## Oklahoma State Department of Education Office of English Language Proficiency



## Steps for Creating Language Expectations from WIDA English Language Development Standards Framework and Identifying Language Features

- 1. Identify target Oklahoma Academic Standard(s).
- 2. Determine **Key Language Use** in Oklahoma Academic Standard(s).
- Go to WIDA English Language Development Standards Framework and locate Grade Level
   Cluster for identified Key Language Use for Standard 1 Language for Social and Instructional
   Purposes and identify Language Functions that coordinate with Oklahoma Academic
   Standard(s).
- Locate Grade Level Cluster for identified Key Language Use for WIDA's content English Language
   Development Standard 2-5 and identify Language Functions that coordinate with Oklahoma
   Academic Standard(s).
- 5. Locate and choose sample **Language Features** for selected **Expressive Language Functions** based on students' needs.
- 6. Unpack selected Language Features by homing in on key types of sentences, clauses, phrases, and words students will need to meet <u>Oklahoma Academic Standard(s)</u>. (If you are unsure of what a Language Feature is referring to, please refer to the Glossary in the <u>WIDA English</u> <u>Language D Standards Framework</u>).