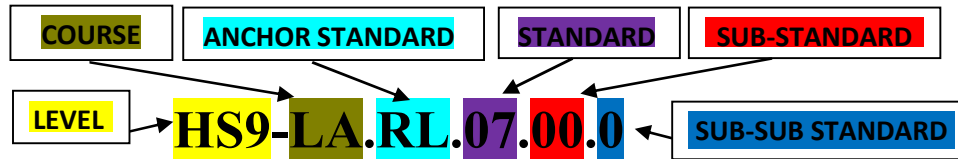


Diocesan Standards Coding System

The following information is intended to help you understand that Diocesan Standards Coding System used to number the diocesan standards.



LEVEL = There are basically three **LEVELS**:

- " EL = Elementary, will be followed by grade **level** K-5
- " MS = Middle School, will be followed by grade level 6-8
- " HS = High School, will be followed by grade level 9-12standards/

A **LEVEL** code might be followed by a special code that indicates grade, e.g., K – 12.

COURSE = The **COURSE** code indicates the course or subject area of the standard.

- " ART = Art
- " HL = Health
- " LA = Language Arts
- " MA = Math
- " MU = Music
- " SCI = Science
- " SS = Social Studies
- " PE = Physical Education
- " REL = Religion

ANCHOR STANDARD = this alpha-numeric code indicates the broad area of the grade or course subject. See the charts below to translate the anchor codes. Physical Education and Social Studies only have one anchor code and they are 'PE' and 'SS', respectively.

STANDARD = part of the code is simply a number that is assigned to this particular standard.

SUB-STANDARD = part of the code is a 00 or capital letter that is assigned to this particular sub-standard under the standard. All Essential Standards are 00. Priority Standards will be a 00 followed by an * (ex. 00*)

SUB-SUB STANDARD = part of the code is a 0 or lower case number that is assigned to this particular sub-sub-standard under the sub-standard, this small letter indicates another subdivision of the standard. A '0' indicates there is no sub-sub-standard for this sub-standard.

Language Arts

Course Code	
Pk-12	
LA	Language Arts
Anchor Standards	
Pk-8	
RF	Reading Foundations
RL	Reading Standards for Literature
RI	Reading Standards for Informational Text
W	Writing Standards
SL	Speaking and Listening Standards
L	Language Standards
9-12	
R	Research
RL	Reading Standards for Literature
RI	Reading Standards for Informational Text
W	Writing Standards
SL	Speaking and Listening Standards
SS	Study Skills
L	Language Standards