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STANDARD	CORRELATION
<b>Reading: Informational Text</b>	
<i>Craft and Structure</i>	
<p><b>RI.8.4</b> Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts.</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 6–7, 13, 19, 28–29, 35, 41, 50–51, 57, 63, 72–73, 79, 85, 94–95, 101, 107, 116–117, 123, 129, 138–139, 145, 151, 160–161, 167, 173, 182–183, 189, 195</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T6–7, T13, T19, T28–T29, T35, T41, T50–T51, T57, T63, T72–T73, T79, T85, T94–T95, T101, T107, T116–T117, T123, T129, T138–T139, T145, T151, T160–T161, T167, T173, T182–T183, T189, T195</p>
<b>Writing</b>	
<i>Text Types and Purposes</i>	
<p><b>W.8.2</b> Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.</p>	
<p><b>d.</b> Use precise language and domain-specific vocabulary to inform about or explain the topic.</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 33, 45, 55, 89, 99, 111, 121, 143, 187</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T33, T45, T55, T89, T99, T111, T121, T143, T187</p>
<b>Language</b>	
<i>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</i>	
<p><b>L.8.4</b> Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on <i>grade 8 reading and content</i>, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.</p>	
<p><b>a.</b> Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word’s position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 6–9, 13, 15, 19, 28–31, 35, 37, 41, 43, 50–53, 57, 59, 63, 65, 72–75, 79, 81, 85, 87, 94–97, 101, 103, 107, 109, 116–119, 123, 125, 129, 131, 138–141, 145, 147, 151, 153, 157, 160–163, 167, 19, 173, 175, 182–185, 189, 191, 195, 197</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T6–T9, T13, T15, T19, T28–T31, T35, T37, T41, T43, T50–T53, T57, T59, T63, T65, T72–T75, T79, T81, T85, T87, T94–T97, T101, T103, T107, T109, T116–T119, T123, T125, T129, T131, T138–T141, T145, T147, T151, T153, T157, T160–T163, T167, T169, T173, T175, T182–T185, T189, T191, T195, T197</p>

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<p><b>b.</b> Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., <i>precede</i>, <i>recede</i>, <i>secede</i>).</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 12, 14–15, 21, 24, 34, 36–37, 43, 56, 58–59, 65, 78, 80–81, 87, 100, 102–103, 109, 122, 124–125, 131, 144, 146–147, 153, 166, 168–169, 175, 178, 181, 188, 190–191, 197, 203</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T12, T14–T15, T21, T24, T34, T36–T37, T43, T56, T58–T59, T65, T78, T80–T81, T87, T100, T102–T103, T109, T122, T124–T125, T131, T144, T146–T147, T153, T166, T168–T169, T175, T178, T181, T188, T190–T191, T197, T203</p> <p><b>Root Cards</b> (located online on the <i>Word Wisdom</i> eResources Center)</p>
<p><b>c.</b> Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning or its part of speech.</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 7–9, 13, 15, 19–21, 29–31, 35, 37, 41, 43, 51–53, 57, 59, 63–65, 73–75, 79, 81, 85–87, 91, 95–97, 101, 103, 107–109, 115, 117–119, 123, 125, 129–131, 139–142, 145, 147, 151–153, 161–163, 167, 169, 173–175, 183–185, 189, 191, 195–197, 203</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T7–T9, T13, T15, T19–T21, T29–T31, T35, T37, T41, T43, T51–T53, T57, T59, T63–T65, T73–T75, T79, T81, T85–T87, T91, T95–T97, T101, T103, T107–T109, T115, T117–T119, T123, T125, T129–T131, T139–T142, T145, T147, T151–T153, T161–T163, T167, T169, T173–T175, T183–T185, T189, T191, T195–T197, T203</p>
<p><b>d.</b> Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 7–9, 13, 19, 29–31, 35, 41, 51–53, 57, 63, 73–75, 79, 85, 95–97, 101, 107, 115, 117–119, 123, 129, 139–141, 145, 151, 161–163, 167, 173, 183–185, 189, 195</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T7–T9, T13, T19, T29–T31, T35, T41, T51–T53, T57, T63, T73–T75, T79, T85, T95–T97, T101, T107, T115, T117–T119, T123, T129, T139–T141, T145, T151, T161–T163, T167, T173, T183–T185, T189, T195</p>
<p><b>L.8.5</b> Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.</p>	
<p><b>a.</b> Interpret figures of speech (e.g., verbal irony, puns) in context.</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 20, 121</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T20, T121, T143</p>

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<p><b>b.</b> Use the relationship between particular words to better understand each of the words.</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 16–17, 22, 25, 32, 42, 44, 51–52, 54, 57, 63, 66, 73–74, 77, 79, 85, 89, 105, 113, 117–118, 123, 129, 132–133, 136, 142–143, 161–162, 167, 171, 173, 176, 192, 198</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T16–T17, T22, T25, T32, T42, T44, T51–T52, T54, T57, T63, T66, T73–T74, T77, T79, T85, T89, T105, T113, T117–T118, T123, T129, T132–T133, T136, T142–T143, T161–T162, T167, T171, T173, T176, T192, T198</p> <p><b>Analogy Cards</b> (located online on the <i>Word Wisdom</i> eResources Center)</p>
<p><b>c.</b> Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., <i>bullheaded</i>, <i>willful</i>, <i>firm</i>, <i>persistent</i>, <i>resolute</i>).</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 23, 112, 134</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T23, T112, T120, T132, T134</p>
<p><b>L.8.6</b> Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.</p>	<p><b>Student Edition pages:</b> 6–23, 28–45, 50–67, 72–89, 94–111, 116–133, 138–155, 160–177, 182–199</p> <p><b>Teacher Edition pages:</b> T6–T23, T28–T45, T50–T67, T72–T89, T94–T111, T116–T133, T138–T155, T160–T177, T182–T199</p> <p><b>Word Cards</b> (located online on the <i>Word Wisdom</i> eResources Center)</p>