

Academic Word List 3

These words are the academic words needed for a student to understand the ELA standards covered in Chapters 7 and 8 of the Holt Literature & Language Arts textbook for eighth grade. Checkmarks indicate which chapters use each word on the list; a small, black bullet indicates a word from Academic Word List 1 or 2.

Word	Chap 7	Chap 8
ability	✓■	
analysis	✓■	
analyze	✓■	
appropriate	✓■	
attitudes	✓	
coherence	✓	
compare	✓■	✓■
complex		✓
comprehension	✓■	✓■
consistent	✓	
consumer		✓
context	✓■	
contract		✓
contrast	✓■	✓■
development	✓■	
device		✓■
document		✓
element		✓■
evaluate	✓■	
explain		✓
feature		✓
figurative	✓■	
fluency	✓■	
focus	✓■	✓■
heritage	✓	
infer	✓■	
informational	✓■	✓■

Word	Chap 7	Chap 8
internal	✓	
literal	✓■	
literary	✓■	
literature	✓■	
logic	✓	
manual		✓
mechanical		✓
pattern	✓■	
reflects	✓	
response	✓■	
situation		✓■
structural	✓■	
systematic	✓■	
technical		✓
text	✓■	
traditions	✓	
unity	✓	
variety		✓
verify	✓■	
warranty		✓