Kenton County School District 2017-18 ELA Acceleration Plan

	Prep				Prep Plus			
	To qualify for Prep, students must meet <u>any two</u> of				To qualify for Prep Plus, students must meet <u>any two</u> of			
	the following four scores:				the following four scores:			
	KPREP – Distinguished in Reading (2015-16)				KPREP – Distinguished in Reading (2015-16)			
17	2 4. Map/CERT Score: See chart below				24. Map/CERT Score: See chart below			
20	2016-17 MAP RIT				2016-17 MAP RIT			
-9]	MAP 75%	2. Fall	3. Winter	4. Spring	MAP 96%	2. Fall	3. Winter	4. Spring
Implemented 2016-2017	4 th Grade	209	214	216	4 th Grade	225	230	232
	5 th Grade	216	220	222	5 th Grade	232	235	238
	6 th Grade	221	224	226	6 th Grade	237	240	241
	7 th Grade	225	227	228	7 th Grade	241	243	245
	8 th Grade	228	229	231	8 th Grade	245	246	248
	CERT	Fall	Winter	Spring	CERT	Fall	Winter	Spring
<u> </u>	9 th Grade	17	17	17	9 th Grade	25	25	25
	10 th Grade	20	23	23	10 th Grade	25	31	31
	To remain in the Prep Program each year, students				Once a student is identified in the highly			
	must meet two of the following scores:				accelerated Prep Plus Program , the student will not			
lug	1. K-Prep - Distinguished Score in Reading				be automatically eliminated from the Prep Plus			
inti 18	2. Score at the 75 th Percentile on one MAP score in				Program if the student's MAP score falls below the			
me 20:	Reading				Prep Plus percentile/score.			
Implementing 2017-2018	3. Score at the 70 th Percentile or above for another							
lm 20	MAP Scores must be from the current school year							
	MAP Scores must be from the current school year. High School: To remain in the Prep Program each year, students must meet one of the CERT/ACT criteria.							
Grade	Prep Curriculum				Prep Plus Curriculum			
5 th	5th Grade + Identified Gates LDC Modules (Level 2)				5 th Grade + Identified Gates LDC Modules (Level 3)			
6 th	6 th Grade SpringBaord + identified Gates LDC				6 th Grade SpringBoard + Identified Gates LDC Modules			
	Modules (Level 2)				(Level 3)			
7 th	7 th Grade SpringBoard + identified Gates LDC				7 th Grade SpringBoard + Identified Gates LDC Modules			
-		Level 2)			(Level 3)			
8 th	8 th Grade SpringBoard + identified Gates LDC				8 th Grade SpringBoard + identified Gates LDC Modules			
	Modules (Level 2)				(Level 3)			
_ th	+ Vision Quest Encore Course				+ Vision Quest Encore Course			
9 th	9 th Grade SpringBoard + identified Gates LDC				9 th Grade SpringBoard + identified Gates LDC Modules			
	Modules (Level 2)				(Level 3) + AP Practice assessments and FRQ instruction			
10 th	+ AP FRQ instruction Advanced/Accelerated English 10 focusing on AP				Advanced/Accelerated English 10 focusing on AP			
10	readiness (AP Practice assessments and AP FRQ				readiness (AP Practice assessments and AP FRQ			
	instruction)			instruction)				
					AP Language and Composition or AP Literature and			
+h - +h				Composition				
11 th /12 th	AP Language	tion or AP Lite	erature and	AP Language and Composition or AP Literature and				

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Composition Composition or Dual Credit Option

ELA Acceleration Plan Explanatory Notes

Gates LDC Modules – Literacy Design Collaborative instructional modules supported by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation include high-quality student assignments that develop reading, writing, and thinking skills in the context of learning science, history and English. Each module focuses on an instructional task yielding argumentative or informational explanatory academic writing built off of the Common Core State Standards. Levels (1, 2, and 3) indicate increasing cognitive and analytical requirements in student academic writing.

Vision Quest Encore Course- Elective language arts course focusing on critical thinking and reading activities in response to complex literary and informational texts.

AP Practice Assessments and FRQ Instruction - Preparation for College Board AP-like assessments in language arts includes students answering complex, text-based multiple choice assessments and FRQs (free response questions) that require students to write critical essays in response to complex texts in a timed test.

Course Curriculum

Students in Prep and Prep Plus courses using the College Board's SpringBoard program (grades 6-11) will study texts selected for increased complexity beyond those included in the SpringBoard program. Alternate texts for each Prep and Prep Plus course will be published prior to the beginning of the 2013-14 school year.

General Information

- The identified criteria are required for a student to be placed in the Prep or Prep Plus Program.
- Prep and Prep Plus placement will be evaluated in the spring of the school year using the most current student MAP and norm referenced assessment percentile scores.
- Students, parents/guardians and/or teachers through the school administrator can request a conference to evaluate student course progress as necessary.
- Once students enter high school, the pathway for courses is credit based.
- Eligibility for a course is NOT based on grade level but rather on the successful completion of the prerequisite courses.
- Dual Credit is a program that allows students to enroll in high school courses to earn high school and college credit simultaneously. These courses may be taught on the high school or college campus.