C. Whiten / J. Cook /7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Language Arts/August 28 – September 1, 2017								
Standard(s)	ELAGSE7RL1: Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.  ELAGSE7RL4: Analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or drama.  ELAGSE7RL5: Analyze how a drama's or poem's form or structure (e.g., soliloquy, sonnet) contributes to its meaning.		ELAGSE7RL1: Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.  ELAGSE7RL4: Analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or drama.  ELAGSE7RL5: Analyze how a drama's or poem's form or structure (e.g., soliloquy, sonnet) contributes to its meaning.	ELAGSE7RL1: Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.  ELAGSE7RL4: Analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or drama.  ELAGSE7RL5: Analyze how a drama's or poem's form or structure (e.g., soliloquy, sonnet) contributes to its meaning.	particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how settings shape the characters or plot).  ELAGSE7RL10: By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 6-8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.			
Essential Questions Or "I Can" statements	Monday The student will learn how to analyze a poem's form, as well as the use of figurative language and sound devices, to understand their effects on meaning.	Tuesday What is Achieve 3000? How can this program help you improve your reading level?	Wednesday The student will learn how to analyze a poem's form, as well as the use of figurative language and sound devices, to understand their effects on meaning.	Thursday In which poem is the speaker more hopeful about getting what he is longing for?	Friday Why are some stories more engaging than others?			
Warm-up	Master Our Vocabulary Mondays Student Success Book Vocabulary #4 p. 2	Know Your Grammar Tuesdays Student Success Book Grammar #2 p. 9	Write Well Wednesdays Student Success Book Writing #3 p. 15	Throw Back the Facts Thursdays Student Success Book Nonfiction #3 p. 27	Lit Fit Fridays Student Success Book Literary Elements #3 p. 38			
Opening	Build Background & Setting the Purpose p. 71 Have students read the background and information about the poets. Explain that many poems are inspired by the experience of love and loss.  Teach Close Read TE p. 72 & 73 "Determine the Impact of Rhyme" and "Determine Meaning"  Teacher Resource TE: p. 71A  View It! Polesional Development Podzat: Text-Dependent Analysis	Students will be given instruction on signing into the new reading program Achieve3000.  Students will participate in in this program weekly.	Teach Close Read TE p. 74 & 75 "Analyzing Form: Sonnet" and "Determine Meaning"  A&E Video "William Shakespeare" p. 74	Compare Meanings Review key details about the poems "The Song of Wandering Aengus" and "Sonnet 43".  Discuss "Analyzing the Text" p. 76	<ol> <li>1Each person answer with true or false, but groups will be assigned one to discuss.</li> <li>1. All humans are equal.</li> <li>2. Usually the best and brightest people are leaders.</li> <li>3. Some people are smarter than others.</li> <li>4. A dictator can control everything in a country.</li> <li>5. The government usually does what's best for the most people.</li> <li>6. You should always believe everything you're told.</li> <li>7. People who cannot read are easily controlled.</li> <li>8. People always have the ability to make their own choices.</li> </ol>			
Work Session	In small groups, complete "Analyzing the Text" p. 73	Students will take the LevelSet Assessments (Pretest).	In small groups, complete "Analyzing the Text" p. 75	Independent Practice Students will complete comprehension questions	1.Begin Animal Farm chapter 1 2. Why is this a fable?			

				(See attachment)	<ul><li>3. What is it an allegory of?</li><li>4. Which character seems to be in charge? Why?</li></ul>
Homework	Figurative Language Activity Sheet	None	None	None	None
Closing	Review answers	Why is it important that you always do your best on assessments?	Collaborative Discussion: Each of these two poems is, in a sense, a love poem. With a partner, discuss how effectively each poet expresses his feelings about love and loss.	Review answers	Discussion of today's reading.
Materials needed	Georgia Collections Textbook	Georgia Collections Textbook	Georgia Collections Textbook	Georgia Collections Textbook	Animal Farm novels
Assessment for understanding	Text-based questions	LevelSet Assessments	Text-based questions	Text-based questions	Discussion