



CMAS English Language Arts Task Models

Literary Analysis Task

ELA Task Model	Measured Writing Standards	Assessed Reading Standards
Model 3A1 <i>Task Focus:</i> Analysis of the contributions of illustrations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Long Literature Text 1 Short Literature Text 	Measures all writing claims	RL 1, 2, 3 and 7
Model 3A2 <i>Task Focus:</i> Central idea/lesson of literature from diverse cultures <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Long Literature Text 1 Short Literature Text 	Measures all writing claims	RL 1, 2 and 3
Model 3A3 <i>Task Focus:</i> Characterization in a story <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Long Literature Text 1 Short Literature Text 	Measures all writing claims	RL 1, 2, 3 and 7
Model 3A4 <i>Task Focus:</i> Author’s study including analysis of illustration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Long Literature Text 1 Short Literature Text 	Measures all writing claims	RL 1, 2, 3, 7 and 9

Research Simulation Task

ELA Task Model	Measured Writing Standards	Assessed Reading Standards
Model 3B1 <i>Task Focus:</i> Analyzing the relationship between a series of concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Long Informational Text 1 Short Informational Text 	Measures all writing claims	RI 1, 2, 3 and 9
Model 3B2 <i>Task Focus:</i> Analyzing the role of illustrations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Long Informational Text 1 Short Informational Text 	Measures all writing claims	RI 1, 2, 5, 7 and 8
Model 3B3 <i>Task Focus:</i> Comparing and contrasting important points/key details <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Long Informational Text 1 Short Informational Text 	Measures all writing claims	RI 1, 2, 8 and 9

Narrative Task

ELA Task Model	Measured Writing Standards	Assessed Reading Standards
Model 3C1 <i>Task Focus:</i> Narrative Story 1 Short Literature Text	Measures all writing claims	Any combination of RL standards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 9
Model 3C2 <i>Task Focus:</i> Narrative Description 1 Short Informational Text	Measures all writing claims	Any combination of RI standards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 9

