

# **VC English**

**EP Curriculum Map** 

### Level 7

## **Reading and Viewing**

#### Language

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand how language is used to evaluate texts and how evaluations about a text can be substantiated by reference to the text and other sources (VCELA368)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand and explain how the text structures and language features of texts become more complex in informative and persuasive texts and identify underlying structures such as taxonomies, cause and effect, and extended metaphors (VCELA369)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Analyse how point of view is generated in visual texts by means of choices, including gaze, angle and social distance (VCELA370)	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Investigate vocabulary typical of extended and more academic texts and the role of abstract nouns, classification, description and generalisation in building specialised knowledge through language (VCELA371)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling strategies and rules.  Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

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Compare the ways that language and images are used to create character, and to influence emotions and opinions in different types of texts (VCELT372)	o Language Features: Lessons teaching the use and effect of key language features such as metaphor, simile, onomatopoeia and symbolism.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Discuss aspects of texts, including their aesthetic and social value, using relevant and appropriate metalanguage (VCELT373)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Recognise and analyse the ways that characterisation, events and settings are combined in narratives, and discuss the purposes and appeal of different approaches (VCELT374)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand, interpret and discuss how language is compressed to produce a dramatic effect in film or drama, and to create layers of meaning in poetry (VCELT375)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

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Analyse and explain the effect of technological innovations on texts, particularly media texts (VCELY376)	Information Literacy: Lessons teaching the importance of media and information literacy in a digital age. This unit covers critical thinking, evaluating media, global digital citizenship and more.
Use prior knowledge and text processing strategies to interpret a range of types of texts (VCELY377)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Use comprehension strategies to interpret, analyse and synthesise ideas and information, critiquing ideas and issues from a variety of textual sources (VCELY378)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This



	folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Analyse and explain the ways text structures and language features shape meaning and vary according to audience and purpose (VCELY379)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.

## Writing

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand that the coherence of more complex texts relies on devices that signal text structure and guide readers, for example overviews, initial and concluding paragraphs and topic sentences, indexes or site maps or breadcrumb trails for online texts (VCELA380)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Understand the use of punctuation to support meaning in complex sentences with prepositional phrases and embedded clauses (VCELA381)	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence structure.
Recognise and understand that subordinate clauses embedded within noun groups/phrases are a common feature of written sentence structures and increase the density of information (VCELA382)	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence structure.
Understand how modality is achieved through discriminating choices in modal verbs, adverbs, adjectives and nouns (VCELA383)	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence structure.
Understand how to use spelling rules and word origins to learn new words and how to spell them (VCELA384)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling strategies and rules.



Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Experiment with text structures and language features and their effects in creating literary texts (VCELT385)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the
	context of different visual texts.
Create literary texts that adapt stylistic features encountered in other texts (VCELT386)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Plan, draft and publish imaginative, informative and persuasive texts, selecting aspects of subject matter and particular language, visual, and audio features to convey information and ideas to a specific audience (VCELY387)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Edit for meaning by removing repetition, refining ideas, reordering sentences and adding or substituting words for impact (VCELY388)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Consolidate a personal handwriting style that is legible, fluent and automatic and supports writing for extended periods (VCELY389)	Not supported on EP



Use a range of software, including word processing programs, to create, edit and publish written and multimodal texts (VCELY390)	Feature specific and achieved by using EP
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## **Speaking and Listening**

### Language

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand the way language evolves to reflect a changing world, particularly in response to the use of new technology for presenting texts and communicating (VCELA391)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand how accents, styles of speech and idioms express and create personal and social identities (VCELA392)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

#### Literature

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Identify and explore ideas and viewpoints about events, issues and characters represented in texts drawn from different historical, social and cultural contexts (VCELT393)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Reflect on ideas and opinions about characters, settings and events in literary texts, identifying areas of agreement and difference with others and justifying a point of view (VCELT394)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Identify and discuss main ideas, concepts and points of	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading
view in spoken texts to evaluate qualities, using	comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading
interaction skills when sharing interpretations or	comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This



presenting ideas and information (VCELY395)	folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Speaking & Listening: Lessons that cover the basic types of spoken texts and look at listening skills when interacting with others.
Plan, rehearse and deliver presentations, selecting and sequencing appropriate content and multimodal elements to promote a point of view or enable a new way of seeing, using body language, voice qualities and	Speaking & Listening: Lessons that cover the basic types of spoken texts and look at listening skills when interacting with others.
other elements to add interest and meaning (VCELY396)	Presenting: Lessons covering the basics of planning and delivering a presentation.



## Level 8

## **Reading and Viewing**

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand how rhetorical devices are used to persuade and how different layers of meaning are developed through the use of metaphor, irony and parody (VCELA397)	Language Features: Lessons teaching the use and effect of key language features such as metaphor, simile, onomatopoeia and symbolism.
	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Analyse how the text structures and language features of persuasive texts, including media texts, vary according to the medium and mode of communication (VCELA398)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
	Information Literacy: Lessons teaching the importance of media and information literacy in a digital age. This unit covers critical thinking, evaluating media, global digital citizenship and more.
Understand how cohesion in texts is improved by strengthening the internal structure of paragraphs through the use of examples, quotations and substantiation of claims (VCELA399)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Analyse and examine how effective authors control and use a variety of clause structures, including clauses embedded within the structure of a noun group/phrase or clause (VCELA400)	Further development planned
Recognise that vocabulary choices contribute to the specificity, abstraction and style of texts (VCELA401)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling



	strategies and rules.
	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Investigate how visual and multimodal texts allude to or draw on other texts or images to enhance and layer meaning (VCELA402)	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Explore the ways that ideas and viewpoints in literary texts drawn from different historical, social and cultural contexts may reflect or challenge the values of individuals and groups (VCELT403)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Explore the interconnectedness of Country and Place, People, Identity and Culture in texts including those by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander authors (VCELT404)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand and explain how combinations of words and images in texts are used to represent particular groups in society, and how texts position readers in relation to those groups (VCELT405)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Recognise and explain differing viewpoints about the world, cultures, individual people and concerns represented in texts (VCELT406)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Recognise, explain and analyse the ways literary texts draw on readers' knowledge of other texts and enable new understanding and appreciation of aesthetic qualities (VCELT407)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Identify and evaluate devices that create tone in literary texts, including humour, wordplay, innuendo and parody (VCELT408)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This



	folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Interpret and analyse language choices, including sentence patterns, dialogue, imagery and other language features, in short stories, literary essays and plays (VCELT409)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Analyse and explain how language has evolved over time and how technology and the media have influenced language use and forms of communication (VCELY410)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Apply increasing knowledge of vocabulary, text structures and language features to understand the content of texts (VCELY411)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Use comprehension strategies to interpret and evaluate texts by reflecting on the validity of content and the credibility of sources, including finding evidence in the text for the author's point of view (VCELY412)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Analyse and evaluate the ways that text structures and language features vary according to the purpose of the text and the ways that referenced sources add authority to a text (VCELY413)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.

## Writing

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand how coherence is created in complex texts through devices like lexical cohesion, ellipsis, grammatical theme and text connectives (VCELA414)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence



	structure.
Understand the use of punctuation conventions, including colons, semicolons, dashes and brackets in formal and informal texts (VCELA415)	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence structure.
Understand the effect of nominalisation in the writing of informative and persuasive texts (VCELA416)	Further development planned
Understand how to apply learned knowledge consistently in order to spell accurately and to learn new words including nominalisations (VCELA417)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling strategies and rules.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Experiment with particular language features drawn from different types of texts, including combinations of language and visual choices to create new texts (VCELT418)	Language Features: Lessons teaching the use and effect of key language features such as metaphor, simile, onomatopoeia and symbolism.Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the
	context of different visual texts.  Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Create literary texts that draw upon text structures and language features of other texts for particular purposes and effects (VCELT419)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.



Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Create imaginative, informative and persuasive texts that raise issues, report events and advance opinions, using deliberate language and textual choices, and including digital elements as appropriate (VCELY420)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Experiment with text structures and language features to refine and clarify ideas to improve the effectiveness of own texts (VCELY421)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Use a range of software, including word processing programs, to create, edit and publish texts imaginatively (VCELY422)	Feature specific and achieved by using EP

## **Speaking and Listening**

#### Language

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand the influence and impact that the English language has had on other languages or dialects and how English has been influenced in return (VCELA423)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand how conventions of speech adopted by communities influence the identities of people in those communities (VCELA424)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Share, reflect on, clarify and evaluate opinions and arguments about aspects of literary texts (VCELT425)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.



Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Interpret the stated and implied meanings in spoken texts, and use interaction skills including voice and language conventions to discuss evidence that supports or challenges different perspectives (VCELY426)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Plan, rehearse and deliver presentations, selecting and sequencing appropriate content, including multimodal elements, to reflect a diversity of viewpoints, using voice and language conventions to suit different situations, modulating voice and incorporating elements for specific effects (VCELY427)	Presenting: Lessons covering the basics of planning and delivering a presentation.  Speaking & Listening: Lessons that cover the basic types of spoken texts and look at listening skills when interacting with others.



## Level 9

## **Reading and Viewing**

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Investigate how evaluation can be expressed directly and indirectly using devices, including allusion, evocative vocabulary and metaphor (VCELA428)	Further development planned
Understand that authors innovate with text structures and language for specific purposes and effects (VCELA429)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Compare and contrast the use of cohesive devices in texts, focusing on how they serve to signpost ideas, to make connections and to build semantic associations between ideas (VCELA430)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Analyse and explain the use of symbols, icons and myth in still and moving images and how these augment meaning (VCELA431)	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Identify how vocabulary choices contribute to specificity, abstraction and stylistic effectiveness (VCELA432)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling strategies and rules.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Explain how authors creatively use the structures of sentences and clauses for particular effects (VCELA433)	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence structure.
Understand how spelling is used creatively in texts for particular effects (VCELA434)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.



Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Interpret and compare how representations of people and culture in literary texts are drawn from different historical, social and cultural contexts (VCELT435)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Present an argument about a literary text based on initial impressions and subsequent analysis of the whole text (VCELT436)	Further development planned
Explore and reflect on personal understanding of the world and significant human experience gained from interpreting various representations of life matters in texts (VCELT437)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Analyse texts from familiar and unfamiliar contexts, and discuss and evaluate their content and the appeal of an individual author's literary style (VCELT438)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Analyse text structures and language features of literary texts, and make relevant comparisons with other texts (VCELT439)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Interpret and analyse language choices, including sentence patterns, dialogue, imagery and other language features, in short stories, literary essays and plays (VCELT440)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Analyse how the construction and interpretation of texts, including media texts, can be influenced by cultural perspectives and other texts (VCELY441)	Information Literacy: Lessons teaching the importance of media and information literacy in a digital age. This unit covers critical thinking, evaluating media, global digital citizenship and more.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and



	his works, and the history of the English language.
Analyse and evaluate how authors combine language and visual choices to present information, opinions and perspectives in different texts (VCELY442)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Use comprehension strategies to interpret and analyse texts, comparing and evaluating representations of an event, issue, situation or character in different texts (VCELY443)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Apply an expanding vocabulary to read increasingly complex texts with fluency and comprehension (VCELY444)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling strategies and rules.  Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

## Writing

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand how punctuation is used along with layout and font variations in constructing texts for different audiences and purposes (VCELA445)	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence structure.
	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading



	comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand how certain abstract nouns can be used to summarise preceding or subsequent stretches of text (VCELA446)	Further development planned

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Experiment with the ways that language features, image and sound can be adapted in literary texts (VCELT447)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Create literary texts, including hybrid texts, that innovate on aspects of other texts, including through the use of parody, allusion and appropriation (VCELT448)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Create imaginative, informative and persuasive texts that present a point of view and advance or illustrate arguments, including texts that integrate visual, print and/or audio features (VCELY449)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Review and edit students' own and others' texts to improve clarity and control over content, organisation, paragraphing, sentence structure, vocabulary and audio/visual features (VCELY450)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.  The peer review function of EP allows peers to review and comment on each others' work.
Publishing texts using a range of software, including word processing programs, flexibly and imaginatively (VCELY451)	Feature specific and achieved by using EP



## **Speaking and Listening**

### Language

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand that Standard Australian English is a living language within which the creation and loss of words and the evolution of usage is ongoing (VCELA452)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand that roles and relationships are developed and challenged through language and interpersonal skills (VCELA453)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

#### Literature

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Reflect on, discuss and explore notions of literary value and how and why such notions vary according to context (VCELT454)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Listen to spoken texts constructed for different purposes and analyse how language features in these texts position listeners to respond in particular ways, and consider the interaction skills used to present and discuss ideas, or to influence and engage audiences through persuasive language, varied voice tone, pitch and pace (VCELY455)	Speaking & Listening: Lessons that cover the basic types of spoken texts and look at listening skills when interacting with others.  Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Plan, rehearse and deliver presentations, selecting and sequencing appropriate content and multimodal elements for aesthetic and playful purposes (VCELY456)	Presenting: Lessons covering the basics of planning and delivering a presentation.





## Level 10

## **Reading and Viewing**

### Language

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand that people's evaluations of texts are influenced by their value systems, the context and the purpose and mode of communication (VCELA457)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Compare the purposes, text structures and language features of traditional and contemporary texts in different media (VCELA458)	Further development planned
Evaluate the impact on audiences of different choices in the representation of still and moving images (VCELA459)	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Compare and evaluate a range of representations of individuals and groups in different historical, social and cultural contexts (VCELT460)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Analyse and explain how text structures, language features and visual features of texts and the context in which texts are experienced may influence audience response (VCELT461)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Evaluate the social, moral and ethical positions represented in texts (VCELT462)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.



Identify, explain and discuss how narrative viewpoint, structure, characterisation and devices including analogy and satire shape different interpretations and responses to a text (VCELT463)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Analyse and evaluate text structures and language features of literary texts and make relevant thematic and intertextual connections with other texts (VCELT464)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Compare and evaluate how 'voice' as a literary device can be used in a range of different types of texts such as poetry to evoke particular emotional responses (VCELT465)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

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Analyse and evaluate how people, cultures, places, events, objects and concepts are represented in texts, including media texts, through language, structural and/or visual choices (VCELY466)	Information Literacy: Lessons teaching the importance of media and information literacy in a digital age. This unit covers critical thinking, evaluating media, global digital citizenship and more.
	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Identify and analyse implicit or explicit values, beliefs and assumptions in texts and how these are influenced by purposes and likely audiences (VCELY467)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Choose a reading technique and reading path appropriate for the type of text, to retrieve and connect ideas within and between texts (VCELY468)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and



	provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Use comprehension strategies to compare and contrast information within and between texts, identifying and analysing embedded perspectives, and evaluating supporting evidence (VCELY469)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.

## Writing

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Understand how paragraphs and images can be arranged for different purposes, audiences, perspectives and stylistic effects (VCELA470)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand conventions for citing others, and how to reference these in different ways (VCELA471)	Further development planned
Analyse and evaluate the effectiveness of a wide range of sentence and clause structures as authors design and craft texts (VCELA472)	Language Conventions: Lessons teaching the use of key punctuation points, parts of speech, and sentence structure.
Analyse how higher order concepts are developed in complex texts through language features including nominalisation, clause combinations, technicality and abstraction (VCELA473)	Further development planned
Refine vocabulary choices to discriminate between shades of meaning, with deliberate attention to the effect on audiences (VCELA474)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling strategies and rules.
	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
Understand how to use knowledge of the spelling system to spell unusual and technical words accurately (VCELA475)	Spelling & Vocabulary: Spelling lists and smart lessons covering common and useful vocabulary, and spelling strategies and rules.



Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Create literary texts that reflect an emerging sense of personal style and evaluate the effectiveness of these texts (VCELT476)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Create literary texts with a sustained 'voice', selecting and adapting appropriate text structures, literary devices, language, auditory and visual structures and features for a specific purpose and intended audience (VCELT477)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.  Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Create imaginative texts that make relevant thematic and intertextual connections with other texts (VCELT478)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.  Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Create sustained texts, including texts that combine specific digital or media content, for imaginative, informative, or persuasive purposes that reflect upon challenging and complex issues (VCELY479)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
	Viewing: This unit covers core visual literacy skills and provides the opportunity to practice those skills in the context of different visual texts.
Review, edit and refine own and others' texts for control of content, organisation, sentence structure, vocabulary, and/or visual features to achieve particular purposes and effects (VCELY480)	Writing: Writing skills lessons that unpack the features and structures of various text types and provide opportunities for the creation of students' own texts.
	The peer review function of EP allows peers to review and comment on each others' work.



Use a range of software, including word processing
programs, confidently, flexibly and imaginatively to
create, edit and publish texts, considering the identified
purpose and the characteristics of the user (VCELY481)

Feature specific and achieved by using EP

## **Speaking and Listening**

#### Language

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Understand that Standard Australian English in its spoken and written forms has a history of evolution and change and continues to evolve (VCELA482)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Understand how language use can have inclusive and exclusive social effects, and can empower or disempower people (VCELA483)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

#### Literature

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Reflect on, extend, endorse or refute others' interpretations of and responses to literature (VCELT484)	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.

Content Descriptor	Folder Names
Identify and explore the purposes and effects of different text structures and language features of spoken texts, and use this knowledge to create purposeful texts that inform, persuade and engage	Speaking & Listening: Lessons that cover the basic types of spoken texts and look at listening skills when interacting with others.
audiences, using organisation patterns, voice and language conventions to present a coherent point of	Reading: Lessons that cover contextual reading comprehension using a wide range of text types, reading



view on a subject (VCELY485)	comprehension strategies, and literary devices. This folder of lessons also includes a unit on Shakespeare and his works, and the history of the English language.
Plan, rehearse and deliver presentations, selecting and sequencing appropriate content and multimodal elements to influence a course of action, speaking clearly and using logic, imagery and rhetorical devices in order to engage audiences (VCELY486)	Presenting: Lessons covering the basics of planning and delivering a presentation.