Elementari Lesson Plan

Title: Interactive Structure	**Subject:** English/Writing

Topic: Understanding Structure	**Grade: 4**	**Designer(s):** L Spilsbury

Stage 1: Desired Results

Established Goals: ❓

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.4.5.
Describe the overall structure (e.g., chronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or information in a text or part of a text.

Understandings: ❓	**Essential Questions:** ❓
Students will understand… • A variety of elements that make up the structure of a story, including chronology, cause/effect, problems, etc. • The purpose of structural story elements	• How do various types of structure drive a story forward? • How can a story change if the structure is changed?
Students will know… • The influence structure has on plot outcome (using Elementari's Choose-Your-Own-Adventure stories) • The purpose of each sturctural component	*Students will be able to…* • Incorporate structural components into their own writing • Recognize the impact structure (such as cause/effect) can have on a story

Stage 2: Assessment Evidence

Performance Tasks: ❓	**Other Evidence:** ❓
• Students will document how their decisions in the Choose Your Own Adventure stories changed the structure/outcome of the stories	• Students will match definitions for various structural components

Stage 3: Learning Plan

Learning Activities: ❓

• Students will be taught various sturctural component definitions and given examples of each from texts
• Students will be assigned Choose Your Own Adventure type stories on Elementari to see how structure can be impacted based on decisions made in a text
• Students will document how the decisions they made as the reader/characters influenced the stucture of the text
• Students will discuss how structure impacts the creation of a story