

# 1st 9 Weeks 5th Grade ELA “I Can Statements”

## **Reading:**

1. I can quote and infer from text.
2. I can determine the theme, two or more main ideas and key details, summarize the text, and explain character actions.
3. I can compare and contrast characters, settings, or events with specific details, and explain relationships in informational texts.
4. I can determine the meaning of words and phrase in a text.
5. I can understand point of view.
6. I can explain how an author supports his points with reasons and evidence.

## **Foundational Skills:**

1. I can use my knowledge of all letter-sound, correspondences, syllabication patterns, roots, and affixes to read multisyllabic words.
2. I can read familiar and unfamiliar texts with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.

## **Writing:**

1. I can effectively write a narrative piece using descriptive details and sequential events.
2. I can produce clear and coherent writing.
3. I can use the writing process to improve my writing (with help).
4. I can use evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
5. I can summarize a speaker’s main points using supportive reasons.

## **Language:**

1. I can write and speak, demonstrating command of Standard English grammar and conventions.
2. I can capitalize, punctuate, and spell accurately when writing.
3. I can read and discuss writing styles and use this in my writing, speaking, and listening.
4. I can use context clues to clarify the meaning of unfamiliar words.
5. I can acquire and use accurately fifth grade words in all subjects.

## **Helpful Websites:**

[www.RAZ-kids.com](http://www.RAZ-kids.com)

[www.timeforkids.com](http://www.timeforkids.com)

[www.si.edu/Kids](http://www.si.edu/Kids)

[www.newsELA.com](http://www.newsELA.com)

[www.storybird.com](http://www.storybird.com)

[www.khanacademy.org](http://www.khanacademy.org)

[www.discoveryeducation.com](http://www.discoveryeducation.com)