

Prentice Hall Literature, Penguin Edition, Grade 7, Kentucky Student Edition

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- π Direct Instruction
- π Modeling
- π Guided Practice
- π Feedback
- π Application

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Resource Materials

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¥ Kentucky Teacher's Edition	
¥ Unit Resources Book, Unit 1, Fiction & Nonfiction, Gr. 7	
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¥ Skills Development Workbook	
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¥ Skills Development Transparencies	
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¥ Fine Art Transparencies Volume 2: Art-History Appreciation	
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Available Ancillary Materials

Research Data and Evidence of Effectiveness

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Research Available

YES - provide information below

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Overall Strength and/or Weaknesses

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Recommendations: Very well organized and presented. Clear effort to truly apply the Core Content and state assessment. Use of authors to introduce units is engaging and useful with the "Author's Insights." Many suggestions to differentiate instruction.

Summary Form

I.	Technology Component Summary	
II.	Reading Content Summary	1.94
	Strengths: Highly engaging, A variety of reading is provided.	
III.	Writing Content Summary	1.5
	Strengths: incorporated into lessons; variety of types of writing to learn and writing process	
	Weaknesses: Not developed enough to support "portfolio-worthy" pieces	
IV.	Grammar and Spelling Content Summary	
V.	Journalism / Media Content Summary	
VI.	Listening /Speaking / Observing Content Summary	
VII.	Inquiry Content Summary	
VIII.	Technology Content Summary	
IX.	Audience: Teacher and Student Materials Content Summary	2
	Strengths: Very attractive, useful	
X.	Format Content Summary	1.86
	Strengths: easy-to-read, engaging	
	Weaknesses: HEAVY FOR A STUDENT TO CARRY	
XI.	Ancillary Materials Content Summary	1.86
	Strengths: variety of suggestions for teaching	
	Weaknesses: not all referenced on-line material was available for preview	

READING CONTENT

Technology-based diagnostic not available for preview

WRITING CONTENT

Although the writing process and a writing "workshop" is incorporated in the program, it is only a small part. The "portfolio" teacher would need to supplement the writing instruction, but this would be fairly easy given the basis of the instruction that is provided.

AUDIENCE: TEACHER MATERIALS

Very closely aligned with Core Content; CATS practice questions provided. What I would consider ORQs are called "timed writing."

FORMAT

The text seems very heavy; this may cause problems for students to carry around each day.

ANCILLARY MATERIALS