

Oregon School Library

# Grade 8

**INFORMATION  
LITERACY: Use strategies  
for locating, selecting,  
organizing,  
understanding,  
evaluating, using, and  
producing information,  
within physical and  
digital information  
environments**

**Standard 1 Use skills, resources, and tools to inquire, think critically, and gain knowledge**

- A Follow an inquiry-based process to seek knowledge **LIB 1.1.A**
  - 8. Follow an inquiry process selecting from among prescribed frameworks **LIB 1.1.A.8**
- B Apply prior knowledge to new learning **LIB 1.1.B**
  - 8. Evaluate accuracy of prior knowledge and use prior knowledge to inform next steps for research **LIB 1.1.B.8**
- C Develop, select, clarify, and use questions to search for information **LIB 1.1.C**
  - 8. With guidance and support, generate researchable questions and evaluate them for validity and purpose, making strategic decisions to modify and rewrite as needed. **LIB 1.1.C.8**
- D Develop, select, clarify, and use strategies to search for information **LIB 1.1.D**
  - 8. With support, use advanced search strategies and limiters to expand, refine, and assess search results. **LIB 1.1.D.8**
- E Find, evaluate, and select appropriate sources to answer questions **LIB 1.1.E**
  - 8. Identify, select, and use sources related to research task, and use criteria to evaluate for timeliness, relevance, accuracy, authority, and purpose **LIB 1.1.E.8**
- F Select and use tools within sources to access content **LIB 1.1.F**
  - 8. With support, use advanced navigational tools to access content found in a variety of sources **LIB 1.1.F.8**
- G Evaluate information for accuracy, validity, importance, and bias **LIB 1.1.G**
  - 8. Evaluate information for accuracy, validity, importance, and bias **LIB 1.1.G.8**
- H Read, view, and listen to information in a variety of formats **LIB 1.1.H**
  - 8. Identify the usefulness of reading, listening to, and viewing information in a variety of formats **LIB 1.1.H.8**
- I Collaborate to broaden and deepen understanding **LIB 1.1.I**
  - 8. With guidance and support, collaborate within digital and physical environments for a variety of purposes **LIB 1.1.I.8**
- J Assess the effectiveness of questions, strategies, and processes used in research to find information **LIB 1.1.J**
  - 8. Ask relevant, answerable questions to guide research; evaluate questions and research strategies for effectiveness and refine as needed **LIB 1.1.J.8**

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**Standard 2 Use skills, resources, and tools to draw conclusions, make informed decisions, create new knowledge and apply knowledge to new situations**

- A Analyze and evaluate information to draw conclusions LIB 1.2.A
  - 8. Draw conclusions using main ideas and supporting details across multiple sources LIB 1.2.A.8
- B Analyze and evaluate information to make informed decisions LIB 1.2.B
  - 8. Evaluate information considering elements such as bias, credibility, reliability, relevance to make informed decisions LIB 1.2.B.8
- C Analyze, organize, and synthesize information using a variety of tools LIB 1.2.C
  - 8. With support, evaluate a variety of tools for organizing, analyzing, and synthesizing information and select tool(s) relevant to the need/purpose LIB 1.2.C.8
- D Use information to answer questions and inspire further investigation LIB 1.2.D
  - 8. With guidance and support, provide well-developed answers (e.g., detailed, quantifiable, evidential, reliable, cited) to complex questions using varied and multiple sources LIB 1.2.D.8
- E Use information to solve real-world problems and inspire further investigation LIB 1.2.E
  - 8. Use credible information to identify real-world problems, generate possible solutions, and explore questions that arise from the investigation LIB 1.2.E.8
- F Collaborate with others to exchange ideas, develop new understandings, make decisions, and solve problems LIB 1.2.F
  - 8. With guidance and support, collaborate within digital and physical environments for a variety of needs/purposes LIB 1.2.F.8
- G Reach and defend informed conclusions based on best evidence LIB 1.2.G
  - 8. Use evidence to defend an informed conclusion LIB 1.2.G.8
- H Evaluate the effectiveness of the skills and tools used to create new knowledge LIB 1.2.H
  - 8. With support, select and reflect on the effectiveness of skills and tools used to create new knowledge LIB 1.2.H.8

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**Standard 3 Use skills, resources, and tools to create and share work that expresses and demonstrates new understandings**

**A** Analyze delivery formats for sharing understanding **LIB 1.3.A**

8. With support, analyze, select, and justify a delivery format to create and share work based on purpose and audience **LIB 1.3.A.8**

**B** Use appropriate tools to create and share new work **LIB 1.3.B**

8. With support, select and justify appropriate tools to create and share work based on purpose and audience **LIB 1.3.B.8**

**C** Collaborate with others to create original products and share new understanding **LIB 1.3.C**

8. With guidance and support, collaborate within digital and physical environments for a variety of needs/purposes **LIB 1.3.C.8**

**D** Reflect on a product's effectiveness in expressing and demonstrating new understandings **LIB 1.3.D**

8. With guidance and support, reflect on the effectiveness of a product's expression of new understandings, evaluating both the product and the creation process **LIB 1.3.D.8**

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**READING ENGAGEMENT:  
Read to pursue lifelong  
intellectual, personal,  
and emotional growth**

**Standard 1 Develop an appreciation for reading**

- A Read, listen to, and view a variety of genres and formats **LIB 2.1.A**
  - 8. Select and read from a variety of genres and formats and identify their characteristics **LIB 2.1.A.8**
- B Identify, reflect upon and respond to works which exemplify the human experience **LIB 2.1.B**
  - 8. Identify and reflect upon how personal experiences and perspectives are reflected in universal theme(s), and exemplify the human experience **LIB 2.1.B.8**
- C Read to answer questions, make decisions, or solve problems **LIB 2.1.C**
  - 8. Expand and cultivate reading selections to explore personal interests, to make decisions, and solve problems **LIB 2.1.C.8**
- D Explore text to text, text to self, and text to world connections **LIB 2.1.D**
  - 8. Select and read a wide range of texts, describe similarities and differences among texts, text to self, and text to world **LIB 2.1.D.8**
- E Appreciate and evaluate author's craft and use of literary devices **LIB 2.1.E**
  - 8. Read a wide variety of texts and explain the features of author's craft and use of literary devices **LIB 2.1.E.8**
- F Read to seek multiple diverse and inclusive perspectives **LIB 2.1.F**
  - 8. With support, read a variety of fiction and nonfiction to identify diverse perspectives, cultural influences, and global issues, and explain how they impact personal perspectives **LIB 2.1.F.8**

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**Standard 2 Comprehend, interpret and evaluate informational and fictional text**

- A** Read, listen to, view, and integrate information to build background knowledge **LIB 2.2.A**
  - 8. With support, interact with a variety of sources to examine and build background knowledge **LIB 2.2.A.8**
- B** Demonstrate reading for meaning by finding the main and supporting details **LIB 2.2.B**
  - 8. Identify and summarize main ideas, supporting details, relevant information, and contextual clues to demonstrate reading for meaning **LIB 2.2.B.8**
- C** Demonstrate reading for meaning by evaluating evidence, drawing conclusions, and forming opinions **LIB 2.2.C**
  - 8. Evaluate evidence used when drawing conclusions and forming opinions **LIB 2.2.C.8**
- D** Read to understand history, current events, and to make personal decisions **LIB 2.2.D**
  - 8. With guidance and support, demonstrate an understanding that reading broadly from a wide variety of increasingly complex texts, deepens knowledge of history and current events, and informs personal decisions **LIB 2.2.D.8**
- E** Evaluate text for author's purpose **LIB 2.2.E**
  - 8. With support, identify author's purpose, and demonstrate an understanding that an author's purpose can influence thinking **LIB 2.2.E.8**

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**Standard 3 Build reading skills and behaviors for lifelong learning**

- A Apply reading strategies across the content areas **LIB 2.3.A**
  - 8. Use a wide variety of text features, characteristic to, or specific of, different content areas, to increase reading comprehension **LIB 2.3.A.8**
- B Contribute to a reading and learning community **LIB 2.3.B**
  - 8. With support, participate in a multiple types of reading and learning communities, using that community's rules and protocols **LIB 2.3.B.8**
- C Self-select reading materials from a variety of genres and formats **LIB 2.3.C**
  - 8. With support, use selection tools to find and read from a variety of genres and formats, to broaden and enrich reading experience **LIB 2.3.C.8**
- D Make personal and global connections to the real world when reading a variety of texts **LIB 2.3.D**
  - 8. Read or listen to text and use strategies and patterns of thinking to make personal connections to self, to others, and to the world **LIB 2.3.D.8**
- E Demonstrate resiliency, perseverance, and stamina when reading a variety of texts **LIB 2.3.E**
  - 8. Strengthen self-identified habits and techniques that build personal reading resiliency, perseverance, and stamina **LIB 2.3.E.8**

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**SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**  
**Share knowledge and participate ethically and productively as members of a democratic society****Standard 1 Practice ethical behavior to share knowledge**

- A Use appropriate language when communicating with others **LIB 3.1.A**
  - 8. Consider audience and environment, identify purpose of communication, presentation style and how it may be perceived, when communicating with others **LIB 3.1.A.8**
- B Participate in and advocate for safe and ethical communication **LIB 3.1.B**
  - 8. Practice safe and ethical communication, and demonstrate an understanding of digital citizenship and the responsibility of online behaviors **LIB 3.1.B.8**
- C Practice accuracy and consider bias when sharing information **LIB 3.1.C**
  - 8. With guidance and support, share and represent accurate information and identify the impact of sharing biased information, and question the value of sharing. **LIB 3.1.C.8**

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**Standard 2 Practice ethical behavior when using print and digital resources**

- A Use a variety of authoritative sources, considering multiple perspectives and points of view **LIB 3.2.A**
  - 8. With support, identify, locate, and use a variety of authoritative sources with multiple perspectives to answer a question or explore a topic. **LIB 3.2.A.8**
- B Generate accurate source citations **LIB 3.2.B**
  - 8. Identify components of citations for a variety of formats, and use a citation generator to create a bibliography **LIB 3.2.B.8**
- C Avoid plagiarism when gathering, presenting, or publishing information **LIB 3.2.C**
  - 8. Define intellectual property and plagiarism, and use strategies to avoid presenting another's work/ideas as one's own **LIB 3.2.C.8**
- D Respect the intellectual property of others and copyright law when gathering, presenting, or publishing information **LIB 3.2.D**
  - 8. Demonstrate an understanding that intellectual property refers to ownership of a creation or idea, that creators have rights to protect their work, and copyright laws exist to protect those rights and define parameters for which the work may be used **LIB 3.2.D.8**

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**Standard 3 Participate collaboratively, respectfully and productively as a member of a democratic society**

- A Collaborate as members of a social and intellectual community **LIB 3.3.A**
  - 8. Collaborate within social and intellectual communities, online and face-to-face, and demonstrate an understanding of their similarities and differences **LIB 3.3.A.8**
- B Advocate for intellectual freedom and uphold the rights of others **LIB 3.3.B**
  - 8. Demonstrate an understanding that the principle of intellectual freedom is a protected right and is governed by policies which uphold the rights of others **LIB 3.3.B.8**
- C Demonstrate responsible citizenship in use of materials and resources **LIB 3.3.C**
  - 8. With guidance and support, demonstrate the dispositions of a responsible citizen, use policies and practices that govern the use of materials and resources, take initiative for accessing materials, and recognize that responsible citizenship is lifelong and worldwide **LIB 3.3.C.8**