Third Grade EL Vocabulary

Module 1: Overcoming Learning Challenges Near and Far

Academic Vocabulary			Topical Vocabulary		
details	gist	respect	sapling	nomadic	take for granted
conveyed	affix	prefix	temperate	coast	inland
suffix	root	constructed	impassable	northern	nomad
predicate	subject	response	access	desert	librarian
integrity	peer critique	peer review	assistant	bordered	volunteer
inform	researched	informational text	communities	transportation	overcome
explicitly	refer	text features	abolished	enslaved	stain
main idea	support	key details			
effective	collaboration	informational paragraph			
include	analyze	focus statement			
introduction	main idea	paragraph			
plan	purpose	sentence			

task	Body (in writing)	conclusion			
definitions	details	facts			
critique	feedback	organization			
conventions	purpose	contract			
effective	perseverance	figurative language			
proficient	structure (as pertains to writing)	introductory paragraph			
responsibility	proof	concluding			
restate	state	fluently			
concise					

Module 2: Adaptations and the Wide World of Frogs

Academic Vocabulary			Topical Vocabulary		
infer	inference	experts	practice	opened	delicious
narrative texts	contributing	explicitly	skilled	combined	flexible

unfamiliar	establishes	respond	relaxing	flick	strand
solution	resolution	pourquoi tale	though	antifreeze	polliwogs
characters	setting	events	tadpoles	tails	forest
clear sequence	strengths	audience	survive	amphibian	reptile
purpose	sequence of events	dialogue	gills	metamorphosis	permanently
react	precise	expression	humid	allowing	glass
central problem	temporal	adjective	see-through	blends	surroundings
comparative	superlative	gist	rainforest	canopy	transparent
informational texts	text features	table of contents	overhang	affects	notice
glossary	index	verb tense	predators	prey	adaptations
present tense	base form	connections	physical adaptations	behavioral adaptations	special
elaboration	verbs	future tense	unique	deters	
proof paragraph	topic sentence	focus statement			
effectively					

Module 3: Exploring Literary Classics

Academic Vocabulary			Topical Vocabulary		
illustrations	contributes	recount	novels	published	inspired
gist	literary classics	historical	fantasy	entertain	original
context	connections	character traits	classic	literature	advantage
point of view	motivation	central message	society	probably	certainly
conveyed	recommend	painted essay	possibly	tour	familiar
structure	analyze	brief	strain	tremendously	pram
introductory paragraph	evidence	proof paragraph	passage	peer	impressed
concluding	text based discussion	elaboration	mood	grumbled	immediately
capitalize	critique	dialogue	politely	though	realize
description	Possessive nouns	verbs	actually	doubt	
verb tense	regular verbs	irregular verbs			

key points	temporal	for effect			
effective	generate	criteria			

Module 4: Water Around the world

Academic Vocabulary			Topical Vocabulary		
central message	sources	convince	cascade	plunging	palisades
main ideas	supporting details	gist	veils	reappear	returning
function	nouns	pronoun	gleaning	drench	well
adjective	verb	issue	global	glaciers	faucet
impact	compare	contrast	societies	essential	industries
adverbs	narrative non-fiction	point of view	agriculture	hydroelectric	equivalent
literal	non-literal	purpose	access	distribute	access
as a result	effective	key points	lack	dehydration	demands
opinion	analyze	structure	population	slew	development
solutions	importance	issue	pollution	evaporates	vapor

impact	action	call to action	atmosphere	filtered	transpire
focus statement	introductory paragraph	context	run off	demands	take for granted
opinion	plural nouns	abstract nouns	sprout	provide	energy
singular	evidence	proof paragraph	basic	reducing	dawn
reason	connect	irregular	scanned	maize	power
restates	singular noun	plural noun	scorched	starve	disappear
high quality	linking words	linking phrases	sulk	windmills	produce
prompt cards			electricity	pump	drawing
			arranged	surged	drought
			famine	depend	achieved
			irrigated	The sun rose angry	community
			ensure	fraction	basic
			task	constructing	campaign
			providing	PSA	conservation
			script	aware	protect

			capabilities	limitations	accompany
			storyboard	affects	solve
			garbage	runoff	sewers
			poison	groundwater	protect
			Water pollution	invitational	Letter address
			sicknesses	pride	excitement
			unsafe	unclean	threatens
			solution	pollute	organize
			clean-up	reduce	Clean
			safe		