



## The Common Core Companion: The Standards Decoded, Grades 6-8: What They Say, What They Mean, How to Teach Them

By Jim Burke

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