Language Art:

Criterion A: Analyzing

- identify and explain the content, context, language, structure, technique and style of text(s) and the relationships among texts
- identify and explain the effects of the creator's choices on an audience
- justify opinions and ideas, using examples, explanations and terminology
- interpret similarities and differences in features within and between genres and texts.

Criterion B: Organizing

- employ organizational structures that serve the context and intention
- organize opinions and ideas in a coherent and logical manner
- use referencing and formatting tools to create a presentation style suitable to the context and intention.

Criterion C: Producing text

- produce texts that demonstrate thought, imagination and sensitivity, while exploring and considering new perspectives and ideas arising from personal engagement with the creative process
- make stylistic choices in terms of linguistic, literary and visual devices, demonstrating awareness of impact on an audience
- select relevant details and examples to develop ideas.

Criterion D: Using language

- use appropriate and varied vocabulary, sentence structures and forms of expression
- write and speak in an appropriate register and style
- use correct grammar, syntax and punctuation
- spell (alphabetic languages), write (character languages) and pronounce with accuracy
- use appropriate non-verbal communication techniques.

Social Studies

Criterion A: Knowing and understanding

- use a range of terminology in context
- demonstrate knowledge and understanding of subject-specific content and concepts, through descriptions, explanations and examples.

Criterion B: Investigating

- formulate/choose a clear and focused research question, explaining its relevance
- formulate and follow an action plan to investigate a research question
- use methods to collect and record relevant information
- evaluate the process and results of the investigation, with guidance.

Criterion C: Communicating

- communicate information and ideas in a way that is appropriate for the audience and purpose
- structure information and ideas according to the task instructions
- create a reference list and cite sources of information.

Criterion D: Thinking critically

- analyze concepts, issues, models, visual representation and/or theories
- summarize information to make valid, well-supported arguments
- analyze a range of sources/data in terms of origin and purpose, recognizing values and limitations
- recognize different perspectives and explain their implications.

Language Acquisition

Criterion A: Comprehending spoken and visual text

- identify basic facts, messages, main ideas and supporting details
- recognize basic conventions
- engage with the spoken and visual text by identifying ideas, opinions and attitudes and by making a personal response to the text.

Criterion B: Comprehending written and visual text

- identify basic facts, messages, main ideas and supporting details
- recognize basic aspects of format and style, and author's purpose for writing
- engage with the written and visual text by identifying ideas, opinions and attitudes and by making a personal response to the text.

Criterion C: Communicating in response to spoken, written and visual text

- respond appropriately to simple short phrases
- interact in simple and rehearsed exchanges, using verbal and non-verbal language
- use basic phrases to communicate ideas, feelings and information on a variety of aspects of everyday topics
- communicate with a sense of audience.

Criterion D: Using language in spoken and written form

- write and speak using a basic range of vocabulary, grammatical structures and conventions; when speaking, use clear pronunciation and intonation
- organize basic information and use a range of basic cohesive devices
- use language to suit the context.

Criterion A: Knowing and understanding

- select appropriate mathematics when solving problems in both familiar and unfamiliar situations
- apply the selected mathematics successfully when solving problems
- solve problems correctly in a variety of contexts.

Criterion C: Communicating

- use appropriate mathematical language (notation, symbols and terminology) in both oral and written explanations
- use different forms of mathematical representation to present information
- move between different forms of mathematical representation
- communicate complete and coherent mathematical lines of reasoning
- organize information using a logical structure.

Criterion B: Investigating patterns

- select and apply mathematical problem-solving techniques to discover complex patterns
- describe patterns as relationships and/or general rules consistent with findings
- verify and justify relationships and/or general rules.

Criterion D: Applying mathematics in real-life contexts

- identify relevant elements of authentic real-life situations
- select appropriate mathematical strategies when solving authentic real-life situations
- apply the selected mathematical strategies successfully to reach a solution
- explain the degree of accuracy of a solution
- explain whether a solution makes sense in the context of the authentic real-life situation.

Math

Criterion A: Knowing and understanding **Criterion C: Processing and evaluating** describe scientific knowledge present collected and transformed data interpret data and describe results using scientific apply scientific knowledge and understanding to solve problems set in familiar and unfamiliar reasoning discuss the validity of a hypothesis based on the outcome of situations analyze information to make scientifically the scientific investigation Science supported judgments. discuss the validity of the method describe improvements or extensions to the method. **Criterion B: Inquiring and designing** Criterion D: Reflecting on the impacts of science • describe a problem or question to be tested by a • describe the ways in which science is applied and used to scientific investigation address a specific problem or issue discuss and analyze the various implications of using outline a testable hypothesis and explain it using scientific reasoning science and its application in solving a specific problem or describe how to manipulate the variables, and issue apply scientific language effectively describe how data will be collected document the work of others and sources of information design scientific investigations. used.

E and Health

Criterion A: Knowing and understanding

- describe physical health education factual, procedural and conceptual knowledge
- apply physical and health education knowledge to explain issues and solve problems set in familiar and unfamiliar situations
- apply physical and health terminology effectively to communicate understanding.

Criterion C: Applying and performing

- demonstrate and apply a range of skills and techniques
- demonstrate and apply a range of strategies and movement concepts
- outline and apply information to perform effectively.

Criterion B: Planning for performance

- design and explain a plan for improving physical performance and health
- explain the effectiveness of a plan based on the outcome.

Criterion D: Reflecting and improving performance

- describe and demonstrate strategies to enhance interpersonal skills
- outline goals and apply strategies to enhance performance
- explain and evaluate performance.

Technology

Criterion A: Knowing and understanding

- demonstrate knowledge of the art form studied, including concepts, processes, and the use of appropriate language
- demonstrate knowledge of the role of the art form in original or displaced contexts
- use acquired knowledge to inform their artwork.

Criterion B: Developing skills

- demonstrate the acquisition and development of the skills and techniques of the art form studied
- demonstrate the application of skills and techniques to create, perform and/or present art.

Criterion C: Thinking creatively

- outline a clear and feasible artistic intention
- outline alternatives, perspectives, and imaginative solutions
- demonstrate the exploration of ideas through the developmental process to a point of realization.

Criterion D: Responding

- outline connections and transfer learning to new settings
- create an artistic response inspired by the world around them
- evaluate the artwork of self and others.

Criterion A: Inquiring and analyzing

- explain and justify the need for a solution to a problem
- construct a research plan, which states and prioritizes the primary and secondary research needed to develop a solution to the problem
- analyze a group of similar products that inspire a solution to the problem
- develop a design brief, which presents the analysis of relevant research.

Criterion C: Creating the solution

- construct a logical plan, which outlines the efficient use of time and resources, sufficient for peers to be able to follow to create the solution
- demonstrate excellent technical skills when making the solution
- follow the plan to create the solution, which functions as intended explain changes made to the chosen design and the plan when making the solution.
- present the solution as a whole.

Criterion B: Developing ideas

- develop a design specification which outlines the success criteria for the design of a solution based on the data collected
- present a range of feasible design ideas, which can be correctly interpreted by others
- present the chosen design and outline the reasons for its selection
- develop accurate planning drawings/diagrams and outline requirements for the creation of the chosen solution.

Criterion D: Evaluating

- describe detailed and relevant testing methods, which generate accurate data, to measure the success of the solution
- explain the success of the solution against the design specification
- describe how the solution could be improved
- describe the impact of the solution on the client/target audience.