

**Seventh Grade English/Language Arts/Reading
Scope and Sequence**

PSSA ASSESSMENT ANCHORS

R7.A. Comprehension and Reading Skills

R7.A.1 Demonstrate the ability to understand and interpret fiction texts, including stories, folktales and poetry, appropriate to grade level.

R7.A.1.1 Identify the meaning of vocabulary – synonyms, antonyms, compound words and possessives.

R7.A.1.2 Apply word recognition skills – context clues, root words, prefixes and suffixes.

R7.A.1.3 Make inferences and draw conclusions based on text.

R7.A.1.4 Identify main idea, relevant details and generalizations.

R7.A.1.5 Retell or summarize the major ideas or themes of the text(s).

R7.A.2 Demonstrate the ability to understand and interpret nonfiction texts including informational, e.g., textbooks and print media (magazines, brochures, etc.); autobiography; biography appropriate to grade level.

R7.A.2.1 Identify the meaning of vocabulary from various subject areas.

R7.A.2.2 Apply word recognition skills – context clues, root words, prefixes and suffixes.

R7.A.2.3 Make inferences and draw conclusions based on text.

R7.A.2.4 Identify the main idea, relevant details and generalizations.

R7.A.2.5 Retell or summarize the major ideas or procedures of the text.

R7.A.2.6 Check the validity and accuracy of information obtained from reading by differentiating fact from opinion.

R7.A.2.7 Analyze text organization including sequence, comparison/contrast, cause and effect, problem/solution, the headings, graphics and charts to derive meaning..

R7.A.3 Identify the types and purposes of texts.