## **Grades 6-11 High Level Blueprint**

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Unit	Task/Item Set	Number of Passages	Claims/Sub-Claims	Number of Points from EBSR/TECR Items	Number of Points from PCR Items
Unit 1	Literary	2	Reading: Literary Text	8	4
	Analysis Task		Reading: Vocabulary	4	0
			Writing: Written Expression	0	12
			Writing: Knowledge of	0	3
			Language and Conventions		
	Long Passage	1	Reading: Informational Text	10	N/A
	Set		or Reading: Literary Text		
			Reading Vocabulary	2	
Unit 2	Research	3	Reading: Informational Text	12	4
	Simulation Task		Reading: Vocabulary	4	0
			Writing: Written Expression	0	12
			Writing: Knowledge of	0	3
			Language and Conventions		
	Short Passage Set	1	Reading: Informational Text	6	N/A
			or Reading: Literary Text		
			Reading Vocabulary	2	
Unit 3	Narrative Writing Task	1	Reading: Literary Text	8	0
			Reading: Vocabulary	0	0
			Writing: Written Expression	0	12
			Writing: Knowledge of	0	3
			Language and Conventions		
	Paired	2	Reading: Major Claim	10	N/A
	Passage Set		Reading: Vocabulary	2	
Totals		10		68 Reading	8 Reading 45 Writing

<sup>\*</sup>An additional field test unit will sometimes be embedded in the assessment. PARCC states will determine the implementation of the embedded field test unit.