

## VIRGINIA STANDARDS OF LEARNING

This chart correlates the Virginia Standards of Learning to the lessons of **Reading Express, Level D**.

<b>Standard</b>	<b>Lesson(s)</b>
<b>4.3 a</b> Use context to clarify meanings of unfamiliar words.	<b>Lesson 5:</b> Context Clues
<b>4.3 b</b> Explain words with multiple meanings.	<b>Lesson 8:</b> Homographs
<b>4.3 c</b> Use knowledge of word origins; synonyms, antonyms, and homonyms; and multiple meanings of words	<b>Lesson 3:</b> Word Origins <b>Lesson 6:</b> Synonyms and Antonyms <b>Lesson 7:</b> Homophones <b>Lesson 8:</b> Homographs
<b>4.3 d</b> Use word-reference materials, including the glossary, dictionary, and thesaurus.	<b>Lesson 12:</b> Dictionary <b>Lesson 13:</b> Thesaurus <b>Lesson 22:</b> Glossary
<b>4.4 a</b> Explain the author's purpose.	<b>Lesson 30:</b> Author's Purpose
<b>4.4 b</b> Describe how the choice of language, setting, and information contributes to the author's purpose.	<b>Lesson 30:</b> Author's Purpose
<b>4.4 c</b> Compare the use of fact and fantasy in historical fiction with other forms of literature.	<b>Lesson 52:</b> Realistic Fiction <b>Lesson 53:</b> Historical Fiction <b>Lesson 54:</b> Science Fiction <b>Lesson 55:</b> Fables <b>Lesson 56:</b> Fairy Tales <b>Lesson 57:</b> Tall Tales <b>Lesson 58:</b> Myths/Legends <b>Lesson 60:</b> Autobiographies/Biographies
<b>4.4 d</b> Identify major events and supporting details.	<b>Lesson 32:</b> Main Idea and Supporting Details <b>Lesson 40:</b> Plot
<b>4.4 e</b> Describe the relationship between text and previously read materials.	<b>Lesson 39:</b> Connecting Text to Text/Self/World
<b>4.4 f</b> Identify sensory words.	<b>Lesson 46:</b> Imagery and Sensory Details
<b>4.5 a</b> Use text organizers, such as type, headings, and graphics, to predict and organize information.	<b>Lesson 24:</b> Headings and Subheadings <b>Lesson 35:</b> Predictions
<b>4.5 b</b> Formulate questions that might be answered in the selection.	<b>Lesson 35:</b> Predictions
<b>4.5 c</b> Explain the author's purpose.	<b>Lesson 30:</b> Author's Purpose
<b>4.5 d</b> Make simple inferences, using information from texts.	<b>Lesson 36:</b> Inferences
<b>4.5 e</b> Draw conclusions, using information from texts.	<b>Lesson 34:</b> Conclusions
<b>4.5 f</b> Summarize content of selection, identifying important ideas and providing details for each important idea.	<b>Lesson 32:</b> Main Idea and Supporting Details <b>Lesson 33:</b> Summarize
<b>4.5 g</b> Describe relationship between content and previously learned concepts or skills.	<b>Lesson 39:</b> Connecting Text to Text/Self/World
<b>4.5 h</b> Distinguish between cause and effect and between fact and opinion.	<b>Lesson 26:</b> Cause and Effect <b>Lesson 37:</b> Fact and Opinion
<b>4.6 b</b> Collect information, using the resources of the media center, including online, print, and media resources.	<b>Lesson 59:</b> News Articles