English Language Proficiency Assessments for California

Alignment to the 2012 ELD Standards: Reading Domain

Part I—Interacting in Meaningful Ways

A. Collaborative: Engagement in dialogue with others

Standard 1: Exchanging information and ideas with others through oral collaborative conversations on a range of social and academic topics

Standard 2: Interacting with others in written English in various communicative forms (print, communicative technology, and multimedia)

Standard 3: Offering and justifying opinions, negotiating with and persuading others in communicative exchanges

Standard 4: Adapting language choices to various contexts (based on task, purpose, audience, and text type)

- **B.** Interpretive: Comprehension and analysis of written and spoken texts Standard 5: Listening actively to spoken English in a range of social and academic contexts
 - * Standard 6: Reading closely literary and informational texts and viewing multimedia to determine how meaning is conveyed explicitly and implicitly through language RAW RAS RAI RCW RCS RIF RSE (3-12) RLT RIF RSP (1-12)
 - * Standard 7: Evaluating how well writers and speakers use language to support ideas and opinions with details or reasons depending on modality, text type, purpose, audience, topic, and content area RIF (3-12) RSE (3-12) RLT RIF RSP (3-12)
 - Standard 8: Analyzing how writers and speakers use vocabulary and other language resources for specific purposes (to explain, persuade, entertain, etc.) depending on modality, text type, purpose, audience, topic, and content area RIF (3–12) RLT RSE (3–12) RIF RSP (3–12)
- **C. Productive:** Creation of oral presentations and written texts

Standard 9: Expressing information and ideas in formal oral presentations on academic topics

Standard 10: Writing literary and informational texts to present, describe, and explain ideas and information, using appropriate technology

Standard 11: Supporting own opinions and evaluating others' opinions in speaking and writing

Standard 12: Selecting and applying varied and precise vocabulary and language structures to effectively convey ideas

Legend:

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Task Type	Grades	Acronym
Read-Along Word with Scaffolding	K	RAW
Read-Along Story with Scaffolding	K	RAS
Read-Along Information	K	RAI
Read and Choose a Word	1–2	RCW
Read and Choose a Sentence	1–5	RCS
Read a Short Informational Passage	1–12	RSP
Read a Literary Passage	1–12	RLT
Read a Student Essay	3–12	RSE
Read an Informational Passage	1–12	RIF

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Part II—Learning About How English Works

A. Structuring Cohesive Texts: Understanding text structure, organization, and cohesion

Standard 1: Understanding text structure

RIF (3–12) RSE (3–12) RLT RIF RSP (3-12)

Standard 2: Understanding cohesion

RIF (3–12) RSE (3–12) RLT RIF RSP (3-12)

B. Expanding and Enriching Ideas: Using nouns/verbs and noun/verb phrases to create precision and clarity, and expanding ideas

Standard 3: Using verbs and verb phrases

Standard 4: Using nouns and noun phrases

Standard 5: Modifying to add details

C. Connecting and Condensing Ideas: Connecting ideas within sentences, combining clauses, and condensing ideas

★ Standard 6: Connecting ideas RSE (6–12)

★ Standard 7: Condensing ideas RSE (6–12)

Legend:

★ Primary item alignment

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