

# Student-Led Conferences March 2025

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Advanced LA Reflections & Artifacts

Student answers should show understanding of your growth this semester, strengths and stretches, and what students will be mindful of in the future. ([Student Rubric](#))

**[Insert image representing your learning in LA this year/quarter.]**

Use caption as needed here.

### GENERAL

**Content:** 3.5

**Work Habits:** 4

**Write strength or stretch in each category.**

Reading	Writing	Language	Research	Oral Exp
stretch	strength	strength	strength	strength

### **Effort Rating**

*Please rate yourself according to the effort you typically put forth in LA. Highlight the one that best fits you during third quarter. Feel free to add decimals and/or notes as needed.*

4	3	2	1
Consistent striving for personal best in language arts. I spend lots of time studying for roots. Also, paying attention and asking questions during class.	Reasonably consistent effort but not to a "personal best" level	Inconsistent effort (may be enough to maintain the grade you want)	Little effort

**What is one thing you'd like to continue OR do differently in LA (last chance)?**

I would like to continue expanding my personal vocabulary.

**Thought/"Motto" for LA for rest of year -**

Less is more. I'm using this motto because sometimes I will do too much work than needed.

### WRITING

**In what ways did the argument essay outline and/or March blog outline assignments impact you as a writer? What specifically did you gain from these assignments?**

I gained lots of information about the topics I was studying and it helped me as a writer to find new ways to write and format pieces of writing.

**Reflect on/describe a struggle you faced as a writer this year. What did you learn from the struggle?**

A struggle I had this year as a writer was figuring out how to format the SWBS. I learned how to format it and what information pieces you need to use on either the someone, wanted, but, so. This resulted in me earning a good grade on it.

**In what ways do you feel you “hit the target” and/or “are still working” on the complex skills required in one or both of these assignments?**

I feel I hit the target on how to write an essay because I understand how to gather information and data. Also, I understand how to write them in the correct way.

## **READING**

**What learning stood out to you about the process we used for research? Consider your understanding of site authority, credibility, coverage, and scope, along with GALE and the source evaluation process.**

Authority stood out to me because you need to know who made the site and what their intellect level is. This is important because if you don't figure out the authority of a person they could be sharing fake information, etc.

**Reflect on the quantity of time you've spent on independent reading.**

I feel during the start of the year I didn't spend as much time reading as I should've, but as the year went on I put more time into it and it reflected on my book of the month blog grade.

**Comment on ways in which you've successfully challenged and/or grown yourself as a reader this quarter. Consider volume, stamina, difficulty of text, etc.**

I've grown in stamina because also at the beginning of the year, I wasn't reading for enough time. It changed though as the year went on.

## **LANGUAGE**

**How do your WWW scores in IC reflect both your time studying AND your knowledge of Greek & Latin roots and stems? Remember, we are over 250+ now!**

I study as much as I can on WWW and I typically get 3.5-4s on them. I recognize that I will have to spend more time on them as the amount is increasing.

**Reflect on your understanding of the Poetry WoD terms.**

I understand POP strongly because we get time to think about our answers and time to converse with our table partners to find more answers.

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