Here are some general resources which you may find useful throughout the course (additional resources on these topics are provided in their own sections within the course and are for specific types of lessons or benchmarks):

Student Research/Projects

Electronic Library of MN - Access to various electronic databases for student research.

<u>Research Project Calculator</u> - Part of ELM but this will allow students to plan assignment submissions. It breaks longer assignments up into step by step tasks and helps them budget their time.

Reading Support

Rewordify allows students to swap out difficult words in selections of text with something they already understand. It will highlight the words that were changed and allow them to study those words and help them to learn the definitions in context.

- Preloaded materials
- Paste existing materials
- Generate vocabulary lists and quizzes
- Students can use it as well.

<u>English Language Learner materials</u> for students and teachers are available from the Purdue Online Writing Lab (OWL).

You can find information on Reading Levels by using the following resources:

- Microsoft Word (Settings allow for Show readability statistics)
- readability-score.com
- lexile.com/analyzer (limited to 1000 words)
- Rewordify.com Statistics tab for READ score

Text to Speech

- Librivox & Archive.org for audio versions of text
- NVDA Open Source; downloads to device; tested with Moodle.
- Screen reader support in Google Docs

Writing Support

Student Writing Support resources from the University of Minnesota

Online Writing Lab (OWL) from Purdue. This is an extensive collection of resources and handouts that gives examples of various types of writing; support for citations and more. There are teacher resources and presentations that can be used in class.