Level 5

Communication

- Initiate, sustain, and conclude conversations on a variety of personal, general, and academic topics.
- Express a wide range of feelings and support opinions.
- Use a wide range of strategies to negotiate meaning.
- Understand and interpret extended discourse in major time frames.
- Comprehend main ideas and some details in most authentic, spoken language.
- Comprehend and interpret a variety of written materials and literature.
- · Write a series of coherent paragraphs.
- Research and write reports on a variety of topics for diverse audiences.
- · Respond in writing to reflect understanding of a variety of texts.

Cultures

- Identify, analyze, and evaluate themes, ideas, and perspectives related to the products being studied.
- Identify styles/influences of artistic products from various periods of target culture.

Connections, Comparisons, and Communities

- Analyze information from various authentic sources about interdisciplinary topics.
- Analyze and discuss how words are interrelated across languages.
- Contrast and discuss how a social issue is treated in own and target culture media.
- Compare how people of target culture and own culture view global topics.
- Participate in a community and/or school service projects.