



Content Area	Performance Indicator	Emerging	Developing	Proficient	Distinguished
Cross- Cutting Skills	I can demonstrate organized and purposeful communication.	I can use paragraph structure to organize my thoughts and use basic sentence structure to convey my ideas.	I can organize details, claims, examples, or evidence, although in some places the relationships among my ideas may be unclear.	I can present my ideas coherently, with a logical sequence and clear transitions.	I can present my ideas coherently, with a creative sequence and examination of how my ideas relate to each other.
Cross- Cutting Skills	Adjust communication based on the audience, context, and purpose.	I can restate information gathered in list form or as a basic outline or report.	I can demonstrate awareness of audience by applying appropriate vocabulary to match intended purpose and or task	I can tailor the organization, substance, and vocabulary to match intended audience, context, purpose and/or task.	I can predict the biases of my audience and address them through strategic claims and/or counterclaims.
ELA	Collect relevant, accurate information and draw evidence from literary or informational print and digital sources to support analysis, noting discrepancies and agreement among sources.	I can summarize information related to my topic.	I can support my analysis with information, noting agreement among sources.	I can support my analysis with relevant and accurate information, noting discrepancies and agreement among sources.	I can support my analysis with relevant and accurate information, noting discrepancies and agreement among sources.
Social Studies	Assess options for individual and collective action to address local, regional, and global problems.	I can identify an issue of local, regional, or global importance.	I can describe the history of individual and collective action concerning my chosen issue.	I can assess options addressing local, regional, and global challenges, making claims about the most effective options.	I can evaluate options addressing local, regional, and global challenges, making claims about the most effective options and the shortcomings of other approaches.