

PPSD 12th Grade Pacing

UNIT 1

Readings	Instruction
SyncStart: Are the New Golden Age TV shows the New Novels?	First Read Skill: Context Clues, CCSS: L.11-12.4a Skill: Collaborative Conversations, CCSS: SL.11-12.1a, SL.11-12.1b, SL.11-12.1c, SL.11-12.1d Skill: Textual Evidence, CCSS: RL.11-12.1 Informational Text Elements*, CCSS: RI.11-12.3 Close Read
Big Idea	Big Idea Blast Skill: Recognizing Genre, CCSS: RI.11-12.10 Academic Vocabulary, CCSS: L.11-12.6
Paired Reading: Community Colleges vs. Technical Schools Overcoming Imposter Syndrome	Independent Read: Community Colleges vs. Technical Schools First Read: Overcoming Imposter Syndrome Skill: Informational Text Structure*, CCSS: RI.11-12.5 Skill: Central or Main Idea*, CCSS: RI.11-12.2 Skill: Compare and Contrast, CCSS: RI.11-12.9 Close Read: Overcoming Imposter Syndrome
The Metamorphosis	First Read Skill: Story Structure*, CCSS: RL.11-12.5 Skill: Textual Evidence, CCSS: RL.11-12.1 Skill: Connotation and Denotation, CCSS: RL.11-12.4 Close Read
Paired Reading: Bird by Bird: Some Instructions on Writing and Life We Choose to Go to the Moon	Independent Read: Bird by Bird First Read: We Choose to Go to the Moon Skill: Author's Purpose and Point of View, CCSS: RI.11-12.6, SL.11-12.3 Skill: Rhetoric, CCSS: RI.11-12.6; SL.11-12.3 Skill: Arguments and Claims, CCSS: RI.11-12.8 Close Read: We Choose to Go to the Moon Blast: To Infinity and Beyond
Paired Reading: How Much Indian Was I?, My Fellow Students Asked Commencement Address at Wellesley College	Spotlight: Personal Response - Informational Texts, CCSS: W.11-12.9a Independent Read: How Much Indian Was I?, My Fellow Students Asked Independent Read: Commencement Address at Wellesley College