

POWER STANDARDS

FOR OST TESTS-SECONDARY ELA

These are the Ohio Learning Standards that have aligned questions on the OST tests. Be sure to teach these standards for mastery and use OST-like questions frequently that adhere to these when writing and speaking about literary and informational texts. **Read, Write, and Discuss Every Day!**

This chart shows the number of released OST questions (2016-19) aligned to each Standard.

Standards	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	Grades 6-10 (4 YEARS)
RL.1 Cite Textual Evidence	6	4	3	4	6	23
RL.2 Theme & Summary	3	4	5	5	3	20
RL.3 Plot, Setting, & Characters	2	4	6	6	3	21
RL.4 Literal, Connotative, and Figurative Vocab; Impact of Diction on Meaning, Mood, & Tone	5	7	11	5	6	34
RL.5 Structure	7	1		6	6	20
RL.6 Point of View & Perspective	4	4	5	3	3	19
RL.7 Compare & Analyze Multiple Versions/Mediums	1			1	1	3
RL.9 Compare & Analyze Genres; Allusions	1	3	2	2	2	10
RI.1 Cite Textual Evidence	7	8	5	7	7	34
RI.2 Central Idea & Summary	5	6	6	5	4	26
RI.3 Key Individual, Event, & Idea	7	8	7	6	7	35
RI.4 Literal, Connotative, Technical, & Figurative Vocab; Impact of Diction on Meaning and Tone	8	14	7	5	7	41
RI.5 Structure	8	9	13	8	8	46
RI.6 Point of View & Purpose	5	4	6	5	5	25
RI.8 Evaluate Arguments	3	4	4	2	3	16
RI.9 Compare Authors' Presentation of Events	4	3	2	1		10
L.4 Determine/Clarify Word Meanings	5	3	3	3	6	20
L.5 Figurative Language/Word Relationships & Nuances	3	3	5	2	2	15
W.1 Argument Writing	2	2	3	2	2	11
W.2 Informative/Explanatory Writing	3	3	2	4	3	15

NOTE: This chart only reflects the number of released items aligned to each Standard. Since ODE does not release full-length administrations of OST, this chart cannot reflect all items on previous OST tests. Also, every OST test in Grades 6-10 has one argument and one informative/explanatory writing prompt that asks students to write fully-developed essays, so Standards W.1 and W.2 are aligned to one question on each OST test.

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