

# K-12 English Language Development Foundations Conference

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# OUR AGENDA

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MLs?

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Resources and  
Closure



# Expected Outcomes

- ❑ To know who our Multilingual Learners are
- ❑ To become acquainted with the purpose, format, content, and location of the ELD Standards Hub
- ❑ To promote research-based, standards-aligned practices

# Who is with us today?

## INTRODUCE YOURSELF

Share your name, role, and one interesting thing about yourself related to working with MLs.

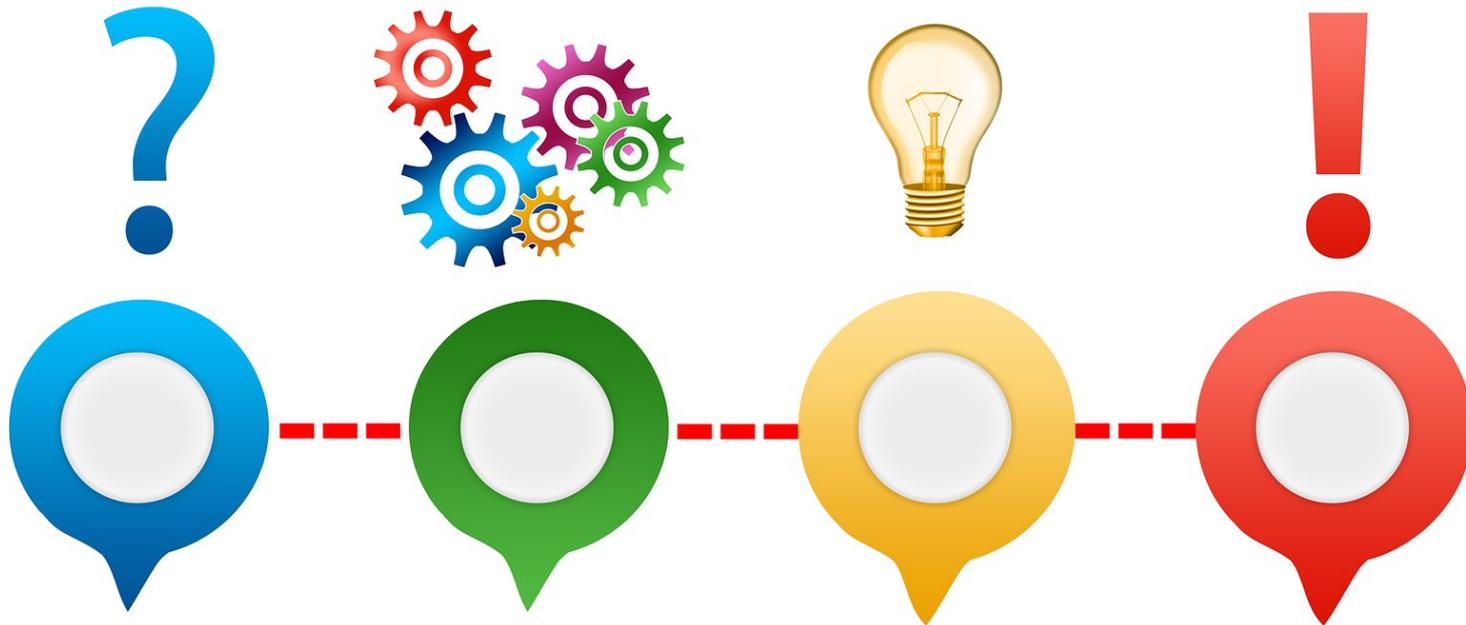


## YOUR GOALS

What do you hope to get from today's ELD Standards Presentation?

# Parking Lot

Please, add your **questions** to [this shared document](#) during the presentation. We will check throughout the session and respond as appropriate. We also encourage you to add **comments and ideas** that may inform our future PD offerings.



# Pulse Check - Fist to Five

- How equipped are you to meet the needs of ML using the ELD Standards?



- How confident do you feel about meeting the needs of MLs using the ELD Standards?

# 01

**Who are our  
MLS?**

# Who are our MLs?

**162,778** NC public school students are identified as English learners

- 115 LEAs
- 193 charter schools
- six lab schools
- four special schools
- one regional school

**389** languages spoken in NC homes



*Chances are you will have an ML student in your school!*

# What is Your ML Background Knowledge?

**ELD**

**ELP**

**ESL**

**EL**

**ML**

**Acronyms**

**Experienced - Long Term**

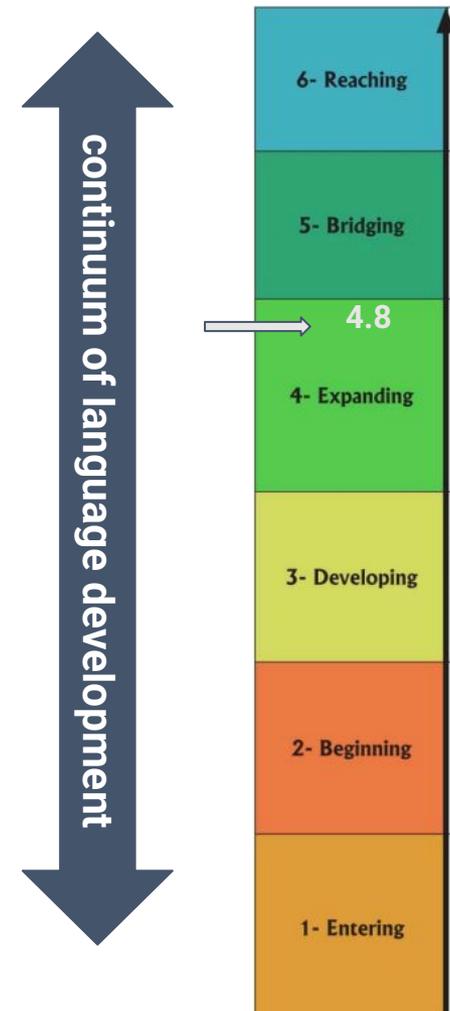
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**Newcomer**

**SIFE/SLIFE**

# Proficiency Levels

- Each proficiency level (PL) includes and builds on previous levels (e.g., PL4 = PL1 + PL2 + PL3 + PL4).
- Language development is not a straightforward linear process across proficiency levels; it is contingent on a variety of factors. Multilingual learners may take various paths to develop language.
- PL6 is open-ended. It indicates that for all of us, language development continues throughout life.
- Exit Criteria 4.8 Composite on the Access for ELLs Annual Assessment



# 02

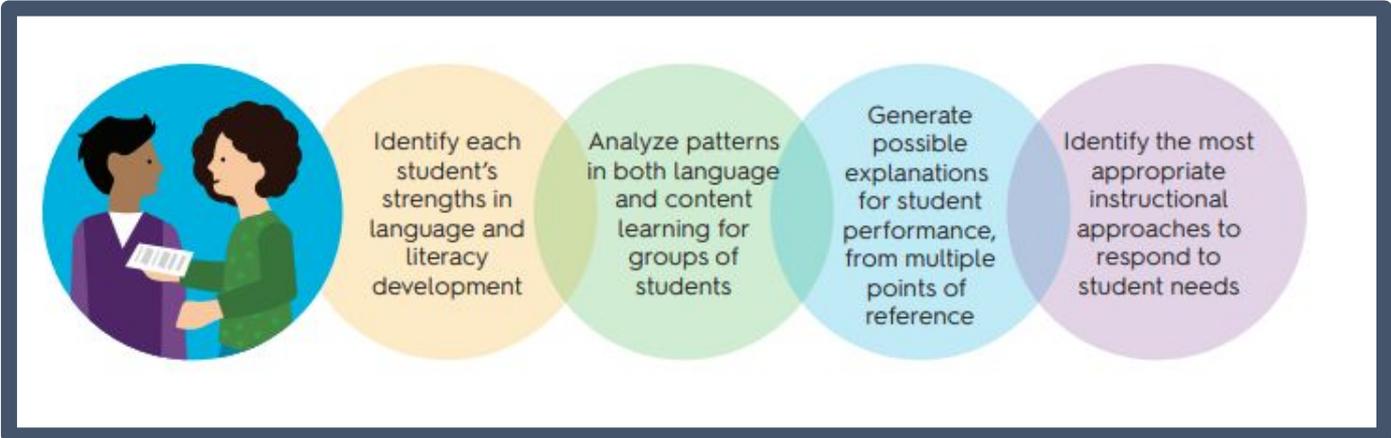
## ELD Standards

# Collaborating to Meet ML Needs



Skim and scan the article to answer the questions.

Be prepared to discuss.



- How does WIDA support collaboration to serve multilingual learners?
- How does collaboration impact student learning? teacher learning?
- How has the way we view MLs changed? Has it really?
- What stood out for you?

Resource: [COLLABORATION: Working Together to Serve Multilingual Learners](#)



# Collaborating to Meet ML Needs...

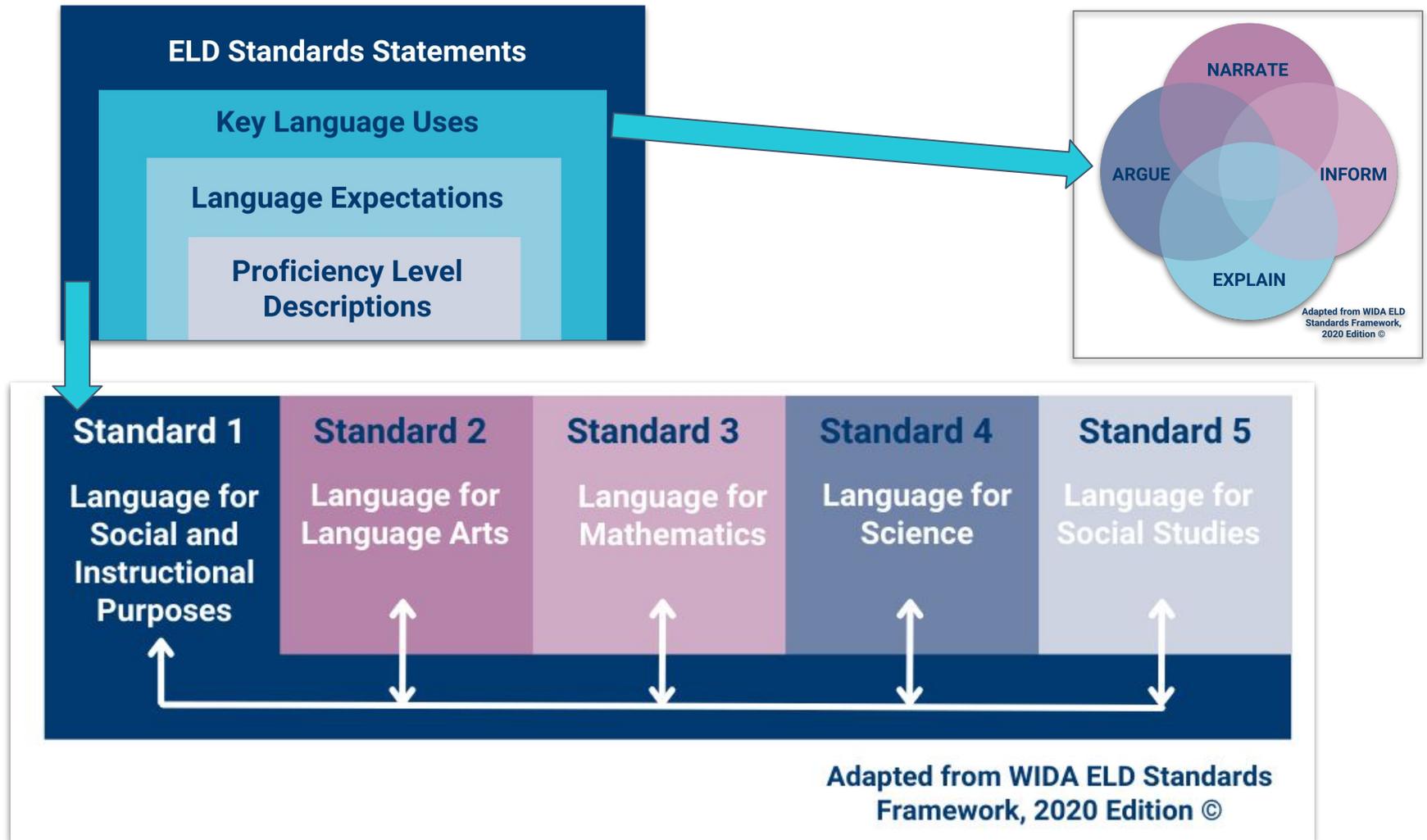


...using the  
ELD Standards  
Framework

What do you  
already know?



# ELD Standards Framework



# Key Language Uses (KLUs)



## Narrate:

Language to convey real or imaginary experiences through stories and histories



## Explain:

Language to give an account for how things work or why things happen



## Inform:

Language to provide factual information



## Argue:

Language to justify claims using evidence and reasoning

# Format of Language Expectations

The figures below show the four components of the NC ELD Standard Course of Study.

**ELD Standard 2: Language for Language Arts** *Multilingual Learners communicate information, ideas, and concepts necessary for academic success in the content area of Language Arts.*

Standard Statement

**ELD-LA.K.Narrate.Interpretive** Interpret language arts narratives (with prompting and support) by:

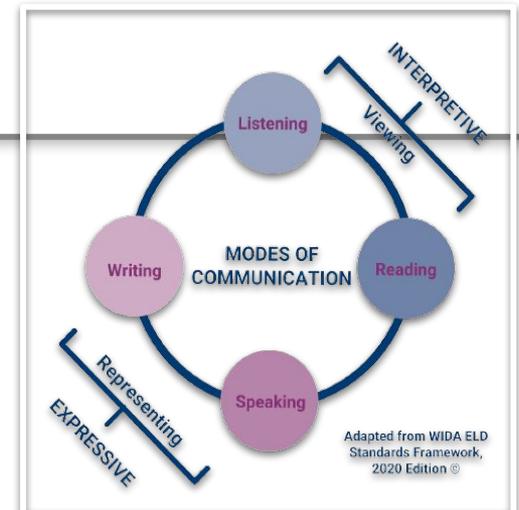
- Identifying key details
- Identifying characters, settings, and major events
- Asking and answering questions about unknown words in a text

Mode of Communication

Language Expectation

Grade or Grade-Band

Key Language Use



# A “One-Stop” Shop

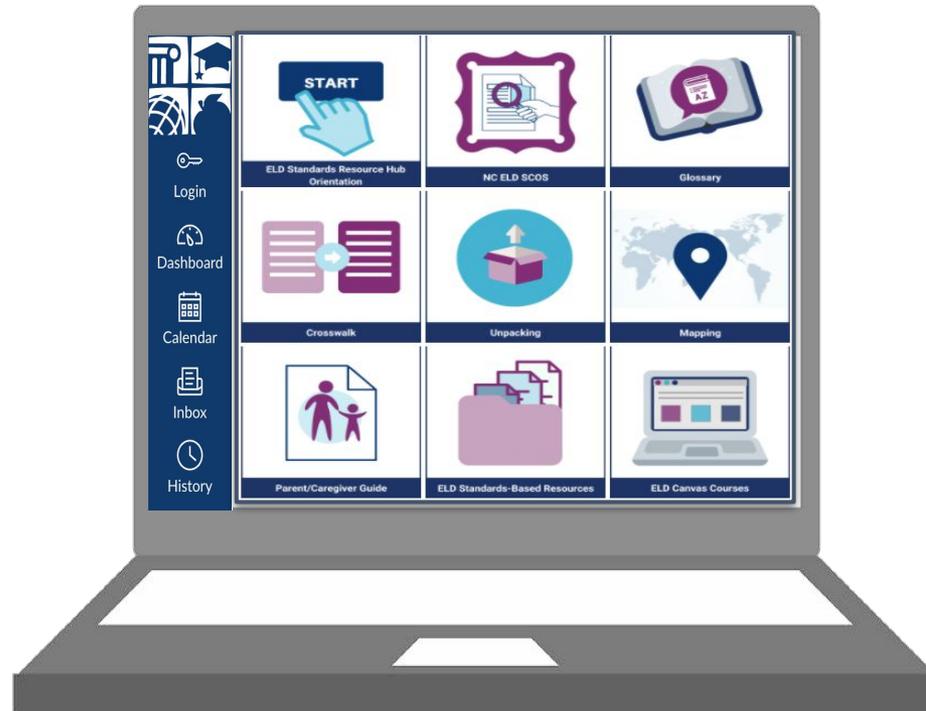
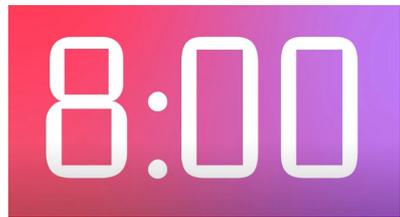
How do we use these materials?

- ❑ Planning
- ❑ Instruction
- ❑ Content Area Alignment
- ❑ Engagement
- ❑ Knowledge
- ❑ Valuable Resources
- ❑ Professional Development



[bit.ly/ELDStandardsHub](https://bit.ly/ELDStandardsHub)

# Explore the ELD Standards Resource Hub



Take 8 minutes to explore on your own before we take a deeper dive.

# ELD Standards Course of Study

## English Language Development (ELD) Standards Office of Academic Standards

### North Carolina English Language Development (ELD) Standard Course of Study

On March 4, 2021, the State Board of Education unanimously approved the 2020 Edition of the WIDA English Language Development (ELD) Standards as the North Carolina ELD Standard Course of Study (NC ELD SCOS) for implementation in the 2022-2023 school year. The NC ELD Standard Course of Study reflects that Multilingual Learners are best served when they learn content and language together in linguistically and culturally sustaining ways (WIDA 2020).

The NC ELD standards serve as the framework that guides each Public School Unit (PSU) in the development of the curriculum and instruction of their Multilingual Learners. These standards are not intended to be curriculum, nor do they indicate the whole of the curriculum to be written by a PSU. The ELD standards, together with cross-disciplinary academic content standards and disciplinary practices, define the language Multilingual Learners need as they move toward college, career, and civic readiness. Use of the NC ELD standards should be complemented by a well-developed, content-rich curriculum, and effective pedagogical approaches within an equitable educational program for Multilingual Learners (WIDA 2020).

The NC ELD SCOS is anchored by four *Big Ideas* that are interwoven throughout the standards. Like the Can-Do Philosophy, the *Big Ideas* support the design of standards-based educational experiences that are student-centered, culturally and linguistically sustaining, and responsive to Multilingual Learners' strengths and needs (WIDA 2020). The four *Big Ideas* are: 1) Equity of Opportunity and Access; 2) Integration of Content and Language; 3) Collaboration Among Stakeholders; and 4) Functional Approach to Language Development.

#### *Equity of Opportunity and Access*

Multilingual Learners come from a wide range of cultural, linguistic, educational, and socioeconomic backgrounds and have many physical, social, emotional, experiential, and/or cognitive differences. All bring assets, potential, and resources to schools that educators must leverage to increase equity in standards-based systems. The NC ELD Standard Course of Study upholds the goal of increasing equity for Multilingual Learners by providing common and visible language expectations in relation to grade-level



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NC ELD SCOS

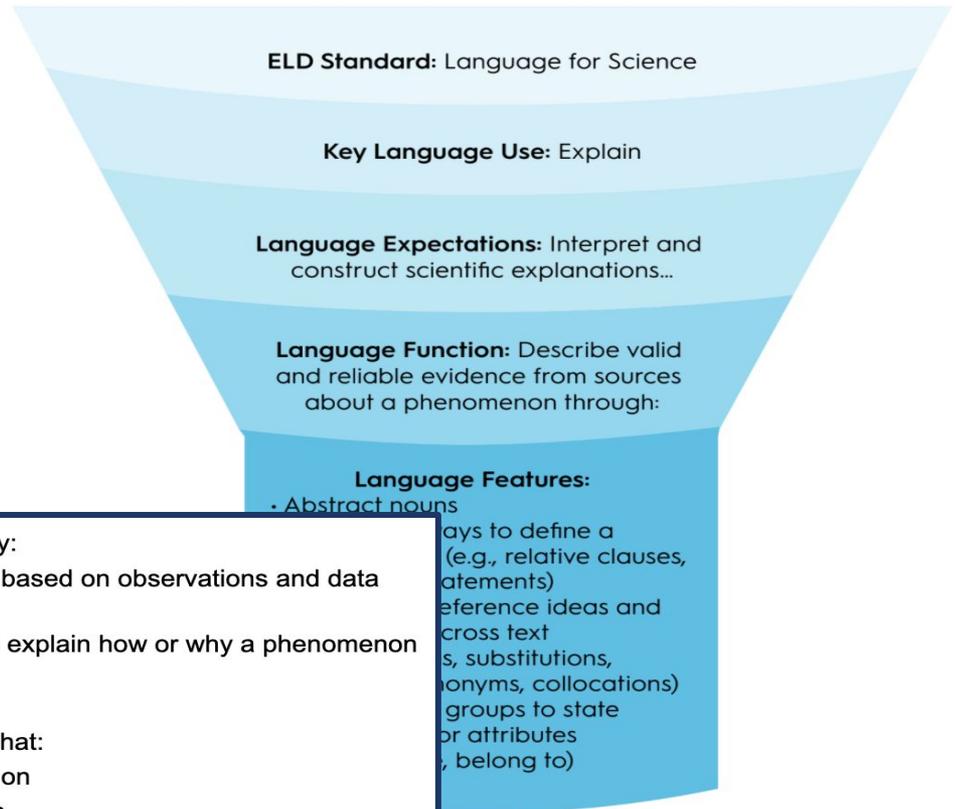
# Contents of the Standard Course of Study

- ELD Standards, Key Language Uses
- Language Expectations
- Proficiency Level Descriptors (PLD) for the each grade cluster

# Explore the ELD Standards Framework

Figure 4-3: Honing a Language Focus through the WIDA ELD Standards Framework

How do we  
deconstruct the ELD  
Standards  
Framework?



- ELD-SC.K.Explain.Interpretive** Interpret scientific explanations by:
  - Defining investigable questions or simple design problems based on observations and data about a phenomenon
  - Using information from observations to find patterns and to explain how or why a phenomenon occurs
- ELD-SC.K.Explain.Expressive** Construct scientific explanations that:
  - Describe information from observations about a phenomenon
  - Relate how a series of events causes something to happen
  - Compare multiple solutions to a problem

## Sample Language Features

# Let's Explore

8:00



1. Read through pages 1-4 briefly.
2. Choose a grade cluster and skim through its standards, key language uses, and language expectations.
3. Reflect: How would you use the standards?

# Glossary

## English as a Second Language (ESL)/Title III English Language Development (ELD) Standards Division of Academic Standards

### ESL/Title III Program and ELD Standards Glossary

#### Purpose

This document provides the terms and definitions related to the NC Standard Course of Study for English Language Development (ELD), as well as other acronyms and terms related to ESL/Title III. This document provides a range of terms and definitions to support all EL stakeholders, including administrators, educators, coordinators, and community members in implementation of the NC ELD Standard Course of Study. These standards will be implemented in all North Carolina schools beginning in the 2022-23 school year.

Acronyms and Terms	Description
Academic Language	<p><b>Academic language</b> is the language used in formal contexts for academic subjects and purposes. The aspect of language connected with literacy and academic achievement. This includes technical and general academic terms and reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills as used in school to acquire new knowledge and accomplish academic tasks. (Echevarria 326). See also <b>Cognitive Academic Language Proficiency</b>.</p> <p>Echevarria, Jana, et al. <i>Making Content Comprehensible for English Learners. The SIOP Model</i>. 3rd ed., Pearson, 2008.</p>
ACCESS for ELLs	<p><b>ACCESS for ELLs (ACCESS)</b> is the collective name for WIDA's suite of summative English language proficiency assessments. ACCESS is taken annually by English language learners in Kindergarten through Grade 12 in WIDA Consortium member states. In North Carolina, ACCESS typically refers to the ACCESS assessment which is given to students who are English</p>



Glossary

# Contents of the Glossary

- Terms and acronyms related to English language development (ELD) and the English as a Second Language (ESL)/Title III Program

# Mapping

[K, 1, 2-3, 4-5, 6-8, 9-12](#)

## ELD Standard 3: Language for Mathematics Kindergarten

ELD-MA.K.Inform.Interpretive	Kindergarten
<p><b>Interpret mathematical informational texts (with prompting and support) by:</b> Identifying concept or object</p>	<p><b>NC.K.CC.4</b> Understand the relationship between numbers and quantities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When counting objects, say the number names in the standard order, pairing each object with one and only one number name and each number name with one and only one object (one-to-one correspondence).</li> <li>Recognize that the last number named tells the number of objects counted regardless of their arrangement (cardinality).</li> <li>State the number of objects in a group, of up to 5 objects, without counting the objects (perceptual subitizing).</li> </ul> <p><b>NC.K.CC.5</b> Count to answer “How many?” in the following situations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Given a number from 1–20, count out that many objects.</li> <li>Given up to 20 objects, name the next successive number when an object is added, recognizing the quantity is one more/greater.</li> <li>Given 20 objects arranged in a line, a rectangular array, and a circle, identify how many.</li> <li>Given 10 objects in a scattered arrangement, identify how many</li> </ul> <p><b>NC.K.G.1</b> Describe objects in the environment using names of shapes, and describe the relative positions of objects using positional terms.</p>
<p><b>Interpret mathematical informational texts (with prompting and support) by:</b> Describing quantities and attributes</p>	<p><b>NC.K.MD.1</b> Describe measurable attributes of objects; and describe several different measurable attributes of a single object.</p> <p><b>NC.K.MD.2</b> Directly compare two objects with a measurable attribute in common, to see which object has “more of”/“less of” the attribute, and describe the difference.</p> <p><b>NC.K.G.1</b> Describe objects in the environment using names of shapes, and</p>



# Contents of the Mapping Documents

- ELD SCOS grade-level clusters (K, 1, 2-3, 4-5, 6-8, 9-12)
- Connected content standards
- Shading to assist viewers in identifying mapping for each language expectation.
- A sample listing of the possible connections

# Let's Explore

8:00



1. Choose a Mapping Document related to your content area to explore.
1. Reflect: How would you use the mapping document to guide your instruction.
2. With a small group discuss how would you use the document. Be ready to share.

# Unpacking

## ELD Standard 2: Language of Language Arts

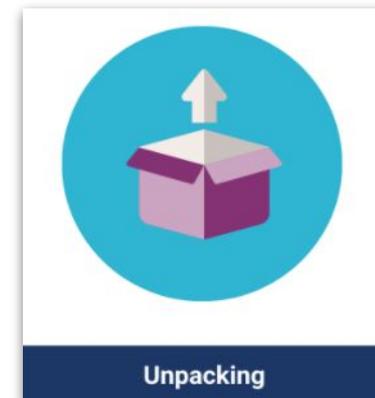
English language learners communicate information, ideas, and concepts necessary for academic success in the content area of Language Arts.

### Language Expectation

**ELD-LA.4-5.Narrate.Interpretive** Interpret language arts narratives by:

- Identifying a theme from details
- Analyzing how character attributes and actions develop across event sequences
- Determining the meaning of words and phrases used in texts, including figurative language, such as metaphors and similes

Skills	In the Classroom
<p><i>Clarification:</i> Students identify the theme of the language arts narrative by inferring from key details the lesson, moral, or underlying message of the text.</p> <p><i>Unpacked Language Functions:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Define terms: theme, details</li> <li>• Identify the theme, inferring from details</li> </ul>	<p>After being provided the theme by the teacher, partners read two short language arts narratives that have the same theme. Partners then highlight details that develop the theme or underlying message, referring to an anchor chart previously co-created by the teacher and students that models a short language arts narrative identification of theme by highlighted details and annotated reasoning in thought bubbles.</p> <p><i>Sample Language Objective:</i> Students will be able to interpret a narrative, identifying the theme from details, by highlighting details that build the theme.</p>
<p><i>Clarification:</i> Students reflect on the attributes and actions of characters to determine their impact on the sequence of events in a text.</p> <p><i>Unpacked Language Functions:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Define terms: character attributes, character actions, event sequences</li> <li>• Identify how character attributes contribute to event sequences</li> <li>• Identify how character actions contribute to event sequences</li> </ul>	<p>Students highlight words and phrases that show cause (characters words and actions) and effect (events) and use a sentence frame modeled and displayed in the classroom to reflect on the impact such as "In the story, ____ (name the character) ____ (describe the character's words or actions), so ____ (describe the event)."</p> <p><i>Sample Language Objective:</i> Students will be able to interpret a narrative to identify how character attributes and actions contribute to event sequences by highlighting cause and effect words and phrases in a text.</p>



# Contents of the Unpacking Documents

- ELD Standards & Language Expectations
- Unpacked language functions
- Clarifications
- "In the Classroom" ideas
- Sample language objectives

# Anatomy of the Unpacking Document

## Language Functions



### Language Expectation

**ELD-SC.4-5.Argue.Interpretive** Interpret scientific arguments by:

- Identifying relevant evidence from data, models, and/or information from investigations of phenomena or design solutions
- Comparing reasoning and claims based on evidence
- Distinguishing among facts, reasoned judgment based on research findings, and speculation in an explanation

### Skills

*Clarification:* Students identify relevant evidence and analyze data, models, and/or information from scientific investigations.

*Unpacked Language Functions:*

- Define terms: relevant evidence, data, models, investigations, design solutions
- Identify relevant evidence from data from investigations of phenomena or design solutions

### In the Classroom

## Classroom Expectations

Student partners select an index card with various weather data recorded. Student partners select another index card with a specific weather pattern. Student partners circle relevant data on the card that would predict the weather pattern on the index card, discussing thinking.

**Sample Language Objective:** Students will be able to identify relevant evidence from data, models, and/or information from investigations of



## Language Objectives for the Standard

# Let's Take a Tour!

## ELD Standard 4: Language of Science

Multilingual learners communicate information, ideas, and concepts necessary for academic success in the content area of Science.

### Language Expectation

**ELD-SC.K.Inform.Interpretive** Interpret scientific informational texts by:

- Determining what text is about
- Defining or classifying a concept or entity

#### Skills

*Clarification:* Students determine what the scientific informational text is about through text features.

*Unpacked Language Functions:*

- Define terms: text
- Determine what text is about

#### In the Classroom

Students listen as the teacher reads a science informational text (e.g., about animal coverings of scales, feathers, fur, or skin). Students talk to their partners and respond to questions about the animal characteristics as they navigate through the text features such as headings, pictures, captions and bolded vocabulary words. Each pair uses a small whiteboard with a marker to draw the animal (e.g., that has one of the types of coverings). Next, students show the drawing to the class and explain what they drew.

*Sample Language Objective:* Students will be able to interpret scientific informational text, determining what the text is about, by examining its text features.

*Clarification:* Students define or classify a scientific concept or entity using new science vocabulary from the text.

*Unpacked Language Functions:*

- Define terms: define, classify
- Define a concept or entity
- Classify a concept or entity

After listening to a scientific informational text read aloud, students keep a journal for 30 days about a topic (e.g., about the temperature and weather conditions such as sunny, cloudy, rainy, stormy, snowy). After the 30 days, the students analyze their data and graph it together as a class (e.g., number of sunny vs. cloudy days).

*Sample Language Objective:* Students will be able to interpret a scientific informational text classifying vocabulary by keeping a journal and analyzing the collected data after 30 days.

# Let's Explore

8:00

1. Explore a standard and grade-level cluster related to your content area.
2. Reflect: How might this support educator with implementation of the standards?

# 03

## Best Practices

# All Teachers are Language Teachers

Using an Average of **36 weeks**  
based on **1,025 hours** per academic year

ESL Teachers spend about 10%  
of instruction time per  
school year with ESL students

Content teachers about spend about  
90% of instructional time per school  
year  
with MLs in their classrooms

Almost **100%** of the instructional time of Experienced MLs is spent with  
content teachers.

***Collaboration with the Content and ESL teachers is key!***

Training content teachers to incorporate the  
ELD standards into their classrooms will impact **ML Growth and Proficiency!**

## Together, teachers can:

Collaborate consistently to promote academic achievement in all content areas.

- Give clear instructions (multimodalities)
- Encourage peer collaboration and language practice
- Set Goals

*All  
Teachers  
are  
Language  
Teachers*



## Take 1

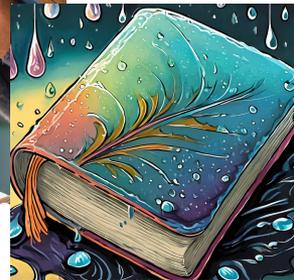
## Take 2

To see condensation in action, put a large (at least 8 ½ x 11) piece of cardboard (a book will work) in the freezer for about an hour. Now, take the boiling kettle of water and hold the cold book about 1 foot over the spout (right in the steam... wear oven mitts). Water droplets will form on the book. That's condensation!

# Provide Clear Instructions

## Take 3

1. Put a book in the freezer for 1 hour.
2. Before you take the book out of the freezer, boil water in a kettle.
3. Take the book out of the freezer and hold it above the steam. (Be careful)
4. Water will form on the book.
5. That is condensation!



# Developing Oral Language through the Standards



## Scaffolding Techniques

- Use **visual aids** to support understanding
- Provide **sentence frames** and **word banks** for mathematical discussions and writing
- Encourage **collaborative learning** through groups



## Linguistic Supports

- Draw on students' **linguistic and cultural backgrounds** to make math content relatable
- Incorporate **real-life contexts and examples** that are meaningful to multilingual learners



## Assessment and Feedback

- Use **formative assessments** to monitor language and content development
- Provide **feedback** that is specific to both math **content** and **language** use

# Standard-Based Supports

## Content Anchor Charts and Visuals

Provide information about specific math topics (e.g., fractions, geometry).

## Process Anchor Charts and Visuals

Outline steps for solving problems or completing tasks



## Target Language Anchor Charts and Visuals

Provide support with newly-acquired language structures

## Dual-Language Anchor Charts

Present information in both their first language and English.

# Standard-Based Sentence Stems



- Aligned to expressive ELD Language Expectations
- Provide a structure for MLs to organize and express ideas
- Use as a temporary scaffold
- May be adapted to suit different levels of language proficiency

Grades 2-3

ELD Standard 1: Social and Instructional Language <i>Multilingual Learners communicate for Social and Instructional purposes within the school setting.</i>	
Language Expectation	Standards-Based Sentence Stems
<b>ELD-SL-K-3.Narrate</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Share ideas about one's own and others' lived experiences and previous learning</li> <li>Connect stories with images and representations to add meaning</li> <li>Ask questions about what others have shared</li> <li>Retell and restate ideas</li> <li>Discuss how stories might end or next steps</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In my country ...</li> <li>When I heard/read/learned/saw, I thought of ...</li> <li>I remember seeing/reading/learning/hearing ...</li> <li>I drew ... to show that ...</li> <li>I think I heard you say ...</li> <li>You said ... but what are your thoughts on ...?</li> <li>I'd like to share ...</li> <li>I read/heard/saw/learned that ...</li> <li>I think the best next step would be ...</li> </ul>
<b>ELD-SL-K-3.Inform</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Define and classify objects or concepts</li> <li>Describe characteristics, patterns, or behavior</li> <li>Describe parts and wholes</li> <li>Sort, clarify, and summarize ideas</li> <li>Summarize information from interaction with others and from learning experiences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This category/group/set belongs together because ...</li> <li>I observed that ...</li> <li>A key part of ... is ... because ...</li> <li>First ... then ... next ...</li> <li>I'd like to add ...</li> <li>According to ... I learned/heard that ...</li> </ul>
<b>ELD-SL-K-3.Explain</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Share initial thinking with others</li> <li>Follow and describe cycles in diagrams, steps in procedures, or causes and effects</li> <li>Compare and contrast objects or concepts</li> <li>Offer ideas and suggestions</li> <li>Act on feedback to revise understandings of how or why something works</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>I think ... because ...</li> <li>My thoughts on ... are ...</li> <li>When ... happens, then ... because ...</li> <li>... and ... are different because ...</li> <li>What would happen if you tried ...?</li> <li>Have you tried ...?</li> <li>After hearing/learning/seeing/reading ... I understand that ...</li> </ul>

Grades 9-12

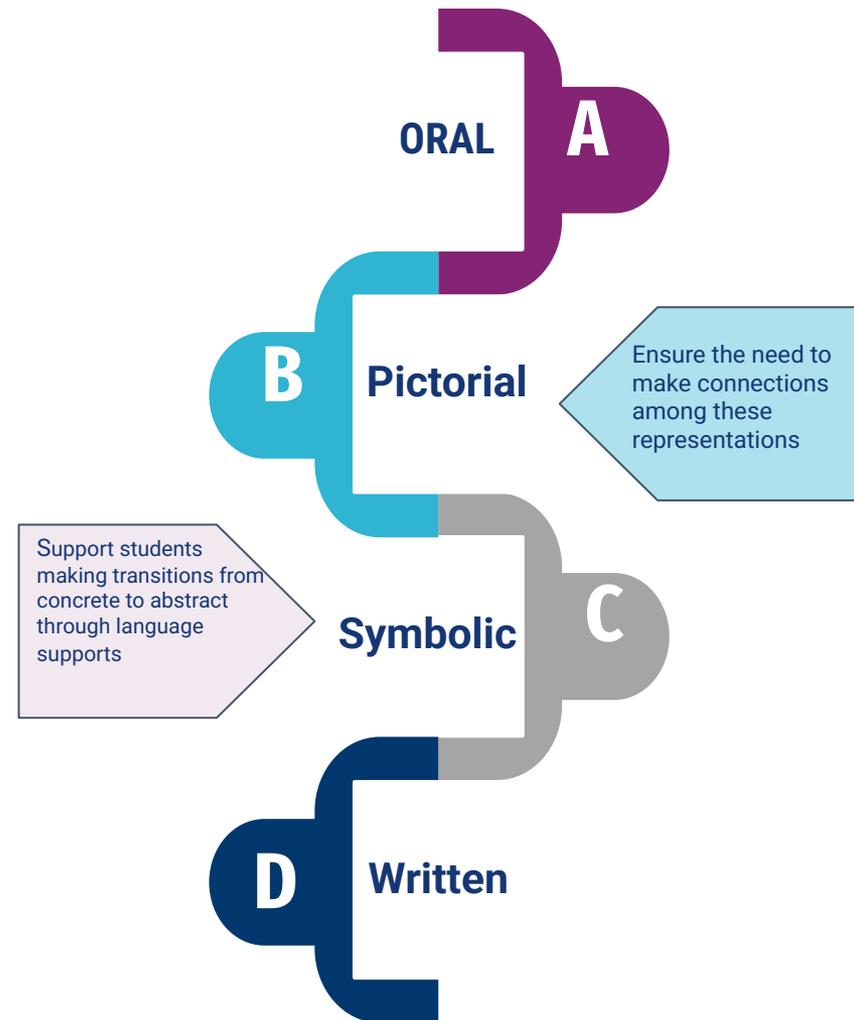
ELD Standard 1: Social and Instructional Language <i>Multilingual Learners communicate for Social and Instructional purposes within the school setting.</i>	
Language Expectation	Standards-Based Sentence Stems
<b>ELD-SL-4-12.Narrate</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Share ideas about one's own and others' lived experiences and previous learning</li> <li>Connect stories with images and representations to add meaning</li> <li>Identify and raise questions about what might be unexplained, missing, or left unsaid</li> <li>Retell and restate ideas to sustain and move dialogue forward</li> <li>Create closure, recap, and offer next steps</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Based on my experience ...</li> <li>This relates to ... because ...</li> <li>Based on my research ...</li> <li>This illustrates/represents that ...</li> <li>I have a question about ...</li> <li>Could you expand on what you said about ...?</li> <li>Something else I'd like to know is ...</li> <li>If I understood you correctly, your point is ...</li> <li>What I hear you saying is ...</li> <li>... might be improved by ...</li> </ul>
<b>ELD-SL-4-12.Inform</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Define and classify facts and interpretations; determine what is known vs. unknown</li> <li>Report on explicit and inferred characteristics, patterns, or behavior</li> <li>Describe the parts and wholes of a system</li> <li>Sort, clarify, and summarize relationships</li> <li>Summarize most important aspects of information</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The evidence suggests ...</li> <li>I see your point about ... but the evidence shows ...</li> <li>... emphasized/indicated that ...</li> <li>As a whole ...</li> <li>You can see that ...</li> <li>These parts can be connected by ...</li> <li>Based on ... I infer that ...</li> <li>In conclusion ...</li> </ul>
<b>ELD-SL-4-12.Explain</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Generate and convey initial thinking</li> <li>Follow and describe cycles and sequences of steps or procedures and their causes and effects</li> <li>Compare changing variables, factors, and circumstances</li> <li>Offer alternatives to extend or deepen awareness of factors that contribute to particular outcomes</li> <li>Act on feedback to revise understandings of how or why something is or works in particular ways</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>I imagine that ...</li> <li>The most likely reason for ... is/was ...</li> <li>... contrasts with ... to produce ...</li> <li>Similarly/in contrast ...</li> <li>... builds upon the idea of ...</li> <li>You said ... and this made me think ...</li> <li>If I ... then ...</li> <li>Based on my understanding of ... I should ...</li> </ul>

# Standard-Based Math Materials

Select materials that involve problem-solving

- Incorporate learning strategies that promote ownership of their mathematical learning journey.
- Offer multiple entry points for representing solutions, including multimodal representations such as drawings, symbols, and writing, to accommodate diverse learning styles and preferences.
- Facilitate access to students' home languages, enabling them to express their mathematical thinking .
- Avoid materials that use unfamiliar language to introduce a topic.

## Representation



# Standard-Based Science Materials



01.

MLs may be familiar with lectures and rote memorization of concepts but unfamiliar with hands-on, experiential approaches.

**Procedures**



02.

Students may not be familiar with **science labs** or **equipment**.

**Materials**



03.

**Content** in class is often covered **very quickly**.

**Pace**



04.

Directions are usually **multistep** and complex.

**Complexity**

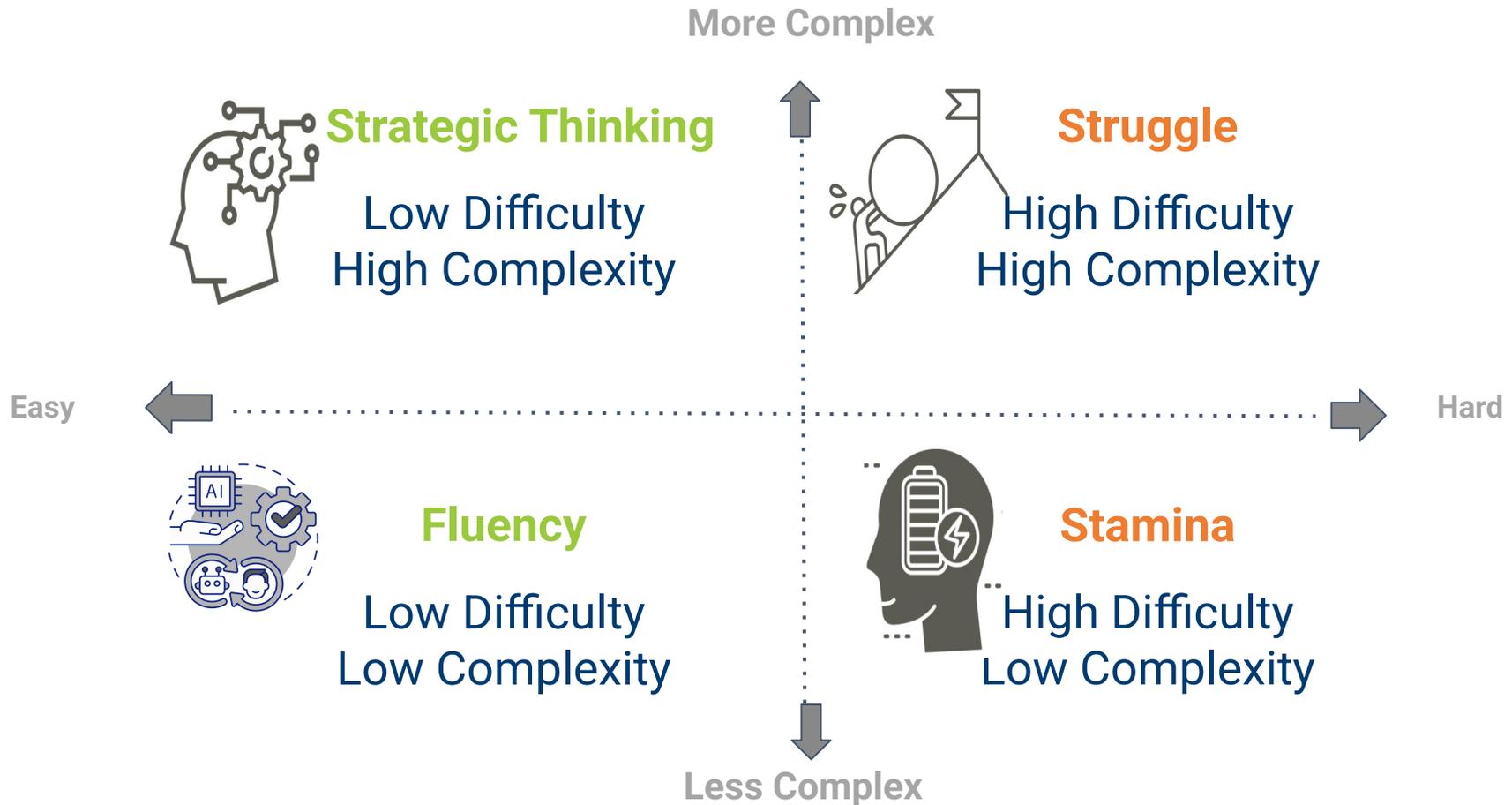


05.

**Making predictions and drawing conclusions** may not be part of students' **prior science experiences**.

**Experiences**

# Task Complexity



**Become aware of the level of effort that tasks might require  
Craft the directions and build the scaffolds to support MLs**

# Task Complexity



## Strategic thinking

Help students formulate goals and create plans to achieve them. Gather and integrate information make decisions. Reflect and adjust actions.



## Struggle

Help students develop automatically in all tasks. Student's working memory is freed to focus on new tasks.



## Fluency

Help students develop automatically in all tasks. Student's working memory is freed to focus on new tasks.



## Stamina

Helps students develop perseverance, determination and grit. Students must remain focused and work to complete this task.

**Engage Students with all four quadrants**

# Peer Collaboration

- Grouping
  - Heterogeneous
  - Homogeneous
  - Skills Based
- Use of L1
  - Discuss concepts with others who speak the same language
  - Respond in L1 and work together to translate final product to English
- Activities
  - Think-Pair-Share
  - Numbered Heads Together
  - Jigsaw



How do you encourage peer collaboration?

# Standard-Based Goal Settings

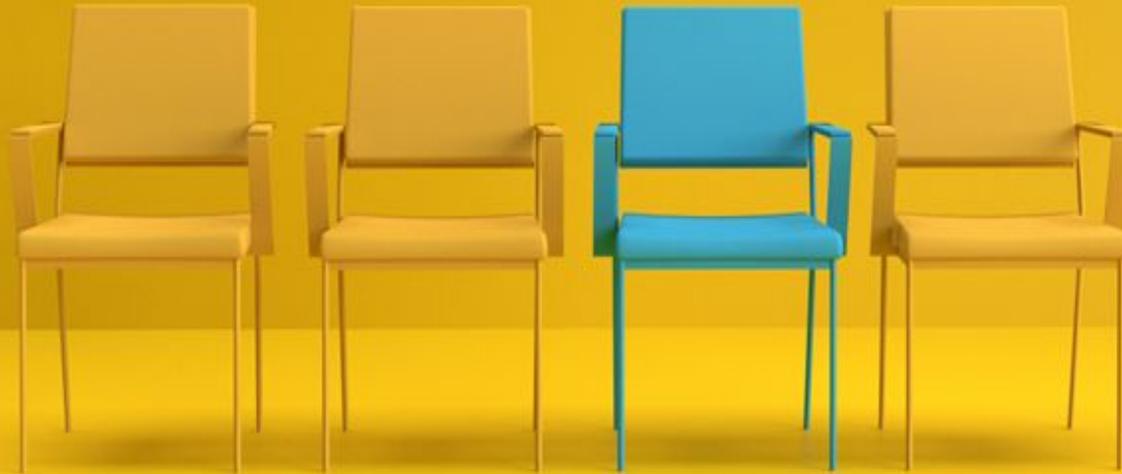
Help students take ownership of their learning.

- Content and Language Objectives
  - Develop student friendly objectives
  - Discuss with students
  - Use I can/We will statements
  - Review at the end of class to determine if objectives were met
- Tools to Support Goal Setting
  - ELD Standards
  - Content Standards
  - Data (ACCESS, EOG, etc)
  - ExC-ELL, GLAD, LinguaFolio, SIOP, etc.
  - ML Plan





What connections can you make between the standards and the strategies ?



# 04

## Field Experiences

# WSFCS Combined Unpacking and Mapping



## Unpacking and Mapping Document for NC ELD Standard Course of Study Grades 2-3 Science

Abbreviated Version brought to you by Winston-Salem Forsyth County Schools

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### Grade 2-3: ELD Standard 4: Language for Science

ELD Standard	2nd	3rd	Skills	In the Classroom
<b>ELD-SC.2-3.Explain/Interpretive</b> Interpret scientific explanations by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Defining investigable questions or simple design problems based on observations, data, and prior knowledge about a phenomenon</li> <li>Obtaining and combining information from observations, and using evidence to help explain how or why a phenomenon occurs</li> <li>Identifying information from observations as well as evidence that supports particular points in explanations</li> </ul>				
<b>Interpret scientific explanations by:</b> Defining investigable questions or simple design problems based on observations, data, and prior knowledge about a phenomenon		3.L.2.4	<b>Clarification:</b> Students use background knowledge and data from observations to define simple design problems.  <b>Unpacked Language Functions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Define terms: investigable questions, simple design problems, observations, data, phenomenon</li> <li>Define investigable questions based on observations, data, and prior knowledge about a phenomenon</li> <li>Define simple design problems based on observations, data, and prior knowledge about a phenomenon</li> </ul>	Students plant various flower seeds in cups with different types of soil (e.g., dirt, sand, clay, etc.) and draw a labeled picture of each in a chart to document two weeks of data. Students put some seeds in the windowsill for sunlight and some away from sunlight. Students water some each day and some every other day. Students chart the environmental conditions (e.g., type of soil, amount of sunlight, amount of water) and chart growth each day by drawing pictures and making notes about growth.  <b>Sample Language Objective:</b> Students will be able to define a simple design problem by drawing pictures and making notes about seed growth in chart form.
<b>Interpret scientific explanations by:</b> Obtaining and combining information from observations, and using evidence to help explain how or why a	2.P.1.1 2.P.1.2 2.P.2.1 2.P.2.2 2.P.2.3 2.E.1.3	3.P.1.2 3.P.1.3 3.P.2.3 3.L.1.2 3.L.2.2 3.L.2.4	<b>Clarification:</b> Students use evidence from observations to help explain how a phenomenon occurs.  <b>Unpacked Language Functions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Define terms: observations, evidence, phenomenon</li> <li>Obtain and combine information from observations</li> </ul>	Students use materials (water, shortening, candle wax, etc.) to determine how they change from a solid to a liquid (heating) and from a liquid to a solid (cooling). Students draw a labeled picture of each in a chart to document the data. Students chart the effects of putting these materials in the sunlight or on a warmer versus the effects of putting these materials in a cool area, refrigerator, or freezer. Students chart the effect of heating and cooling by drawing pictures and

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What did you noticed about these documents?  
 What would you do to make it your own?

10:00

I used to think ...



Now I think ...



# 05

## Closure and Resources

# Parent/Caregiver Guide



## SECTION 1

### What does it mean that my child is a Multilingual Learner (ML)?

This section includes the Multilingual Learner (ML) identification process, the North Carolina ML identification and exit criteria, the annual English language proficiency assessment, your child's ML Status, and a sample of the language instruction services that your child might receive.

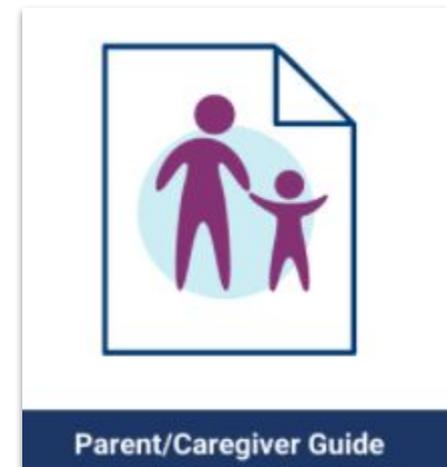
## SECTION 2

### How does my child learn English at School?

This section explains the English Language Development (ELD) Standards that NC uses to support your child's acquisition of social and academic English at school. You will learn about the progression of English language skills and the developmental expectations as your child moves through their different grade levels and eventually exits their ML status, achieving English proficiency.

## SECTION 3

### How do I help my child Succeed at School?



# Contents of the Parent/Caregiver Guide

- Information about the English learner (EL) identification process
- Sample of the services that ELs may receive at school.
- Description of the standards, language expectations, and skills
- Collection of strategies and online free resources

# External Implementation Guide

<https://ncdpi.instructure.com/courses/11379>



Arts



ELA



ELD



Healthful  
Living



Math



Science



Social  
Studies



World  
Languages



Student  
Success  
Standards



Literacy Instruction  
Standards



NCSCOS  
Searchable  
Spreadsheets



Portrait of a  
Graduate



Installation  
Planning



# NC Multilingual Learner Virtual Repository

## OBJECTIVES

1. Users will determine their own specific needs and find resources that suit them.
2. Users will utilize the resources accessible in the Repository to strategize, teach, evaluate, and/or educate themselves or others.

Available Sections

Click on each icon to move to the topics or look through sections to find what you need.



Required Law, State Board Policies,  
and Processes

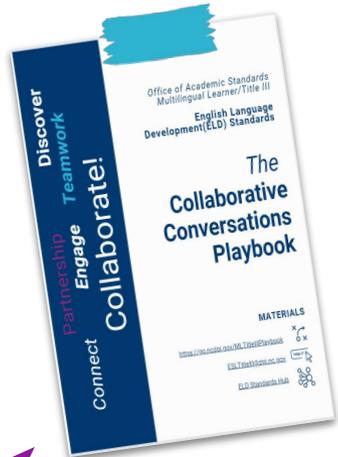
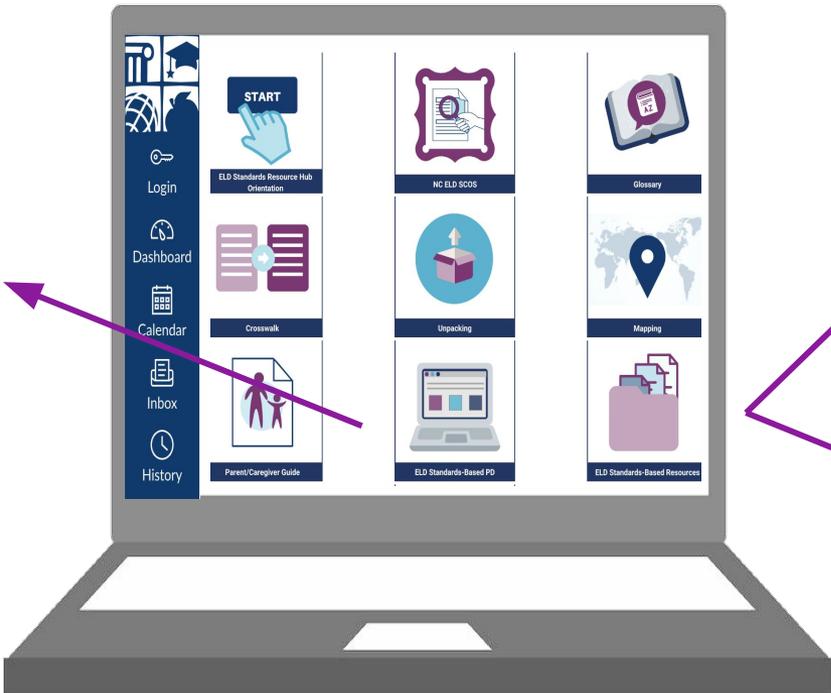


Program Quality  
and Instructional Support



Additional Resources

# Adding to your Toolbox ELD Resources



# 24-25 PD Offerings



## COLLABORATIVE CONVERSATIONS

### NC DPI ML/Title III Team Webinar Series

**Collaborating within DL/I: Integration of Content Area and ELD Standards**— Explore the integration of language and content in a DL/I setting and how the language for social and Instructional purposes, language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies are supported by the ELD Standards Framework. Learn about eLearning opportunities and new offerings from WIDA For Spanish DL/I programs.

Wednesday, September 4th, 3:30 - 5:00 pm

[Registration](#) ✎

**Collaborating to Integrate ELD Standards** - Learn to seamlessly incorporate English Language Development (ELD) standards into instruction. Participants will collaborate to share strategies, resources, and best practices for supporting MLs. This webinar aims to enhance instructional effectiveness to help students achieve language proficiency and academic success.

Wednesday, October 30th, 3:30 - 5:00 pm

[Registration](#) ✎

**Collaborating School-Wide for MLs** - School-wide collaboration is essential for creating inclusive learning environments where multilingual learners can thrive academically, linguistically, and socially. By working together across areas of expertise, educators can ensure that MLs receive the support, resources, and opportunities they need to reach their full potential.

Wednesday, December 4th, 3:30 - 5:00 pm

[Registration](#) ✎

**Collaborating Within an MTSS** -Explore ways to increase collaboration within MTSS to support MLs. Discuss the impact of MTSS on ML student education and resources to support ML linguistic and academic needs.

Monday, March 24th, 2025, 3:30 - 5:00 pm

[Registration](#) ✎

**Collaborating to Support Dually Identified Students** - Designed for educators, administrators, and support staff working with Multilingual learners in special education settings, this webinar will provide participants with strategies and tools to effectively support dually identified learners and ensure their academic success. Learn promising practices tailored to the unique needs of these learners that create inclusive learning environments and foster equitable access to education.

Thursday, May 8th, 3:30 - 5:00 pm

[Registration](#) ✎

## WIDA

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SERIES



## Mark Your Calendars

# 2024-2025

Core Self-Paced Workshop - e-learning	September 1, 2024 - August 31, 2025
When Language and Disability Meet (Webinar)	October 8 & 22, 2024 4:00 -5:30 pm
Collaboration Practices & Potentialities	October 15, 2024 (Craven) October 17, 2024 (West-TBD)
Nurturing Speaking Growth (Webinar)	November 14 & 21, 2024 3:30-5:00 pm
Writing with MLs in the Elementary Grades	December 2, 2024 (Lee) December 3, 2024 (Lee)
WIDA Español: Instructional Planning for the Bilingual Classroom	December 10, 2024 (Pitt) December 12, 2024 (Burke)



# Let's Reflect

Based on your learning from today, what do you want to **keep**? What do you want to **stop**? What do you want to **start**?

Keep	Stop	Start

**What questions  
do you have?**

Questions?

# Help Us Help You!

We value your feedback. [Please complete the session evaluation.](#)

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