Summary of the Course

Content Area:	Language Arts
Course(s):	Language Arts
Time Period:	September
Length:	Entire School Year
Status:	Not Published

Summary of the Unit

Third Grade Reading

Required

Arleth, Eisenhower, Truman, Wilson

<u>Full Year</u>

A balanced literacy approach will be used to ensure that students are given opportunities to grow as both a reader and a writer. Through the use of a Daily 5 workshop model and curricular materials from Fountas and Pinnell's Classroom (herein referred to as FPC), students will be exposed to various genres, strategies, and activities that will allow them to develop their abilities at their own pace. Minimal time is spent in a whole group setting and students are provided with daily, sustained time to read and write independently, while also having the necessary support from their teacher and peers. The Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark Assessment Systems will be used to identify students reading levels (herein referred to as BAS). In addition, the Writer's Workshop units tie into their fields of study allowing for cross curricular cohesion.

The Daily 5 model contains the following three components:

Mini-Lesson (10-15 minutes) Choose 3 mini-lessons per day between phonics, spelling & word study and reading.

- FPC Interactive Read Aloud (IRA)
- FPC Phonics, Spelling & Word Study lesson (PSW): Each of the concepts/lessons in the Scope & Sequence must be covered during the given trimester. Teachers may choose the order of lessons and the length of times needed for concepts. Classroom teachers will determine the weeks that each sight word is taught.
- Skill or strategy driven lessons derived from the Mini Lesson Book or Model Curriculum. This same skill/strategy will be applied in students' reading. Mini- lessons may also include the shared reading or read aloud to help model the skill with authentic literature.
- Teachers may choose the order of reading mini lesson lessons and IRAs within each unit.

Independent or Collaborative work (20-minute intervals)While the teacher is working with a guided reading group, remaining students are working independently or collaboratively at one of five suggested stations.

- Read to Self- Students are reading independently and practicing the skill/strategy that was presented during the mini lesson. All students should have book bags with at least 5 books: 3 books at their independent level and 2 choice books.
- Word Work- Students are independently working on their unit words from FPC phonics and using

them in meaningful contexts.

- Work on Writing- Students are developing writing conventions and skills presented in Writer's Workshop lessons.
- Respond to Literature Writing activities are given that allow students to respond to a previously read text from Guided Reading or the Interactive Read Aloud.
- Listen to Reading- Students are given opportunity to listen to texts specific to their reading level to build fluency and vocabulary as well as demonstrate comprehension.
- Read to Someone-Students are working with partners on their reading fluency and comprehension. Students are practicing the skill/strategy presented during mini lesson. This should be used sparingly as part of Listen to Reading.

Guided Reading Lessons: Teacher led, targeted instruction in small group setting.

- FPC Guided Reading Materials and Lessons. Scholastic bookroom titles may also be used.
- Meet with groups based on students' **instructional BAS** level, no more than 5 students in a group, for 15 to 20 minutes.

Assessment: The use of various formative assessments is encouraged in order to provide an ongoing method of determining the current level of understanding the students have of the material presented.

- BAS assessments are given at the start of the year (September) and at the end of the school year (May/June).
- Reading record assessments should be administered between BAS in order to promote student growth throughout the year.
- Cold Read Assessments found on LinkIt!
- BAS On Grade Level Projections (independent level):
 - Level N September
 - Level O March
 - Level P June

In order to demonstrate a cohesive and complete implementation plan, the following general suggestions are provided:

- The Writer's Workshop curriculum should be completed in the order of the scope and sequence.
- Homework, when assigned, should be relevant and reflective of the current teaching taking place in the classroom. Every student should have 20 minutes of reading at night. Logs and/or reading responses should be used.
- Organizational strategies should be in place that allows the students the ability to take the information gained in the classroom and put into terms that are relevant to them.
- Instruction should be differentiated to allow students the best opportunity to learn.

Modifications to the curriculum should be included that address students with Response To Intervention (RTI), Individualized Educational Plans (IEP), English Language Learners (ELL), and those requiring other modifications (504 plan)

Trimester 1

Language Arts
Reading, Language Arts
September
Trimester 1
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Summary of the Unit

Students will begin to read a variety of text types in order to improve their reading fluency and comprehension. Students will understand that authors and illustrators make many decisions when they create a story or pictures. Students will infer character's feelings from their dialogue and behavior. Readers will also notice how lively illustrations provide details about characters and humor. The text sets included in this trimester are The Importance of Kindness, Family, Animals, Memory Stories, Patricia Polacco, Expository Nonfiction, Janell Cannon, Realistic Fiction and Humorous Texts. Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. Teachers can refer to the management lessons found in The Reading Minilessons Book for additional launching lessons.

Enduring Understandings

- Authors/Illustrators make decisions to interest readers.
- The importance of being kind to others, family, and animals.
- Books can be funny.
- There is more than nonfiction and fiction. Each can be subdivided into many sections.

Essential Questions

- Why is it important to be kind to others?
- What is special about being a family?
- Why is it important to learn about the animals that share our world?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author or illustrator make decisions to interest readers?
- What makes these books funny?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, DRA, PMA, Running Records, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Daily 5
- Reader's Notebook
- Book Talk
- Fluency
- Nonfiction Books
- Summarize
- Main Idea and Details
- Character Change
- Text Features

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Continuum

Fountas & Pinnell Guided Reading (Teachers Guide)

Fountas & Pinnell Prompting Guides

Fountas & Pinnell Interactive Read Aloud Text Sets & Lessons

Guided Reading book sets (Scholastic, F&P)

Jennifer Serravallo's Reading Strategies Book

IRA Text Set including:

- The Importance of Kindness
- Connecting Across Generations: Family
- Sharing Our World: Animals
- Exploring Memory Stories
- Patricia Polacco
- Expository Nonfiction
- Janell Cannon
- Humorous Texts
- Realistic Fiction

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between IRA texts):

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- Action Jackson. By: Jan Greenberg, Sandra Jordan.
- Babe the Gallant Pig. By: Dick King-Smith.
- Because of Winn-Dixie. By: Kate DiCamillo.
- Charlotte's Web. By: E.B. White.
- Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures. By: Kate DiCamillo.

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/Assess
Identify student reading levels 2 weeks	Ask and answer questions, and make relevant connections to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.	Administer DRAS	DRA Assessments
Daily 5 Launch	-Learn procedures for independent reading, including the use of the classroom library or	Mini Lesson:	-Observation through discussion / anecdota -Respond to Reading
1-2 weeks	individual book boxes or bags.	"I Chart" Read to self	independent and shar writing activities
	-Learn how to pick a good fit book.		-Reading conference from guided reading
		Mini Lesson:	-Graphic Organizers
	-Understand the importance of picking a good fit book	"I-PICK"	- Exit Tickets
	-Discuss expectations for accountable talk.	Mini Lesson:	
		Discuss two ways to read a book. Create anchor chart with students to show the ways to read a book.	
		"3 ways to read a book"	

Unit Plan

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	1.Reading Words	
-Discuss expectations for accountable talk.	2.Reading Pictures	
	Mini Lesson:	
	Discuss the last way to read a book. Discuss expectations for accountable talk. Create anchor chart with students to show the ways to read a book.	
	"3 ways to read a book"	
	1.Reading Words	
	2.Reading Pictures	
	3.Introduce and model the third: Retell Familiar Text.	
-Illustrate the importance of picking a good fit book.	<u>Mini Lesson:</u> Teacher will model the "Good Fit Shoes Lesson" (found on pages 31-32 of <i>The</i> <i>Daily 5</i> book) to illustrate the importance of picking a good fit book as well as illustrating that everyone's good fit book is different.	
-Learn expectations for independent reading time	<u>Mini Lesson:</u> Teacher will use interactive modeling to show the right way and wrong way to read to self.	
-Identify the appropriate times to interrupt small group instruction.	<u>Mini Lesson:</u> Teacher will create an anchor chart to illustrate the appropriate times to interrupt small group instruction. Teacher will introduce visual small group reminder (crown, boa, light ect.)	
 -Demonstrate expectations for listening during whole or		

	small group instruction.		
	-Students will learn the different aspects of the Daily 5 Rotation		
		Mini Lessons:	
		Introduce how to do Word Work, Respond to Reading, Listening to Reading, and Work on Writing	
Interactive Read	Alouds (IRA)	1	I
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)		IRA (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book:	-Use Assess Learning to behaviors that demonstrat meeting of the goal.
The Importance of Kindness		Introduce the TextRead the TextDiscuss the Text	-Observation through disc anecdotal notes
		 Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent Response to Reading) 	-Respond to Reading inde and shared writing activit
			-Reading conference note guided reading
			- Graphic Organizers
		Enemy Pie	- Exit Tickets
	-notice and understand when a problem is solved		
	-notice character change and infer reasons from the events in the story	Sophie's Masterpiece: A Spider's Tale	
	-notice and remember important		
	events of the text in sequence -Describe how words and illustrations affect mood in Sophie's Masterpiece	Last Day Blues	
	-Infer the importance of the school	Under the Lemon Moon	

	setting to the plot		
	Infer character feelings from their facial expressions and gestures	The Can Man	
	 -infer character's feelings from their dialogue and behavior -notice how the author uses sound devices and poetic language 		
	-recognize how the main character grows and changes in the story		
	-recognize more than one problem in the story		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice the character's feelings shown in the expressions and gestures in the illustrations	In My Momma's Kitchen	
Connecting Across Generations:Family	-make predictions on what characters will do		
	-understand that there is more than one problem in Sitti's Secrets	Sitti's Secrets	
	-identify the solutions to the problems in the book		
		Mooncakes	
	-infer the relationships between characters as revealed in the illustrations		
	-understand the author's message about cultural traditions	Knots on a Counting Rope	

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	 -learn new concepts about the Navajo -make predictions about the characters in Knots on a Counting Rope 	Storm in the Night	
	 -recognize how the author creates humor -understand the author's message about overcoming fears 		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Sharing Our World:Animals	 -understand why the author loves guinea pigs -understand the author's message and purposes in writing the book 	I Love Guinea Pigs	
	 -infer a message about friendship that is relevant to their own experiences -notice how authors use descriptive language to describe human qualities to the wolves 	A Friend for Lakota	
	 -notice the characteristics of an informational book and an animal story in Moon Bear -notice and critique the author's use of repetition 	Moon Bear	

	 -infer the significance of nonfiction content to their own lives -notice and use organizational tools in a text 	Ape And So They Build
	-compare and contrast ideas within the book and across text	
	-infer the main ideas	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice and understand when a problem is solved	My Rotten Redheaded Older Brother
	-notice character change, and	
Exploring Memory Stories	infer reasons from events in the story	
	-infer the importance of the historical setting to the plot and message	The Printer
	-learn new concepts about American Sign Language	
		Grandma's Records
	-infer the theme of music and memory	
	-notice and understand how the author reveals the character of Grandma	
	-notice how the illustrations support the mood of the	Saturdays and Teacakes

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	story -infer why the author treasures his memories of Saturday and teacakes	Family Pictures	
	-recognize the importance of the setting to the memory stories in Family Pictures -infer themes		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice how lively illustrations provide details about characters and humor	Meteor!	
Patricia Polacco	-infer the importance of the small-town setting to the plot Meteor!		
	 -infer the importance of family -talk about messages related to family and community 	The Keeping Quilt	
	 -notice details about the characters and setting in the text and illustrations -recognize that Polacco uses descriptive language to help readers experience the coming storm 	Thunder Cake	
	-recognize and appreciate elements of humor -use text and illustrations to	Some Birthday!	

	make inferences about what Dad is like -identify the problem and solution in a story	The Bee Tree
	-infer the importance of setting to the story	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-gain information from the sidebars and graphics, and think about how they are related to the text	Hottest, Coldest, Highest, Deepest
Expository Nonfiction	-notice how the text is organized	
		Tornadoes!
	-learn new concepts about tornadoes	
	-analyze how illustrations help communicate the author's message	Knights in Shinning Armor
	 -make personal connection to the topic of knights -notice how labels enhance the text and support the author's purpose of informing readers 	A Day and Night in the Desert
	-understand and use glossary -notice how the book is organized	Bats! Strange and Wonderful

	 -understand how illustrations and graphics are used to communicate concepts about bats -infer the writer's message and attitude toward the topic of bats 	Shell, Beak, Tusk	
	-analyze and use photographs in the book -express new understandings about animals		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice how realistic illustrations provide information about characters and settings	Stellaluna	
Jane Cannon	-infer Setellaluna's intentions, feelings, and motivations from her words and actions		
		Verdi	
	-begin to recognize Janell Cannon's unique style of writing and illustrating stories		
	-explore the deeper message of stories		
		Crickwing	
	-make connections		
	-infer messages related to bullying, being kind, and working together		
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		Pinduli	
	-recognize Janell's unique writing style	Theun	
	-use details from the text and illustrations to draw conclusions about character motives		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Humorous Texts	 -predict what will happen next in the story and outcomes of plot of the story -predict what will happen next in story and outcomes of plot 	Bedhead	
	-notice and understand how illustrations contribute humor to the text -recognize how a writer creates humor	The Perfect Pet	
	-predict what will happen next -think about what makes a text humorous	The Great Fuzz Frenzy	
	 -infer how Old Man changes over the course of the story -notice and understand how illustations contribute humor to the text 	Those Darn Squirrels!	
	-notice and understand how	Big Bad Bubble	

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	illustrations contribute humor to the text		
	-think about the writer's purpose for writing a text		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice and understand characteristics of fiction, such as setting and characters	Owl Moon	
Realistic Fiction	-infer the relationship between the girl and Pa from their dialogue and behavior		
		Sky Sisters	
	-make connections between SkySisters and Owl Moon		
	-notice how the author uses figurative language to make a setting vivid		
	-notice and understand realistic and fantasy elements	Tomas and the Library Lady	
	-make inferences about characters		
		Dancing in the Wings	
	-notice the main character's change and infer the reasons for it		
	-notice and think critically about the author's informal writing style	Dumpling Soup	
	-notice and understand themes that are close to students' own experiences		

	-understand that a reader's	Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML1	-Use Assess Learning to
Introducing a	notebook is a special place to collect thinking about books read.	Mini Lasson	behaviors that demonstrat meeting of the goal.
Reader's Notebook		 Mini Lesson Have a Try 	
6 minilessons		Summarize and Apply	-Observation through disc anecdotal notes
	-record the book title, author, and the date the book is completed in the reader's notebook	• Share	-Respond to Reading inde and shared writing activit
		Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML2	-Reading conference note guided reading
	-identify and record the genre of a book that has been read	Mini Lesson	- Graphic Organizers
		• Have a Try	- Exit Tickets
		Summarize and ApplyShare	
	-keep track of how many books are read in a particular genre in a		
	reader's notebook	Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML3	
	-write E, JR, or D for each book on	Mini Lesson	
	your reading list	• Have a Try	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
	-learn and/or develop the guidelines for working together in the classroom.	Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML4	
		Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		Summarize and ApplyShare	
		Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML5	
		Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
		Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML6	
		• Mini Lesson	
		 Have a Try 	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	

Understanding Fiction and Nonfiction Genres 2 minilessons	-understand that there are different types of fiction texts and that they have different characteristics	Mini Lesson: LA.U5.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U5.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
Giving a Book Talk 4 minilessons	-learn that a book talk is a short talk about a book and it's purpose is to get others interested in reading it	Mini Lesson: LA.U3.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-learn how to interest other readers by crafting an interesting beginning and ending to a book talk	Mini Lesson: LA.U3.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-compose notes to remember important information about a book	<u>Mini Lesson:</u> LA.U3.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-prepare and present the book confidently, clearly,	Mini Lesson: LA.U3.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply

	and enthusiastically	• Share
Problem and Solution 1 minilesson	-identify the problem and solution in a story	<u>Mini Lesson 1</u> - Students will work together to identify the problem and solution in IRA. First, teacher will reread a IRA the class has already read. Then students will work together to write the problem on one post-it and the solution on another. Students will stick their post-it on an anchor chart in the correct spot. Finally, have a class discussion about problem and solution. During Daily 5 or Guided Reading, have students try it individually.
Summarizing 2 minilessons	-summarize a story -utilize SWBTS graphic organizer	<u>Mini Lesson 1</u> -First, teacher will reread a IRA the class has already read. Then students will work together to fill out graphic organizer "Somebody Wanted But Then So". Students will share their responses with the class. Finally, have a class discussion about summarizing. During Daily 5 or Guided Reading, have students try it individually.
		Mini Lesson 2-Complete same lessson with a new book.
<u>Understanding</u> <u>Character</u> <u>Feelings,</u> <u>Motivations,</u> and Intentions 4 minilessons	-infer characters' feelings as revealed through thought, dialogue, and behavior	Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-infer relationships between characters as revealed	

	through dialogue and	Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML2
	behavior	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-infer characters' motivations as revealed through dialogue and behavior	Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-make predictions about what a character is likely to do and use evidence from the book to support predictions	Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
Monitoring, Searching, and Self-Correcting 3 minilessons	-search for and use multiple sources of information (visual information in print, meaning/pictures, graphics, and language structure) to monitor and self correct	<u>Mini Lesson:</u> SAS.U1.RML1 • <i>Mini Lesson</i> • <i>Have a Try</i> • <i>Summarize and Apply</i> • <i>Share</i>
	-use an understanding of assigned and unassigned dialogue to self-monitor and self-correct	Mini Lesson: SAS.U1.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-use awareness of narrative structure and multidimensional characters to self-monitor and self- correct and meaning is lost	<u>Mini Lesson</u> : SAS.U1.RML3 • <i>Mini Lesson</i> • <i>Have a Try</i> • <i>Summarize and Apply</i> • <i>Share</i>
<u>Studying</u> <u>Informational</u>		

Books 4 minilessons	-notice and understand the characteristics of informational books as a	Mini Lesson: LA.U11.RML1
	genre	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-create a working definition for informational books	Mini Lesson: LA.U11.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-understand that authors give facts about a single topic in informational books	<u>Mini Lesson</u> : LA.U11.RML3 • <i>Mini Lesson</i> • <i>Have a Try</i> • <i>Summarize and Apply</i> • <i>Share</i>
	-notice and identify the different organizational structures of informational texts	Mini Lesson: LA.U11.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
Thinking about the Topic in Nonfiction Books 6 minilessons	-infer the author's attitude toward the topic of a nonfiction book	<u>Mini Lesson</u> : LA.U14.RML1 • <i>Mini Lesson</i> • <i>Have a Try</i> • <i>Summarize and Apply</i> • <i>Share</i>
	-infer the importance of a topic of a nonfiction book	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply

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	-think about prior knowledge before reading nonfiction and newly acquired knowledge after reading	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-notice the main topic of a nonfiction text and subtopics	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-think across nonfiction texts to construct knowledge of a topic	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML5 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-examine the quality or accuracy of the text, citing the evidence for opinions	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML6 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
<u>Using a Reader's</u> <u>Notebook</u> 6 minilessons	-make a list of the books you want to read	Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-create a list of books to recommend to others	Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply

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		• Share
	-express an opinion about a text in the form of a book recommendation	Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-make connections among texts in writing	<u>Mini Lesson</u> : LAR.U2.RML4 • <i>Mini Lesson</i> • <i>Have a Try</i> • <i>Summarize and Apply</i> • <i>Share</i>
	-learn how to keep a tally of the different forms of writing about reading	<u>Mini Lesson</u> : LAR.U2.RML5 • <i>Mini Lesson</i> • <i>Have a Try</i> • <i>Summarize and Apply</i> • <i>Share</i>
	-keep minilesson notes in reader's notebook to refer to as needed.	Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML6 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
Main Idea and Details	 -identify the main idea and detail -understand details vs. main ideas 	Complete with Non-fiction and Fiction Text** Mini Lesson 1-First, teacher will reread a IRA the class has already read. Then students will work together to find the details in the text read aloud. Students will share their responses with the class
4 minilessons		will share their responses with the class. Finally, have a class discussion about details. During Daily 5 or Guided Reading, have students try it individually.

	Mini Lesson 2-Complete same lesson with a new book. This time students will work together to determine the main idea based	
	off the details.	

Suggested Modifications for Special Education, ELL and Gifted Students

*Consistent with individual plans, when appropriate.

English Language Learners- Provide picture cards with relevant vocabulary, point to pictures often while reading, reduce amount of vocabulary words used, check for understanding often, repeat and clarify directions, provide I charts for centers, let students read books to self before reading story to study pictures

Special Education- Break story into pieces, stopping to act out classroom activities that the characters are doing. Create a daily schedule on sentence strips. Have students illustrate each piece of the day and put it in order on a pocket chart. Role play friendships with several different scenarios. Give students a brown bag to fill with meaningful items to their family. Have each child do a show and tell with the objects they brought in.

Gifted Students- Create a new story with the same characters during Daily 5 time, research projects on topics of IRA, leadership roles in Daily 5 centers, above grade level texts available for Daily 5 book bag

Suggested Technological Innovations/Use

Listen to Reading options for fluency practice: RAZ-Kids, Epic, Storyline Online, Starfall

Work on Writing options: Google Classroom, Google Docs

Improve Nonfiction Reading Skills: Achieve3000

storiestogrowby.org/readers-theater-play-scrips

Cross Curricular/21st Century Connections Cross Curricular:

Social Studies- Use nonfiction books for guided reading groups. Research different cultures around the World based off IRAs.

Science-Research animals and plants from IRAs

Math- create graphs and charts based on populartiy of IRA (after each Unit have students poll each other)

21 Century Connections:

9.1.4.A.5 Apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills in the classroom and family settings.

9.1.4.B.1 Participate in brainstorming sessions to seek information, ideas, and strategies that foster creative thinking.

9.1.4.C.1 Practice collaborative skills in groups, and explain how these skills assist in completing tasks in different settings.

9.1.4.D.1 Use effective oral and written communication in face-to-face and online interactions when presenting to an audience.

Trimester 2

Content Area:Language ArtsCourse(s):Adv. Concepts in Com. Sci. (s), Language ArtsTime Period:JanuaryLength:Trimester 2Status:Published

Summary of the Unit

All the books in this text will continue to help readers understand a variety of writing styles. Most of the units in this trimester share the honored traditions of different cultures and how the characters face challenges. Students will also learn about how animals journey through our world. These stories also discuss character determination, animal journeys, biographys, author studies, passage of times, and the author's point of view. Students will also dive deeply into Biographies and Poetry through Nonfiction texts. Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. They will begin to read while learning many Social Studies and Science facts and details.

Enduring Understandings

- Characters change throughout a text for many reasons.
- Nonfiction can include Poetry and Biography
- Author's write books to share a message
- Nonfiction text features can be used to understand the text
- The setting can give clues about a story
- The setting can create mood

Essential Questions

- Why are traditions important?
- Why is it important to face challenges?
- Why is determination important?
- Why is it important to learn about the animals that share our world?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author or illustratior make decisions to interest readers?
- How does the passage of time affect our lives?
- How do you know how an author feels about a topic?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, DRA, PMA, Running Records, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Making Connections
- Text Features
- Theme
- Character Change
- Message
- Connections
- Setting
- Predictions
- Mood
- Retell a story
- Biography
- Poetry

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

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Fountas & Pinnell Interactive Read Aloud Text Sets & Lessons

Guided Reading book sets (Scholastic, F&P)

Jennifer Serravallo's Reading Strategies Book

FPC Text Set including:

- Honoring Traditions
- Facing Challenges
- The Importance of Determination
- Animal Journeys
- Biography

- Dianna Hutts Aston and Sylvia Long
- The Passage of Time
- Author's Point of View

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

- The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate
- *The BFG* by Roald Dahl
- *The Hundred Dresses* by Eleanor Estes
- *Mystery at the Club Sandwich* by Doug Cushman
- The Seven Wonders of Sassafras Springs by Betty G. Birney
- 1621: A New Look at Thanksgiving by Catherine O'Neill Grace
- Virgie Goes to School with Us Boys by Elizabeth Fitzgerald Howard

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/Assessments
Interactive Read A	loud (IRA)		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)		IRA (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book: Introduce the Text Read the Text Diaguage the Text	-Use Assess Learning to identif behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion anecdotal notes
Honoring Traditions	 -notice and understand characteristics of realistic fiction, such as believable settings and characters -make connections between Deep in Sahara and Bintou's Braids 	 Discuss the Text Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent Response to Reading) Bintou's Braid 	 -Respond to Reading independe and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets
	 -notice how the little girl changes, and infer reasons from events in the plot -use evidence from the text and illustration to infer the character's 	Deep in the Sahara	- EXIL LICKETS
	traits. -notice how details in the		

	illustrations reflect setting and culture	Crane Boy	
	-learn and discuss traditions related to Chinese New Year -Notice how Vinson changes and infer reasons from events in the plot	Crouching Tiger	
	-infer Nadia's feelings from text and details in the illustrations -understand the value of tradition		
		Nadia's Hands	
	-infer the message of Ish		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-connect the themes of creativity and imperfection in Ish to their own experiences	Ish	
Facing Challenges	-make connections between First Day in Grapes and Ish -infer what characters are feeling from facial expressions or gestures	First Day in Grapes	
	-notice the authors informal writing style-notice how the author uses figurative language	Gettin' Through Thursday	
	-notice character change -infer themes close to their own experiences	Chin Chaing and The Dragon's Dance	

	-connect texts by a range of categories	Goal!
	-infer the message in Goal!	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-infer the importance of the early dawn setting to the plot of The Paperboy	The Paperboy
	-Notice how Dav Pilkey shows the passage of time through illustrations	
The Importance of Determination	-recognize how the setting and culture is reflected in the characters' behavior	Ruby's Wish
	-make predictions about story events	
	-understand and articulate the author's message	Nothing But Trouble: The Story of Althea Gibson
	-understand important information an details and use evidence to support opinions and statements	
	-recognize how the setting and culture is reflected in the character's words and actions	Soccer Star
	-notice how the illustrator shows movement and the passage of time	
		The Patchwork Quilt
	-notice how characters change over the course of	

	the story	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one	-notice characets' feelings shown in expressions and gestures in the illustrations -notice, use, and understand the purpose of a	The Peregrine's Journey: A Story of Migration
ŘML)	map to show the journey of the peregrine falcon-learn new concepts about	Migration
Animal Journeys	peregrine falcons	
	-notice and remember the important events in temporal sequence and tell them in order	A Mother's Journey
	-infer author's message	
	-notice and understand the purpose of some text resources	North:The Amazing Story of Arctic Migration
	-make connections among the content and ideas in North	
	-infer the messages in Hachiko	Hachiko:The True Story of a Loyal Dog
	-infer themes close to their own experience	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice characteristics of a biography	Nobody Owns the Sky:The Story of "Brave Bessie" Coleman
	-recognize and understand types of poetry when they appear in nonfiction	

		Odd Poy Out: Voung Albert Einstein
		Odd Boy Out: Young Albert Einstein
Biography	-infer the massages in Odd Boy Out	
	-notice when a writer is telling information in a sequential order	
		Magic Trash: A Story of Tyree Guyton and His Art
	-infer the importance of Tyree Guyton's contribution to Detroit	
	-connect texts	
		The Tree Lady
	 -infer the importance of Kate Sessions' accomplishments -notice and understand some elements of poetry when they appear in nonfiction -infer the importance of Wangari Maathai's 	Wangari Maathai:The Woman Who Planted Millions of Trees
	accomplishments	
	-connect texts	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and style	An Egg is Quiet
	-learn information about eggs	
		A Seed is Sleepy
Diana Hutts Aston and Sylvia Long	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and style	
	-learn new information	

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	about seeds		
		A Butterfly is Patient	
	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and style		
	-learn new information about butterflies	A Rock is Lively	
	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and style		
	-learn new information about rocks		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-recognize that the story is set in two different time periods	The Quilt Story	
	-make inferences about how characters' feelings effect relationships		
The Passage of Time	-think about how the world has changed over time	And Still the Turtle Watched	
	-ask questions to deepen understanding of the story		
		Our Seasons	
	-notice how the writer shows passage of time		
	-notice, use, and understand the purpose of print features		
	-notice and compare ways writer's show passage of time	The Sunset of Miss Olivia Wiggins	
	-notice how the author uses repetition and italics to help readers recognize and		

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	understand flashbacks		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one	-infer the author's purpose	Oil Spills!	
(pair with one RML)	and message		
	-be aware when the teacher is reading bulleted lists		
Author's Point of View	-learn concepts about fossil fuels	What's So Bad About Gasoline?Fossil Fuels and What They Do	
	-infer the significance nonfiction content has to their own lives		
	-gain new understandings from searching for and using information found in text body and sidebars	Energy Island:How One Community Harnessed the Wind and Changed Their World	
	-infer the larger message that working as a community can solve big problems		
		Meadowlands: A Wetland Survival Story	
	-infer the writer's purpose in writing Meadowlands		
	-infer the importance of a topic of nonfiction text		
		Almost Gone:The World's Rarest Animals	
	-learn new concepts about endangered animals		
	-infer the author's purpose and message		
RML (1 a Day)			
	-reflect in writing both prior		-Use <i>Assess Learning</i> to identify behaviors that demonstrate

	knowledge and now knowledge		meeting of the goal
Writing About Nonfiction Books in a Reader's Notebook	knowledge and new knowledge from a text -form and record questions in response to important information	Mini Lesson: WAR.U5.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independen and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading
3 Mini Lessons	-use information from nonfiction reading to make an all about book	Mini Lesson: WAR.U5.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	- Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets
		Mini Lesson: WAR.U5.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
Studying Authors and Illustrators 2 Mini Lessons	*use with Janell Cannon -understand that an author or illustrator usually writes several books and that there are often recognizable characteristics across the books	Mini Lesson: LA.U2.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U2.RML2	
	-understand that the authors sometimes get writing ideas from their own life	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
Understanding Plot 4 Mini Lessons	-notice and understand a simple plot with problem	Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML1 • Mini Lesson	

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	and solution	 Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-understand that stories can have more than one problem	Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-understand how a story leads up to and changes after the climax	Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-recognize and discuss aspects of narrative structure:beginning, series of events, high point of the story, problem, resolution, and ending	Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
Thinking About the Setting in Fiction Books3 Mini Lessons	-infer the setting from the pictures and words	Mini Lesson: LA.U21.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-notice settings can be distant in time and place from their own experience	Mini Lesson: LA.U21.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share

	-infer the importance of the setting to the plot of the story	Mini Lesson: LA.U21.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
<u>Studying</u> <u>Realistic</u> <u>Fiction</u> 8 Mini Lessons	-notice and understand the characteristics of realistic fiction	Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-the definition of realistic fiction is what is always true about it	Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-understand that characters are always imagined but seem real in realistic fiction	Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-understand that realistic fiction stories are sometimes set in an imagined place that could exist in real life	Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-understand that realistic fiction stories are	Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML5 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try

	sometimes set in areal places even though the characters and stories are imagined	 Summarize and Apply Share 	
	 -understand that authors create story problems that could be real in realistic fiction -understand that realistic fiction stories end in a realistic way 	Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML6 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML7 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
	-relate texts to their own lives and think about the author's message	Mini Lesson: LA.U17.RML8 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
Solving Words 8 Mini Lessons	-use a finger to help take apart two-or-three syllable words	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
	-learn to take apart words between two consonants, keeping consonant diagraphs together	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
	-learn to take apart words after the first syllable when	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML3 Mini Lesson Have a Try 	

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the syllable ends in a long vowel sound	Summarize and ApplyShare	
	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML4	
-learn to take apart words after the syllable that ends with a consonant and has a short vowel sound	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML5	
-learn to take apart a word between vowels	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
-learn to take apart words before the consonant and le	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML6 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
-learn to remove the prefix and suffix to take apart the new word	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML7 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
-search for and use familiar parts of a word to help read the word	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML8 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML9	

-understand that sometimes a writer tells the meaning of a word in the sentence, paragraph, or somewhere in the book	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
-understand that writers sometimes use synonyms within a sentence to explain the meaning of a word	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML10 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML11 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
-infer characters' traits as revealed through their behavior and dialogue	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
-infer characters' trait as revealed through their inner thoughts	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
-infer a characters' traits from the physical details the illustration includes about them	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
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	-infer characters' traits through what other characters say or think about them	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share <u>Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML5</u> • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
Thinking About Character Change3 Mini Lessons	-recognize that characters can have dimensions can be good but make mistakes and can change	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
	-notice character change and infer reasons from events of the plot	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	
	-connect characters across texts and understand that different books teach the same lesson	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	

*Consistent with individual plans, when appropriate.

English Language Learners- Provide picture cards with relevant vocabulary, point to pictures often while reading, reduce amount of vocabulary words used, check for understanding often, repeat and clarify directions, provide I charts for centers

Special Education- Break story into pieces, stopping to act out classroom activities that the characters are doing. Create a daily schedule on sentence strips. Have students illustrate each piece of the day and put it in order on a pocket chart. Role play friendships with several different scenarios. Give students a brown bag to fill with meaningful items to their family. Have each child do a show and tell with the objects they brought in.

Gifted Students- Create a new story with the same characters during Daily 5 time, research projects on topics of IRA, leadership roles in Daily 5 centers, above grade level texts available for Daily 5 book bag

Suggested Technological Innovations/Use

Listen to Reading options for fluency practice: RAZ-Kids, Epic, Storyline Online, Starfall

Work on Writing options: Google Classroom, Google Docs

Improve Nonfiction Reading Skills: Achieve3000

storiestogrowby.org/readers-theater-play-scrips

Cross Curricular/21st Century Connections Cross Curricular:

Social Studies- Use nonfiction books for guided reading groups. Research different cultures around the World based off IRAs.

Science-Research animals and plants from IRAs

Math- create graphs and charts based on populartiy of IRA (after each Unit have students poll each other)

21 Century Connections:

9.1.4.A.5 Apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills in the classroom and family settings.

9.1.4.B.1 Participate in brainstorming sessions to seek information, ideas, and strategies that foster creative

thinking.

9.1.4.C.1 Practice collaborative skills in groups, and explain how these skills assist in completing tasks in different settings.

9.1.4.D.1 Use effective oral and written communication in face-to-face and online interactions when presenting to an audience.

Trimester 3

Content Area:	Language Arts
Course(s):	Language Arts
Time Period:	April
Length:	Trimester 3
Status:	Published

Summary of the Unit

All the books in this text set help students to begin learning from their reading. These stories discuss a variety of scientific and historical elements that will broaden student understandings. Throughout this unit, students will work on continuing to understand why characters behave the way they do and discuss the traits that define them. Students will dive deeply into poetry and understand that it can take many shapes. They will begin to recognize hybrid texts and distinguish which sections are fiction and which are nonfiction. Readers will also begin to think about what the characters are thinking based on their facial epressions and gestures.

Enduring Understandings

- Books can include areas of non-fiction and fiction
- Author's use illustrations to help reader's understand their reading
- Stories from the past are valuable
- Poetry can be fun and does not have to rhyme
- The setting can help a reader understand the plot of a story
- Author's can create a message by stating important facts

Essential Questions

- Why are fables important to people?
- Why are folktales important to people?
- Why are purquoi tales important to people?
- What makes these stories familiar and fun to read?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author make decisions to interest readers?
- How does an illustrator use art to interest readers?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, DRA, PMA, Running Records, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Daily 5
- Moral
- Character Traits
- Retelling
- Predictions
- Poetry
- Setting
- Plot
- Author's Message

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Continuum

Fountas & Pinnell Guided Reading (Teachers Guide)

Fountas & Pinnell Prompting Guides

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FPC Text Set including:

- Fables
- Folktales
- Exploring Pourquoi Tales
- Fractured Fairy Tales
- Poetry
- Exploring the World:Photo Essay
- *Hybrid Text:Fiction and Nonfiction*
- Jerry Pinkney

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

- Sam and the Lucky Money by Karen Chinn
- Boundless Grace by Mary Hoffman
- The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo
- What the Moon Saw by Laura Resau
- Show Way by Jacqueline Woodson

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Interactive Read Alouds	•		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)		IRA (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book: Introduce the Text Read the Text Discuss the Text	-Use <i>Assess Learning</i> to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion
Fables	-recognize characteristics of a fable -tell a story in response to pictures	 Discuss the Text Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent Response to Reading) 	/ anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities
	-infer the lessons in the fable -notice a writer's use of playful language	Seven Blind Mice The Little Red Hen	-Reading conference notes from guided reading- Graphic Organizers
	-infer that a moral in a fable teaches a lesson -infer that White Mouse is the wisest from her words and actions	The Grasshopper and the Ants	- Exit Tickets
	-use evidence from the text and illustrations to infer characters' traits -synthesize information about characteristics of a fable and revise thinking in response to it	The Tortoise and the Hare	

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	-use evidence from the text and illustrations to infer characters' trait -infer the moral of the Contest Between the Sun and the Wind	The Contest Between the Sun and the Wind:An Aesop's Fable	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-infer the lesson and message from details in the story	Baby Rattlesnake	
	-understand the lesson and messages from details in the story		
		Conejito: A Folktale from Panama	
Folktales	-notice the element of trickery in a folktale		
	-infer the lesson and messages in the story		
		Ming Lo Moves the Mountain	
	-notice the story outcome is typical of traditional literature		
	-remember important events of the text in sequence		
		Babushka Baba Yaga	
	-notice how Patricia Polacco uses words in creative ways		
	-infer Baba Yaga's character traits as revealed through her thoughts and behavior	Martina the Beautiful Cockroach:A Cuban Folktale	
	character traits as revealed through her		

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	 -recognize ways in which a folktale may represent a culture -infer the lesson and 		
	messages in the story	The Boy of the Three-Year Nap	
	-connect texts by a range of categories		
	-infer lessons and messages in a folktale		
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IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-infer the significance of events in a plot	Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears	
Exploring Pourquoi Tales	-understand the overarching message that misunderstandings can have consequences and that not listening can be the source of misunderstandings		
	-notice how Ed young uses literary language	Cat and Rat: The Legend of the Chinese Zodiac	
	-infer character traits as revealed through dialogue and behavior		
	-notice a writer's use of poetic language -infer a message or moral	The Legend of the Lady Slipper	

		Dragonfly's Tale	
	-recognize ways in which a pourquoi tale may represent a culture -make connections		
	between the Dragonfly's Tale and The Legend of the Lady Slipper		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-recognize different ways an author creates humor	Earthquack!	
Fractured Fairy Tales	-follow a plot with multiple events or episodes		
	-infer characters' traits,	The Frog Prince, Continued	
	intentions, feelings, and motivation from details in the text and illustrations		
	-infer a message		
		Kate and the Beanstalk	
	-follow a plot with multiple events or episodes		
	-notice how the illustrator creates perspective		
		Yours Truly, Goldilocks	
	-infer characters' traits, intentions, feelings, and motivation from details in the text and illustrations		
	-make connections and comparisons to the classic fairy tales	With Love, Little Hen	

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	-use evidence from the		
	text to make and support		
	a wide range of		
	predictions		
	-infer the author's		
	intended messages		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	All books*	*each book is split into many days	
	notice and enjoy the	of lessons. You can either do one	
	-notice and enjoy the poet's use of rhythm,	lesson and move on or spend more	
	rhymes, playful language,	time on poetry depending on your	
Poetry	and onomatopoeia.	wands/needs	
		Splish Splash	
	-recognize and		
	understand concrete	Flicker Flash	
	poems		
	1	Button Up!	
	-infer the poet's message	-	
	about something in a new	Old Elm Speaks:Tree Poems	
	and different way		
		Confetti:Poems for Children	
IRA TEXT SET (pair	-understand how	Meet the Dogs of Bedlam Farm	
with one RML)	photographs help		
	communicate Jon Katz's		
	message		
Exploring the	-notice how the text is		
World:Photo Essays	organized in a		
	question/answer format		
	question/answer format		
		Mongolia:Vanishing Cultures	
	-make personal		
	connections with the		
	people portrayed in the		
	book		
	infor the writer!-		
	-infer the writer's		
	message	Down Under: Vanishing Cultures	
	-infer the message in the		
	text		
	-learn new concepts about		
	aborigines, their lifestyle	It's Our Garden:From Seeds to	
		Harvest	
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	and their beliefs		
	-discuss how the graphics and text are carefully placed to communicate		
	ideas clearly -infer the author's		
	message about community and working together		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-understand that there are different types of text and that they have different characteristics	Flight of the Honey Bee	
Hybrid:Fiction and Nonfiction	-learn new concepts about honey bees		
	-recognize hybrid texts, and distinguish which sections are fiction and which are nonfiction	Caterpillar, Caterpillar	
	-understand when a writer is telling information in a sequence		
		Yucky Worms	
	-recognize how a writer creates humor		
	-recognize and use information in graphics	Python	
	-recognize hybrid texts, and distinguish which sections are fiction and which are nonfiction		

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	-notice and think critically about a writer's word choice	Sea Horse:The Shyest Fish in the Sea	
	-infer ways sea horses are different from other fish		
	-notice a writer's use of some poetic language		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-recognize the story- within-a story text structure	Home Place	
Jerry Pinkney	-infer the speakers of unassigned dialogue in the story		
		Back Home	
	-notice how Jerry Pinkney's illustrations help to communicate the author's message		
	-recognize the style of Jerry Pinkney's illustrations		
		A Starlit Snowfall	
	-notice and understand the contrasting points of video of the bear and the rabbit		
	-understand and appreciate poetic and descriptive language	Puss in Boots	
	-think about what the characters are thinking		

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	from their facial expressions and gestures		
	-infer the importance of the setting to the plot of		
	the story		
Reading Mini-Lessons (cho	accolladari)		
Reading Mini-Lessons (Circ	Jose I a day)		
Maintaining Fluency			-Use Assess Learning to
6 Mini Lessons	-notice the punctuation and show it with your voice	Mini Lesson: WAR.U3.RML1 pg 460	identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal.
			-Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes
		 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply 	-Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities
		Summarize and ApplyShare	-Reading conference notes from guided reading
	-read the word the way the		- Graphic Organizers
	author shows you with the print	Mini Lesson: WAR.U3.RML2 pg 462	- Exit Tickets
		• Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
	-put your words together so it sounds like talking	Summarize and ApplyShare	
	-make your reading sound	Mini Lesson: WAR.U3.RML3 pg 464	
	interesting -read the dialogue the way to character said it		
		Mini LessonHave a Try	
		 Summarize and Apply Share 	
		Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML4 pg 466	

	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
	<u>Mini Lesson:</u> WAR.U2.RML5 pg 468	
	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
	<u>Mini Lesson:</u> WAR.U2.RML6 pg 470	
	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
Using Text Features to Gain Information	Mini Lesson: LA.U16.RML1 pg 297	
4 Mini Lessons	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
	Mini Lesson: LA.U16.RML2 pg 298	
	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	

		Mini Lesson: LA.U16.RML3 pg
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		Have a Try
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		• Have a Try
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		• Share
Noticing How	-notice when an author	Mini Lesson: LA.U13.RML1 pg
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	information in chronical	
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	-understand that a writer	• Share
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	the same	Mini Lesson: LA.U13.RML2 pg 266
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	-sometimes nonfiction	• Summarize and Apply
	authors group information	• Share
	that goes togther	
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	-notice when an author	Mini Lesson
	uses a question and	 Have a Try
	answer structure	Summarize and Apply
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		• Share
		Mini Lesson: LA.U13.RML4 pg 266
		 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
Learning Information from Illustrations/Graphics	-understand that graphics provide important information	Mini Lesson: LA.U15.RML1 pg 286
4 lessons	-recognize and use labels and captions to gain information from illustration	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-recognize and use maps and legends to gain information about a topic	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-recognize and use diagrams and infographics to gain information about a topic	<u>Mini Lesson: LA.U15.RML3</u> pg 290
		 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
		Mini Lesson: LA.U15.RML4 pg 292
		 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply

		• Share	
Thinking About The Author's Message	-infer messages in a word of fiction	Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML1 pg 180	
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4 11111110550115	-infer messages in a work of nonfiction	• Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML2 pg 182	
		Mini Lesson	
	-think across works of fiction and nonfiction to	• Have a Try	
	derive larger messages	• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML3 pg 184	
	-notice how illustrations and graphics help to	• Mini Lesson	
	communicate the writer's	• Have a Try	
	message	• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML4 pg 186	
		• Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
Thinking About the	-understand that	Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML1 pg 190	
Author's Purpose	sometimes the author's	• Mini Loggon	
	purpose is to entertain	Mini LessonHave a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
3 minilesson		Share	
	-authors write books to give information		
		Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192	
		• Mini Lesson	
	-authors write books to	• Have a Try	
	get you to think about or	• Summarize and Apply	
	do something	• Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML3	
		pg 194	
		• Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	

		• Share
Summarizing	-tell the important events of a text in sequence	Mini Lesson: SAS.U4.RML1 pg 472
3 minilessons	-tell the most important information book	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-tell the important events in order when you tell about a biography	Mini Lesson: SAS.U4.RML2 pg 474 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: SAS.U4.RML3 pg
		 Mini Lesson Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
Studying Fables	-notice and understand the characteristics of fables as a genre	Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML1 pg 324
5 minilessons	-create a working definition for fables	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML2 pg 326
	-understand that in fables the same types of characters appear over and over again	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-fables have a moral that is often stated at the end	Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML3 pg 328 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try
	understand that the characters in fables often use cleverness or trickery	Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML4 pg

	to solve a problem	330
		Mini Lesson
		• Have a Try
		• Summarize and Apply
		• Share
		Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML5 pg
		332
		Mini Lesson
		• Have a Try
		• Summarize and Apply
		• Share
Studying Folktales	-notice and understand the characteristics of	
	folktales as a genre	Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML1 pg
8 minilessons	fallstalag are aliles in	334
8 1111110550115	-folktales are alike in many ways	Mini Lesson
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		• Summarize and Apply
	the definition of a	• Share
	-the definition of a folktale is what is always	
	true about it	Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML2 pg 336
		Mini Lesson
	-folktales are stories that	• Have a Try Summarize and Apply
	have been retold for a	 Summarize and Apply Share
	long time and can be	- Shure
	found in different cultures	Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML3 pg
		338
	-there are different kinds	Mini Lesson
	of folktales	• Have a Try
		• Summarize and Apply
		• Share
	-folktales have characters	Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML4 pg
	with good or bad traits	340
		• mini lesson
		Have a Try
	-the characters often use	Summarize and Apply
	trickery and cleverness to solve the problem	• Share
		Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML5 pg
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	-folktales usually habve repeating patterns	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
		Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML6 pg 344
		 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
		Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML7 pg 346
		 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
		Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML8 pg 348
		 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
Noticing Text Resources	-notice, use, and understand the purpose of front flap and back cover of the books	Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML1 pg 216
8 minilessons	-notice, use, and understand the purpose of dedication	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
	-sometimes authors give information in an author's	Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML2pg 218
	note	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply

	 -sometimes authors write acknowledgment to thank the people who helped them with book -sometimes illustrators use endpapers to show important information about the book -notice and understand that the author page information about author -notice, use, and understand the purpose of the glossary -the table of contents lists the chapters or topics of a book 	 Share Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML3 pg 220 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML4pg 222 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML5pg 224 Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML5pg 224 Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML6pg 226 Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML6pg 226 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML6pg 226 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML7pg 228 Mini Lesson
		 Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share <u>Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML7pg</u> 228
Understanding	-notice and understand that a definig	Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share <u>Mini Lesson: LA.U20.RML1pg</u>

Fantasy 4 lessons	 characteristics of fantasy is the story could ever happen in real life -notice and understand that fantasy stories are often set in places that could not exist in the real world and are often important to the plot -understand a common motif in fantasy is that normal objects and things can be magical -understand the difference between realistic characters and some of those that appear in fantasy 	254 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U20.RML2pg 256 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U20.RML3pg 258 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
Studying Poetry 4 minilessons	 -infer messages in a work of fiction -infer messages in a work of nonfiction -think across works of fiction and nonfiction to derive larger message -notice how illustrations and graphics help to communicate the writer's message 	Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML1pg180 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML2pg182 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Simmarize and Apply • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML3pg184 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share

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Suggested Modifications for Special Education, ELL and Gifted Students

*Consistent with individual plans, when appropriate.

English Language Learners- Provide picture cards with relevant vocabulary, point to pictures often while reading, reduce amount of vocabulary words used, check for understanding often, repeat and clarify directions, provide I charts for centers

Special Education- Break story into pieces, stopping to act out classroom activities that the characters are doing. Create a daily schedule on sentence strips. Have students illustrate each piece of the day and put it in order on a pocket chart. Role play friendships with several different scenarios. Give students a brown bag to fill with meaningful items to their family. Have each child do a show and tell with the objects they brought in.

Gifted Students- Create a new story with the same characters during Daily 5 time, research projects on topics of IRA, leadership roles in Daily 5 centers, above grade level texts available for Daily 5 book bag

Suggested Technological Innovations/Use

Listen to Reading options for fluency practice: RAZ-Kids, Epic, Storyline Online, Starfall

Work on Writing options: Google Classroom, Google Docs

Improve Nonfiction Reading Skills: Achieve3000

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Cross Curricular/21st Century Connections

Cross Curricular:

Social Studies- Use nonfiction books for guided reading groups. Research different cultures around the World based off IRAs.

Science-Research animals, different cultures, important figures in history, and plants from IRAs

Math- create graphs and charts based on popularity of IRA (after each Unit have students poll each other)

21 Century Connections:

9.1.4.A.5 Apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills in the classroom and family settings.

9.1.4.B.1 Participate in brainstorming sessions to seek information, ideas, and strategies that foster creative thinking.

9.1.4.C.1 Practice collaborative skills in groups, and explain how these skills assist in completing tasks in different settings.

9.1.4.D.1 Use effective oral and written communication in face-to-face and online interactions when presenting to an audience.

Unit 1: Sharing Our World with Others

Language Arts
Language Arts
September
4 Weeks
Published

Summary of the Unit

Students will begin to read a variety of text types in order to improve their reading fluency and comprehension. Students will understand that authors and illustrators make many decisions when they create a story or pictures. Students will infer character's feelings from their dialogue and behavior. Readers will also notice how lively illustrations provide details about characters and humor. The text sets included in this trimester are The Importance of Kindness, Connecting Acxross Generations Family, and Sharing Our World:Animals . Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. Teachers can refer to the management lessons found in The Reading Minilessons Book for additional launching lessons.

Enduring Understandings

- Authors/Illustrators make decisions to interest readers.
- The importance of being kind to others, family, and animals.
- Books can be funny.
- There is more than nonfiction and fiction. Each can be subdivided into many sections.

Essential Questions

- Why is it important to be kind to others?
- What is special about being a family?
- Why is it important to learn about the animals that share our world?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, DRA, PMA, Running Records, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

• Daily 5

- Reader's Notebook
- Book Talk
- Fluency
- Nonfiction Books
- Summarize
- Main Idea and Details
- Character Change
- Text Features

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

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Fountas & Pinnell Guided Reading (Teachers Guide)

- Fountas & Pinnell Prompting Guides
- Fountas & Pinnell Interactive Read Aloud Text Sets & Lessons
- Guided Reading book sets (Scholastic, F&P)
- Jennifer Serravallo's Reading Strategies Book

IRA Text Set including:

- The Importance of Kindness
- Connecting Across Generations: Family
- Sharing Our World: Animals

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between IRA texts):

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- o Action Jackson. By: Jan Greenberg, Sandra Jordan.
- Babe the Gallant Pig. By: Dick King-Smith.
- o Because of Winn-Dixie. By: Kate DiCamillo.
- o Charlotte's Web. By: E.B. White.
- o Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures. By: Kate DiCamillo.

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/Assessments	Standards
Identify student reading levels 2 weeks	Ask and answer questions, and make relevant connections to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.	Administer Benchmark Assessment System (BAS)	BAS Assessments	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10
Daily 5 Launch 1-2 weeks	 the answers. -Learn procedures for independent reading, including the use of the classroom library or individual book boxes or bags. -Learn how to pick a good fit book. -Understand the importance of picking a good fit book -Discuss expectations for accountable talk. 	Mini Lesson: "I Chart" Read to self Mini Lesson: "I-PICK" Mini Lesson: Discuss two ways to read a book. Create anchor chart with students to show the ways to read a book. "3 ways to read a book" 1.Reading Words 2.Reading Pictures	 -Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading -Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets 	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10
	-Discuss expectations for accountable talk.	Mini Lesson: Discuss the last way to read a book. Discuss expectations for accountable talk. Create anchor		

	chart with students to show the ways to read a book.	
	"3 ways to read a book"	
	1.Reading Words	
	2.Reading Pictures	
	3.Introduce and model the third: Retell Familiar Text.	
	Mini Lesson:	
-Illustrate the importance of picking a good book.		
	Mini Lesson:	
-Learn expectations for independent reading time	Teacher will use interactive modeling to show the right way and wrong way to read to self.	
	Mini Lesson:	
-Identify the appropriate tin to interrupt sm group instructi	all small group	
-Demonstrate expectations for listening durin whole or small group instruction	g I	
-Students will learn the differ	rent Introduce how to do Word Work, Respond to Reading, Listening to Reading, and Work	

	aspects of the Daily 5 Rotation	on Writing		
Interactive Read Alo	uds (IRA)			
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) The Importance of Kindness	-notice and understand when a problem is solved -notice character	IRA (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book: • Introduce the Text • Read the Text • Discuss the Text • Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent Response to Reading) Enemy Pie	 -Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets 	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1 LA.W.3.4 SOC.6.1.4.A.CS10 SOC.6.1.4.B.CS7 SOC.6.1.4.D.2 SOC.6.1.4.D.CS3 3-ESS2-2.8.1
	-notice character change and infer reasons from the events in the story -notice and remember important events of the text in sequence -Describe how words and illustrations affect	Sophie's Masterpiece:A Spider's Tale Last Day Blues		3-ESS2-2.8.1 3-ESS3- 1.ESS3.B.1
	mood in Sophie's Masterpiece -Infer the importance of the school setting to the plot Infer character feelings from their facial expressions and gestures	Under the Lemon Moon The Can Man		

	 -infer character's feelings from their dialogue and behavior -notice how the author uses sound devices and poetic language 		
	 -recognize how the main character grows and changes in the story -recognize more than one problem in the story 		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice the character's feelings shown in the expressions and gestures in the illustrations	In My Momma's Kitchen	
Connecting Across Generations:Family	-make predictions on what characters will do		
		Sitti's Secrets	
	-understand that there is more than one problem in Sitti's Secrets -identify the solutions to the problems in the book	Mooncakes	
	-infer the relationships between characters as revealed in the illustrations	Knots on a Counting Rope	

-understand the author's message about cultural traditions	
traditions	
Storm in the Night	
-learn new concepts about the Navajo -make predictions	
about the characters in Knots on a Counting Rope	
-recognize how the author creates humor	
-understand the author's message about overcoming fears	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)-understand why the author loves guinea pigsI Love Guinea Pigs	
-understand the author's message and purposes in writing the book	
A Friend for Lakota	
-infer a message about friendship that is relevant to their own experiences	
-notice how authors use descriptive language to describe human qualities to the wolves	

-notice the characteristics of an informational book and an animal story in Moon Bear -notice and critique the author's use of repetition -infer the significance of nonfiction content to their own lives	Ape And So They Build		
significance of nonfiction content to their own lives -notice and use			
organizational tools in a text			
-compare and contrast ideas within the book and across text -infer the main ideas			
(one a day) -understand that a	Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML1		
reader's notebook is a special place to collect thinking about books read.	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 		Le id be de m go
record the book title, author, and the date the book is completed in the	Mini Lesson: WAR.U1.RML2 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply 		-C th di an -R R in sh
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Suggested Modifications for Special Education, ELL and Gifted Students *Consistent with individual plans, when appropriate.

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provide I charts for centers, let students read books to self before reading story to study pictures

Special Education- Break story into pieces, stopping to act out classroom activities that the characters are doing. Create a daily schedule on sentence strips. Have students illustrate each piece of the day and put it in order on a pocket chart. Role play friendships with several different scenarios. Give students a brown bag to fill with meaningful items to their family. Have each child do a show and tell with the objects they brought in.

Gifted Students- Create a new story with the same characters during Daily 5 time, research projects on topics of IRA, leadership roles in Daily 5 centers, above grade level texts available for Daily 5 book bag

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Listen to Reading options for fluency practice: RAZ-Kids, Epic, Storyline Online, Starfall

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Cross Curricular/21st Century Connections

Cross Curricular:

Social Studies- Use nonfiction books for guided reading groups. Research different cultures around the World based off IRAs.

Science-Research animals and plants from IRAs

Math- create graphs and charts based on populartiy of IRA (after each Unit have students poll each other)

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presenting to an audience.

Unit 2: Exploring Memory Stories

Content Area:	Language Arts
Course(s):	Reading, Language Arts
Time Period:	October
Length:	4 Weeks
Status:	Published

Summary of the Unit

Students will begin to read a variety of text types in order to improve their reading fluency and comprehension. Students will understand that authors and illustrators make many decisions when they create a story or pictures. Students will infer character's feelings from their dialogue and behavior. Readers will also notice how lively illustrations provide details about characters and humor. Students will try to notice character development throughout the story. Characters change because of hardships. The text sets included in this trimester are Exploring Memory Stories and Patricia Polacco. Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. Teachers can refer to the management lessons found in The Reading Minilessons Book for additional launching lessons.

Enduring Understandings

- Authors/Illustrators make decisions to interest readers.
- Memories are a source for writing great books
- People in a family take care of each other
- Friend's support and care about each other
- There is more than nonfiction and fiction. Each can be subdivided into many sections including Realistic Fiction.

Essential Questions

- Why is it important to be kind to others?
- What is special about being a family?
- Why is it important to learn about the animals that share our world?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author or illustrator make decisions to interest readers?
- What makes these books funny?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, Reading Records, BAS, and Cold read assessment.

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Daily 5
- Reader's Notebook
- Book Talk
- Fluency
- Nonfiction Books
- Summarize
- Main Idea and Details
- Character Change
- Text Features

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

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• Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures. By: Kate DiCamillo.

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/ Assessments	Standards
	/	Interactive Read Alouds (IRA)	. In an	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Exploring Memory Stories	-notice and understand when a problem is solved -notice character change, and infer reasons from events in	 IRA (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book: Introduce the Text Read the Text Discuss the Text Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent 	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion /	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1 LA.W.3.4
	the story -infer the importance of the historical setting to the plot and message -learn new concepts about American Sign Language	Response to Reading) My Rotten Redheaded Older Brother The Printer	anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers	LA.w.3.4 SOC.6.1.4.A.CS10 SOC.6.1.4.B.CS7 SOC.6.1.4.D.2 SOC.6.1.4.D.CS3 3-ESS2-2.8.1 3-ESS3- 1.ESS3.B.1
	-infer the theme of music and memory -notice and understand how the author reveals the	Grandma's Records	- Exit Tickets	

	character of Grandma	Saturdays and Teacakes	
	 -notice how the illustrations support the mood of the story -infer why the author treasures his memories of Saturday and teacakes 	Family Pictures	
	-recognize the importance of the setting to the memory stories in Family Pictures -infer themes		
	JI	Reading Mini Lessons (one a day)	
Understanding Fiction and Nonfiction Genres 2 mini lessons	understand that there are different types of fiction texts and that they have different characteristics	 Mini Lesson: LA.U5.RML1 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U5.RML2 Mini Lesson Have a Try 	
		 Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
Giving a Book Talk 4 mini lessons	-learn that a book talk is a short talk about a book and it's purpose is to get others interested in	Mini Lesson: LA.U3.RML1 <u>Mini Lesson</u> <u>Have a Try</u> <u>Summarize and Apply</u> <u>Share</u> 	

	reading it -learn how to interest other readers by crafting an interesting beginning and ending to a book talk	_Mini Lesson: LA.U3.RML2 <u>Mini Lesson</u> <u>Have a Try</u> <u>Summarize and Apply</u> <u>Share</u> <u>Mini Lesson</u> <u>Mini Lesson</u> <u>Have a Try</u> <u>Summarize and Apply</u> <u>Share</u> 	
	-compose notes to remember important information about a book	_Mini Lesson: LA.U3.RML4 <u>Mini Lesson</u> <u>Have a Try</u> <u>Summarize and Apply</u> <u>Share</u> 	
	-prepare and present the book confidently, clearly, and enthusiastically		
Problem and Solution 1 mini lesson	-identify the problem and solution in a story	Mini Lesson 1- Students will work together to identify the problem and solution in IRA. First, teacher will reread a IRA the class has already read. Then students will work together to write the problem on one post-it and the solution on another. Students will stick their post-it on an anchor chart in the correct spot. Finally, have a class discussion about problem and solution. During Daily 5 or Guided Reading, have students try it individually.	
<u>Summarizing</u>	-summarize a story -utilize SWBTS	Mini Lesson 1-First, teacher will reread a IRA the class has already read. Then students will work together to fill out graphic organizer	

2 mini lessons	graphic organizer	"Somebody Wanted But Then So". Students will share their responses with the class. Finally, have a class discussion about summarizing. During Daily 5 or Guided Reading, have students try it individually. Mini Lesson 2-Complete same lesson with a new book.	
Understanding Character Feelings, Motivations, and Intentions 4 mini lessons	-infer characters' feelings as revealed through thought, dialogue, and behavior	 Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML1 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML2 	
	-infer relationships between characters as revealed through dialogue and behavior	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML3 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
	-infer characters' motivations as revealed through dialogue and behavior	 Mini Lesson: LA.U23.RML4 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	
	-make predictions about what a character is likely to do and use evidence from the book to support predictions		

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Cross Curricular:

Social Studies- Use nonfiction books for guided reading groups. Research different cultures around the World based off IRAs.

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21 Century Connections:

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Unit 3 Exploring the World

Language Arts
Reading, Language Arts
November
3 Weeks
Published

Summary of the Unit

Students will understand that authors and illustrators make many decisions when they create a story or take a photograph. While fiction, sometimes takes you to the imaginative world, non-fiction unfolds the reality you get to know real people and their lives. Non-ficiton texts not only give you facts, tt also gives knowledge in a specific subject which helps in learning new things.Readers will also notice how lively illustrations provide details about characters and humor. The text sets included in this trimester are The Importance of Expository Nonfiction, Janell Cannon, and Humorous Texts . Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. Teachers can refer to the management lessons found in The Reading Minilessons Book for additional launching lessons.

Enduring Understandings

- Authors/Illustrators make decisions to interest readers.
- Expository non-fiction gives facts to interest a reader
- Notice the difference between expository nonfiction and nonfiction with illustrations
- Books can be funny.
- There is more than nonfiction and fiction. Each can be subdivided into many sections.

Essential Questions

- Why is it important to learn about the animals that share our world?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author or illustrator make decisions to interest readers?
- What makes these books funny?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, PMA, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Daily 5
- Reader's Notebook
- Book Talk
- Fluency
- Nonfiction Books
- Summarize
- Main Idea and Details
- Character Change
- Text Features

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

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IRA Text Set including:

- Expository Nonfiction
- Janell Cannon
- Humorous Texts

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between IRA texts):

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- o Charlotte's Web. By: E.B. White.

• Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures. By: Kate DiCamillo.

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/ Assessments	Standards
	Inte	ractive Read Alouds (IRA)		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Expository	-gain information from the sidebars and graphics, and think about how they are related to the text -notice how the text is	Hottest, Coldest, Highest, Deepest	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal.	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3
Nonfiction	organized -learn new concepts about tornadoes	Tornadoes!	-Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to	LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1 LA.W.3.4 SOC.6.1.4.A.CS10
	-analyze how illustrations help communicate the author's message	Knights in Shinning Armor	Reading independent and shared writing activities	SOC.6.1.4.B.CS7 SOC.6.1.4.D.2 SOC.6.1.4.D.CS3 3-ESS2-2.8.1 3-ESS3- 1.ESS3.B.1
	-make personal connection to the topic of knights -notice how labels enhance the text and support the author's purpose of informing readers	A Day and Night in the Desert	-Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets	
	-understand and use glossary	Bats! Strange and Wonderful		

	-notice how the book is organized		
	-understand how illustrations and graphics are used to communicate concepts about bats	Shell, Beak, Tusk	
	-infer the writer's message and attitude toward the topic of bats		
	-		
	-analyze and use photographs in the book		
	-express new understandings about animals		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-notice how realistic illustrations provide information about characters and settings	Stellaluna	
Jane Cannon	-infer Stellaluna's intentions, feelings, and motivations from her words and actions		
		Verdi	
	-begin to recognize Janell Cannon's unique style of writing and illustrating stories		
	-explore the deeper message of stories		
		Crickwing	
	-make connections		
	-infer messages related to bullying, being kind, and working together		
		Pinduli	
	-recognize Janell's		

	unique writing style			
	-use details from the text and illustrations to draw conclusions about character motives			
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Humorous Texts	-predict what will happen next in the story and outcomes of plot of the story -predict what will happen next in story and outcomes of plot -notice and understand how illustrations	Bedhead The Perfect Pet	 -Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes 	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 W.3.1.a-d
	 -recognize how a writer creates humor -predict what will happen next -think about what makes a text humorous 	The Great Fuzz Frenzy Those Darn Squirrels!	-Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets	
	 -infer how Old Man changes over the course of the story -notice and understand how illustations contribute humor to the text -notice and understand how illustrations contribute humor to the text -think about the writer's purpose for writing a text 	Big Bad Bubble		

	Readin	g Mini Lessons (one a da	y)	
Using a Reader's Notebook 6 mini lessons	-make a list of the books you want to read	Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML1 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal.	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3
	-create a list of books to recommend to others	Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML2 Mini Lesson Have a Try	- Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes	LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1
	-express an opinion about a text in the form of a book recommendation	Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML3 Mini Lesson Have a Try	-Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading	
	-make connections among texts in writing	Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML4 Mini Lesson	- Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets	
	-learn how to keep a tally of the different forms of writing about reading	Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML5		
		Mini Lesson		

	-keep mini lesson notes in reader's notebook to refer to as needed.	Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LAR.U2.RML6 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share		
Monitoring, Searching, and Self- Correcting 3 mini lessons	-search for and use multiple sources of information (visual information in print, meaning/pictures, graphics, and language structure) to monitor and self correct	Mini Lesson:SAS.U 1.RML1 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10	
	-use an understanding of assigned and unassigned dialogue to self-monitor and self-correct	Mini Lesson: SAS.U1.RML2 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share		
	-use awareness of narrative structure and multidimensional characters to self- monitor and self- correct and meaning	Mini Lesson: SAS.U1.RML3 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share		

	is lost		
Studying Informational Books 4 mini lessons	 -notice and understand the characteristics of informational books as a genre -create a working definition for informational books -understand that authors give facts about a single topic in informational books -notice and identify the different organizational structures of 	Mini Lesson: LA.U11.RML1Mini LessonHave a TrySummarize and ApplyShareMini Lesson: LA.U11.RML2Mini LessonHave a TrySummarize and ApplyShareMini Lesson: LA.U11.RML3Mini Lesson: LA.U11.RML3Mini Lesson: LA.U11.RML3Mini LessonHave a TrySummarize and ApplyShare	RI.3.1-3.10 LA.L.3.4 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1
	informational texts	Mini Lesson: LA.U11.RML4 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share	

Thinking about the Topic in	-infer the author's	Mini Lesson:	RI.3.1-3.10
Topic in Nonfiction	attitude toward the	LA.U14.RML1	LA.L.3.4
Books	topic of a nonfiction book	Mini Lesson	LA.RF.3
6 mini		Have a Try	
lessons		Summarize and Apply	LA.RF.3.4
		Share	L/1.101 . J . T
	-infer the		LA.SL.3.1
	importance of a topic of a nonfiction book	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML2	Li 1.02.0.1
	DOOK	Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
	think about prior	Share	
	-think about prior knowledge before reading nonfiction and newly acquired knowledge after	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML3	
	reading	Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
	-notice the main topic of a nonfiction text and subtopics	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML4	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
	-think across nonfiction texts to construct knowledge	Share	
	of a topic	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML5	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
	-examine the quality		

or accuracy of the text, citing the evidence for opinions	Summarize and Apply Share
	Mini Lesson: LA.U14.RML6
	Mini Lesson
	Have a Try
	Summarize and Apply
	Share

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Unit 4 Life Lessons and Honoring Traditions

Content Area:	Language Arts
Course(s):	Reading, Language Arts
Time Period:	December
Length:	3 Weeks
Status:	Published

Summary of the Unit

Multicultural literature serves as a powerful tool in enabling students to gain a better understanding of both their own culture and the cultures of others. Students therefore develop greater cognitive skills as they learn to engage with and critically evaluate the texts that they read.tudents will begin to notice their own family cultures based on these stories. Students will learn how a person's background and heritage creates the person they become. The text sets included in this unit are Realistic Ficition and Honoring Traditions. Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. Teachers can refer to the management lessons found in The Reading Minilessons Book for additional launching lessons.

Enduring Understandings

- Accept and respect each other and our beliefs
- Culture is a invisible bond that ties a community together
- You feel you belong in a place when you have something to contribute
- People's past influences their future

Essential Questions

- Why are traditions important?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author or illustrator make decisions to interest readers?
- Why is it important to understand our culture?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, BAS, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

• Daily 5

- Reader's Notebook
- Book Talk
- Fluency
- Nonfiction Books
- Summarize
- Main Idea and Details
- Character Change
- Text Features

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

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IRA Text Set including:

- Honoring Traditions
- Realistic Fiction

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between IRA texts):

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Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Unit Plan			
Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/Assess
Interactive Read	l Alouds (IRA)		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)		IRA (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book:	-Use Assess Learning to behaviors that demonstrat
Realistic Fiction	notice and understand characteristics of fiction, such as setting and characters -infer the relationship between the girl and Pa from	 Introduce the Text Read the Text Discuss the Text Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent Response to Reading) Owl Moon 	meeting of the goal. -Observation through disc anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading inde and shared writing activit -Reading conference note guided reading
	their dialogue and behavior -make connections between SkySisters and Owl Moon		- Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets
	-notice how the author uses figurative language to make a setting vivid	Sky Sisters	
	-notice and understand realistic and fantasy elements -make inferences about characters	Tomas and the Library Lady	
	-notice the main character's change and infer the reasons for it -notice and think critically	Dancing in the Wings	

	about the author's informal	
	writing style	
		Dumpling Soup
Honoring Traditions	-notice and understand	
1 autons	characteristics of realistic fiction, such as believable	Bintou's Braid
	settings and characters	Dintou o Diulu
	-make connections between	
	Deep in Sahara and Bintou's	
	Braids	
	-notice how the little girl changes,	
	and infer reasons from events in the plot	Deep in the Sahara
	piot	
	-use evidence from the text and	
	illustration to infer the character's traits.	
	-notice how details in the illustrations reflect setting and	
	culture	Crane Boy
	-learn and discuss traditions related	
	to Chinese New Year	
	-Notice how Vinson changes and	
	infer reasons from events in the plot	
	-infer Nadia's feelings from text and	
	details in the illustrations	Crouching Tiger

-understand the value of tradition		
	Nadia's Hands	

Reading Mini Lessons (one a day)

<u>Main Idea and</u> <u>Details</u>	-identify the main idea and detail -understand details vs. main ideas	Complete with Non-fiction and Fiction Text**Use past IRL NF** Mini Lesson 1-First, teacher will reread a IRA the class has already read. Then students will work together to find the details in the text read aloud. Students will share their responses with the class. Finally, have a class discussion about details. During Daily 5 or Guided Reading, have students try it individually.	 -Use Assess Learning to behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through disc anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading inder and shared writing activite -Reading conference note guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets
4 minilessons		Mini Lesson 2-Complete same lesson with a new book. This time students will work together to determine the main idea based off the details.	
Writing About Nonfiction Books in a Reader's Notebook 3 Mini Lessons	reflect in writing both prior knowledge and new knowledge from a text -form and record questions in response to important information	Mini Lesson: WAR.U5.RML1 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: WAR.U5.RML2	-Use Assess Learning to it behaviors that demonstrat meeting of the goal. -Observation through disc anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading inde and shared writing activit -Reading conference note guided reading - Graphic Organizers
	-use information from nonfiction reading to make an all about book	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: WAR.U5.RML3	- Exit Tickets

		Mini Lesson	
		 Have a Try Summarize and Apply 	
		Share	
Studying	*use with Janell Cannon	Mini Lesson: LA.U2.RML1	
Authors and			
Illustrators	-understand that an author or	Mini Lesson	
	illustrator usually writes several books and that there	• Have a Try	
	are often recognizable	 Summarize and Apply Share 	
2 Mini	characteristics across the		
Lessons	books		
		Mini Lesson: LA.U2.RML2	
		Mini Lesson	
	-understand that the authors	• Have a Try	
	sometimes get writing ideas	• Summarize and Apply	
	from their own life	• Share	
Understanding			
<u>Plot</u>			
4 Mini	-notice and understand a simple plot with problem and	Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML1	
Lessons	solution	• Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		 Summarize and Apply Share 	
		• snare	
	1 4 14 4 4	Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML2	
	-understand that stories can have more than one problem		
	have more than one problem	 Mini Lesson Have a Try 	
		 Summarize and Apply 	
		• Share	
	-understand how a story leads	Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML3	
	up to and changes after the climax	Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U22.RML4	
	-recognize and discuss		

	aspects of narrative structure:beginning, series of events, high point of the story, problem, resolution, and ending	 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share
Thinking About the Setting in Fiction Books 3 Mini Lessons	-infer the setting from the pictures and words	Mini Lesson: LA.U21.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-notice settings can be distant in time and place from their own experience	Mini Lesson: LA.U21.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share
	-infer the importance of the setting to the plot of the story	Mini Lesson: LA.U21.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share

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Unit 5 Facing Challenges and the Importance of Determination

Content Area:Language ArtsCourse(s):Adv. Concepts in Com. Sci. (s), Reading, Language ArtsTime Period:JanuaryLength:5 WeeksStatus:Published

Summary of the Unit

In this unit, students will further their understanding that lessons can be learned from the characters we meet in stories. Characters have something to teach us through their struggles and problems. Children learn emotional intelligence can help children face challenges. Students also need to improve their problem solving skills and keep up their determination during a problem. In this unit they will read the text sets Facing Challenges and The Importance of Determination. Students will continue to summarize the stories they have read, as well as begin to use character change in their retell.

Enduring Understandings

- Characters change throughout a text for many reasons.
- Author's write books to share a message
- The setting can give clues about a story
- The setting can create mood
- Emotional intelligence can help children face challenges

Essential Questions

- Why is it important to face challenges?
- Why is determination important?
- What can characters teach us about our own life?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, DRA, PMA, Running Records, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Making Connections
- Text Features
- Theme
- Character Change
- Message
- Connections
- Setting
- Predictions
- Mood

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

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FPC Text Set including:

- Facing Challenges
- The Importance of Determination

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

- The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate
- *The BFG* by Roald Dahl
- *The Hundred Dresses* by Eleanor Estes
- Mystery at the Club Sandwich by Doug Cushman
- The Seven Wonders of Sassafras Springs by Betty G. Birney
- 1621: A New Look at Thanksgiving by Catherine O'Neill Grace

• Virgie Goes to School with Us Boys by Elizabeth Fitzgerald Howard

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selecti	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/Assessment
on			
Timeframe Interactive Read	A loud (IPA)		
Interactive Read	d Aloud (IKA)		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one	-infer the message of Ish	 <u>IRA</u> (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book: Introduce the Text 	-Use <i>Assess Learning</i> to ident behaviors that demonstrate me of the goal.
RML) Facing	-connect the themes of creativity and imperfection in Ish to their	 Read the Text Discuss the Text	-Observation through discussion anecdotal notes
Challenges	own experiences	 Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent Response to Reading) 	-Respond to Reading independ and shared writing activities
	-make connections between First Day in Grapes and Ish		-Reading conference notes from guided reading
	-infer what characters are feeling from facial expressions or gestures	Ish	- Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets
	-notice the authors informal writing style	First Day in Grapes	
	-notice how the author uses figurative language		
	-notice character change -infer themes close to their own experiences	Gettin' Through Thursday	
	-connect texts by a range of		

	categories	Chin Chaing and The Dragon's Dance	
	-infer the message in Goal!		
		Goal!	
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IRA TEXT SET (pair with one	-infer the importance of the early dawn setting to the plot of The Paperboy	The Paperboy	
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The Importance of Determination	 -recognize how the setting and culture is reflected in the characters' behavior -make predictions about story events 	Ruby's Wish	
	-understand and articulate the author's message -understand important information an details and use	Nothing But Trouble:The Story of Althea Gibson	
	evidence to support opinions and statements		
	-recognize how the setting and culture is reflected in the character's words and actions	Soccer Star	
	-notice how the illustrator shows movement and the passage of time		
	-notice how characters change	The Patchwork Quilt	

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	-learn to take apart words between two consonants, keeping consonant diagraphs together	Mini Lesson: SAS.U2.RML2 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share	
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Suggested Modifications for Special Education, ELL and Gifted Students

*Consistent with individual plans, when appropriate.

English Language Learners- Provide picture cards with relevant vocabulary, point to pictures often while reading, reduce amount of vocabulary words used, check for understanding often, repeat and clarify directions, provide I charts for centers

Special Education- Break story into pieces, stopping to act out classroom activities that the characters are doing. Create a daily schedule on sentence strips. Have students illustrate each piece of the day and put it in order on a pocket chart. Role play friendships with several different scenarios. Give students a brown bag to fill with meaningful items to their family. Have each child do a show and tell with the objects they brought in.

Gifted Students- Create a new story with the same characters during Daily 5 time, research projects on topics of IRA, leadership roles in Daily 5 centers, above grade level texts available for Daily 5 book bag

Suggested Technological Innovations/Use

Listen to Reading options for fluency practice: RAZ-Kids, Epic, Storyline Online, Starfall

Work on Writing options: Google Classroom, Google Docs Improve Nonfiction Reading Skills: Achieve3000 storiestogrowby.org/readers-theater-play-scrips

Cross Curricular/21st Century Connections

Cross Curricular:

Social Studies- Use nonfiction books for guided reading groups. Research different cultures around the World based off IRAs.

Science-Research animals and plants from IRAs

Math- create graphs and charts based on populartiy of IRA (after each Unit have students poll each other)

21 Century Connections:

9.1.4.A.5 Apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills in the classroom and family settings.

9.1.4.B.1 Participate in brainstorming sessions to seek information, ideas, and strategies that foster creative thinking.

9.1.4.C.1 Practice collaborative skills in groups, and explain how these skills assist in completing tasks in different settings.

Unit 6 Exploring the World Around Us

Content Area:	Language Arts
Course(s):	Adv. Concepts in Com. Sci. (s), Reading, Language Arts
Time Period:	February
Length:	4 Weeks
Status:	Published

Summary of the Unit

The benefits of reading to animals isn't just for the children. Animals are also helped from the attention they receive. It gives kids a sense of purpose when they sense the animals are benefiting from their kindness and attention through the act of reading. Biographies will begin in this unit to help readers love to learn. Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. They will begin to read while learning many Social Studies and Science facts and details.

Enduring Understandings

- Facts can be learned through story
- Nonfiction can include Poetry and Biography
- Author's write books to share a message
- Nonfiction text features can be used to understand the text
- Biographies can help understand the past world to better understand the current world

Essential Questions

- Why is it important to learn about the animals that share our world?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author or illustrator make decisions to interest readers?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, BAS, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor

charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Learning Facts
- Biography
- Non-fiction Text features
- learn from reading

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Continuum

Fountas & Pinnell Guided Reading (Teachers Guide)

Fountas & Pinnell Prompting Guides

Fountas & Pinnell Interactive Read Aloud Text Sets & Lessons

Guided Reading book sets (Scholastic, F&P)

Jennifer Serravallo's Reading Strategies Book

FPC Text Set including:

- Animal Journeys
- Biography
- Dianna Hutts Aston and Sylvia Long

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

- The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate
- *The BFG* by Roald Dahl
- *The Hundred Dresses* by Eleanor Estes
- *Mystery at the Club Sandwich* by Doug Cushman
- The Seven Wonders of Sassafras Springs by Betty G. Birney
- 1621: A New Look at Thanksgiving by Catherine O'Neill Grace
- Virgie Goes to School with Us Boys by Elizabeth Fitzgerald Howard

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

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		 Discuss the Text 	
Animal	-learn new concepts about peregrine falcons	Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent	-Respond to Reading independen and shared writing activities
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			-Reading conference notes from guided reading
		The Peregrine's Journey: A Story of Migration	- Graphic Organizers
	-notice and remember the		
	important events in temporal sequence and tell them in order		- Exit Tickets
	-infer author's message		
		A Mother's Journey	
	-notice and understand the		
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	nonfiction	
		Odd Boy Out: Young Albert Einstein
Biography	-infer the massages in Odd Boy Out	
	-notice when a writer is telling information in a sequential order	
	information in a sequential order	
		Magic Trash: A Story of Tyree Guyton and His Art
	-infer the importance of Tyree	
	Guyton's contribution to Detroit	
	-connect texts	
		The Tree Lady
	-infer the importance of Kate Sessions' accomplishments	
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	-notice and understand some elements of poetry when they	
	appear in nonfiction	
		Wangari Maathai: The Woman Who Planted
	-infer the importance of Wangari	Millions of Trees
	Maathai's accomplishments	
	-connect texts	
IRA TEXT SET (pair	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and	An Egg is Quiet
with one	style	
RML)	-learn information about eggs	
	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and	A Seed is Sleepy
	style	
Diana Hutts Aston and	-learn new information about	
Sylvia Long	seeds	

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	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and style	A Butterfly is Patient	
	-learn new information about butterflies		
	-recognize Dianna Hutt Aston's work based on title, topic, and style	A Rock is Lively	
	-learn new information about rocks		
RML (1 a Day)			
Understanding Character	infer characters' traits as revealed	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML1	-Use <i>Assess Learning</i> to identify behaviors that demonstrate meet of the goal.
<u>Traits</u> 5 Mini	through their behavior and dialogue	Mini LessonHave a Try	-Observation through discussion anecdotal notes
Lessons		Summarize and ApplyShare	-Respond to Reading independen and shared writing activities
		Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML2	-Reading conference notes from guided reading
		• Mini Lesson	- Graphic Organizers
		 Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share 	- Exit Tickets
	-infer characters' trait as revealed		
	through their inner thoughts	<u>Mini Lesson</u> Mini Lesson	
		 Have a Try Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML4	
		Mini LessonHave a Try	
		• Summarize and Apply	
	-infer a characters' traits from the		

	physical details the illustration includes about them	• Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML5	
		• Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
	-infer characters' traits through		
	what other characters say or think about them		
	-recognize that characters can have dimensions can be good but	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML1	
<u>Thinking</u>	make mistakes and can change	• Mini Lesson	
<u>About</u> Character		• Have a Try	
Change		• Summarize and Apply	
3 Mini		• Share	
Lessons	-notice character change and infer reasons from events of the		
	plot	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML2	
		• Mini Lesson	
		• Have a Try	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
	-connect characters across texts		
	and understand that different books teach the same lesson	Mini Lesson: LA.U25.RML3	
		• Mini Lesson	
		 Have a Try 	
		• Summarize and Apply	
		• Share	
Studier	hiographics are alited in many	Mini Losson: LA LU2 DML 1	
Studying Biography	-biographies are alike in many ways	Mini Lesson: LA.U12.RML1	
7 minilessons	-the definition of a biography is	Mini Lesson	
	what is always true about it	Have a Try Summarize and Apply	
		Summarize and ApplyShare	
	a biography is the story of a		
	-a biography is the story of a		1

person's life written by someone else	Mini Lesson: LA.U12.RML2	
	• Mini Lesson	
	• Have a Try	
-the author includes facts about	• Summarize and Apply	
the person's life	• Share	
· · · ·		
	Mini Lesson: LA.U12.RML3	
-think about why the writer wrote	• Mini Lesson	
a book about the person	• Have a Try	
	• Summarize and Apply	
	• Share	
-understand that biographies are usually told in chronolgical order	Mini Lesson: LA.U12.RML4	
	• Mini Lesson	
	 Have a Try 	
-the author of a biographgy gives	 Summarize and Apply 	
an important message	 Share 	
	• Shure	
	Mini Lesson: LA.U12.RML5	
	• Mini Lesson	
	• Have a Try	
	• Summarize and Apply	
	• Share	
	Mini Lesson: LA.U12.RML6	
	• Mini Lesson	
	• Have a Try	
	• Summarize and Apply	
	• Share	
	Mini Lesson: LA.U12.RML7	
	• Mini Lesson	
	• Have a Try	
	• Summarize and Apply	
	• Share	

Suggested Modifications for Special Education, ELL and Gifted Students *Consistent with individual plans, when appropriate.

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Special Education- Break story into pieces, stopping to act out classroom activities that the characters are doing. Create a daily schedule on sentence strips. Have students illustrate each piece of the day and put it in order on a pocket chart. Role play friendships with several different scenarios. Give students a brown bag to fill with meaningful items to their family. Have each child do a show and tell with the objects they brought in.

Gifted Students- Create a new story with the same characters during Daily 5 time, research projects on topics of IRA, leadership roles in Daily 5 centers, above grade level texts available for Daily 5 book bag

Suggested Technological Innovations/Use

Listen to Reading options for fluency practice: RAZ-Kids, Epic, Storyline Online, Starfall

Work on Writing options: Google Classroom, Google Docs

Improve Nonfiction Reading Skills: Achieve3000

storiestogrowby.org/readers-theater-play-scrips

Cross Curricular/21st Century Connections Cross Curricular:

Social Studies- Use nonfiction books for guided reading groups. Research different cultures around the World based off IRAs.

Science-Research animals and plants from IRAs

Math- create graphs and charts based on populartiy of IRA (after each Unit have students poll each other)

21 Century Connections:

9.1.4.A.5 Apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills in the classroom and family settings.

9.1.4.B.1 Participate in brainstorming sessions to seek information, ideas, and strategies that foster creative thinking.

9.1.4.C.1 Practice collaborative skills in groups, and explain how these skills assist in completing tasks in

different settings.

Unit 7-Understanding the Passage of Time and the Natural World

Content Area:Language ArtsCourse(s):Adv. Concepts in Com. Sci. (s), Reading, Language ArtsTime Period:MarchLength:5 WeeksStatus:Published

Summary of the Unit

In this unit, students will begin to learn about the beautify found in the world. They will become engaged through thoughtprovoking questions about finding the beauty in the details, as well as the beauty of giving to others. Students will work on the text sets The Passage of Time and Author's Point of View Throughout this unit, students will work on their foundational skills of reading behaviors and the proper procedures for the classroom literacy block. They will begin to read while learning many Social Studies and Science facts and details.

Enduring Understandings

- notice problems in the world and problem solve solutions for them
- understand how passage of time affect our lives
- how an author feels about a topic by the words they choose
- notice and appreciate the world around us

Essential Questions

- What at the problems in our current world?
- How does the passage of time affect our lives?
- How do you know how an author feels about a topic?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, BMA, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

• Making Connections

- Message
- Connections
- Mood

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Continuum

Fountas & Pinnell Guided Reading (Teachers Guide)

Fountas & Pinnell Prompting Guides

Fountas & Pinnell Interactive Read Aloud Text Sets & Lessons

Guided Reading book sets (Scholastic, F&P)

Jennifer Serravallo's Reading Strategies Book

FPC Text Set including:

- The Passage of Time
- Author's Point of View

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

- The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate
- *The BFG* by Roald Dahl
- *The Hundred Dresses* by Eleanor Estes
- Mystery at the Club Sandwich by Doug Cushman
- The Seven Wonders of Sassafras Springs by Betty G. Birney
- 1621: A New Look at Thanksgiving by Catherine O'Neill Grace
- Virgie Goes to School with Us Boys by Elizabeth Fitzgerald Howard

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/ Assessments	Standards
	Interac	tive Read Alouds (IRA)	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	 -recognize that the story is set in two different time periods -make inferences about how characters' feelings effect relationships 	The Quilt Story	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1 LA.W.3.4 SOC.6.1.4.A.CS10 SOC.6.1.4.B.CS7 SOC.6.1.4.D.2
The Passage of Time	-think about how the world has changed over time -ask questions to deepen understanding of the story	And Still the Turtle Watched	-Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets	SOC.6.1.4.D.CS3 3-LS4-1.LS4.A.1 3-ESS2-2 3-ESS2-2.8.1 3-ESS3- 1.ESS3.B.1
		Our Seasons		
	-notice how the writer shows passage of time -notice,use, and understand the purpose of print features			
	 -notice and compare ways writer's show passage of time -notice how the author uses repetition and italics to help readers recognize and 	The Sunset of Miss Olivia Wiggins		

	understand flashbacks		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-infer the author's purpose and message	Oil Spills!	
	-be aware when the teacher is reading bulleted lists		
Author's Point of View	 -learn concepts about fossil fuels -infer the significance nonfiction content has to their own lives 	What's So Bad About Gasoline?Fossil Fuels and What They Do	
	-gain new understandings from searching for and using information found in text body and sidebars	Energy Island:How One Community Harnessed the Wind and Changed Their World	
	-infer the larger message that working as a community can solve big problems		
	-infer the writer's purpose in writing Meadowlands	Meadowlands:A Wetland Survival Story	
	-infer the importance of a topic of nonfiction text		
	-learn new concepts about endangered	Almost Gone:The World's Rarest	

	animals	Animals		
	-infer the author's purpose and message			
	Reading	Mini Lessons (one a da	y)	
Maintaining Fluency 6 Mini Lessons	-notice the punctuation and show	Mini Lesson: WAR.U3.RML1 pg	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate	RI.3.1-3.10
	it with your voice	460	meeting of the goal.	RL.3.1-3.10
		Mini Lesson Have a Try	-Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes	LA.RF.3
		Summarize and Apply Share	-Respond to Reading independent and shared writing	LA.RF.3.4
	-read the word the way the author shows you with the print	Mini Lesson: WAR.U3.RML2 pg 462	activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading	LA.SL.3.1
		Mini Lesson	- Graphic Organizers	
	-put your words together so it sounds like talking	Have a Try	- Exit Tickets	
		Summarize and Apply		
		Share		
	-make your reading sound interesting -read the dialogue the way to character said	Mini Lesson: WAR.U3.RML3 pg 464		
	it	Mini Lesson		
		Have a Try		
		Summarize and Apply		
		Share		
		Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML4 pg 466		

Mini Lesson	
Summarize and	
Snare	
Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML5 pg 468	
Mini Lesson	
Have a Try	
Summarize and Apply	
Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML6 pg 470	
Mini Lesson	
Summarize and	
Apply	
Share	
LA.U16.RML1 pg	
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Mini Lesson	
Have a Try	
Summarize and Apply	
Share	
Mini Lesson:	
	Apply Share Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML5 pg 468 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML6 pg A70 Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML6 pg 470 Mini Lesson: WAR.U2.RML6 pg 470 Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U16.RML1 pg 297 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share

		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U16.RML3 pg 300	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U16.RML4 pg 302	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
Noticing How Authors Choose to Organize Nonfiction 4 lessons	-notice when an author uses a narrative text structure and tells information in chronical order	Mini Lesson: LA.U13.RML1 pg 260	
		Mini Lesson	
	-understand that a	<u>Have a Try</u>	
	writer can tell about something that always happens in the same	Summarize and Apply	
	happens in the same	Share	
	-sometimes nonfiction authors group	Mini Lesson: LA.U13.RML2 pg 266	
	information that goes	Minita	
	togther	Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and	

		Annly	
		Apply	
	-notice when an author uses a question	Share	
	and answer structure	Mini Lesson: LA.U13.RML3 pg 264	
		Mini Lesson	
		<u>Have a Try</u>	
		Summarize and <u>Apply</u>	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U13.RML4 pg 266	
		Mini Lesson	
		<u>Have a Try</u>	
		Summarize and <u>Apply</u>	
		Share	
Learning Information from Illustrations/Graphics	-understand that graphics provide important information	Mini Lesson: LA.U15.RML1 pg 286	
4 lessons	-recognize and use	Mini Lesson	
	labels and captions to gain information from	Have a Try	
	illustration	Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
	-recognize and use maps and legends to gain information about a topic	Mini Lesson: LA.U15.RML2 pg 288	
		Mini Lesson	
	-recognize and use diagrams and	Have a Try	
	infographics to gain information about a	Summarize and <u>Apply</u>	
	topic	Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U15.RML3 pg 290	

		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U15.RML4 pg 292	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
Thinking About The Author's Message	-infer messages in a word of fiction	Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML1 pg 180	
		Mini Lesson	
4 minilessons	-infer messages in a work of nonfiction	Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
	-think across works of fiction and nonfiction	<u>Share</u>	
	to derive larger	Mini Lesson:	
	messages	LA.U7.RML2 pg 182	
	-notice how	Mini Lesson	
	illustrations and graphics help to	Have a Try	
	communicate the writer's message	Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U7.RML3 pg 184	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson:	

LA.U7.RML4 pg 186
Mini Lesson
Have a Try
Summarize and Apply
Share

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Unit 8-Exploring Fables, Folktales, Purquoi Tales and Fractured Fairy Tales

Content Area:Language ArtsCourse(s):Adv. Concepts in Com. Sci. (s), Reading, Language ArtsTime Period:AprilLength:4 WeeksStatus:Published

Summary of the Unit

In this unit, students will begin to understand the characteristics of different tales. Students will be able to explore the differences and similiaries between different tale stories. allow students to experience one of the ways a society develops a sense of moral behavior in its children. Children today can learn from this rich literary heritage, which provides both a window into other cultures, and a mirror that allows viewers to reflect more clearly on aspects of their own culture. Readers will also begin to think about what the characters are thinking based on their facial epressions and gestures.

Enduring Understandings

- Folktales show the things that different cultures have in common
- people write for many different purposes
- understanding different cultures help us to understand the world around us
- you can learn valuable lessons from folktales

Essential Questions

- Why are fables important to people?
- Why are folktales important to people?
- Why are purquoi tales important to people?
- What makes these stories familiar and fun to read?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, BAS, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Daily 5
- folktales
- studying folktales

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Continuum

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Guided Reading book sets (Scholastic, F&P)

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FPC Text Set including:

- Fables
- Folktales
- Exploring Pourquoi Tales
- Fractured Fairy Tales

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

- Sam and the Lucky Money by Karen Chinn
- Boundless Grace by Mary Hoffman
- The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo
- What the Moon Saw by Laura Resau
- Show Way by Jacqueline Woodson

Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/ Assessments	Standards
	Interact	tive Read Alouds (IRA)		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Fables	 -recognize characteristics of a fable -tell a story in response to pictures -infer the lessons in the fable -notice a writer's use of playful language -infer that a moral in a fable teaches a lesson -infer that White Mouse is the wisest from her words and actions -use evidence from the text and illustrations to infer characters' traits -synthesize information about characteristics of a fable and revise thinking in response to it -use evidence from the text and illustrations to infer characters' traits -synthesize information about characteristics of a fable and revise thinking in response to it 	IRA (Interactive Read-Aloud): Utilize the IRA Folder to complete the following steps for each book: Introduce the Text Read the Text Discuss the Text Respond to the Text (Shared Interactive Writing or Independent Response to Reading) Seven Blind Mice The Little Red Hen The Grasshopper and the Ants The Tortoise and the Hare The Contest Between the Sun and the Wind:An Aesop's Fable	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1 LA.W.3.4 SOC.6.1.4.A.CS1 SOC.6.1.4.D.CS SOC.6.1.4.D.CS 3-ESS2-2.8.1 3-ESS3- 1.ESS3.B.1

IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-infer the lesson and message from details in the story	Baby Rattlesnake	
	-understand the lesson and messages from details in the story		
		Conejito:A Folktale from Panama	
Folktales	-notice the element of trickery in a folktale		
	-infer the lesson and messages in the story		
		Ming Lo Moves the	
	-notice the story outcome is typical of traditional literature	Mountain	
	-remember important events of the text in sequence		
		Babushka Baba Yaga	
	-notice how Patricia Polacco uses words in creative ways		
	-infer Baba Yaga's character traits as revealed through her thoughts and behavior		
		Martina the Beautiful	
	-recognize ways in which a folktale may represent a culture	Cockroach:A Cuban Folktale	
	-infer the lesson and messages in the story		
	-connect texts by a range of categories	The Boy of the Three-Year Nap	
	-infer lessons and messages in a folktale	Thee Teal Nap	
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IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Exploring Pourquoi Tales	 -infer the significance of events in a plot -understand the overarching message that misunderstandings can have consequences and that not listening can be the source of misunderstandings 	Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears	
	-notice how Ed young uses literary language -infer character traits as revealed through dialogue and behavior	Cat and Rat:The Legend of the Chinese Zodiac	
	-notice a writer's use of poetic language -infer a message or moral	The Legend of the Lady Slipper	
	 -recognize ways in which a pourquoi tale may represent a culture -make connections between the Dragonfly's Tale and The Legend of the Lady Slipper 	Dragonfly's Tale	
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Fractured Fairy Tales	 -recognize different ways an author creates humor -follow a plot with multiple events or episodes 	Earthquack!	
	-infer characters' traits, intentions, feelings, and motivation from details in the text and illustrations -infer a message	The Frog Prince, Continued	
	-follow a plot with multiple events or episodes	Kate and the Beanstalk	

	-notice how the illustrator creates perspective			
	-infer characters' traits, intentions, feelings, and motivation from details in the text and illustrations -make connections and comparisons to the classic fairy tales	Yours Truly, Goldilocks		
	 -use evidence from the text to make and support a wide range of predictions -infer the author's intended messages 	With Love, Little Hen		
	Reading	Mini Lessons (one a day))	
Thinking About the Author's Purpose	-understand that sometimes the author's purpose is to entertain	Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML1 pg 190	-Use Assess Learning to identify	RI.3.1-3.10
3 mini lesson	-authors write books to give	Mini Lesson Have a Try	behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal.	RL.3.1-3.10
	information	Summarize and	-Observation	LA.RF.3
		Apply	through	
	-authors write books to get you to think about or do something	Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192	discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to	LA.RF.3.4
	you to think about or do	Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192 Mini Lesson Have a Try	discussion / anecdotal notes	LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1
	you to think about or do	Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply	discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes	
	you to think about or do	Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and	discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic	
	you to think about or do	Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML3 pg 194	discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading	
	you to think about or do	Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML3 pg 194 Mini Lesson	discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers	
	you to think about or do	Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML2 pg 192 Mini Lesson Have a Try Summarize and Apply Share Mini Lesson: LA.U8.RML3 pg 194	discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers	

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Summarizing 3 mini lessons	-tell the important events of a text in sequence	Mini Lesson: SAS.U4.RML1 pg 472		
	-tell the most important	Mini Lesson		
	information book	Have a Try		
	-tell the important events in	Summarize and Apply		
	order when you tell about a	Share		
	biography	Mini Lesson: SAS.U4.RML2 pg 474		
		Mini Lesson		
		Have a Try		
		Summarize and Apply		
		Share		
		Mini Lesson: SAS.U4.RML3 pg 476		
		Mini Lesson		
		Have a Try		
		Summarize and Apply		
		Share		
Studying Fables	-notice and understand the characteristics of fables as a genre	Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML1 pg 324		
5 minilessons		Mini Lesson		
	-create a working definition for fables	Have a Try		
	tor rables	Summarize and Apply		
	-understand that in fables the	Share		
	same types of characters appear over and over again	Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML2 pg 326		
	-fables have a moral that is	Mini Lesson		
	often stated at the end	Have a Try		
	understand that the characters in fables often use	Summarize and Apply		
	cleverness or trickery to	Share		
	solve a problem	Mini Lesson:		

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		LA.U18.RML3 pg 328	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML4 pg 330	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
		Mini Lesson: LA.U18.RML5 pg 332	
		Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
		Summarize and	
		Apply	
		Share	
Studying Folktales 8 minilessons	-notice and understand the characteristics of folktales as a genre -folktales are alike in many ways	Mini Lesson: LA.U19.RML1 pg 334 Mini Lesson	
		Have a Try	
	-the definition of a folktale is what is always true about it	Summarize and Apply	
		Share	
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Unit 9-Exploring Poetic Language and the World through Photo Essays

Content Area:Language ArtsCourse(s):Adv. Concepts in Com. Sci. (s), Reading, Language ArtsTime Period:MayLength:4 WeeksStatus:Published

Summary of the Unit

In this unit, poetry and photo essays will help students explore even more types of literature. Reading poetry helps children about voice, pitch, volume, and inflection. While these are mainly functions of speech, they're also incredibly important for children learning to read. Poetry can teach young readers about speech patterns, which can give them cues to the words on a page. Photo essays will help students develop broader view of the world around us. Students will become better readers from these experiences.

Enduring Understandings

- Poetry can be fun and does not have to rhyme
- Poetry can have predictive patterns
- Poetry can form into shapes that go with the theme of the poem
- Photo essays include clear photos to teach about the text

Essential Questions

- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- What is the writer's reason for writing?
- How does an author make decisions to interest readers?
- How does an illustrator use art to interest readers?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, BAS, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Non-fiction
- Text features
- Poetry
- Author's Message

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Continuum

Fountas & Pinnell Guided Reading (Teachers Guide)

Fountas & Pinnell Prompting Guides

Fountas & Pinnell Interactive Read Aloud Text Sets & Lessons

Guided Reading book sets (Scholastic, F&P)

Jennifer Serravallo's Reading Strategies Book

FPC Text Set including:

- Poetry
- Exploring the World: Photo Essay

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

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Chart paper & drawing materials

Readers Notebook

Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/ Assessments	Standards
	Inte	eractive Read Alouds (I	RA)	L
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML) Poetry	All books* -notice and enjoy the poet's use of rhythm, rhymes, playful language, and onomatopoeia. -recognize and understand concrete poems -infer the poet's message about something in a new and different way	 *each book is split into many days of lessons. You can either do one lesson and move on or spend more time on poetry depending on your wands/needs Splish Splash Flicker Flash Button Up! Old Elm Speaks:Tree Poems Confetti:Poems for Children 	 -Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal. -Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets 	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1 LA.W.3.4 SOC.6.1.4.A.CS10 SOC.6.1.4.B.CS7 SOC.6.1.4.D.2 SOC.6.1.4.D.CS3 3-ESS2-2.8.1 3-ESS3- 1.ESS3.B.1
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-understand how photographs help communicate Jon Katz's	Meet the Dogs of Bedlam Farm		

	message			
Exploring the World:Photo Essays	-notice how the text is organized in a question/answer format	Mongolia:Vanishing Cultures		
	-make personal connections with the people portrayed in the book			
	-infer the writer's message	Down Under:Vanishing Cultures		
	-infer the			
	message in the text			
	-learn new concepts about aborigines, their lifestyle and their beliefs	It's Our Garden:From Seeds to Harvest		
	-discuss how the graphics and			
	text are carefully placed to communicate ideas clearly			

	-infer the author's message about community and working together			
	Read	ing Mini Lessons (one	a day)	
Study Poetry 7 lessons	 -poems are alike in many ways -poetry is always true -poetry can be fiction or nonfiction -poets use line breaks -different kinds of poetry -sometimes poets place the words in a shape 	Mini Lesson: LA.U6.RML1 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U6.RML2 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U6.RML3 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share Mini Lesson: LA.U6.RML4 • Mini Lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	-Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities -Reading conference notes from guided reading - Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10 LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1

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	and nonfiction	Mini Lesson:
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	illustrations and	and Apply
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Math- create graphs and charts based on popularity of IRA (after each Unit have students poll each other)

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Unit 10-Exploring Characters and Illustrations in Stories

Content Area:Language ArtsCourse(s):Adv. Concepts in Com. Sci. (s), Reading, Language ArtsTime Period:JuneLength:3 WeeksStatus:Published

Summary of the Unit

In this unit, students will learn about hybrid texts. A hybrid text is a single text that creatively weaves together narrative and informational text using a variety of design elements such as marginalia, text boxes, and miniature embedded illustrations. Hybrid text will change the black and white way that students view a story. Many of the stories that Pinkney illustrates includes African-American characters and tales. He mainly uses water color or pencil and paper for his vivid illustrations. His illustrations are very detailed and are always full of different water colors. Students will develop many reading skills through these texts.

Enduring Understandings

- Books can include areas of non-fiction and fiction
- Author's use illustrations to help reader's understand their reading
- illustrations can use a variety of tools: makers, crayons, computers, water colors
- Author's can create a message by stating important facts

Essential Questions

- How does an author make decisions to interest readers?
- How does an illustrator use art to interest readers?
- What tools did the illustrator use in their illustrations?

Summative Assessment and/or Summative Criteria

Response to Reading tasks (illustrations and/or written), Trimester 1 Benchmark, BAS, Reading Records, Cold read assessment.

Resources

Mini Lessons: These skills are applicable to the books in this text set. They can be taught through discussion (turn & talk), anchor charts, or response to reading activities. (Introduced and Reinforced during IRA, Guided Reading and Mini Lessons)

- Daily 5
- Nonfiction/Fiction weaved in a story
- Character Traits
- Author's Message

Independent Reading: (Guided Reading)

- Fluency
- Increase grade level comprehension

Vocabulary

• Build vocabulary (IRA, Guided Reading)

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FPC Text Set including:

- Hybrid Text: Fiction and Nonfiction
- Jerry Pinkney

Optional Related Read Alouds (can be used in between FPC texts):

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- The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo
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Unit Plan

Topic/Selection Timeframe	General Objectives	Instructional Activities	Benchmarks/ Assessments	Standards
	Intera	active Read Alouds (IRA)		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-understand that there are different types of text and that they have different characteristics -learn new concepts	Flight of the Honey Bee	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate meeting of the goal.	RI.3.1-3.10 RL.3.1-3.10
Hybrid:Fiction and Nonfiction	about honey bees		-Observation through discussion / anecdotal notes	LA.RF.3 LA.RF.3.4 LA.SL.3.1 LA.W.3.4
	-recognize hybrid texts, and distinguish which sections are fiction and which are nonfiction	Caterpillar, Caterpillar	-Respond to Reading independent and shared writing activities	SOC.6.1.4.A.CS1
	-understand when a writer is telling information in a sequence		-Reading conference notes from guided reading	SOC.6.1.4.B.CS7 SOC.6.1.4.D.2 SOC.6.1.4.D.CS3
			- Graphic Organizers - Exit Tickets	3-ESS2-2.8.1 3-ESS3- 1.ESS3.B.1
	-recognize how a writer creates humor -recognize and use	Yucky Worms		
	information in graphics	Python		
	-recognize hybrid texts, and distinguish which sections are fiction and which are nonfiction -notice and think critically about a writer's			

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	word choice	Sea Horse:The Shyest	
		Fish in the Sea	
	-infer ways sea horses are different from other fish		
	-notice a writer's use of some poetic language		
IRA TEXT SET (pair with one RML)	-recognize the story- within-a story text structure	Home Place	
Jerry Pinkney	-infer the speakers of unassigned dialogue in the story		
	-notice how Jerry Pinkney's illustrations help to communicate the author's message	Back Home	
	-recognize the style of Jerry Pinkney's illustrations		
		A Starlit Snowfall	
	-notice and understand the contrasting points of video of the bear and the rabbit		
	-understand and appreciate poetic and descriptive language		

	-think about what the characters are thinking from their facial expressions and gestures -infer the importance of the setting to the plot of the story	Puss in Boots		
	Readin	g Mini Lessons (one a day	y)	
Noticing How Authors Choose to Organize Nonfiction	-notice when an author uses a narrative text structure and tells information in chronical	Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML1 pg 216	-Use Assess Learning to identify behaviors that demonstrate	RI.3.1-3.10
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	-understand that a writer can tell about something that always happens in the same	Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML2pg 218 • Mini lesson	through discussion / anecdotal notes -Respond to Reading	LA.RF.3.4
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	-sometimes nonfiction authors group information that goes	Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML3 pg 220	conference notes from guided reading - Graphic	
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	-notice when an author uses a question and answer structure	Mini Lesson: LA.U10.RML4pg 222		
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Hybrid text	-notice and understand the characteristics of hybrid text	Mini Lesson: LA.U5.RML3 • Mini lesson • Have a Try • Summarize and Apply • Share	

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Studying Illustrations in Fiction Books	-gain new information from the illustrations in fiction books	Mini Lesson: LA.U26.RML1		
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		• Summarize and Apply		
	-illustrators show motion and sound in the pictures to give information about the story	Mini Lesson: LA.U26.RML2		
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	story	Mini Lesson: LA.U26.RML3		
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	-illustrators show time			
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	give information about the story	• Summarize and Apply		
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