ELA Task Generation Model 9A.1PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of non- U.S.Literature

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL6 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items(4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity) Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 9A.2PBA

Task Focus: Text structure/manipulation of time

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL5 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	,
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 9A.3PBA

Task Focus: Complex characterization

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL3. Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature texts Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 9A.4PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of how author draws on or transforms source material

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 Analytic PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature texts Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 Analytic PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 9A.5PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of a subject or scene

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 Analytic PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL7 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 7 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature texts Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 Analytic PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B1PBA

Task Focus: Focus on Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Rese	arch
Grade	g)
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information subclaim using standards RI1, RI6 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI 2, 3 and 5. 	Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B10PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RH1, RH3 and RH9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RH 2,3,5,6 and 9. 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B11PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RST1, RST3 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST 2,3,5,6 and 9. 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:		10
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B2PBA

Task Focus: Focus on Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	Writing : Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RH1, RH6 and RH9 Measures all writing claims	
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RH 2, 3 and 5. Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim 	
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B3PBA

Task Focus: Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research		
Grade	9	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text		
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RST1, RST6 and RST9 Measures all writing claims 	
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST 2, 3 and 5. 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim	
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10		
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR		

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B4PBA

Task Focus: Use of Illustrations and Other Visuals

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI7 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI 3,5,6,7 and 8. 	Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B5PBA

Task Focus: Use of Illustrations and Other Visuals

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RST1, RST7 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST 3,5,6,7 and 8. 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:		10
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B6PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI8 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI 2,3,5,6 and 8. 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B7PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RH1, RH8 and RH9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RH 2,3,5,6 and 8. 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B8PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RST1, RST8 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST 2,3,5,6 and 8. 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 9B9PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Resea	arch
Grade	9	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI3 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI 2,3,5,6 and 9. 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Task Generation Model 10A.1PBA

Task Focus: Impact of Word Choice

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL4 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 10A.2PBA

Task Focus: Structural Analysis

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL5 Measures all writing claims	
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items Task Complexity (including text,	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub-claim 	
item, and task complexity)	To be determined	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 10A.3PBA

Task Focus: Complex Characterization

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL3. Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature texts Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 Analytic PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 10A.4PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of how author draws on or transforms source material

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 Analytic PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	Items that do not measure reading subclaim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature subclaim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature texts Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 Analytic PCR 	

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ELA Task Generation Model 10A.5PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of a subject or scene

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 Analytic PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL7 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 7 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	 Students read extended literature text Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students read 1 additional literature texts Students respond to 1 item to measure the reading subclaim for vocabulary Students respond to 2 EBSR or TECR items Students respond to 1 Analytic PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B1PBA

Task Focus: Focus on Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI6 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B10PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RH1, RH3 and RH9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RH2,3,5,6 and 9 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B11PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RST1, RST3 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST2,3,5,6 and 9 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B2PBA

Task Focus: Focus on Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	Writing : Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RH1, RH6 and RH9 Measures all writing claims	
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RH 2,3 and 5 Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim 	
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B3PBA

Task Focus: Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RST1, RST6 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST 2,3 and 5 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	transcript) Students answer 1 vocabul Students answer 2 EBSR or	TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with ary question TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with ary question

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B4PBA

Task Focus: Use of Illustrations and Other Visuals

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI7 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI3,5,6,7 and 8 	Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	transcript) Students answer 1 vocabu Students answer 2 EBSR or	r TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with lary question r TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with lary question

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B5PBA

Task Focus: Use of Illustrations and Other Visuals

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RST1, RST7 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST3,5,6,7 and 8 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	transcript) Students answer 1 vocabula Students answer 2 EBSR or	TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with ary question TECR questions xt (may be multi-media with ary question

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B6PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information subclaim using standards RI1, RI8 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items(6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI2,3,5,6 and 8 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	0
Order of Student Actions:	transcript) Students answer 1 vocabul Students answer 2 EBSR or	ext (may be multi-media with ary question TECR question TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B7PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RH1, RH8 and RH9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RH2,3,5,6 and 8 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:		10
Order of Student Actions:	transcript) Students answer 1 vocabu Students answer 2 EBSR or	lary question r TECR questions rext (may be multi-media with lary question r TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B8PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RST1, RST8 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST2,3,5,6 and 8 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	transcript) Students answer 1 vocabul Students answer 2 EBSR or	TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with lary question TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 10B9PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	10	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information subclaim using standards RI1, RI3 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI 2,3,5,6 and 9 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	transcript) Students answer 1 vocabula Students answer 2 EBSR or	TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with ary question TECR questions ext (may be multi-media with ary question

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ELA Task Generation Model 11A.1PBA

Task Focus: Text structure

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL5 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	claim for vocabularyStudents respond to 2 EBSRStudents read 1 additional li	to measure the reading sub- or TECR items iterature text to measure the reading sub-

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ELA Task Generation Model 11A.2PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of two or more themes/central ideas

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL2 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points)to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	claim for vocabularyStudents respond to 2 EBSRStudents read 1 additional li	to measure the reading sub- or TECR items iterature text to measure the reading sub-

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ELA Task Generation Model 11A.3PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of story elements/structure

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL3. Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points)to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	claim for vocabularyStudents respond to 2 EBSRStudents read 1 additional li	to measure the reading sub- or TECR items iterature texts to measure the reading sub-

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ELA Task Generation Model 11A.4PBA

Task Focus: Expression of knowledge of eighteenth, nineteenth, and

early-twentieth century treatment of similar themes and topics

Task Type	Literary Analysis	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Literature Text 1 Additional Literature Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 Analytic PCR	 Measures reading literature sub-claim using standards RL1 and RL9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 6 total items = 12 points 2 of 6 items (4 points)to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 4 of 6 items (8 points) measuring standards RL 2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading literature sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	7	
Order of Student Actions:	claim for vocabularyStudents respond to 2 EBSFStudents read 1 additional	to measure the reading sub- R or TECR items literature texts to measure the reading sub- R or TECR items

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B1PBA

Task Focus: Focus on Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information subclaim using standards RI1, RI6 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items(6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI2,3 and 5 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B10PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RH1, RH3 and RH9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub- claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points)measuring standards RH2,3,5,6 and 9 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10)
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B11PBA

Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RST1, RST3 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST2,3,5,6 and 9 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B2PBA

Task Focus: Focus on Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	Writing : Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RH1, RH6 and RH9 Measures all writing claims	
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RH2,3 and 5 Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim 	
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B3PBA

Task Focus: Point of View and Purpose

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub-claim using standards RST1, RST6 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST2,3 and 5 	Items that do not measure reading sub-claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text, item, and task complexity)	To be determined ¹	
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B4PBA

Task Focus: Use of Illustrations and Other Visuals

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI7 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI3,5,6,7 and 8 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B5PBA

Task Focus: Use of Illustrations and Other Visuals

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information subclaim using standards RST1, RST7 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST2,3,5,6 and 8 	Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B6PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI8 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI2,3,5,6 and 8 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B7PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	inform standa RH9	g: Measures reading ation sub-claim using rds RH1, RH8 and res all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points) to reading vocabus sub-claim for vocabulary 	hat do not measure g sub-claim for llary are designed to re reading ation sub-claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	 Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students write a PCR 	

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ELA Research Task Generation Model 11B8PBA

Task Focus: Analysis of Argument

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing: Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RST1, RST8 and RST9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points)to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RST2,3,5,6 and 8 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
Task Complexity (including text,	To be determined ¹	
item, and task complexity)		
Total # of Items for the Task Model:	10	
Order of Student Actions:	Session 1: Students read anchor text Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Session 2: Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students read additional text (may be multi-media with transcript) Students answer 1 vocabulary question Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions Students answer 2 EBSR or TECR questions	

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Task Focus: Relationship of Ideas

Task Type	Research	
Grade	11	
Number and type of Texts	1 Extended Informational Text 2 Additional Informational Text	
Number and type of Prose Constructed Response Items	1 PCR	 Writing Measures reading information sub- claim using standards RI1, RI3 and RI9 Measures all writing claims
Number and type of EBSR and/or TECR reading items	 9 total items = 18 points 3 of 9 items (6 points)to measure the reading sub-claim for vocabulary (one per text) 6 of 9 items (12 points) measuring standards RI2,3,5,6 and 9 	 Items that do not measure reading sub- claim for vocabulary are designed to measure reading information sub- claim
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