

Unit 1: Neighborhood Visit

LESSON	Selections	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	COMPREHENSION/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing		VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
1	Main Selection Henry and Mudge Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection All in the Family Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • We Camp • The Picnic Ants	Identify Phonemes Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics Short Vowels a, i CVC Syllable Pattern Fluency Accuracy: Word Recognition	around, be, five, help, next, or, pull, take, until, walked	Skill Sequence of Events Strategy Infer/Predict Author's Craft Word Choice Listening, Speaking, Viewing Listen for a Purpose	s f c v s c r	Target Vocabulary Curly Straight Floppy Grooled Weighed Stood Collars OW Vocabulary Strategies Alphabetical Order	Spelling Principle Short Vowels a, i Spelling Words Basic: sad, dig, jam, glad, list, win, flat, if, fix, rip, kit, mask Review: as, his Challenge: sandwich, picnic	Grammar Skill Subjects and Predicates	Writing Mode Write to Narrate Writing Form Sentences That Tell a True Story Focus Trait Ideas
2	Main Selection My Family Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Family Poetry Genre: Poetry Decodable Readers • Bud, Ben, and Roz • The Funny Hat Contest	Identify Phonemes Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics Short Vowels o, u, e CVC Syllable Pattern Fluency Accuracy: Connected Text	bring, children, comes, do, family, like, make, those, use, with	Skill Compare and Contrast Strategy Question Author's Craft Word Choice: Descriptive Details Listening, Speaking, Viewing Interpret Poems	r c s s v	Target Vocabulary remembered corch crown spend stuck visit cousin coiano Vocabulary Strategies Using a Glossary	Spelling Principle Short Vowels o, u, e Spelling Words Basic: wet, job, hug, rest, spot, mud, left, help, plum, nut, net, hot Review: get, not Challenge: lunch, spend	Grammar Skill Complete Sentences	Writing Mode Write to Narrate Writing Form Friendly Letter Focus Trait Voice
3	Main Selection Henry and Mudge Under the Yellow Moon Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Outdoor Adventures Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers City Ride Mice Can Race	Blend Phonemes Sort Phonemes	Phonics • Long Vowels a, i • Sounds for c Fluency Accuracy: Self-correct	city, full, no, think, other, places, put, school, sing, think, this	Skill Author's Purpose Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Author's Craft Word Choice Listening, Speaking, Viewing Hold a Conversation or Discussion	t t c k F S	Target Vocabulary woods rurned ops chipmunks busy bicked south grew Vocabulary Strategies Multiple-Meaning Words	Spelling Principle Long Vowels a, i Spelling Words Basic: cake, mine, plate, size, ate, grape, prize, wipe, race, line, pile, rake Review: gave, bike Challenge: mistake, while	Grammar Skill Statements and Questions	Writing Mode Write to Narrate Writing Form Sentences That Describe Focus Trait Word Choice



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4	Main Selection Diary of a Spider Genre: Humorous Fiction Paired Selection A Swallow and a Spider Genre: Fable Decodable Readers A Bed of Roses Swim Like a Frog	Segment, Substitute Phonemes Sort Phonemes	Phonics Long Vowels o, u, e Sounds for g Fluency Intonation	mind, could, today, play, cheer, hello, read, see, by, hundred	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Summarize Author's Craft Personification Listening, Speaking, Viewing Retell a Story	Target Vocabulary rotten sticky insects scare judge screaming dangerous breeze Vocabulary Strategies Context Clues	Spelling Principle Long Vowels o, u Spelling Words Basic: doze, nose, use, rose, pole, close, cute, woke, mule, rode, role, tune Review: home, joke Challenge: wrote, ice cube	Grammar Skill What Is a Noun?	Writing Mode Write to Narrate Writing Form True Story Focus Trait Ideas
5	Main Selection Teacher's Pets Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection See Westburg by Bus! Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • Flint Cove Clambake • The Stop and Spend Sale	Segment Phonemes	Phonics Consonant Blends with r, l, s Fluency Phrasing: Punctuation	table, says, little, find, both, cold, long, green, we, eat	Skill Story Structure Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Repetition Listening, Speaking, Viewing Follow and Give Directions	Target Vocabulary share noticed suddenly bursting noises wonderful quiet sprinkled Vocabulary Strategies Base Words and Endings -ed, -ing	Spelling Principle Consonant Blends with r, l, s Spelling Words Basic: spin, clap, grade, swim, place, last, test, skin, drag, glide, just, stage Review: slip, drive Challenge: climb, price	Grammar Skill Singular and Plural Nouns	Writing Mode Write to Narrate Writing Form True Story Focus Trait Sentence Fluency
	Main Selections				Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing			Grammar	
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA44: The Vain Peacock Genre: Fable Student Magazine, p. RA12: Activity Central: "Speak Up!" Student Book, p. 15: Henry and Mudge Genre: Realistic Fiction Student Book, p. 114: A Swallow and a Spider Genre: Fable				Comprehension: Determine the Moral Comprehension: Distinguish Points of View Listening and Speaking: Create Audio Recordings			Grammar: Collective Nouns	

*Penmanship addressed with Phonics skill on Day 1. **Formal lesson for Concepts of Print skill on Day 2.



Unit 2: Nature Watch

LESSON	SELECTIONS	PHONEMIC AWARENESS	Phonics/Fluency	HIGH FREQUENCY WORDS	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
6	Main Selection Animals Building Homes Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Hiding at the Pond Genre: Play Decodable Readers • A Job for Bob • Baby Animals	• Identify Phonemes	Phonics Common Final Blends nd, ng, nk, nt, ft, xt, mp Fluency Expression	bear, work, animals, know, most, myself, sleep, second, three, she	Skill Text and Graphic Features Strategy Question Author's Craft Word Choice Listening, Speaking, Viewing Nonverbal Cues	Target Vocabulary beaks break deepest hang pond shaped winding branches Vocabulary Strategies Base Words and Prefixes un-, re-	Spelling Principle Common Final Blends nd, ng, nt, ft, xt, mp, nk Spelling Words Basic: next, end, camp, sank, sing, drink, hunt, stand, long, stamp, pond, bring Review: jump, left Challenge: young, friend	Grammar Skill More Plural Nouns	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Informational Paragraph Focus Trait Ideas
7	Main Selection The Ugly Vegetables Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection They Really Are GIANT! Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • Jill and Mack • Rabbit's Muffins	Sort Phonemes Identify Medial Phonemes	Phonics Double Consonants and ck Double Consonants (CVC) Fluency Accuracy: Connected Text	pictures, air, pretty, told, window, funny, try, he, cried, car	Skill Conclusions Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Author's Craft Personification Listening, Speaking, Viewing Monitor Understanding and Ask Questions	Target Vocabulary blooming muscles nodded plain scent shovels tough wrinkled Vocabulary Strategies Homophones	Spelling Principle Double Consonants and ck Spelling Words Basic: dress, spell, class, full, add, neck, stuck, kick, rock, black, trick, doll Review: will, off Challenge: across, pocket	Grammar Skill Proper Nouns	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Summary Paragraph Focus Trait Organization
8	Main Selection Super Storms Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Weather Poems Genre: Poetry Decodable Readers • Splish! Splash! Whales • Drifting Up, Up, Up	Substitute Phonemes Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics Consonant Digraphs th, sh, wh, ch, tch, ph Base Words and Endings –s, –ed, –ing Fluency Rate	few, people, eye, high, my, open, yellow, happy, starts, before	Skill Main Ideas and Details Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Word Choice: Sensory Words Listening, Speaking, Viewing Computer Basics	Target Vocabulary flash equal damage reach pounding prevent beware bend Vocabulary Strategies Compound Words	Spelling Principle Words with th, sh, wh, ch, tch Spelling Words Basic: dish, than, chest, such, thin, push, shine, chase, white, while, these, flash Review: which, then Challenge: catch, thumb	Grammar Skill What Is a Verb?	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Informational Paragraph Focus Trait Voice



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9	Main Selection How Chipmunk Got His Stripes Genre: Folktale Paired Selection Why Rabbits Have Short Tails Genre: Traditional Tale Decodable Readers Maybe So Racing Away!	Add Phonemes Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics • Base Words and Endings -ed, -ing • CV Syllable Pattern Fluency Phrasing: Punctuation	kept, would, afraid, own, show, might, why, many, for, dark	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Summarize Author's Craft Repetition Listening, Speaking, Viewing Listen to Compare and Contrast	Target Vocabulary curled direction healed height toward tunnel tease brag Vocabulary Strategies Synonyms	Spelling Principle -ed, and -ing Endings Spelling Words Basic: liked, using, riding, chased, spilled, making, closed, hoping, baked, hiding, standing, asked Review: mixed, sleeping Challenge: teasing, knocking	Grammar Skill Verbs in the Present	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Instructions Focus Trait Ideas
10	Main Selection Jellies Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Meet Norbert Wu Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers Let's Have Fun I'm Going to Win	Add and Delete Phonemes	Phonics • Contractions Fluency Stress	really, you, because, right, go, they, was, me, old, better	Skill Fact and Opinion Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Word Choice: Comparisons Listening, Speaking, Viewing Computer: Dictionary	Target Vocabulary decide disgusting drift millions simple wrapped choices weaker Vocabulary Strategies Base Words and Suffixes -er, -est	Spelling Principle Contractions Spelling Words Basic: I'm, don't, isn't, can't, we'll, it's, I've, didn't, you're, that's, wasn't, you've Review: us, them Challenge: they're, wouldn't	Grammar Skill Verbs in the Present, Past, and Future	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Instructions Focus Trait Word Choice
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA14: Nature Poems and Songs "Afternoon on a Hill" Genre: Poem "The Swing" Genre: Poem "There's a Hole at the Bottom of the Sea" Genre: Song Student Magazine, p. RA20: Activity Central: "Let's Talk" Student Book, p. 259: How Chipmunk Got His Stripes Genre: Folktale				Comprehension: Rhythm and Meaning in Poems and a Song Comprehension: Describe Rhythm and Meaning in a Story Listening and Speaking: Hold a Discussion				



Unit 3: Tell Me About It

LESSON	Selections	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
11	Main Selection Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type Genre: Humorous Fiction Paired Selection Talk About Smart Animals! Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers Jess Makes Gifts Cooking with Mom Fox	Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics • Base Words and Endings -s, -es Fluency Expression	another, heard, some, kind, light, hard, more, grow, far, to	Skill Conclusions Strategy Infer/Predict Author's Craft Onomatopoeia Listening, Speaking, Viewing Computer: Encyclopedia	Target Vocabulary problem impossible understand impatient furious demand gathered believe Vocabulary Strategies Prefixes pre- and mis-	Spelling Principle Base Words with Endings -s, -es Spelling Words Basic: hens, eggs, ducks, bikes, boxes, wishes, dresses, names, bells, stamps, dishes, grapes Review: jets, frogs Challenge: stitches, fences	Grammar Skill Kinds of Sentences	Writing Mode Write to Persuade Writing Form Persuasive Letter Focus Trait Ideas
12	Main Selection Violet's Music Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Wolfgang Mozart, Child Superstar Genre: Biography Decodable Readers Trains The Waiting Game	Substitute Phonemes	Phonics • Vowel Digraphs ai, ay Fluency Intonation	along, against, someone, night, part, morning, hold, bird, different, girl	Skill Story Structure Strategy Question Author's Craft Alliteration Listening, Speaking, Viewing Interview	Target Vocabulary nursery shake smooth whenever hours alone real museum Vocabulary Strategies Idioms	Spelling Principle Words with ai, ay Spelling Words Basic: pay, wait, paint, train, pail, clay, tray, plain, stain, hay, gray, away Review: stay, day Challenge: raisin, birthday	Grammar Skill Kinds of Sentences	Writing Mode Write to Persuade Writing Form Opinion Paragraph Focus Trait Voice
13	Main Selection Schools Around the World Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection School Poems Genre: Poetry Decodable Readers The Shell Sheep Reef Sees the Wide World	Match Phonemes	Phonics • Vowel Digraphs ee, ea Fluency Stress	story, world, about, everything, first, store, her, two, slowly, of	Skill Author's Purpose Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Author's Craft Word Choice: Descriptive Details Listening, Speaking, Viewing Listen for and Retell Main Ideas	Target Vocabulary culture community languages transportation subjects lessons special wear Vocabulary Strategies Using a Dictionary	Spelling Principle Words with ee, ea Spelling Words Basic: free, teach, teeth, please, beach, wheel, team, speak, sneeze, sheep, meaning, weave Review: eat, read Challenge: between, reason	Grammar Skill Quotation Marks	Writing Mode Write to Persuade Writing Form Persuasive Paragraph Focus Trait Word Choice



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LESSO	N SELECTIONS	PHONEMIC Awareness	Phonics/Fluency	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	COMPREHENSION/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
14	Main Selection Helen Keller Genre: Biography Paired Selection Talking Tools Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers Bill E. Goat and Wise Crow Mud Bugs	Segment Phonemes	Phonics • Long o (o, oa, ow) Fluency Natural Pauses	front, hair, warm, started, stories, never, all, food, sky, party	Skill Main Ideas and Details Strategy Summarize Author's Craft Word Choice: Figurative Language Listening, Speaking, Viewing Computer/Internet: Navigating a Website	Target Vocabulary curious imitated knowledge motion silence illness darkness behavior Vocabulary Strategy Suffix -ly	Spelling Principle Long o (o, oa, ow) Spelling Words Basic: own, most, soap, float, both, know, loan, goat, flow, loaf, throw, coach Review: so, grow Challenge: swallow, ocean	Grammar Skill Using Proper Nouns	Writing Mode Write to Persuade Writing Form Persuasive Essay Focus Trait Ideas
15	Main Selection Officer Buckle and Gloria Genre: Humorous Fiction Paired Selection Safety at Home Genre: Play Decodable Readers • What Does It Say? • In the Grove	Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics	ever, care, thought, over, off, small, new, book, live, after	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Word Choice: Emphasis Listening, Speaking, Viewing Summarize Important Information	Target Vocabulary attention buddy obeys speech enormous safety shocked station Vocabulary Strategy Dictionary Entry	Spelling Principle Compound Words Spelling Words Basic: cannot, pancake, maybe, baseball, playground, someone, myself, classroom, sunshine, outside, upon, nothing Review: into, inside Challenge: nobody, everywhere	Grammar Skill Abbreviations	Writing Mode: Write to Persuade Writing Form Persuasive Essay Focus Trait Organization
	Main Selections				Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	VOCABULARY		Grammar	
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA22: Who's Calling? Genre: Informational Text Student Magazine, p. RA30: Activity Central: "Look It Up!"				Comprehension: Understand Diagrams	Vocabulary Strategies: Print and Digital Dictionaries		Grammar: Simple and Compound Sentences Grammar: Capitalize Proper Nouns	



UNIT 4: HEROES AND HELPERS

LESSON	Selections	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	COMPREHENSION/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
16	Main Selection Mr. Tanen's Tie Trouble Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Playground Fun! Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • Beep! Beep! • We Helped	Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics Base Words and Endings -ed, -ing Fluency Rate	gone, said, something, fly, also, saw, look, horse, river, have	Skill Story Structure Strategy Infer/Predict Author's Craft Figurative Language Listening, Speaking, Viewing Listen Critically	Target Vocabulary received account budget disappointed chuckled staring repeated fund Vocabulary Strategies Homographs	Spelling Principle Base Words with Endings -ed, -ing Spelling Words Basic: running, clapped, stopped, hopping, batted, selling, pinned, cutting, sitting, rubbed, missed, grabbed Review: mixed, going Challenge: wrapped, swelling	Grammar Skill Pronouns	Writing Mode Write to Express Writing form Fictional Narrative Paragraph Focus Trait Ideas
17	Main Selection Luke Goes to Bat Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Jackie Robinson Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • Bright Lights • Wild Cats	Segment Phonemes	Phonics • Long <i>i</i> (i, igh, ie, y) Fluency Stress	doing, sure, else, turned, blue, room, teacher, any, studied, carry	Skill Sequence of Events Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Word Choice: Specialized Language Listening, Speaking, Viewing Computer/Internet: Online Newspaper or Magazine	Target Vocabulary practice hurried position roared extra curb cheered final Vocabulary Strategies Antonyms	Spelling Principle Long i (i, igh, y) Spelling Words Basic: night, kind, spy, child, light, find, right, high, wild, July, fry, sigh Review: by, why Challenge: behind, lightning	Grammar Skill Subject-Verb Agreement	Writing Mode Write to Express Writing form Fictional Narrative Paragraph Focus Trait Voice
18	Main Selection My Name Is Gabriela Genre: Biography Paired Selection Poems About Reading and Writing Genre: Poetry Decodable Readers Bunny and the Penny Puppies	Blending Phonemes Identify Sound Placement	Phonics Long e Sound for y Changing y to i Fluency Expression	words, mother, friends, under, draw, watch, always, soon, anything, been	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Author's Craft Word Choice: Sensory Words Listening, Speaking, Viewing Listen to Make Connections	Target Vocabulary accepted express fluttering grand pretend prize wonder taught Vocabulary Strategies Suffixes -y and -ful	Spelling Principle Long e Spelled y Spelling Words Basic: happy, pretty, baby, very, puppy, funny, carry, lucky, only, sunny, penny, city Review: tiny, many Challenge: sorry, noisy	Grammar Skill The Verb be	Writing Mode Write to Express Writing form Descriptive Paragraph Focus Trait Word Choice



UNIT 4: HEROES AND HELPERS (CONTINUED)

LESSON	Selections	PHONEMIC Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING/ VIEWING	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
19	Main Selection The Signmaker's Assistant Genre: Humorous Fiction Paired Selection The Trouble with Signs Genre: Play Decodable Readers • Darling Starling • Going to the Farm	Substitute Phonemes	Phonics • Words with ar Fluency Phrasing: Punctuation	didn't, I'll, please, talk, good, is, are, baby, too, sound	Skill Text and Graphic Features Strategy Question Author's Craft Ideas in Symbols Listening, Speaking, Viewing Respond to Questions	Target Vocabulary assistant agreed polite failed tearing wisdom trouble cleared Vocabulary Strategies Synonyms	Spelling Principle Words with ar Spelling Words Basic: car, dark, arm, star, park, yard, party, hard, farm, start, part, spark Review: art, jar Challenge: carpet, apartment	Grammar Skill Commas in Dates and Places	Writing Mode Write to Express Writing Form Fictional Story Focus Trait Organization
20	Main Selection Dex: The Heart of a Hero Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection Heroes Then and Now Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • A Sporty Game • My Story	Substitute Phonemes	Phonics • R-Controlled Vowels or, ore Fluency Intonation	being, ready, I've, tall, stood, very, ground, laugh, begins, flower	Skill Compare and Contrast Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Word Choice: Figurative Language Listening, Speaking, Viewing Compare and Contrast Media Messages	Target Vocabulary depended overlooked sprang studied gazing hero exercise sore Vocabulary Strategies Prefix over-	Spelling Principle R-Controlled Vowels or, ore Spelling Words Basic: horn, story, fork, score, store, corn, morning, shore, short, born, tore, forget Review: for, more Challenge: report, force	Grammar Skill Commas in a Series	Writing Mode Write to Express Writing Form Fictional Story Focus Trait Organization
	Main Selections				Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing			Grammar	Writing
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA32: Animals Are Heroes, Too Genre: Informational Text Student Magazine, p. RA40: Activity Central: "Click On It"				Comprehension: Use Text Features Comprehension: Locate Information Online			Grammar: Reflexive Pronouns	Writing: Details in Narrative Writing



Unit 5: Changes, Changes Everywhere

LESSON	Selections	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY	High Frequency Words	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
21	Main Selection Penguin Chick Genre: Narrative Nonfiction Paired Selection Animal Poems Genre: Poetry Decodable Readers Mustangs Time to Move	Substitute Phonemes	Phonics Words with er Words with ir, ur Fluency Phrasing: Natural Pauses	nothing, move, across, took, house, voice, behind, one, how, out	Skill Main Ideas and Details Strategy Infer/Predict Author's Craft Word Choice: Sensory Words Listening, Speaking, Viewing Organize Ideas for a Speech	Target Vocabulary finally junior otherwise slippery steer waterproof webbed whistle Vocabulary Strategies Dictionary Entry	Spelling Principle Words with er Spelling Words Basic: father, over, under, herd, water, verb, paper, cracker, offer, cover, germ, master Review: fern, ever Challenge: remember, feather	Grammar Skill What Is an Adjective?	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Problem-Solution Paragraph Focus Trait Word Choice
22	Main Selection Gloria Who Might Be My Best Friend Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection How to Make a Kite Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • What's That? • Get Smarter!	Rhyme and Meaning Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics Homophones Base Words and Endings -er, -est Fluency Accuracy: Self-Correct	floor, toward, what's, found, boy, everyone, field, does, their, into	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Question Author's Craft Similes Listening, Speaking, Viewing Explain a Process	Target Vocabulary lonely seriously copy heavily planning answered guessed knot Vocabulary Strategies Figurative Language/Idioms	Spelling Principle Homophones Spelling Words Basic: meet, meat, week, weak, mane, main, tail, tale, be, bee, too, two Review: sea, see Challenge: threw, through	Grammar Skill Using Adjectives	Writing Mode Write Inform Writing Form Compare and Contrast Paragraphs Focus Trait Organization
23	Main Selection The Goat in the Rug Genre: Narrative Nonfiction Paired Selection Basket Weaving Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers Fraidy Cat Bugs in Action	Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics Suffixes -y, -ly, -ful Final Stable Syllables -tion, -ture Fluency: Rate: Adjust Rate to Purpose	knew, idea, though, down, four, give, great, large, write, coming	Skill Conclusions Strategy Summarize Author's Craft Repetition Listening, Speaking, Viewing Computer: Using Visuals	Target Vocabulary sharpening spinning strands weave yarn dye duplicated delicious Vocabulary Strategies Multiple-Meaning Words	Spelling Principle Suffixes -y, -ly, -ful Spelling Words Basic: helpful, sadly, hopeful, thankful, slowly, wishful, kindly, useful, safely, painful, mouthful, weakly Review: jumped, saying Challenge: quickly, wonderful	Grammar Skill Irregular Verbs	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Informational Paragraph Focus Trait Word Choice



Unit 5: Changes, Changes Everywhere (Continued)

LESSON	Selections	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING/ VIEWING	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
24	Main Selection Half-Chicken Genre: Folktale Paired Selection The Lion and the Mouse Genre: Traditional Tales Decodable Readers The Unreal Party Knick and Knack	Syllables in Spoken Words Segment Phonemes	Phonics • Prefixes re-, un-, over-, pre-, mis- • Silent Consonants Fluency Expression	earth, away, brothers, brown, without, here, learning, began, surprised, there	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Word Choice: Sensory Words Listening, Speaking, Viewing Give a Speech	Target Vocabulary tumbling flung tangled empty peacefully stream blazed swift Vocabulary Strategies Antonyms	Spelling Principle Prefixes re-, un-, -ful Spelling Words Basic: unhappy, retell, untangle, unkind, repaint, refill, unlike, remake, unpack, reread, unlock, replay Review: read, happy Challenge: rewrite, overheard	Grammar Skill Irregular Action Verbs	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Research Report Focus Trait Ideas
25	Main Selection How Groundhog's Garden Grew Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection Super Soil Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • A Spring Walk • The Softball Game	Substitute Phonemes	Phonics • Words with au, aw, al, o, a Fluency Phrasing: Punctuation	through, young, leaves, ball, our, done, hear, learn, were, only	Skill Sequence of Events Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Dialogue Listening, Speaking, Viewing Presenting a Report	Target Vocabulary sprouting crops blossomed underneath fortunate drooping promised harmful Vocabulary Strategies Using Context	Spelling Principle Words with aw, al, o Spelling Words Basic: tall, saw, dog, draw, call, fall, soft, paw, ball, yawn, log, small Review: all, walk Challenge: awful, wallpaper	Grammar Skill More Irregular Action Verbs	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Research Report Focus Trait Voice
	Main Selections				Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing			Grammar	Writing
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA42: Our Earth, Our Home Genre: Informational Text Student Magazine, p. RA52: Activity Central: "What Should You Say?" Student Book, p. 251: The Goat in the Rug Genre: Narrative Nonfiction				Comprehension: Make Connections in a Science Text Comprehension: Make Connections in a Procedural Text			Grammar: Formal and Informal English	Writing: Definitions in Informative Writing

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UNIT 6: WHAT A SURPRISE!

LESSON	Selections	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
26	Main Selection The Mysterious Tadpole Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection From Eggs to Frogs Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers The New Moose Follow the Clues	Segment Phonemes	Phonics • Words with oo, ew, ue, ou Fluency Accuracy: Connected Text	every, ago, won't, now, follow, head, don't, goes, again, alone	Skill Story Structure Strategy Infer/Predict Author's Craft Humor Listening, Speaking, Viewing Listen and Respond	Target Vocabulary confused ordinary control sensible suspiciously training cage upset Vocabulary Strategies Multiple-Meaning Words	Spelling Principle Words with ew, oo, oul Spelling Words Basic: root, crew, spoon, few, bloom, grew, room, you, stew, boost, scoop, flew Review: zoo, noon Challenge: shampoo, balloon	Grammar Skill Contractions	Writing Mode Write to Respond Writing Form Response Poem Focus Trait Word Choice
27	Main Selection The Dog That Dug for Dinosaurs Genre: Biography Paired Selection La Brea Tar Pits Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers • Woody Woodchuck and the Mysterious Ball • One or More	Match Phonemes Add a Phoneme	Phonics Words with oo (book) Possessive Nouns Fluency Intonation	buy, father, called, town, even, maybe, where, water, outside, tomorrow	Skill Fact and Opinion Strategy Question Author's Craft Word Choice: Descriptive Details Listening, Speaking, Viewing Create a Newsletter	Target Vocabulary discovered guard remove souvenirs amazed explained exact growled Vocabulary Strategies Synonyms	Spelling Principle Words with oo (book) Spelling Words Basic: took, books, foot, hoof, cook, nook, hood, wood, stood, shook, crook, cookbook Review: look, good Challenge: crooked, bookcase	Grammar Skill What Is an Adverb?	Writing Mode Write to Respond Writing Form Opinion Paragraph Focus Trait Word Choice
28	Main Selection Working in Space Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Space Poems Genre: Poetry Decodable Readers Howie's Big Brown Box What a Surprise!	Blend Phonemes	Phonics • Vowel Diphthongs ow, ou Fluency Phrasing: Natural Pauses	want, while, falling, enough, lived, loved, should, happened, sorry, above	Skill Text and Graphic Features Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Author's Craft Word Choice: Specialized Language Listening, Speaking, Viewing Holding a Literature Discussion	Target Vocabulary astronomy force orbit repair explored future space float Vocabulary Strategies Classify/Categorize	Spelling Principle Words with ow, ou Spelling Words Basic: cow, house, town, shout, down, mouse, found, loud, brown, ground, pound, flower Review: out, now Challenge: towel, pounce	Grammar Skill Possessive Nouns	Writing Mode Write to Respond Writing Form Response Paragraph Focus Trait Ideas



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LESSON	Selections	PHONEMIC Awareness	Phonics/Fluency	HIGH FREQUENCY Words	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
29	Main Selection Two of Everything Genre: Folktale Paired Selection Stone Soup Genre: Traditional Tale Decodable Readers Not So Alike Corduroy and Will	Syllables in Spoken Words Substitute Phonemes	Phonics Reading Longer Words with Long Vowels a and i Vowel Diphthongs oi, oy Fluency Expression	once, woman, upon, eight, seven, near, wash, paper, who, your	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Summarize Author's Craft: Narrator Listening, Speaking, Viewing Retell Stories	Target Vocabulary contained grateful startled odd search leaned tossed village Vocabulary Strategies Antonyms	Spelling Principle Words with ai, ay, igh, -y Spelling Words Basic: aim, snail, bay, braid, ray, always, gain, sly, chain, shy, bright, fright Review: tray, try Challenge: contain, thigh	Grammar Skill Possessive Pronouns	Writing Mode Write to Respond Writing Form Response to Literature Focus Trait Ideas
30	Main Selection Now & Ben Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection A Model Citizen Genre: Informational Text Decodable Readers A Picnic Problem Polly Poodle	Syllables in Spoken Words	Phonics Reading Longer Words Final Stable Syllable -le Fluency Rate: Adjust Rate to Purpose	almost, from, money, door, years, together, sometimes, pushed, remember, dear	Skill Compare and Contrast Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Figurative Language Listening, Speaking, Viewing Brainstorming Problems and Solutions	Target Vocabulary accomplishments inventions result designed achieve composed remarkable amounts Vocabulary Strategies Dictionary	Spelling Principle Words with oa, ow, ee, ea Spelling Words Basic: seated, keeps, speed, seen, means, clean, groan, roast, bowls, crow, owe, grown Review: green, snow Challenge: peace, below	Grammar Skill What Is a Preposition?	Writing Mode Write to Respond Writing Form Response to Literature Focus Trait Word Choice
	Main Selections				Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	VOCABULARY		Grammar	Writing
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA54: Cinderella Genre: Fairy Tale Student Magazine, p. RA62: Yeh-Shen Genre: Fairy Tale Student Magazine, p. RA62: Activity Central: "Get to the Root of It" Student Book, p. 475: Now & Ben Genre: Informational Text				Comprehension: Compare and Contrast Fairy Tales Comprehension: Connect Historical Events	Vocabulary Strategies: Word Roots		Grammar: Adjectives and Adverbs	Writing: Connecting Words in an Opinion Paragraph