Implementing Common Core Standards

Using Zora's Example: Writing About our Lives

RL.5.1 – Quote accurately from text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from text.

This standard is addressed through the passage summaries and graphic organizers.

RL.5.4 – Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in text, including figurative language such as metaphors and similes.

This standard is addressed through the vocabulary graphic organizer.

RL.5.2 – Determine the theme of a story, drama or poem from details in the text including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges: summarize the text.

This standard is addressed through the passage summaries and graphic organizers.

RL.5.3 – Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in text.

This standard is addressed through the graphic organizers and time line.

RL.5.6 – Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described.

This standard is addressed through the web quest activity, time line, and graphic organizers.

W.5.3 – Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, descriptive details, and clear event sequences.

This standard is addressed through the narrative writing, interview and visual representation.