

The next phase of development in ELA Guidebooks is <u>supports for diverse learners</u>. The Department piloted units in grades 6-8 this spring and made updates based on feedback from teachers.

The grades 6-8 revised guidebook units with supports for diverse learners are available now for free through <u>LearnZillion</u>. To access the revised units, click on the grade and unit page. The revisions are linked at the top. LearnZillion will also continue to house the ELA Guidebooks 2.0 units. There will be sessions at the Summit focused on how to access and use the grades 6-8 revised guidebook units.

The Department will also be piloting supports for diverse learners in the fall with grades 3-5 to ensure they work for Louisiana teachers and students.

The following units will be piloted:

- Grade 3 Louisiana Purchase
- Grade 4 American Revolution
- Grade 5 The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe
- Grade 5 Wonderstruck

A recorded training on the pilot materials, access links to the pilot materials, and a form for providing feedback will be released in August 2018 via the Department's newsletters. The Department will be looking for feedback through December 2018. All updated units for grades for grades 3-5 will be released by March 2019.