

## Correlation of Common Core State Standards for English Language Arts (ELA) and Project Learning Tree's Global Connections: Forests of the World

Anchor Standards for Reading	Forests of the World Module
Key Ideas and Details:	<b>Grades 9-12</b> ( <i>Bold</i> activity names have a strong correlation to the standard.)
1. Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #1 (RI 1): What is a Forest Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Understanding the Effects of Forest Use Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Researching Forests Around the World
2. Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #2 (RI 2): What is a Forest Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Understanding the Effects of Forest Use Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Researching Forests Around the World
3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of the text.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #3 (RI 3):
Craft and Structure:	Grades 9-12
4. Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical, connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #4 (RI 4): What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Understanding the Effects of Forest Use Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response

5. Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #5 (RI 5):
6. Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of text.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #6 (RI 6): What is a Forest-Enrichment 3
Integration of Knowledge and Ideas:	Grades 9-12
7. Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and	Reading Standard for Informational Text #7 (RI 7):
quantitatively, as well as in words.	Mapping the World's Forests Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
8. Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, including the validity of the reasoning as well as the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #8 (RI 8):
9. Analyze how two or more texts address similar themes or topics in order to build knowledge or to compare the approaches the authors take.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #9 (RI 9):
Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity:	Grades 9-12
10. Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently.	Reading Standard for Informational Text #10 (RI 10):

Anchor Standards for Writing	Forests of the World Module
Text Types and Purposes:	<b>Grades 9-12</b> ( <i>Bold</i> activity names have a strong correlation to the standard.)
1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.	Writing Standard #1 (W 1):
2. Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly	Writing Standard #2 (W 2):
and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.	What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>
3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences.	Writing Standard #3 (W 3):
Production and Distribution of Writing:	Grades 9-12
4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are	Writing Standard #4 (W 4):
appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.	Making the Global Connection What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>

5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.	Writing Standard #5 (W 5): Making the Global Connection
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Making Consumer Choices
	Researching Forests Around the World
6. Use technology, including the Internet, to	Writing Standard #6 (W 6):
produce and publish writing and to interact and	
collaborate with others.	Making the Global Connection
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Making Consumer Choices
	Researching Forests Around the World
Research to Build and Present Knowledge:	Grades 9-12
7. Conduct short as well as more sustained	Writing Standard #7 (W 7):
research projects based on focused questions,	
demonstrating understanding of the subject under	Making the Global Connection
investigation.	What is a Forest
	Mapping the World's Forests
	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response-Enrichment 3
	Exploring the World Marketplace-Enrichment 3
	Making Consumer Choices
	Researching Forests Around the World
8. Gather relevant information from multiple print	Writing Standard #8 (W 8):
and digital sources, assess the credibility and	
accuracy of each source, and integrate the	What is a Forest
information while avoiding plagiarism.	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response-Enrichment 3
	Exploring the World Marketplace-Enrichment 3
	Making Consumer Choices
	Researching Forests Around the World

9. Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.	Writing Standard #9 (W 9): What is a Forest Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>
Range of Writing:	Grades 9-12
10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.	Writing Standard #10 (W 10): Making the Global Connection What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>
Anchor Standards for Speaking and	Forests of the World Module
Listening	
Comprehension and Collaboration:	Grades 9-12
	( <b>Bold</b> activity names have a strong correlation to the standard.)
1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.	Speaking & Listening Standard #1 (SL 1): Making the Global Connection What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Understanding the Effects of Forest Use Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Exploring the World Marketplace Making Consumer Choices Researching Forests Around the World

2. Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.	Speaking & Listening Standard #2 (SL 2): Making the Global Connection What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Exploring the World Marketplace Making Consumer Choices Researching Forests Around the World
3. Evaluate a speaker's point of view, reasoning, and use of evidence and rhetoric.	Speaking & Listening Standard #3 (SL 3):
Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas:	Grades 9-12
4. Present information, findings, and supporting evidence such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.	Speaking & Listening Standard #4 (SL 4): What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Understanding the Effects of Forest Use Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Exploring the World Marketplace Making Consumer Choices Researching Forests Around the World
5. Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.	Speaking & Listening Standard #5 (SL 5): Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices Researching Forests Around the World

6. Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and communicative tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.	Speaking & Listening Standard #6 (SL 6): What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Understanding the Effects of Forest Use <b>Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response</b> Exploring the World Marketplace <b>Making Consumer Choices</b> Researching Forests Around the World
Anchor Standards for Language	Forests of the World Module
Conventions of Standard English:	<b>Grades 9-12</b> ( <i>Bold</i> activity names have a strong correlation to the standard.)
1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.	Language Standard #1 (L 1): Making the Global Connection What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Understanding the Effects of Forest Use Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Exploring the World Marketplace Making Consumer Choices Researching Forests Around the World
2. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.	Language Standard #2 (L 2): Making the Global Connection What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices Researching Forests Around the World

Knowledge of Language:	Grades 9-12
3. Apply knowledge of language to understand how	Language Standard #3 (L 3):
language functions in different contexts, to make	
effective choices for meaning of style, and to	Making the Global Connection
comprehend more fully when reading or listening.	What is a Forest
	Mapping the World's Forests
	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Exploring the World Marketplace
	Making Consumer Choices
	Researching Forests Around the World
Vocabulary Acquisition and Use:	Grades 9-12
4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown	Language Standard #4 (L 4):
and multiple-meaning words and phrases by using	What is a Forest
context clues, analyzing meaningful word parts,	Mapping the World's Forests
and consulting general and specialized reference	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
materials.	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
5. Demonstrate understanding of figurative	Language Standard #5 (L 5):
language, word relationships, and nuances in word	What is a Forest-Enrichment 2
meanings. 6. Acquire and use accurately a range of general	Language Standard #6 (L 6):
academic and domain-specific words and phrases	
sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and	What is a Forest
listening at the college and career readiness level;	Mapping the World's Forests
demonstrate independence in gathering	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
vocabulary knowledge when encountering an	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
unknown term important to comprehension or	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Exploring the World Marketplace
expression.	Making Consumer Choices
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Reading Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies (RH)	Forests of the World Module
	Grades 9-12
	( <b>Bold</b> activity names have a strong correlation to the standard.)
Key Ideas and Details	
1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #1 (RH 1):
of primary and secondary sources.	
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	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Researching Forests Around the World
2. Determine the central ideas or information of a	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #2 (RH 2):
primary or secondary source; provide an accurate	
summary of the source distinct from prior	What is a Forest
knowledge or opinions.	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Researching Forests Around the World
<ol><li>Identify key steps in a text's description of a</li></ol>	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #3 (RH 3):
process related to history/social studies (e.g., how	
a bill becomes law, how interest rates are raised	
or lowered).	

Craft and Structure	
4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #4 (RH 4):
as they are used in a text, including vocabulary	
specific to domains related to history/social	What is a Forest
studies.	Mapping the World's Forests
	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
5. Describe how a text presents information (e.g.,	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #5 (RH 5):
sequentially, comparatively, causally).	
6. Identify aspects of a text that reveal an author's point of view or purpose (e.g., loaded language,	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #6 (RH 6):
inclusion or avoidance of particular facts).	What is a Forest-Enrichment 3
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Integration of Knowledge and Ideas	
7. Integrate visual information (e.g., in charts,	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #7 (RH 7):
graphs, photographs, videos, or maps) with other	
information in print and digital texts.	Mapping the World's Forests
	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
8. Distinguish among fact, opinion, and reasoned	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #8 (RH 8):
judgment in a text.	
9. Analyze the relationship between a primary and	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #9 (RH 9):
secondary source on the same topic.	
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Range of Reading and Level of Text	1
Complexity	
10. By the end of grade 8, read and comprehend	Reading Standard for History/Social Studies #10 (RH 10):
history/social studies texts in the grades 6–8 text	
complexity band independently and proficiently.	

Reading Standards for Literacy in Science	Forests of the World Module
and Technical Subjects (RST)	Grades 9-12
	( <b>Bold</b> activity names have a strong correlation to the standard.)
Key Ideas and Details	
1. Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of science and technical texts.	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #1 (RST 1):
	What is a Forest
	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Researching Forests Around the World
2. Determine the central ideas or conclusions of a text; provide an accurate summary of the text	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #2 (RST 2):
distinct from prior knowledge or opinions.	What is a Forest
	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
	Researching Forests Around the World
3. Follow precisely a multistep procedure when	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #3 (RST 3):
carrying out experiments, taking measurements,	
or performing technical tasks.	Mapping the World's Forests

Craft and Structure	
4. Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms,	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #4 (RST 4):
and other domain-specific words and phrases as	What is a Forest
they are used in a specific scientific or technical	Mapping the World's Forests
context relevant to grades 6–8 texts and topics.	Understanding the Effects of Forest Use
	Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response
5. Analyze the structure an author uses to organize	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #5 (RST 5):
a text, including how the major sections contribute	
to the whole and to an understanding of the topic.	
6. Analyze the author's purpose in providing an	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #6 (RST 6):
explanation, describing a procedure, or discussing	
an experiment in a text.	What is a Forest-Enrichment 3
Integration of Knowledge and Ideas	
7. Integrate quantitative or technical information	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #7 (RST 7):
expressed in words in a text with a version of that	
information expressed visually (e.g., in a flowchart,	Mapping the World's Forests
diagram, model, graph, or table).	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
8. Distinguish among facts, reasoned judgment	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #8 (RST 8):
based on research findings, and speculation in a	
text.	
9. Compare and contrast the information gained	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #9 (RST 9):
from experiments, simulations, video, or	
multimedia sources with that gained from reading	Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change
a text on the same topic.	
Range of Reading and Level of Text	
Complexity	
10. By the end of grade 8, read and comprehend	Reading Standard for Science and Technical Subjects #10 (RST 10):
science/technical texts in the grades 6–8 text	
complexity band independently and proficiently.	

Writing Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects (WHST)	Forests of the World Module Grades 9-12 (Bold activity names have a strong correlation to the standard.)	
Key Ideas and Details		
1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #1 (WHST 1):	
2. Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #2 (WHST 2): What is a Forest Mapping the World's Forests Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>	
3. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details and well-structured event	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #3 (WHST 3):	
sequences.	Not applicable as a separate requirement.	
Craft and Structure		
4. Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #4 (WHST 4):	
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5. Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #5 (WHST 5): Making the Global Connection Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices Researching Forests Around the World
6. Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing and to interact and collaborate with others.	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #6 (WHST 6): Making the Global Connection Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>
Integration of Knowledge and Ideas	
7. Conduct short as well as more sustained research projects based on focused questions, demonstrating understanding of the subject under investigation.	<ul> <li>Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #7 (WHST 7):</li> <li>Making the Global Connection</li> <li>What is a Forest</li> <li>Mapping the World's Forests</li> <li>Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change</li> <li>Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response-Enrichment 3</li> <li>Exploring the World Marketplace-Enrichment 3</li> <li>Making Consumer Choices</li> <li>Researching Forests Around the World</li> </ul>

8. Gather relevant information from multiple print and digital sources, assess the credibility and accuracy of each source, and integrate the information while avoiding plagiarism.	<ul> <li>Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #8 (WHST 8):</li> <li>What is a Forest Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response-Enrichment 3 Exploring the World Marketplace-Enrichment 3 Making Consumer Choices</li> <li>Researching Forests Around the World</li> </ul>
9. Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects #9 (WHST 9): Analyzing Patterns of Forest Change Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>
Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity	
10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences.	Writing Standard for History/Social Studies, Science, & Technical Subjects #10 (WHST 10): Mapping the World's Forests Seeking Sustainability: A Global Response Making Consumer Choices <b>Researching Forests Around the World</b>

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