The following CCSS's are embedded throughout the trimester, present in all units applicable:

RL.9-10.10 By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 9-10 complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.

RI.9-10.10 By the end of grade 9, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades 9-10 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.

W.9-10.10 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

S.L.9-10.6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate. (See grades 9-10 Language standards 1 and 3 on page 54 for specific expectations.)

L.9-10.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. a. Use a semicolon (and perhaps a conjunctive adverb) to link two or more closely-related independent clauses; b) use a colon to introduce a list or quotation; c) spell correctly.

L.9-10.6 Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

SL.9-10.2 Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source.

Unit/ Essential Question	CCSS	Learning Target	Resources/ Mentor Texts	Assessment			
Shakespeare Unit: Sonnets, Romeo and Juliet How may personal decisions affect your family and	RL.9-10.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in the text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the cumulative impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language evokes a sense of time and place; how it sets a formal or informal tone). RL.9-10.7 Analyze the representation of a subject or a key scene in two different artistic mediums, including what is emphasized or absent in each treatment	RL.9-10.4: I can identify the structure and rhyme scheme of a sonnet. I can define and identify various forms of figurative language. I can analyze why authors choose specific words to evoke a particular meaning or tone. I can analyze how specific word choices build upon one another to create a cumulative (collective) impact on the overall	Globe Theater notes, Figurative language notes, Iambic Pentameter notes, Characteristics of a sonnet notes, Sonnet 130, Sonnet 18, Sonnet 60	reading logs, daily written responses to the literature, reader response, English journal entries, sonnet dramatic reading, sonnet interpretation project, analyze balcony scene for figurative language, compare/contrast movie versions to the play through notes and essay, class discussion, study questions,			

community?	
	RL.9-10.9 Analyze how an author draws on and transforms source material in a specific work RL.9-10.3: Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.
Shakespeare Unit: Sonnets and Romeo And Juliet	RL.9-10.2 : Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.
How may personal decisions affect your family and	RI.9-10.3: Analyze how the author unfolds an analysis or series of ideas or events, including the order in which the points are made, how they are introduced and developed, and the connections that are drawn between them.
community?	SL.9-10.2 : Integrate multiple sources of information presented in diverse media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) evaluating the credibility and accuracy of each source

in each artistic medium. I can analyze the impact of a particular subject or key scene from another artistic medium. a of a RL.9-10.9 I can identify source material r the form one another from one author found nd is in the work of another. I can analyze e an how authors interpret and transform themes, events, topics, etc. from source material can critique various works that n the have drawn on or transformed the same source material and explain the varied are interpretations of different authors. s that RL.9-10.3: I can identify and explain the role of complex characters in a text. I can analyze how complex characters rmation develop over the course of a text. I can sually, analyze how characters develop through ty and their interactions with others. I can accuracy of each source. L.9-10.1: Demonstrate command of the conventions analyze how complex characters of standard English grammar and usage when writing advance the plot of a text and/or contribute to the development of the or speaking. theme. **L.9-10.4:** Determine or clarify the meaning of RI.9-10.3: I can analyze how a text unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grades 9-10 reading and content, choosing unfolds and determine the impact that flexibly from a range of strategies. the order, development, and/or L.9-10.5 Demonstrate understanding of figurative connections between points have on the language, word relationships, and nuances in reader. **SL.9-10.2**: I can identify various word meanings. purposes for presenting information to a W.9-10.7Conduct short as well as more sustained reader or audience. I can analyze the research projects to answer a question (including a information presented in diverse media self-generated question) or solve a problem; narrow and formats and integrate the or broaden the inquiry when appropriate; synthesize

meaning and tone of text.

RL.9-10.7 I can identify a subject or a

determine what is emphasized or absent

key scene that is portrayed in two

different artistic mediums. I can

summaries, pre-reading research, Venn diagrams, quote *Romeo and Juliet* (play) identification and analysis, Baz Luhrmann's Romeo + timeline of events Juliet (movie 1996), Franco Zeffirelli's Romeo and Juliet Inquiry Project: Answer (movie 1968) thematic question of *Romeo* and Juliet through independent

Metamorphoses

by Ovid)

week of unit

presentation of research on "Pyramus and Thisbe" (from current events. Organize research into Prezi or PowerPoint, cite, and present to the class. Article of the Week for each

> Shakespeare's background/sonnets quiz

Romeo and Juliet act quizzes

Romeo and Juliet test involving interpretation and analysis

multiple sources on the subject, demonstrating information to gain an overall understanding of the subject under investigation. understanding of the topic presented. I W.9-10.8 Gather relevant information from multiple can evaluate the credibility and accuracy authoritative print and digital sources, using of various presentations. advanced searches effectively; assess the usefulness L.9-10.1: I can define and identify of each source in answering the research question; parallel structures. I can recognize when integrate information into the text selectively to I have not used parallel structure in my maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and writing. I can use parallel structure correctly in my writing. I can define and following a standard format for citation. identify various types of phrases and clauses. I can use appropriate phrases and clauses to convey specific meaning and add variety and interest to writing or presentations. L.9-10.4: I can infer the meaning of unknown words using context clues. I Shakespeare can recognize and define common Unit: Sonnets affixes and roots. I can break down unknown words into units of meaning to and Romeo infer the definition of the unknown And Juliet word. I can use patterns of word changes to determine a word's meaning How may or part of speech, and/or its etymology personal by consulting general and specialized decisions reference materials affect your family and **L.9-10.5** I can define and identify various forms of figurative language: community? simile, metaphor, oxymoron, juxtaposition, allusion, personification W.9-10.8 I can select a topic and identify and gather relevant information to share with my audience W.9-10.8I can choose a side of the argument and identify claims that support my choice and claims that oppose my choice. I can determine the credibility of a source and the accuracy of the details presented in the source. I can define common organizational/

formatting structures and determine the

		structure(s) that will allow me to organize my complex ideas best.		
Shakespeare Unit: Sonnets and Romeo And Juliet How may personal				
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