

Protocol to Unwrap Priority Standards

Directions: To unwrap priority standards, answer the following questions.

1. **What priority standard (or standards) are we targeting?** Record the priority standard in the space provided.

2. **What will students need to do to be proficient?** Find and capitalize (or circle) pertinent verbs in the standard. The verbs—together with the content and concepts (step 3)—pinpoint the exact skills students need in order to achieve proficiency of this standard. List the verbs in the space provided.

3. **With what content and concepts will students need to apply these skills?** Find and underline the nouns and phrases which represent the content and concepts to be taught, and list them in the space provided.