

Sierra Verde STEAM
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General SAGE Information

The following are the learner needs that are provided for the gifted student in the SAGE classroom.

- Academically challenging, complex, and intriguing
- Integration of higher level thinking skills into curriculum
- Transfer of learning into a broader context, real life, and /or other subject matter
- Integration of multiple d

General Homework Guidelines

Deer Valley K-8 Promotion, Retention, acceleration & Grading Handbook
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Thinking Maps

Math

The Sierra Verde SAGE math program looks at mathematics as a "legged stool".

Assessments

Per district policy, a 60% is proficient. However, any Mid-unit or final unit assessment earning 60% or below and the student meets the *Retake criteria, qualifies for an Assessment Retake in SAGE.

Cheating on an assessment earns a score of F/59% and does not meet the Retake Criteria.

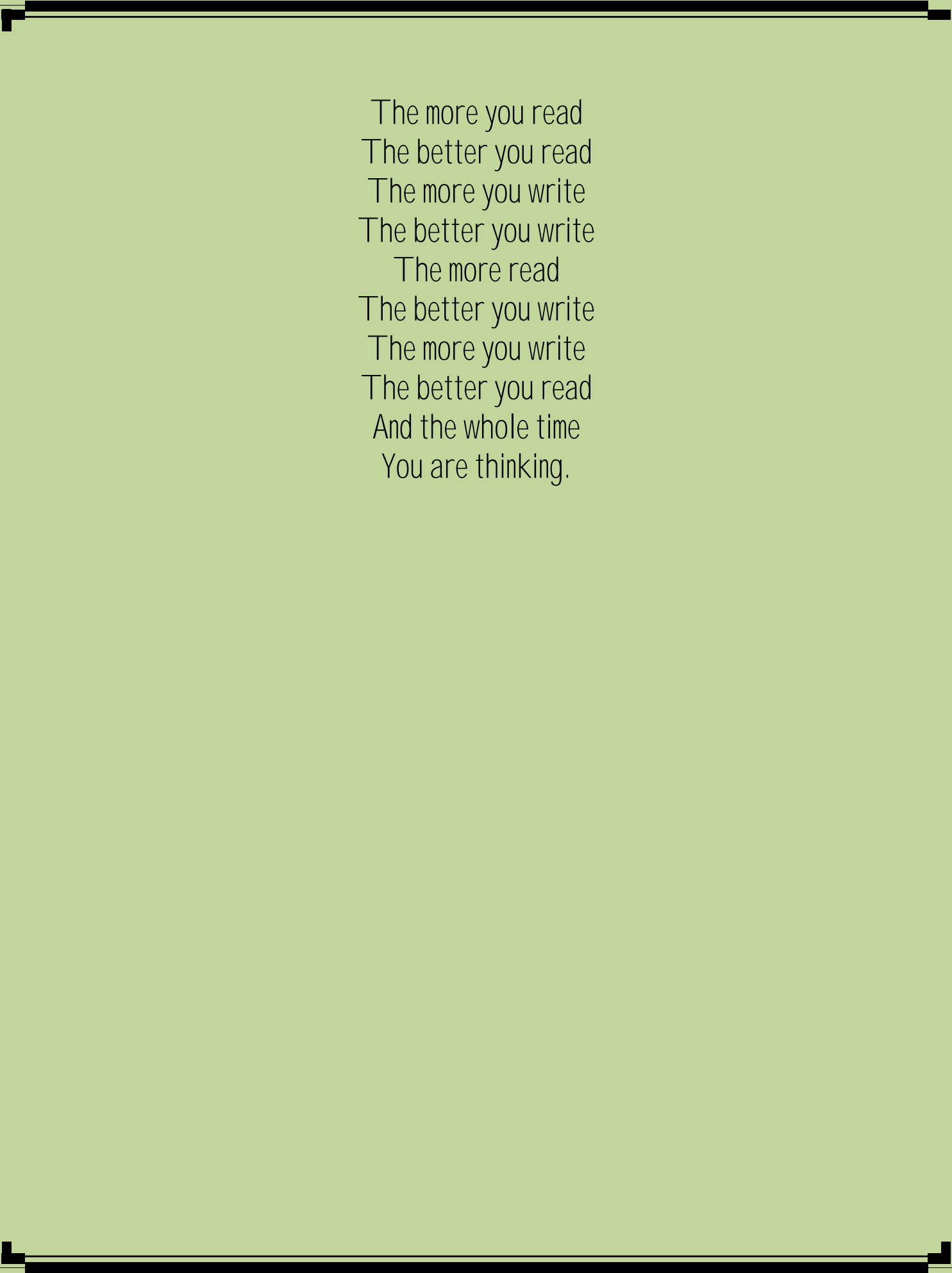
Talking during tests and quizzes does not meet the Retake criteria. However, a student talking during a test or quiz can complete a Test Correction for a half a point each missed problem if the student scored a 60% or below.

A student not meeting the Retake criteria and scores a 60% or lower on a Unit or Mid-Unit assessment does meet the Test Correction criteria. Students correct each incorrect question and can earn a half a point for each correct answer. These half points will be added to their Unit or Mid-Unit assessment score.

If you sign out your student early, please check the SAGE website for home705e

Reading

Reading and practicing reading is foundational in developing strong readers. The College of William & Mary The Center for Gifted Education and Jr Great Books are the district adopted reading texts, Thinking Maps, and Depth and Complexity will be



The more you read
The better you read
The more you write
The better you write
The more read
The better you write
The more you write
The better you read
And the whole time
You are thinking.