



Literacy and Intervention

FLORIDA STATE STANDARDS

VOCABULARY FROM CLASSICAL ROOTS

**Strategic Vocabulary Instruction through
Greek and Latin Roots**

Grades 4–11

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Vocabulary From Classical Roots in FL Sunshine State Standards and Grade Level Expectations

Florida Sunshine State Standards and Grade Level Expectations Grades 6-8

Corresponds to Vocabulary From Classical Roots Books A and B

Reading

Standard 1: The student uses the reading process effectively.

Benchmark LA.A.1.3.3: The student demonstrates consistent and effective use of interpersonal and academic vocabularies in reading, writing, listening, and speaking.

Grade level expectations:

Sixth

2. uses **word origins** as a strategy in understanding historical influences on word meanings.

VCR A Glossary/Greek and Latin Roots	3-6,9-12,16-19,21-23,27-30,32-34,38-40,43-45,52-55,58-60,65-68,70-73,77-80,82-85,89-92,94-96
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4. analyzes word relationships such as **analogies**.

VCR A Analogies	14,26,37,48,63-64,75,87
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6. learns new words in a **consistent manner** (for example, through reading and writing activities).

VCR A General Vocab. Exercises	7-8,12-13,20-21,24-25,30-32,35-36,41-43,45-47,56-57,61-63,68-69,73-74,81-82,85-87,92-93,97-98
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Seventh

1. extends the **vocabulary-building** expectations of the sixth grade using seventh grade or higher level vocabulary.

VCR A General Vocab. Exercises	7-8,12-13,20-21,24-25,30-32,35-36,41-43,45-47,56-57,61-63,68-69,73-74,81-82,85-87,92-93,97-98
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Eighth

1. extends the **vocabulary-building** expectations of the seventh grade using eighth grade or higher level vocabulary.

VCR B General Vocab. Exercises	7-9,12-15,20-22,26-27,32-34,38-40,45-47,50-52,61-62,65-67,68,73-74,77-80,84-86, 88-91,95-96,100-103
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Language

Standard 1: The student understands the nature of language.

Benchmark LA.D.1.3.4: The student understands that languages change over time.

Grade level expectations:

Sixth

1. explores **origin** and historical development of words.

VCR A Glossary/Greek and Latin Roots	3-6,9-12,16-19,21-23,27-30,32-34,38-40,43-45,52-55,58-60,65-68, 70-73,77-80,82-85,89-92,94-96
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Seventh

1. explores the **origin** and historical development of words.

VCR A Glossary/Greek and Latin Roots	3-6,9-12,16-19,21-23,27-30,32-34,38-40,43-45,52-55,58-60,65-68, 70-73,77-80,82-85,89-92,94-96
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Eighth

1. explores the **origin** and historical development of words and usage patterns.

VCR B Glossary/Greek and Latin Roots	4-6,9-11,17-19,23-25,29-31,35-37,42-45,47-49,58-60,63-65,69-72,74-77, 81-84,86-88,92-94,97-99
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Standard 2: The student understands the power of language.

Benchmark LA.D.2.3.1: The student selects language that shapes reactions, perceptions, and beliefs.

Grade Level Expectations:

The student:

Sixth

1. uses words and images that best express **intended messages**.

VCR A Writing and Discussion Activities	15,26,37,48,64,76,88,99
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Seventh

1. uses words and images that best express **intended messages**.

2. uses language appropriate to **purpose and audience**.

VCR A Writing and Discussion Activities	15,26,37,48,64,76,88,99
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Eighth

1. uses words and images that best express **intended messages**.
2. uses language appropriate to **purpose and audience**.

VCR B Writing and Discussion Activities	16,28,41,52-53,68,80,91,103
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Florida Sunshine State Standards Grades 9-12

Corresponds to Vocabulary From Classical Roots Books C, D, and E

(There are no Sunshine State grade level expectations for 9-12; there are only standards.)

Reading

Standard 1: The student uses the reading process effectively.

Benchmark LA.A.1.4.3: **refines vocabulary** for interpersonal, academic, and workplace situations, including figurative, idiomatic, and technical meanings.

VCR C General Vocab. Exercises	8-9,13-15,21-23,27-30,36-37,41-44,49-50,54-57,65-67,72-75,80-82,86-90,96-98, 102-105,111-113,116-120
VCR D General Vocab. Exercises	7-10,15-18,25-28,32-37,43-46,50-55,61-63,68-72,83-86,91-96,102-105
VCR E General Vocab. Exercises	5-9,15-19,25-28,34-38,44-47,53-58,64-67,73-77,84-87,93-97,104-106,112-116, 122-124,129-132,138-140,145-149

Reading

Standard 1: The student uses the reading process effectively.

Benchmark LA.A.1.4.4. applies a variety of response strategies, including rereading, note taking, summarizing, outlining, writing a formal report, and **relating** what is read **to his or her own experiences and feelings**.

VCR C Writing and Discussion Activities	16,30-31,44,57-58,75,90,106,121
VCR D Writing and Discussion Activities	19,37,55,73,96
VCR E Writing and Discussion Activities	19,38,58,77,98,116,133,149