

## **Program Overview**

myPerspectives® Florida English Language Arts ©2026 for grades 6–8 and English 1-4 is a research-based, comprehensive literacy solution designed to help educators take literacy learning in Florida to the next level. Precise instruction at the depth of the clarifications prepares students for FAST Reading and B.E.S.T. Writing assessments, and the Sample Texts Companion and Test Prep Workbooks give students the required practice they need to be successful in meeting grade-level expectations.



With *myPerspectives Florida*, teachers have access to high quality B.E.S.T. aligned

instructional materials and cutting-edge digital tools **to bring students in** with relevant and engaging content; **get students going** with differentiation, support, and scaffolding for ALL learners; **keep students on track** with built-in formative assessments and progress monitoring; and **let students explore**, **share**, **and grow** with rigorous and collaborative experiences that hone reading, writing, and speaking and listening skills.

Available in print and digital formats, the program consists of five to six units, each featuring topic-based, multi-genre texts and *Essential Questions*. Each unit incorporates a gradual release instructional model consisting of *Whole-class Learning*, *Peer-Group Learning*, and *Independent Learning*, with the teacher's role evolving from instructor to facilitator to advisor. Purposeful activities develop student ownership of learning and reflect real-world scenarios, with students working in large groups, in smaller teams, and independently. All readings and activities build to a unit project that allows for student choice and a culminating *Performance-Based Assessment* that requires students to demonstrate their learning.

Built-in differentiation includes support and scaffolding for all learners including English Language Learners with resources such as *Exit Tickets* with remediation, *Language Coach, Language Support Lessons, Language Lab,* and *Newcomer Development Skills.* A variety of engagement strategies motivate diverse learners and include active learning, digital resources, and collaborative learning opportunities including paired activities, discussion boards, small group work and projects, and more.

myPerspectives Florida is unique in that it values the perspective of the learner, collectively and individually. The program intentionally creates a space for student voice and choice in which students can see themselves reflected in the stories they read and bring their own lived experiences to their learning. Students read and view relevant and diverse texts and media, have thought provoking discussions and collaborate with others, think and analyze ideas from a critical lens, write and respond to questions and prompts using text-evidence and effective communication skills, and develop transferable lifelong learning habits that prepare them to be successful in college and career.

Learn more about myPerspectives Florida: Overview Video; Reviewer's Guide 6-8, 9-12; TOC.

