11.4.2 | Lesson 20

Introduction

In this lesson, students engage in peer review and revision of their text-based narrative writing pieces from the previous lesson. Students peer review and revise for the standard W. 11-12.3.e, crafting conclusions that follow from and reflect upon what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative. Based on the peer review process and the Peer Review Accountability Tool, students revise their narrative writing pieces. Students are assessed via the completion of the Peer Review Accountability Tool and student incorporation of peer revisions to their writing.

For homework, students continue to implement revisions to their narrative writing pieces based on peer review feedback. Additionally, students continue their Accountable Independent Reading (AIR).





Standards

Assessed Standard(s)		
W.11-12.5	Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience. (Editing for conventions should demonstrate command of Language standards 1-3 up to and including grades 11–12.)	
Addressed Standard(s)		
W. 11-12.3.e	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, well-chosen details, and well-structured event sequences. e. Provide a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is	
	experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.	
SL.11-12.1	Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on <i>grades 11-12 topics</i> , <i>texts</i> , <i>and issues</i> , building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.	





Assessment

Assessment(s)

Student learning is assessed via:

- Incorporation of peer review edits (from the Peer Review Accountability Tool) to their narrative writing pieces.
- Individual student responses to the peer editing on the Peer Review Accountability Tools (Final Decision and Explanation Column only).
- Student implementation of peer review edits and student responses on the Peer Review
 Accountability Tool will be evaluated using the W.11-12.3.e portion of the 11.4
 Narrative Writing Rubric and Checklist.

High Performance Response(s)

A High Performance Response should:

- Effectively integrate at least one suggestion or revision into the narrative draft to craft
 a conclusion that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or
 resolved over the course of the narrative.
- Include thoughtful responses on the Peer Review Accountability Tool (Final Decision and Explanation Column) that describe how the student chose to address their peer's concerns and suggestions.

Vocabulary

Vocabulary to provide directly (will not include extended instruction)

None.*

Vocabulary to teach (may include direct word work and/or questions)

None.*

Additional vocabulary to support English Language Learners (to provide directly)

None.*

*Because this is not a close reading lesson, there is no specified vocabulary. However, in the process of returning to the text, students may uncover unfamiliar words. Teachers can guide students to make meaning of these words by





following the protocols described in 1e of this document: http://www.engageny.org/sites/default/files/resource/attachments/9-12 ela prefatory material.pdf

Lesson Agenda/Overview

Student-Facing Agenda	% of Lesson
Standards & Text:	
• Standards: W.11-12.5, W.11-12.3.e, SL.11-12.1	
• Texts: "On the Rainy River" from <i>The Things They Carried</i> by Tim O'Brien; "The Red Convertible" from <i>The Red Convertible</i> by Louise Erdrich; <i>The Awakening</i> by Kate Chopin	
Learning Sequence:	
1. Introduction of Lesson Agenda	1. 5%
2. Homework Accountability	2. 0%
3. Peer Review and Revision	3. 70%
4. Lesson Assessment	4. 20%
5. Closing	5. 5%

Materials

- Copies of the Peer Review Accountability Tool for each student (refer to 11.4.1 Lesson 7) students may need additional blank copies
- Student copies of the 11.4 Narrative Writing Rubric and Checklist (refer to 11.4.1 Lesson
 6)
- Sticky notes, colored pens or pencils, or computer-based peer review software (such as Track Changes in Microsoft Word or Google Docs editing tools)





Learning Sequence

How to Use the Learning Sequence		
Symbo l	Type of Text & Interpretation of the Symbol	
10%	Percentage indicates the percentage of lesson time each activity should take.	
no symbol	Plain text indicates teacher action.	
	Bold text indicates questions for the teacher to ask students.	
	Italicized text indicates a vocabulary word.	
•	Indicates student action(s).	
•	Indicates possible student response(s) to teacher questions.	
(i)	Indicates instructional notes for the teacher.	

Activity 1: Introduction of Lesson Agenda

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Begin by reviewing the agenda and the assessed standard for this lesson: W.11-12.5. In this lesson, students engage in a peer review of the narrative writing pieces they began in the previous lesson. Students then revise their narrative writing pieces in response to peer feedback.

Students look at the agenda.

Activity 2: Homework Accountability

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 Students will be held accountable for homework during Activity 3: Peer Review and Revision.

Activity 3: Peer Review and Revision

70%

Explain to students that in this lesson they peer review and revise the narrative writing pieces they drafted in the previous lesson in response to the following prompt: Draft a new conclusion to one of the module's three texts that follows from and reflects on what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative.





Student review and revision focuses on the skills outlined in W.11-12.3.e, and is guided by the Peer Review Accountability Tool. Instruct students to use the Peer Review Accountability Tool as they peer review, selecting the 3 most significant revisions to record on the tool.

- Students listen.
- **Differentiation Consideration:** Consider asking students the following question to review the skills outlined in W.11-12.3.e.

What are the elements of an effective narrative conclusion?

- Student responses should include:
 - A conclusion should relate to the rest of the story.
 - A conclusion continues and considers how a conflict in the narrative has been settled or dealt with over the course of the narrative.

In addition to the components of W.11-12.3.e, inform students that the peer review process for any type of writing should also incorporate review for proper capitalization, spelling, and punctuation.

• **Differentiation Consideration:** If individual students need more focused instruction on specific capitalization, punctuation, and spelling conventions, consider providing web resources for students' reference, such as: http://owl.english.purdue.edu/ (search terms: capitalization, spelling conventions, etc.).

Instruct students to work in pairs to peer review each other's narrative writing pieces for effective conclusions that follow from and reflect upon what is experienced, observed, or resolved over the course of the narrative (W.11-12.3.e).

• Students listen.

Remind students to consult the W.11-12.3.e portion of the 11.4 Narrative Writing Rubric and Checklist as they review their peer's drafts.

Instruct students to look for instances in their peer's drafts where the components of W. 11-12.3.e can be improved. Instruct students to consider if their peer's conclusion logically follows from what happened in the text and does not alter the text that precedes it.

- Students form pairs and review each other's drafts, using the relevant portions of the 11.4 Narrative Writing Rubric and Checklist and completing the Peer Review Accountability Tool.
- This collaborative feedback and discussion provides students with a crucial opportunity for oral processing of their ideas, and supports their engagement with SL.11-12.1, which addresses the clear, persuasive expression and exchange of ideas.





- Consider checking in with students on an individual basis during the review and revision
 process to formatively assess their application of narrative writing techniques, and offer
 targeted feedback for revision.
- Students can peer review by tracking their changes in a word-processing program. Google
 Docs and other document sharing programs have their own protocols for tracking changes.
 Ensure that students know how to use these tools before they begin modifying their peers'
 drafts. Remind students to save their original documents with a different file name to
 safeguard against accidental deletions or corruption.
- If students write directly on the papers, consider recommending they use different colored pens or colored pencils for peer review. Students can also use color-coded sticky notes.

Activity 4: Lesson Assessment

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Instruct students to independently revise and edit their own drafts according to their peer's suggested revisions. Remind students to consult the relevant portions of the 11.4 Narrative Writing Rubric and Checklist as they review their own drafts. Remind students to respond to their peer's feedback on the Peer Review Accountability Tool (Final Decision and Explanation Column) as they revise.

• Students work independently to revise and edit their drafts.

Collect Peer Review Accountability Tools from each student for assessment purposes.

• See the High Performance Response at the beginning of this lesson.

Activity 5: Closing

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Display and distribute the homework assignment. For homework, instruct students to continue to revise their narrative writing pieces, based on peer feedback, and come to class prepared to share 1-2 revisions. Students should read their drafts aloud (to themselves or someone else) to identify problems in syntax, grammar, or logic. Students should come to the following lesson with a revised narrative writing piece.

Also for homework, students should continue to read their AIR texts through the lens of a focus standard of their choice and prepare for a 3-5 minute discussion of their texts based on that standard.





Homework

Continue to revise your narrative writing piece, based on peer feedback, and come to class prepared to share 1-2 revisions. Read your draft aloud (to yourself or someone else) to identify problems in syntax, grammar, or logic. Come to the following lesson with a revised narrative writing piece.

Also for homework, continue to read your Accountable Independent Reading text through the lens of a focus standard of your choice and prepare for a 3-5 minute discussion of your text based on that standard.



