



Standards Map

4th grade

The ThinkGive curriculum has been mapped to the five CASEL Core Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Competencies as well as the Common Core English Language Arts Standards. Utilization and adoption of the Common Core standards and SEL competencies vary by state. Teachers can use this resource to align each ThinkGive lesson to state standards.

CASEL

Common Core

SELF-AWARENESS

Identifying emotions
Accurate self-perception
Recognizing strengths
Self-confidence
Self-efficacy

SELF-MANAGEMENT

Self-discipline
Self-motivation
Goal setting

SOCIAL AWARENESS

Perspective-taking
Empathy
Appreciating diversity
Respect for others

RELATIONSHIP SKILLS

Communication
Social engagement
Relationship building
Teamwork

RESPONSIBLE DECISION- MAKING

Identifying problems
Analyzing situations
Solving problems
Evaluating
Reflecting
Ethical responsibility

ThinkGive classroom discussions as well as the online recording / reflecting / blogging components promote connection to a variety of ELA standards.

Speaking & Listening

Comprehension and Collaboration

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.4.1

Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.4.1.B

Follow agreed-upon rules for discussions and carry out assigned roles.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.4.1.C

Pose and respond to specific questions to clarify or follow up on information, and make comments that contribute to the discussion and link to the remarks of others.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.4.4

Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience in an organized manner, using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.4.6

Differentiate between contexts that call for formal English (e.g., presenting ideas) and situations where informal discourse is appropriate (e.g., small-group discussion); use formal English when appropriate to task and situation.

Common Core (cont'd)

Language

Conventions of Standard English

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.4.1

Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.4.2

Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English

capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.4.2.A

Use correct capitalization.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.4.2.D

Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.

Knowledge of Language

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.4.3

Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.4.3.A

Choose words and phrases to convey ideas precisely.