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| **Reading:****RL.8.7****Literary Text:** Various short stories from Pearson“Flowers for Algernon”“Tell- Tale Heart”**Novels:***The Hobbit* (video)*The Outsiders*(video)*Beowulf: A New Telling**The Pearl***Informational Text:** Selections from PearsonBrown V. BoardMaya LinLib Guide / SIRS**RI.8.3****RI.8.5****RI.8.7****Research:** | **Writing:****Writing to Learn:** * Reflective responses to quotes, page #’s, character reactions, changes throughout plot

**On-demand Writing:** * 2x in the quarter, minimum

**W.8.10****Process Writing:** Argument Essay **W.8.1****W.8.1a****W.8.1b****W.8.1c****W.8.1d****W.8.1e****W.8.8****Writing Coach:** Chapter 9: Persuasion**Speaking / Listening:****Application of skills from Q1**  | **Language:****L.8.2** Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, spelling when writing.**L.8.2a** Use punctuation, comma, ellipsis, dash, to indicate pause or break.**L.8.4b** Use common, grade appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word |