

# South Carolina English Language Arts Curriculum Standards Correlated to Merit Software Reading Comprehension College Preparatory Programs

Standard	Expectations	Merit Software
<p>The student will integrate various cues and strategies to comprehend what he or she reads.</p>	<p>E1-R1.1 Demonstrate the ability to read independently and to gain information.</p> <p>E1-R1.2 Demonstrate the ability to make connections in a text</p> <p>E1-R1.4 Demonstrate the ability to evaluate the clarity and accuracy of information</p> <p>E1-R1.7 Begin analyzing the relationships among thesis (main idea), evidence (concrete supporting details), and argument to evaluate claims made in informational texts such as newspaper editorials and campaign speeches.</p> <p>E1-R1.8 Demonstrate the ability to draw conclusions and make inferences.</p>	<p>Accu-Reading</p> <p>Developing Critical Thinking Skills for Effective Reading for Upper Grades</p>