



Correlation of Common Core State Standards for English Language Arts (ELA) and Project Learning Tree's Secondary Modules

Project Learning Tree (PLT) activities will help you address many of the Common Core Language Arts Standards. PLT's correlation documents allow you to easily find the PLT secondary activities that address specific standards for grades 9-12.

The PLT activity names in **bold** on the correlation chart have a strong correlation to the identified standard. PLT activity names that are not bolded connect with the standard, but may not be sufficient to fully meet it. These correlations are based on the way the PLT activity is currently written, and as such do not take into account the myriad ways a teacher could modify an activity to address a standard more directly or completely. The not bolded PLT activity numbers highlight avenues for this approach.

Although some of PLT's secondary modules do include math connections, the Common Core Mathematics Standards were not included within the correlation materials because the math standards are very specific at the secondary level.

Using the Correlation Charts

Results for grades 9-12 have been aggregated on the correlation charts because the standards for grades 9-10 and 11-12 are similar. Only the **Anchor Standards** are shown on the correlation charts, however, when the correlations were done, the specific standards that apply to grades 9-12 were used. For the Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects, specific standards are included on the charts because they vary by subject.

To view the complete Common Core State Standards for both English Language Arts and Mathematics, please visit <http://www.corestandards.org/>.

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