

Reading Rubric
2026-2027
6th Grade Students Entering 7th Grade

| Category | Highly Proficient | Proficient | Approaching Proficient | Below Proficient |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| RISE (5 th ELA) | 1527+ | 1459-1526 | 1392-1458 | <1392 |
| Star Reading Assessment MOY Lexile Score | 1070+ | 825-1069 | 705-824 | BR-704 |
| Acadience MOY Composite | “Above” 461+ | “On Level” 358-460 | “Below” 285-357 | “Well Below” >284 |

Students with scores in **Approaching** or **Below Proficient** in two or more categories are recommended to enroll in a reading course as an elective for the upcoming school year.

NOTE: All 7th grade students are required to take 7th grade ELA.

In addition, those students with unfinished learning and/or developing reading skills are recommended to enroll in 7th grade Reading as one of their electives. This course is recommended to address any gaps in their development. It is anticipated to provide them with the skills necessary to access 7th grade ELA content and beyond.

7th Grade Students Entering 8th Grade

| Category | Highly Proficient | Proficient | Approaching Proficient | Below Proficient |
|--|-------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| ELA 2nd Quarter Grade | A | B | C | D |
| Star Reading Assessment MOY Lexile Score | 1140+ | 895-1139 | 780-894 | BR-779 |
| RISE 6th grade RL Performance Level | Above Standard | At/Near Standard | At/Near Standard | Below Standard |
| RISE 6th grade RI Performance Level | Above Standard | At/Near Standard | At/Near Standard | Below Standard |

8th Grade Students Entering 9th Grade

| Category | Highly Proficient | Proficient | Approaching Proficient | Below Proficient |
|--|-------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| ELA 2nd Quarter Grade | A | B | C | D |
| Star Reading Assessment MOY Lexile Score | 1230+ | 985-1229 | 865-984 | BR-864 |
| RISE 7th grade RL Performance Level | Above Standard | At/Near Standard | At/Near Standard | Below Standard |
| RISE 7th grade RI Performance Level | Above Standard | At/Near Standard | At/Near Standard | Below Standard |

*Students with scores in Approaching or Below Proficient in three or more categories are recommended to enroll in a reading course as an elective for the upcoming school year.