



**PARCC Paper Practice Test Answer and Alignment Document**  
**ELA/Literacy: Grade 4**

<b>Unit 1</b>		
<b>Items 1-7</b>		
<b>Task:</b> Literary Analysis (LAT)		
<b>Passage 1:</b> “Just Like Home” by Mathengi Subramanian		
<b>Item Number</b>	<b>Answer</b>	<b>Standards Alignment</b>
1	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> C	RL1; RL4
2	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> D	RL1; RL3
3	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> B	RL1; RL3
<b>Passage 2:</b> “Life Doesn’t Frighten Me” by Maya Angelou		
4	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> D	RL1; RL4
5	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> C	RL1; RL2
<b>Passage 1:</b> “Just Like Home” by Mathengi Subramanian and <b>Passage 2:</b> “Life Doesn’t Frighten Me” by Maya Angelou		
6	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> D	RL1; RL5
7	<b>Item Type:</b> PCR Refer to Grade 4-5 Scoring Rubric	RL1; RL2; W2; W4-10
<b>Items 8-11</b>		
<b>Passage Type:</b> Literary S/M		
<b>Passage:</b> “The Elephant and the Crocodile” by H. Berkeley Score		
<b>Item Number</b>	<b>Answer</b>	<b>Standards Alignment</b>
8	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> D	RL1; RL4; L4; L5
9	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> B	RL1; RL3
10	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> D	RL1; RL3
11	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> D	RL1; RL2

<b>Unit 2</b>		
<b>Items 1-9</b>		
<b>Task:</b> Research Simulation (RST)		
<b>Passage 1 :</b> from “The Wild Horses of Assateague Island” (National Park Service)		
<b>Item Number</b>	<b>Answer</b>	<b>Standards Alignment</b>
1	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> A	RI1; RI4; L4
2	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> B	RI1; RI3
3	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> B	RI1; RI3
<b>Passage 2:</b> “Wild Ponies of Chincoteague” by Annika Brynn Jenkins		
4	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> D <b>Part B:</b> A	RI1; RI3
5	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> D <b>Part B:</b> B	RI1; RI5
<b>Passage 1 :</b> from “The Wild Horses of Assateague Island” and <b>Passage 2:</b> “Wild Ponies of Chincoteague” by Annika Brynn Jenkins		
6	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> D <b>Part B:</b> C	RI1; RI6
<b>Passage 3:</b> “In Thunder and Rain, Chincoteague Ponies Make Annual Swim” by Stefanie Dazio		
7	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> A	RI1; RI4; L4
8	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> C	RI1; RI2
<b>Passage 1 :</b> from “The Wild Horses of Assateague Island”; <b>Passage 2:</b> “Wild Ponies of Chincoteague” by Annika Brynn Jenkins; and <b>Passage 3:</b> “In Thunder and Rain, Chincoteague Ponies Make Annual Swim” by Stefanie Dazio		
9	<b>Item Type:</b> PCR Refer to Grade 4-5 Scoring Rubric	RI1; RI7; RI9; W2; W4-10

<b>Unit 3</b>		
<b>Items: 1-11</b>		
<b>Task:</b> Narrative (NWT)		
<b>Passage:</b> "Those Wacky Shoes" by Julie Parker Amery		
1	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> B, E	RL1; RL2
2	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> C	RL1; RL3
3	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> A	RL1; RL3
4	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> C	RL1; RL2
5	<b>Item Type:</b> PCR Refer to Grade 4-5 Scoring Rubric	W3-10
<b>Items: 6-11</b>		
<b>Passage Type:</b> Informational M/L		
<b>Passage:</b> "The Peanut Man" (America's Library)		
6	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> C, E	RI1; RI4; L4
7	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> B <b>Part B:</b> C	RI1; RI 2
8	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> A <b>Part B:</b> D	RI1; RI2
9	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> D <b>Part B:</b> D, F	RI1; RI2
10	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> D	RI1; RI8
11	<b>Item Type:</b> EBSR <b>Part A:</b> C <b>Part B:</b> D	RI1; RI3