## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Writing Map

September	* Compare and contrast (Cross text comparison - MEAP Binder - Val's) - (Could write short paragraphs comparing 2 sports, etc)
	* MEAP writing prompt: Summer Memory (Score using MEAP 6 point rubric)
	* Peace Books - simile/metaphor  * Parts of Speech Tales - Nouns
- Expanding Sentences (2 days?)	
- Daisy Comes Home (2 weeks)	
- Eats, Shoots, and Leaves – commas and changing meaning (2 days)	
-The Spooky House (1 week)	
* Parts of Speech Tales - Verbs	
November	* Research Project (Expository) - Use Informational Writing Rubric
	- (Planets?) _How to research, take notes, consolidate info, etc.
	2 sources, research
	Take notes, consolidate info
	Write report
	Parts of Speech Tales - Adjectives

	* Persuasive - (Use "Persuasive Writing Rubric")
December	- Components
	- Short piece
	- Santa letter
	* Parts of Speech Tales - Adverbs
January	* Expository - Use "Informational Writing Rubric"
	Put scores on 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester grades
	EX: (Could do "School News Pop-up")
	* Parts of Speech Tales - Pronouns
February	* Mystery -Use Narrative Writing Rubric-could use mystery checklist additionally)
	* Parts of Speech Tales - Conjunctions
March	* Persuasive - Use Persuasive Writing Rubric
	Ex: editorials
	* Parts of Speech Tales - Prepositions
April	* Pourquoi Tale - Use Narrative Rubric and Pourquoi checklist
	(Goes along with Guests and Systems unit)
	* Another Narrative if time
	* Parts of Speech Tales - Interjections

May	* Middle School Prompt (Score using MEAP 6 point rubric)  (Do NOT file-send all in envelope to MS)
	* Poetry (Your choice or poetry binder focusing parts of speech)

This is just a framework that hits all GLCE's in both semesters. Rubrics for Narrative, expository, and persuasive have been included. Items mentioned above will be sent to buildings, but, of course, You may choose to use your own materials to hit the genres. You may have time to add more lessons as well.