

Good Morning Board: Grade 5, Cluster 8, Module 4

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Day	GRADUATE Stage	Yesterday We Learned	Today We Will...	Passage(s)	Supplies	Quick Think	Thinking Level
1	Gather + Reveal	Last module, we presented source-based explanations and transferred the Research HABIT to new content.	Gather the monthlong research purpose, reveal the Final Research Prompt, and plan the complete research paper.	"The Change Files: How Questions Become Decisions"	Passage, Pencil, Highlighter, Research plan	How do you turn a month of research into one clear answer about change?	Foundational
2	Attempt	We gathered the monthlong research purpose and planned the complete research paper from the Final Prompt.	Attempt the Human Research Paper by selecting the strongest evidence from both sources and organizing the full argument.	"The Change Files: How Questions Become Decisions"	Passage, Pencil, All research notes	How do you decide which evidence from the entire month is strong enough for your final paper?	Emergent
3	Discuss + Use	We selected the strongest evidence from all sources and organized the full argument for the research paper.	Discuss how the two sources work together and use evidence from all four research passages to write the conclusion.	"The Change Files: How Questions Become Decisions"	Passage, Pencil, Workbook	How does writing a conclusion for a research paper differ from writing one for an ECR?	Visible
4	Award + Target	We discussed how sources work together and wrote the research paper conclusion using all four passages.	Award a specific strength, target one next move, and revise for publication quality.	"The Change Files: How Questions Become Decisions"	Passage, Pencil, Workbook	What does 'publication quality' mean, and how do you know when your paper has reached it?	Independent
5	Educate + Explain	We awarded specific strengths and revised the entire research paper for publication quality.	Edit the paper for publication, present the source-based explanation, and deliver the final research product.	"The Change Files: How Questions Become Decisions"	Passage, Pencil, Workbook, Final paper	What is the most important thing you learned about research writing this year that you will carry into sixth grade?	Reflective