

Language Arts 8 Extended

In addition to the core experiences and outcomes from Language Arts 8, students in Extended ELA will be invited to consider, create, and analyze texts and media with more complexity, depth, and levels of independence. Students will engage in a close reading of diverse, relevant fiction and non-fiction texts and media, which will be selected with consideration of the multiple levels of complexity including Lexile, structure, knowledge demands, and levels of meaning/purpose and in consideration of the maturity level of students. Students may also be invited to explore and create texts and media by considering the progressive complexity and depth of knowledge evident in 9th grade skills and academic language.

Length

Year

Grades

8

Schools

Benton Middle School

Bull Run Middle School

Gainesville Middle School

Graham Park Middle School

Lake Ridge Middle School

Marsteller Middle School

Parkside Middle School

Pennington Traditional School

Porter Traditional School

Potomac Middle School

Potomac Shores Middle School

Reagan Middle School

Rippon Middle School

Saunders Middle School

The Nokesville School

Woodbridge Middle School