

7th Grade ELA Resources

Reading

- [RCS Summer Reading Site](#)- RCS teacher book recommendations and resources for reading over the summer.
- [Newsela](#)- Nonfiction articles that be adjusted to reading level. Articles include writing prompts and quizzes for reading comprehension.
- [What Should I Next?](#)- a search engine for finding new books. Type in a book or author that you have read and get recommendations for similar reading.
- [Goodreads](#)- An extensive database of books. You can create to-read lists, review books, take book quizzes, and share your favorite novels.
- [Project Gutenberg](#)- Project Gutenberg offers over 36,000 free ebooks to download to your PC, Kindle, Android, iOS, or other portable device. Choose between ePub, Kindle, HTML and simple text formats.
- <http://www.readingrockets.org/literacyapps>- reading rockets offers a variety of resources to support comprehension, vocabulary, spelling, and other literacy activities that will supplement classroom instruction
- [Read, Write, Think Comprehension Interactive Activities](#)- Interactive activities for reading comprehension.
- [ReadTheory](#)- Leveled reading passages with comprehension practice questions. Adjusts degree of difficulty based on responses to previous questions.

Writing

- Argument Writing Sample: <https://achievethecore.org/page/1271/argument-opinion-writing-on-demand>
- Informative/Explanatory Writing Sample
<https://achievethecore.org/page/2748/informative-explanatory-range-of-writing>
- Narrative Writing Sample:
<https://achievethecore.org/page/2754/narrative-range-of-writing>
- [The Purdue Online Writing Lab \(OWL\)](#)- A great collection including resources for writing, grammar and mechanics, and styles (MLA, APA, etc)
- OWL Purdue - MLA Format for essays
- <https://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/747/13/>
- Argument Writing
- -ICE: Introduce, Cite, Explain organizer
- Persuasive Writing
http://www.readwritethink.org/files/resources/interactives/persuasion_map/
- Writing Student Examples - by Grade Level
<https://k12.thoughtfullearning.com/resources/studentmodels>
- [My.hrw.com](#)
Select Unit- Student Resources-Writing and Grammar (under Student Resources)

Grammar

- <https://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/536/02/>
- <https://www.writingforward.com/>
- <https://www.grammarly.com/blog/category/handbook/>
- <https://www.ixl.com/ela/>
- <https://www.englishgrammar.org/>
- **Verbs** - [Rags to Riches \(Use the Hints to help you\)](#), [Verbs in Space](#), [Helping Verbs Quiz](#), [Identifying Helping Verbs vs. Main Verb \(doing verb\)](#), [Verb Power](#)

- **Nouns** - [Noun Explorer](#), [Noun Finder Game](#), [Identifying Nouns](#), [Recognizing Nouns](#), [Balloon Noun Game](#), [Ice Cream Talk \(nouns and verbs\)](#)
- **Adjectives** - [PickIt: Adjectives](#), [Adjective Adventures](#), [Verbs, Nouns, Adjectives Game](#), [Multiple Adjective Games](#)
- <https://grammaropolis.com/>