

WV TREE Resource: English Language Arts

Resource Name: Analyzing Grammar Pet Peeves

Grade Level(s): 5th Grade 6th Grade 7th Grade 8th Grade 9th Grade
 10th Grade 11th Grade 12th Grade

Resource Summary/Overview: This resource from readthinkwrite.org gets to the heart of why grammar matters in a way that students may be able to connect to and understand. While the letter is dated, many students can relate to the representation of grammar and intellect or class as in our increasingly online world the grammar of what we say says many things about us.

Length: One to two 45 minutes classes, but could be extended with enrichment

Domain(s) Addressed: Reading Writing Speaking/Listening Language

West Virginia College- and Career-Readiness Standards:

ELA.11.11 In informational text, analyze and evaluate the effectiveness of the structure the author uses in his or her argument including whether the structure makes points clear, convincing, and engaging.

ELA.11.38 Apply knowledge of how language functions to understand how language functions in different contexts to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.

Delivery Method(s): Direct Instruction Whole Group Pairs
 Small Group Computer-based Individual
 Other (explain): [Click here to enter text.](#)

Resource Materials: Text(s) Handouts Media Rubric
 Other (explain): [Click here to enter text.](#)

Resource Purpose(s): Engage/Activate Introduce Topic/Skill Review Topic/Skill
 Formative Assessment Summative Assessment
 Reinforce Skill Enrichment Intervention/Support
 Other (explain): [Click here to enter text.](#)