## Journeys Grade 3 - December 7 - 11

Week 13 – Target Skill – Compare and Contrast; Story Message

Target Strategy – Analyze/Evaluate

**Day 1** - Monday, Dec. 7, 2015

Teachers Manual pgs T194-T217

Listen to story – *Yonder Mountain: A Cherokee Legend* 

Genre – Legend

Essential question – Why are stories from different cultures important?

Daily Proofreading – pg T217

Warm-up Wordplay

Phonemic Awareness

Daily High Frequency Words – use Vocab cards

**Daily Vocab Boost** 

Teacher Read Aloud – *The Best Worst Day,* pg T196-T197; Introduce Oral Vocab, Listening Comprehension

Phonics – Contractions with n't, 'd, 've; T198-T199; Assign- R.N. pg 187

Target Skill – Compare and contrast; pg T202, Discussion

Target Strategy – Analyze/Evaluate; Pg T203, Discussion

Grammar – Subject-Verb Agreement; pg T216; Assign R.N. pg 188

Spelling – Contractions; pg T124; R.N. pg 190

**Day 2** – Tuesday, Dec. 8, 2015

Teachers Manual pgs T218-T225

Read Aloud the story- Yonder Mountain: A Cherokee Legend

**Use Retell Cards** 

Daily Proofreading pg T225

Warm-up Wordplay

Phonemic Awareness

Daily High Frequency Words – Use Vocab cards

**Daily Vocab Boost** 

Phonics – Contractions; Assign – Readers Notebook (R.N.) pg 192

Dig Deeper - Compare and Contrast, Story Message; pgs T220-T221; Discussion

Spelling – pg T224; Review Spelling words

Grammar – Subject-Verb Agreement; pg T224; Assign R.N. pg 189

Informative Writing – Focus Trait: Organization, T133; Discussion; Assign R.N. pg 191

**Day 3** – Wednesday, Dec. 9, 2015

Teachers Manual pgs T226-T235

Silent Read - Yonder Mountain: A Cherokee Legend ory

Use Retell Cards

Assign R.N. pgs 193-194

Daily Proofreading pg T235

Warm-up Wordplay

Phonemic Awareness

Daily High Frequency Words – Word Cards

Daily Vocab Boost,

Phonics – Contractions; pgs T228

Fluency – Reading Rate; pg T229; Discussion

Apply Vocabulary Knowledge, Glossary Skills; pg T232-T233 Discussion

Spelling – Review spelling words; Assign R.N. pg 196

Grammar – Subject –Verb Agreement; pg T234; Assign R.N. pg 195

**Day 4** – Thursday, Dec. 10, 2015

Teachers Manual pg T236-T243

Review Yonder Mountain: A Cherokee Legend

Use Retell Cards

Daily Proofreading pg T243

Warm-up Wordplay

**Phonemic Awareness** 

Daily High Frequency Words – Use word cards

**Daily Vocab Boost** 

Read The Trail of Tears; pgs T238-T239; Discussion

Vocab Strategies – Homophones and Homographs, pg T240-T241; Discussion; Assign R.N. pg 197

Spelling – Review pg T242; Assign R.N. pg 199

Grammar – Spiral review: Writing Quotation, pg T242; Assign R.N. pg 198

**Day 5** – Friday, Dec. 11, 2015

Teachers Manual pgs T244-T251

Review story cards

Warm-up Wordplay

Phonemic Awareness

Daily High Frequency Words

**Daily Vocab Boost** 

Extend the Topic – Domain-Specific Vocabulary; Research and Media Literacy; pgs T246-T247; Discussion

Grammar – Weekly Review: Subject- Verb Agreement, pg T248-T249; Assign R.N. pg 200

Spelling – Test

Week 13 Assessment

Vocab Reader – The Daily Life of the Cherokee