



HS EL Writing and Content Literacy Skills

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Prerequisite: None

Elective Repeatable Grade: 9-12

Graded: Conventionally Credit: 0.50

Time Frame: Year

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Major Categories of Study

Students in EL Writing and Content Literacy Skills will develop skills to support informational and argumentative writing and content area learning.

Students will participate in:

- Writing of various text types and for various purposes and audiences
- Building research writing skills
- Expanding their ability to comprehend informational text and applying those concepts to their writing
- Acquiring additional social studies content, with particular attention to American history and government
- Acquiring content from other academic content areas as needed