Odell Education – Maryland Standards Alignment Guide Grade 11 | Maryland Standards of Excellence

Originally founded in 2011, the Odell High School Literacy Program (Odell HSLP) is built on a foundational belief that literacy should empower students, equipping them with the skills and knowledge essential for success in college, their careers, and civic life. The Odell HSLP is a rigorous, student-centered curriculum that firmly roots literacy in texts and ideas worth exploring. Designed for grades 9–12, the Odell HSLP embodies the belief that each student brings a rich personal, cultural, and academic background and a unique set of knowledge and skills to the classroom, regardless of reading level. Great Minds® acquired the Odell HSLP in early 2026 and is pleased to bring you this program.

The Odell HSLP inspires creativity, builds knowledge, and develops the skills students need through student-centered analyses of robust texts and topics. Four principles animate the program's design: Knowledge, Agency, Perspective, and Inquiry. Students investigate engaging questions and texts and build evidence-backed perspectives through recursive cycles of inquiry, reading, and research. Across grades 9–12, the program includes 33 units. Each grade includes 8 or 9 units, comprising one Foundation Unit (two in grade 12), which launches the year by establishing the learning community and core literacy practices; six Development Units, which deepen knowledge and skills through increasingly complex texts and tasks; and one Application Unit, which concludes the year as students apply their full range of literacy skills to an independent inquiry project.

Teachers select from the available units to build a course of study that meets the needs and interests of their students and the requirements of their school or district. Across all four years of high school, students build a coherent, cumulative experience in which knowledge, skills, and habits of inquiry transfer across units and grade levels. Adaptive and flexible by design, the Odell HSLP provides a comprehensive set of supports to facilitate implementation and meet the needs of all learners. Each unit includes core lessons and texts alongside support and extension lessons, texts, and activities that allow teachers to tailor instruction to their students' needs. Detailed Teaching Notes accompany lessons to guide instructional decision-making, facilitate differentiation, and support effective scaffolding. The program also includes robust multilingual learner supports, including authentic Spanish-language texts and translations of high-use instructional materials, ensuring that all students can access and engage with rigorous grade-level content. A detailed alignment analysis between Maryland standards and the Odell HSLP follows

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Language

Conventions of Standard English

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
L.11-12.1 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 3, 7 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 3, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 3, 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 7–10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 4, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 3 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 7, 13 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 4, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 3, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 5, 7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 8, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 4

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L.11-12.1.a Apply the understanding that usage is a matter of convention, can change over time, and is sometimes contested.	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 3, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 3, 6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2
L.11-12.1.b Resolve issues of complex or contested usage, consulting references (e.g., Merriam-Webster's Dictionary of English Usage, Garner's Modern American Usage) as needed.	The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2
L.11-12.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 3, 7 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 13 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 4, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 3, 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 8, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 4

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L.11-12.2.a Observe hyphenation conventions.	*Odell* addresses this standard in grade 12. In the Time of the Butterflies, Section 3, Lesson 9 In the Time of the Butterflies, Section 4, Lesson 11 In the Time of the Butterflies, Section 5, Lesson 5
L.11-12.2.b Spell correctly.	Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 13 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 4

Language

Knowledge of Language

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
L.11-12.3 Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 3, 6–7 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 5–6 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 2–4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 3, 6–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 3, 5–6 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 4, 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 5, 8–10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 4, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 3 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 7, 13 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 3–4, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 8

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	The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 3, 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 3, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 5, 7–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 4–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 8, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 4
L.11-12.3.a Vary syntax for effect, consulting references (e.g., Tufte's Artful Sentences) for guidance as needed; apply an understanding of syntax to the study of complex texts when reading.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 3, 6–7 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 3, 6–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 3, 5–6 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lesson 4 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lesson 5 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 4, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 3 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 7, 13 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 4, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 3, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 7

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	The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 5, 7–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 4–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 8, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 4

Language

Vocabulary Acquisition and Use

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
L.11-12.4 Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 11–12 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1, 6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 2, 7 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1, 3–4, 6 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 2, 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3–4, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 3, 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1–3, 5, 7, 9 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4, 6–7, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4–6, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 3, 7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 1, 5–10, 13 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 2–4, 6, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 2–3, 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 4, 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3, 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 5, 10

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	The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 5, 7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3, 5, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 2, 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 2, 4, 6–8, 10, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 7
L.11-12.4.a Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence, paragraph, or text; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 1 Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 2 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 1 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3, 5, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 1 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4–5 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 3 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 2, 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 3 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 1 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lesson 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 2, 5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 4, 6–7, 10

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L.11-12.4.b Identify and correctly use patterns of word changes that indicate different meanings or parts of speech (e.g., conceive, conception, conceivable).	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 1 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 4 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 1 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 2, 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 4, 7
L.11-12.4.c Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning, its part of speech, its etymology, or its standard usage.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 1 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3, 5, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 1 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4–5 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 1, 6, 9–10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 2, 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 2, 5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 4, 10
L.11-12.4.d Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 1 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 4 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 1 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–2 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 2, 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 4 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 2, 5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2

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	What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 4, 7
L.11-12.5 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.	Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 2–4 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 1 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 1 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 8
L.11-12.5.a Interpret figures of speech (e.g., hyperbole, paradox) in context and analyze their role in the text.	Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 1 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 1
L.11-12.6 Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 6–7 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 5–6 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 4–6 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 3–4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 7–8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 3, 6–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 3, 5–6 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 7, 9 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lesson 8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 2–5, 8–10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 4, 8–9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 3, 7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 7, 13 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 4, 7, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 6–7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lesson 10

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	The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 5, 7–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 5, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 2, 5–6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 8, 11–12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 6–7

Reading: Informational Text

Key Ideas and Details

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
RI.11-12.1 Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.	Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 2, 5, 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 2, 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1–8, 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3–5 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 2–3, 5, 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8–9, 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1–3, 5–10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–7, 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 3, 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 3, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 5, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 3–8, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 9

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	The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 2–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1–5, 7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–2, 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 3–5, 10–11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 2–3, 5, 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1, 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6
RI.11-12.2 Determine two or more central ideas of a text and analyze their development over the course of the text, including how they interact and build on one another to provide a complex analysis; provide an objective summary of the text.	Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 2, 5, 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 2, 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 2, 5–7, 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 1, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 4, 6, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 7

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	What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 3, 5, 9–11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1, 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6
RI.11-12.3 Analyze a complex set of ideas or sequence of events and explain how specific individuals, ideas, or events interact and develop over the course of the text.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 5–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 5–6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 4, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 2–5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 2, 6, 9

Reading: Informational Text

Craft and Structure

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
RI.11-12.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze how an author uses and refines the meaning of a key term or terms over the course of a text (e.g., how Madison defines faction in Federalist No. 10).	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3, 5, 7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3–5 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4–5 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 3, 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 3, 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 5 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 4 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 5–6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 4 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 2 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 3–10 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3

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RI.11-12.5 Analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of the structure an author uses in his or her exposition or argument, including whether the structure makes points clear, convincing, and engaging.	Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 2 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1, 4, 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 3–4 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 2, 7–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 2, 4–5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–2
RI.11-12.6 Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text in which the rhetoric is particularly effective, analyzing how style and content contribute to the power, persuasiveness, or beauty of the text.	Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1–4, 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 1, 4–5 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 3–4, 7–8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 2 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–2 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 2 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 4

Reading: Informational Text

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
RI.11-12.7 Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a problem.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 2 Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 2, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 1, 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3, 5, 10

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	The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–2, 5, 7, 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 3, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 1 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 5, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3, 6–7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 3–4, 6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1, 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6
RI.11-12.8 Delineate and evaluate the reasoning in seminal U.S. texts, including the application of constitutional principles and use of legal reasoning (e.g., in U.S. Supreme Court majority opinions and dissents) and the premises, purposes, and arguments in works of public advocacy (e.g., The Federalist, presidential addresses).	Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lesson 3 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 1
RI.11-12.9 Analyze seventeenth-, eighteenth-, and nineteenth-century foundational U.S. documents of historical and literary significance (including The Declaration of Independence, the Preamble to the Constitution, the Bill of Rights, and Lincoln's Second Inaugural Address) for their themes, purposes, and rhetorical features.	The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 2, 4–5

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Reading: Informational Text

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
RI.11-12.10 By the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades 11-CCR text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range; by the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literary nonfiction at the high end of the grades 11–CCR text complexity band independently and proficiently.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 2, 5, 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 2, 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1–6, 9 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1–7, 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 2–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1–2 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3–5, 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 4–5, 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 2–5, 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 4, 6–7, 11, 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1–3, 5–9, 12 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 3–4, 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 4, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4, 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 5, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–6, 8, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–7, 10 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1–5, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–4, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 2, 4–10, 13 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–4, 7

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	What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1, 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6

Reading: Literature

Key Ideas and Details

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RL.11-12.1 Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–5 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–5, 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 3, 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 6, 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–2, 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 2–6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 2–5, 7–8, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1–6, 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8–9, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 1–2, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 2, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 7

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	What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6
RL.11-12.2 Determine two or more themes or central ideas of a text and analyze their development over the course of the text, including how they interact and build on one another to produce a complex account; provide an objective summary of the text.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 4 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 2–5, 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1, 3–4, 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–5, 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 4–5 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 6, 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 8, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 4, 6, 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 2, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 1–2, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6
RL.11-12.3 Analyze the impact of the author's choices regarding how to develop and relate	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–5 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–5 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–4

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elements of a story or drama (e.g., where a story is set, how the action is ordered, how the characters are introduced and developed).	Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–2 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 2–3, 5–6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 2, 4, 7–8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 5 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–2, 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 1–2

Reading: Literature

Craft and Structure

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
RL.11-12.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including words with multiple meanings or language that is particularly fresh, engaging, or beautiful.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1, 4 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–4 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–4 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–2 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 1 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3–4 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1, 3, 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 1 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lesson 1 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–2 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 3
RL.11-12.5 Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure specific parts of a text (e.g., the choice of where to begin or end a story, the choice to provide a comedic or tragic resolution) contribute to its overall structure and meaning as well as its aesthetic impact.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 3–5 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–4 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 1 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 2
RL.11-12.6 Analyze a case in which grasping point of view requires distinguishing what is	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 2, 4 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 4–5 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 2–4

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directly stated in a text from what is really meant (e.g., satire, sarcasm, irony, or understatement).	Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 6

Reading: Literature

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

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RL.11-12.7 Analyze multiple interpretations of a story, drama, or poem (e.g., recorded or live production of a play or recorded novel or poetry), evaluating how each version interprets the source text.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 3–5, 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lesson 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6

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RL.11-12.9 Demonstrate knowledge of eighteenth-, nineteenth- and early-twentieth-century foundational works of American literature, including how two or more texts from the same period treat similar themes or topics.	

Reading: Literature

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity

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RL.11-12.10 By the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 11-CCR text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range; by the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high end of the grades 11–CCR text complexity band independently and proficiently.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–4, 7 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–5, 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 9 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3, 12 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1, 5, 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–5, 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1–7, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–2, 8, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 9

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	The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 10 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–2, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 13 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 6

Speaking and Listening

Comprehension and Collaboration

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
SL.11-12.1 Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grades 11–12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–8 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1–5 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 6–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1–10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 1–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 1–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1–8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–7, 11 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–7, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 2–7, 9–10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 2, 4–8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 3–4, 6–14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3–9, 11

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	The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 1–8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 2–11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–4, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 9–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 2–3, 5–6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1–6, 8–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–10, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 1, 5–6
SL.11-12.1.a Come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study; explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well-reasoned exchange of ideas.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1, 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–5 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1–5, 7–10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 1–2, 5–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 6–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 6–8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1–4, 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–7, 11 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–3, 5–7, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 2–7, 9–10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 2, 4–8

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	Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 3–4, 6–14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3, 5–9, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 6, 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 2, 4–11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–4, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 9–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 2–3, 5–6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–5, 7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3, 5, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–10, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7–8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 1, 5–6
SL.11-12.1.b Work with peers to promote civil, democratic discussions and decision-making, set clear goals and deadlines, and establish individual roles as needed.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1–2, 4, 7–8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 1–3, 6–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 1–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1–8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1–5

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	Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–3 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 3–5, 7, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 2, 5–7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 3–4, 6–14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 1–3, 5–6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 3, 6–9, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 2–4, 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 2, 4–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–4, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 9–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1, 3–5, 7–8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 2–3, 5, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1–6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 1
SL.11-12.1.c Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that probe reasoning and evidence; ensure a hearing for a full range of positions on a topic or issue; clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions; and promote divergent and creative perspectives.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–5 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1–5 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–3, 5–6 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 3–4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 1 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1–5, 7–10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 2–3, 5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 6–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 6–8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1–4, 6

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	Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–7, 11 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–7, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 2–5, 7, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 2, 5–7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 3–4, 6–13 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 1–2, 5–6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 3, 5–9, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 1–6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 2, 4–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–4, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 2–3, 5–6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1–6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–10, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 1, 5
SL.11-12.1.d Respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives; synthesize comments, claims, and evidence made on all sides of an issue; resolve contradictions when possible; and determine what additional information or research is required to deepen the investigation or complete the task.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1–6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–2, 4–6 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1, 8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 6–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 2–4, 6–8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 3–4 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–7, 11 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–6

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	Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 2–5, 7, 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 2, 6–7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 3–4, 6–11 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 5–6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1, 3, 5–9, 11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 1–4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 2, 4–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 2–4 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1–6 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1–5 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–7, 9–10 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 2 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–5, 7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 3, 5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–7, 9 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 1, 5
SL.11-12.2 Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) in order to make informed decisions and solve problems, evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source and noting any discrepancies among the data.	Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 3 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lesson 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lesson 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 1
SL.11-12.3 Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric,	Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 5–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lesson 7

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assessing the stance, premises, links among ideas, word choice, points of emphasis, and tone used.	Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lesson 3 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 5

Speaking and Listening

Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas

Maryland Standards	Aligned Odell Lessons
SL.11-12.4 Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective, such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning, alternative or opposing perspectives are addressed, and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and a range of formal and informal tasks.	Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 2 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 4–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–2, 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lesson 3 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 2–10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 12 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 1 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 3 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 5–6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 1
SL.11-12.5 Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.	Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 4–6
SL.11-12.6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating a command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.	Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lesson 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lesson 3 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 5–6, 8–10

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	Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 6

Writing

Text Types and Purposes

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W.11-12.1 Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 3, 5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 3, 5–9
W.11-12.1.a Introduce precise, knowledgeable claim(s), establish the significance of the claim(s), distinguish the claim(s) from alternate or opposing claims, and create an organization that logically sequences claim(s), counterclaims, reasons, and evidence.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 3, 5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 3, 5–8
W.11-12.1.b Develop claim(s) and counterclaims fairly and thoroughly, supplying the most relevant evidence for each while pointing out the strengths and limitations of both in a manner that anticipates the audience's knowledge level, concerns, values, and possible biases.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 3, 5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 6

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W.11-12.1.c Use words, phrases, and clauses as well as varied syntax to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships between claim(s) and reasons, between reasons and evidence, and between claim(s) and counterclaims.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 6, 8
W.11-12.1.d Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.	Beloved, Section 1, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 5, 9
W.11-12.1.e Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the argument presented.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 3, 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 7
W.11-12.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 3 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–5

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	What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 6
W.11-12.2.a Introduce a topic; organize complex ideas, concepts, and information so that each new element builds on that which precedes it to create a unified whole; include formatting (e.g., headings), graphics (e.g., figures, tables), and multimedia when useful to aiding comprehension.	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 2–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 3 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 1–6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 3–4 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 6
W.11-12.2.b Develop the topic thoroughly by selecting the most significant and relevant facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 2–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 3 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6

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	The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 2–5 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 2–3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 6
W.11-12.2.c Use appropriate and varied transitions and syntax to link the major sections of the text, create cohesion, and clarify the relationships among complex ideas and concepts.	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 3–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 2–3, 6–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 3–4 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 6
W.11-12.2.d Use precise language, domain-specific vocabulary, and techniques such as metaphor, simile, and analogy to manage the complexity of the topic.	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 3–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6

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	The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 2–3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 6
W.11-12.2.e Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 3–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 2, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 6
W.11-12.2.f Provide a concluding statement or section that follows from and supports the information or explanation presented (e.g., articulating implications or the significance of the topic).	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lesson 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lesson 5 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 3–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lesson 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 5 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lesson 10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lesson 7 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6

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	The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 3, 6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 3 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 6
W.11-12.3 Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.	Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 5–6 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 4–5 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 1 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 12 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 1–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 2–4
W.11-12.3.a Engage and orient the reader by setting out a problem, situation, or observation and its significance, establishing one or multiple point(s) of view, and introducing a narrator and/or characters; create a smooth progression of experiences or events.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 4–5 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 1 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 12 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 3–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 2–4
W.11-12.3.b Use narrative techniques, such as dialogue, pacing, description, reflection, and multiple plot lines, to develop experiences, events, and/or characters.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 4–5 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 1 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 2–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 12 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 1–2, 4–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 2–4
W.11-12.3.c Use a variety of techniques to sequence events so that they build on one another to create a coherent whole and build toward a particular tone and outcome (e.g., a sense of mystery, suspense, growth, or resolution).	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 4–5 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 1 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 12 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 2, 4–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 2–4

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W.11-12.3.d Use precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language to convey a vivid picture of the experiences, events, setting, and/or characters.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 4–5 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 1 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 2–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 12 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 4–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 2–4
W.11-12.3.e Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 4–5 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 1 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 2–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 12 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 4–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 2–4

Writing

Production and Distribution of Writing

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W.11-12.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 4–5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1, 4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lesson 3 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lesson 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 10
W.11-12.5 Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 4–6 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 5–7 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 4–6 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 7–8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 6–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 5–6

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	Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 9 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 5–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–4, 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1, 3–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1–2, 4–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 7–9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 6–9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 1, 5, 7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 1–2, 4, 9–10, 12–13 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 10–11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 7–8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 5–7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 1–9 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 6–7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 8–9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 6–7 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 8, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 1–7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 8–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 6–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 6 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1–5 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 11–12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 6–7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 2–4
W.11-12.6 Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, publish, and update individual or shared writing products in response to ongoing	*Odell* addresses this standard in Culminating Tasks.

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feedback, including new arguments or information.	

Writing

Research to Build and Present Knowledge

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W.11-12.7 Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects to answer a question (including a self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.	Beloved, Section 5, Lesson 4 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lesson 5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lesson 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 3, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 2, 5–6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 1 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lesson 6 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 1, 5
W.11-12.8 Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limitations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and audience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and over reliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.	Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 2 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 2–3, 5–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 2–4, 6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1–2, 5–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lesson 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lesson 1
W.11-12.9 Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 5–6 Beloved, Section 2, Lesson 7 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 6 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 7–8

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W.11-12.9.a Apply grades 11–12 Reading standards to literature (e.g., "Demonstrate knowledge of eighteenth-, nineteenth- and early-twentieth-century foundational works of American literature, including how two or more texts from the same period treat similar themes or topics").	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 5–6 Beloved, Section 3, Lesson 6 Beloved, Section 4, Lesson 6 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lesson 7 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lesson 3 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 6–7 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 8–9 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 6–7 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 8, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 3, 5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lesson 3
W.11-12.9.b Apply grades 11–12 Reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g., "Delineate and evaluate the reasoning in seminal U.S. texts, including the application of constitutional principles and use of legal reasoning [e.g., in U.S. Supreme Court Case majority opinions and dissents] and the premises, purposes, and arguments in works of public advocacy [e.g., The Federalist, presidential addresses]").	Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 7–8 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 6–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 5–6 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lesson 9 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lesson 7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 7–8 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1, 4–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–4 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lesson 9 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 8–9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 10–11 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 7–8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lesson 7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 1, 3, 6 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 8, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 3, 5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lesson 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lesson 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lesson 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lesson 6 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 3, 12 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lesson 6

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	What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lesson 7

Writing

Range of Writing

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W.11-12.10 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 tasks, purposes, and audiences.	Beloved, Section 1, Lessons 1, 5 Beloved, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 8 Beloved, Section 3, Lessons 1, 3, 5, 7 Beloved, Section 4, Lessons 1–3, 5, 7 Beloved, Section 5, Lessons 1, 4–5 Friday Night Lights, Section 1, Lessons 1–7 Friday Night Lights, Section 2, Lessons 1–6, 8 Friday Night Lights, Section 3, Lessons 1–5, 7 Friday Night Lights, Section 4, Lessons 1–8, 10 Friday Night Lights, Section 5, Lessons 1, 5–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 1, Lessons 1–3, 5–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 2, Lessons 1–6 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 3, Lessons 1–7 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 4, Lessons 1–5 Grade 11 Application Unit, Section 5, Lessons 1–4, 11 Telling Stories with Film, Section 1, Lessons 1–8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 2, Lessons 1–8, 10 Telling Stories with Film, Section 3, Lessons 1–6, 8 Telling Stories with Film, Section 4, Lessons 1–12, 14 Telling Stories with Film, Section 5, Lessons 3, 6–7 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 1, Lessons 1–3, 5–10 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 2, Lessons 1–7, 9 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 3, Lessons 1–6, 8 The American Dream of Homeownership, Section 4, Lessons 2, 4, 10–11 The Great Gatsby, Section 1, Lessons 1–6 The Great Gatsby, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 7–8, 10 The Great Gatsby, Section 3, Lessons 1–6, 8 The Great Gatsby, Section 4, Lessons 1–9, 11 The Great Gatsby, Section 5, Lessons 3, 8–9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 1, Lessons 1–8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 2, Lessons 1–7, 9

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	The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 3, Lessons 1–4, 6, 8 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 4, Lessons 1–7, 9 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 5, Lessons 1–5, 7 The Warmth of Other Suns, Section 6, Lessons 1, 6–7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 1, Lessons 1–2, 4–11 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 2, Lessons 1–5, 7 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 3, Lessons 1, 6, 8 What does it mean to be an American?, Section 4, Lessons 5–6

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