# Advanced Language Arts Placement Test Study Guide

## Poetry:

- How to paraphrase a poem
- How to analyze a poem
- Finding/writing literary elements in poetry
  - Alliteration
  - o Repetition
  - o Onomatopoeia
  - o Rhyme
  - o Rhythm
  - o Hyperbole
  - Metaphor/extended metaphor
  - o Simile
- Finding the theme of a poem
- Finding the speaker in a poem

### Writing:

- Sentence/paragraph flow
- Word variation
- Sentence/paragraph structure
- Subject/verb agreement
- Correct spelling
- Correct punctuation
- Detailed description

#### Reading:

- Comprehension
- Analysis
- Fluidity
- Speed

#### Grammar:

- Identify a noun, verb, adjective, adverb
- Identify subject, predicate, direct object, prepositional phrase