credible print and digital sources to support analysis, reflection, and research.</p>	<p>I can integrate information while avoiding plagiarism.</p>	<p>I can conduct short as well as more sustained research projects based on focused questions, demonstrating an understanding of the subject under investigation.</p>
<p>10% of Term Grade</p> <p>Formative assessments demonstrating readiness for summative assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Authentic, original and digital reader's/writer's notebook revealing ongoing dialog with texts, research notes, prompt responses and early drafts. • Reading/Writing Conferences 				

Standards:

Common Core Anchor Standards for ELA:

[CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.7](#) , [CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.8](#) , [CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.9](#)

New Hampshire English Language Arts and Literacy Competencies: 6

NCTE Standards: 7

Sources

Wording/phrasing of competencies and standards derived from the following sources:

“English Language Arts, High School.” *NH State Model Competencies.* www.education.nh.gov/innovations/hs_redesign/documents/ccrs-competencies-ela.pdf.

“English Language Arts Standards » Anchor Standards » College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing.” English Language Arts Standards » Anchor Standards » College and Career Readiness Anchor Standards for Writing | Common Core State Standards Initiative, www.corestandards.org/ELA-Literacy/CCRA/W/.

“NCTE / IRA Standards for the English Language Arts.” *NCTE,* www.ncte.org/standards/ncte-ira.