



**2020+ WY-ALT Assessment Blueprints
Grade 9-10 ELA (pg. 2 of 2)**

Language [6-8 Items; 19-25%]

EEL.9–12.1	Use conventions of grammar, including parallel structure, when writing or speaking, forming varied sentence structures to make content interesting.
EEL.9–12.2 and 2.a–b	Use correct punctuation (end punctuation, basic comma usage, and semi-colon) and capitalization when writing; Use basic punctuation and capitalization correctly when writing.
EEL.9–12.4 and 4.a	Use context clues, word structures or reference materials to determine the meaning of unknown words; Determine the meaning of a word or phrase from context in a sentence.
EEL.9–12.4.b	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple meaning words to match textual meaning; Identify and correctly use singular/plural and verb tense pattern changes that indicate different meanings (e.g., -s, -es, -ed, -ing).
EEL.9–12.5	Use multiple-meaning words and figures of speech.

32 Items in Total

Note for the High School ELA Blueprint:

- Alternate “9-12” extensions are derived exclusively from Grade 9-10 ELA general education standards