





BACK TO SCHOOL LESSONS

LESSON	SELECTIONS	CONCEPTS OF PRINT	Alphabet Routine	PHONEMIC AWARENESS	Letters and Sounds	HIGH-FREQUENCY WORDS
BACK TO SCHOOL (ONE WEEK)		Letters, Words, and Sentences Photo Captions (Names of Countries) Environmental Print	 Identify Letters Alphabet Song Place Names Name and Match Letters Alphabet Sequence 	Distinguish Vowel Sounds Blend Phonemes Isolate Phonemes Segment Phonemes Rhyming Words	• Short a • Consonants m, s, t, c • Phonogram -at	I to like a see the we go is are

UNIT 1: AROUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD

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

LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ CONCEPTS OF PRINT	Words to Know (HFW)	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
1	Main Selection What is a Pal? Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Friends Forever Genre: Poetry Decodable Reader Selections Dan and Nan Nat Cat Nan and Dan Fan, Fan, Fan	Beginning Sound Blend Phonemes	Phonics Short a Consonants n, d Consonants p, f Fluency Accuracy: Word Recognition Concepts of Print Letters, Words, and Sentences	be help play with you	Skill Main Idea Strategy Summarize Listening and Speaking Listen for Enjoyment	Vocabulary Strategies Classify and Categorize Action Words Oral Vocabulary beautiful, excellent, invitation, miss, ruin, suddenly Selection Words fun, pal, pet, what	Spelling Principle Words with Short a Spelling Words Basic: am, at, sat, man, dad, mat	Grammar Skill Nouns • Words that Name People • Words that Name Animals	Writing Mode Writing About Us: Labels Focus Trait Ideas
2	Main Selection The Storm Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Storms! Genre: Article Decodable Reader Selections Can It Fit? I Ran Sid Pig Pam	Beginning Sound Blend Phonemes	Phonics Short i Consonants r, h /z/s Consonants b, g Phonogram -it Fluency Accuracy: Words Connected in Text Concepts of Print Match Oral Words to Printed Words	have he look too what	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Infer/Predict Listening, Speaking, Viewing Discussion: Raise Your Hand	Vocabulary Strategies Context Clues Oral Vocabulary bandits, brave, chattered, ears, steady, still Selection Words storm, pop, come, wet, bed	Spelling Principle Words with Short i Spelling Words Basic: if, is, him, rip, fit, pin	Grammar Skill Nouns • Words that Name Places • Words that Name Things	Writing Mode Writing About Us: Captions Focus Trait Ideas



Unit 1: Around the Neighborhood (Continued)

		Phonemic	PHONICS/FLUENCY/	WORDS TO KNOW	COMPREHENSION/		·	·	
LESSON	SELECTIONS	Awareness	CONCEPTS OF PRINT	(HFW)	Listening/Speaking	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
3	Main Selection Curious George at School Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection School Long Ago Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Lil and Max Did Dix Dog Do It? Max Fox and Lon Ox Is It Funny?	Blend Phonemes	Phonics Short o Consonants I, x Inflection -s Fluency Phrasing: Punctuation (Period) Concepts of Print Capitalization Punctuation	do find funny sing no they	Skill Sequence of Events Strategy Monitor/Clarify Listening and Speaking Discussion: Take Turns Talking	Vocabulary Strategies Multiple-Meaning Words Oral Vocabulary apart, crept, proud, sneaked, snout, worried Selection Words curious, school, this, George, kids, mess, paints, job	Spelling Principle Words with Short o Spelling Words Basic: log, dot, top, hot, lot, ox	Grammar Skill Action Verbs • Words that Show Action • More Words that Show Action	Writing Mode Writing About Us: Sentences Focus Trait Word Choice
4	Main Selection Lucia's Neighborhood Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection City Mouse and Country Mouse Genre: Fable Decodable Reader Selections Pals Ned Ken and Vic My Pets	Beginning Sound Blend Phonemes	Phonics Short e Consonants y, w Consonants k, v, j Phonogram -et Fluency Intonation Concepts of Print Punctuation	all does here me my who	Skill Text and Graphic Features Strategy Question Listening and Speaking Conversation: Take Turns	Vocabulary Strategies Alphabetical Order Oral Vocabulary canvas, combinations, ease, important, rhythm, row Selection Words Lucia, book, car, firefighter's, goal, Hi, home, librarian, neighborhood, pants, plant, street	Spelling Principle Words with Short e Spelling Words Basic: yet, web, pen, wet, leg, hen	Grammar Skill Adjectives • Adjectives for Size • Adjectives for Shape	Writing Mode Writing About Us: Class Story Focus Trait Word Choice
5	Main Selection Gus Takes the Train Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection City Zoo Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Fun in the Sun Yams! Yum! Fun, Fun, Fun! Bud	Final Sound Segment Phonemes	Phonics Short u Consonants qu, z Fluency Accuracy: Self-Correct Concepts of Print Punctuation	friend full good hold many pull	Skill Story Structure Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Listening and Speaking Conversation: Listen and Respond	Vocabulary Strategies Antonyms Oral Vocabulary alleys, dash, ferry, space, subways, sealed Selection Words takes, conductor, train, window	Spelling Principle Words with Short u Spelling Words Basic: up, bug, mud, nut, hug, tub	Grammar Skill Adjectives • Adjectives for Color • Adjectives for Number	Writing Mode Writing About Us: Class Story Focus Trait Ideas

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Unit 1: Around the Neighborhood (Continued)

Selections	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	WRITING
Student Magazine, p. RA4: Around Town "I'm Glad" Genre: Poem "People I Know" Genre: Poem "The Wheels on the Bus" Genre: Traditional Song Student Magazine, p. RA8: Activity Central "A Day at the Park" Student Book, p. 26: Friends Forever "Damon & Blue" Genre: Poetry "Wait for Me" Genre: Poetry "Jambo" Genre: Poetry	Comprehension Skill: Identify Words About Feelings and Sensory Words Listening and Speaking: Speak in Complete Sentences	Handwriting: Write Uppercase and Lowercase Letters



Unit 4: Treasures of the Ancient World (Continued)

LESSON	SELECTIONS	Decoding	FLUENCY	Comprehension	Listening/Speaking/ Viewing	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
19	Main Selection The Princess Who Became a King Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Kush Genre: Informational Text	VV Syllable Pattern	Adjust Rate to Purpose	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Foreshadowing	Analyze Media Sources and Message	Target Vocabulary fragments pondered ceremonial divine supportive erected mission prosperity emerge depicted Vocabulary Strategies Greek Roots and Affixes	Spelling Principle Plurals Spelling Words Basic Words: echoes, halves, solos, leaves, heroes, cliffs, scarves, potatoes, pianos, volcanoes, sheriffs, calves, tomatoes, cellos, wolves, ratios, stereos, yourselves, studios, bookshelves Review Words: abilities, duties, scissors, memories, strategies Challenge Words: vetoes, mosquitoes, avocados, wharves, sopranos	Prepositions; Prepositional Phrases	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Informational Essay: Prewrite Focus Trait Organization
20	Main Selection Bodies from the Ash: Life and Death in Ancient Pompeii Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Since Vesuvius Genre: Informational Text	More Common Prefixes dis-, ex-, inter-	Intonation	Skill Main Idea and Details Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Word Choice	View Symbols and Images	Target Vocabulary tremors subjected dormant outlying salvage unaffected opulent meager luxurious imprints Vocabulary Strategies Prefixes un-, re-, in-, im-, ir-, il-	Spelling Principle Prefixes: dis-, ex-, inter- Spelling Words Basic Words: disobey, explosion, dislike, interview, disapprove, interoffice, Internet, disallow, disappear, international, disrespect, exchange, exclaim, dissolve, disconnect, interact, distaste, export, disappoint, interstate Review Words: disrupt, excite, dishonest, disturb, expected Challenge Words: exterminate, interrupt, intermediate, intercept, disproportion	More Prepositional Phrases	Writing Mode Write to Inform Writing Form Informational Essay: Draft, Revise, Edit, Publish Focus Trait Ideas
	Main Selections			Comprehension		Vocabulary		Grammar	Writing
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Magazine: Maya and Inca: Ancient Civilizations of the Americas Genre: Informational Text SE Reading: Kush/ Bodies from the Ash Genre: Informational Text			Comprehension: Integrate Information		Vocabulary Strategies: Domain-Specific Words		Parenthetical Elements	Organizing and Clarifying Information



Unit 2: Sharing Time

LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
6	Main Selection Jack and the Wolf Genre: Fable Paired Selection The Three Little Pigs Genre: Fairy Tale Decodable Reader Selections Ann Packs Tess and Jack A Duck in Mud Ducks Quack	Final Sound Segment Phonemes	Phonics Review Short a Double Final Consonants and ck Phonogram -ack Fluency Expression Concepts of Print Directionality	away call come every hear said	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Summarize Listening and Speaking Follow Directions	Vocabulary Strategies Classify and Categorize Action Words Oral Vocabulary clang, fault, figure, jumbled, plenty, tossed Selection Words sheep, trick, wolf, once upon a time	Spelling Principle Words with Short a Spelling Words Basic: an, bad, can, had, cat, ran Challenge: add, pass	Grammar Skill Complete Sentences • What Is a Sentence? • Is It a Sentence?	Writing Mode Write to Describe: Sentences Uses Adjectives Focus Trait Ideas
7	Main Selection How Animals Communicate Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Insect Messages Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Brad and Cris What Did Dad Get? The Big Crabs Job	Segment Phonemes	Phonics Review Short i Clusters with r Phonogram -ip Fluency Rate Concepts of Print Directionality and Return Sweep	animal how make of some why	Skill Details Strategy Infer/Predict Listening and Speaking Use Nonverbal Cues	Vocabulary Strategies Using a Glossary Oral Vocabulary agreement, crowd, discussed, warn, creek, bills Selection Words baby, bees, bird, dance, down, elephants, food, smell	Spelling Principle Words with a Short i Spelling Words Basic: in, will, did, sit, six, big Challenge: trip, grin	Grammar Skill Sentence Parts • The Naming Part • The Action Part	Writing Mode Write to Describe: Poetry Focus Trait Word Choice
8	Main Selection A Musical Day Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Drums Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Our Flag The Plan Our Sled Club The Pet Club	Segment Phonemes Middle Sound	Phonics Review Short o Clusters with I Phonogram -ock Fluency Phrasing: Natural Pauses Concepts of Print Letters, Words, and Sentences	her now our she today would	Skill Sequence of Events Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Listening and Speaking Tell About a Personal Experience	Vocabulary Strategies Classifiy and Categorize Time Words Oral Vocabulary crisp, edges, faraway, peeked, smudge, village Selection Words aunt, band, guitars, music	Spelling Principle Words with a Short o Spelling Words Basic: on, got, fox, pop, not, hop Challenge: block, clock	Grammar Skill Statements • What Is a Statement? • Writing Statements	Writing Mode Write to Describe: Thank-You Note Focus Trait Word Choice



Unit 2: Sharing Time

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LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
9	Main Selection: Dr. Seuss Genre: Biography Paired Selection Two Poems from Dr. Seuss Genre: Poetry Decodable Reader Selections Step Up! Splat! Splat! Nuts for Ben and Jen Miss Tess Was Still	• Segment Phonemes • Middle Sound	Phonics Review Short e 2- and 3-Letter Clusters with s Fluency Accuracy: Word Recognition Concepts of Print Letters, Words, and Sentences	after draw pictures read was write	Skill Text and Graphic Features Strategy Question Listening and Speaking Participate in Songs and Chants	Vocabulary Strategies Antonyms Oral Vocabulary trip, yanking, twice, awake, wonder, try Selection Words books, Dr., hit, rhymes, wrote	Spelling Principle Words with Short e Spelling Words Basic: yes, let, red, ten, bed, get Challenge: sled, step	Grammar Skill Singular and Plural Nouns One and More Than One Special Plural Nouns	Writing Mode Write to Describe: Description Focus Trait Ideas
10	Main Selection A Cupcake Party Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection At the Bakery Genre: Readers' Theater Decodable Reader Selections Who Likes to Jump? The Lost Cat Flint and Scamp The List	• Segment Phonemes • Middle Sound	Phonics Review Short u Final Clusters Phonogram -ump Fluency Stress Concepts of Print Punctuation	eat give one put small take	Skill Story Structure Strategy Visualize Listening and Speaking Retell a Story	Vocabulary Strategies Synonyms Oral Vocabulary enemies, forest, hibernate, must, pouches, predators Selection Words baked, cupcake, party, tree	Spelling Principle Words with Short u Spelling Words Basic: us, sun, but, fun, bus, run Challenge: jump, must	Grammar Skill Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases Prepositions for Where (on, up, away) Prepositions for When (after, now, today)	Writing Mode Write to Describe: Description Focus Trait Organization
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA10: Dog School Genre: Realistic Fiction Student Magazine, p. RA26: Activity Central: "Picture This!" Student Book, p. 127: A Cupcake Party Genre: Fantasy				COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING Comprehension: Describe Characters, Settings, and Events Listening and Speaking: Add Visuals to Descriptions				Handwriting: Write Sentences



Unit 3: Nature Near and Far

LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
11	Main Selection Sea Animals Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Water Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Seth and Beth Zeb Yak The Duck Nest Animal Moms	Blend and Segment Phonemes	Phonics Digraph th Base Words and -s, -es, -ed, -ing Fluency Phrasing: Attention to Punctuation (Comma) Concepts of Print Capitalization	blue cold far little live their water where	Skill Author's Purpose Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Listening and Speaking Speaking at the Proper Volume	Vocabulary Strategies Classify and Categorize Color Words Oral Vocabulary companions, exchange, gracefully, portions, practice, strict Selection Words fish, flippers, home, penguins, pink, sea, sea lions, sea stars, turtle, warm	Spelling Principle Words with th Spelling Words Basic: that, then, this, them, with, bath Challenge: thick, tenth	Grammar Skill Proper Nouns Names for People and Animals Titles for People	Writing Mode Write to Inform: Sentences Use Adverbs Focus Trait Ideas
12	Main Selection How Leopard Got His Spots Genre: Folktale Paired Selection The Rain Forest Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Scratch, Chomp Rich Gets a Dog Champs Kits, Chicks, and Pups	Blend and Segment Phonemes Substitute Phonemes: Initial	Phonics Digraphs ch, tch Possessives 's Phonogram -atch Possessives 's Fluency Rate Concepts of Print Capitalization	been brown know never off out own very	Skill Sequence of Events Strategy Question Listening and Speaking Speaking at the Proper Rate	Vocabulary Strategies Homophones Oral Vocabulary adventure, frisky, shivered, spied, tumbled, view Selection Words danced, flowers, giraffe, hyena, leopard, paint(s)(ed), zebra	Spelling Principle Words with ch, tch Spelling Words: Basic: chin, chop, much, chip, rich, chick Challenge: match, pitch	Grammar Skill Proper Nouns Names of Places More Place Names	Writing Mode Write to Inform: Letter Focus Trait Sentence Fluency
13	Main Selection Seasons Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection The Four Seasons Genre: Poetry Decodable Reader Selections Phil's New Bat In a Rush Ralph Goes to Camp Trish's Gift	Blend and Segment Phonemes Substitute Phonemes: Initial	Phonics Digraphs sh, wh, ph Contractions with 's, n't Fluency Accuracy: Word Recognition Concepts of Print Punctuation	down fall goes green grow new open yellow	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Visualize Listening and Speaking Listen to Compare and Contrast	Vocabulary Strategies Words Ending in -ed, -ing, or -s Oral Vocabulary bouquet, burst, glows, plow, shrivel, vines Selection Words blow, day, leaves, school, seeds, snow, snowman, spring, summer, fall, winter	Spelling Principle Words with sh, wh, ph Spelling Words Basic: ship, shop, which, when, whip, fish Challenge: shell, graph	Grammar Skill Subjects and Verbs Subject-Verb Agreement Verbs with s	Writing Mode Write to Inform: Sentences Main Idea Focus Trait Ideas



Unit 3: Nature Near and Far (Continued)

LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
14	Main Selection The Big Race Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection The Olympic Games Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Tate's Cakes Dave and the Whales A Safe Lodge The Race	Identify Middle Sound Substitute Phonemes: Medial	Phonics Long a (CVCe) Phonogram –ake Soft c, g, dge Phonogram -ace Fluency Expression Concepts of Print Capitalization Punctuation	five into over starts three	Skill Conclusions Strategy Infer/Predict Listening and Speaking Listen for Story Details	Vocabulary Strategies Classify and Categorize Number Words Oral Vocabulary cactus, habitat, mainly, search, stems, howl Selection Words cottontail, hay, hooray, lizard, race, roadrunner	Spelling Principle Words with Long a Spelling Words Basic: came, make, brave, late, gave, shape Challenge: waves, chases	Grammar Skill Verbs and Time • Verbs with -ed • Present and Past Time	Writing Mode Write to Inform: Report Focus Trait Ideas
15	Main Selection Animal Groups Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Animal Picnic Genre: Readers' Theater Decodable Reader Selections Mike's Bike The Nest The Nice Vet Kite Time	Identify Middle Sound Substitute Phonemes: Medial	Phonics • Long i (CVCe) • Digraphs kn, wr, gn, mb • Phonograms -ine, -ite Fluency Intonation Concepts of Print • Capitalization • Punctuation	both eyes fly long or those	Skill Compare and Contrast Strategy Monitor/Clarify Listening and Speaking Make Introductions	Vocabulary Strategies Suffix -er, -est Oral Vocabulary alert, directions, scale, sensitive, swivel, threatened Selection Words amphibians, body, breathe, feathers, group, hair, mammals, reptiles, tadpoles, tails, wings	Spelling Principle Words with Long i Spelling Words Basic: time, like, kite, bike, white, drive Challenge: stripe, mice	Grammar Skill The Verb be Using is and are Using was and were	Writing Mode Write to Inform: Report Focus Trait Word Choice
	Main Selections				Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	Vocabulary		Grammar	Writing
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA28: Four Seasons for Animals Genre: Informational Text Student Magazine, p. RA38: Activity Central: "Word Detective" Student Book, p. 75: Seasons Genre: Informational Text				Comprehension: Compare and Contrast Texts	Vocabulary Strategies: Sort Words into Categories		Grammar: Possessive Nouns	Writing: Write a Conclusion



Unit 4: Exploring Together

LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
16	Main Selection Let's Go to the Moon! Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Mae Jemison Genre: Biography Decodable Reader Selections Go, Jones! So Much Fun June's Pictures My Mule, Duke	Substitute Phonemes: Medial Substitute Phonemes: Final	Phonics • Long o (CV, CVCe) • Long u (CVCe) Fluency Stress Concepts of Print Chapter Titles and Headings	around because before bring carry light show think	Skill Main Idea and Details Strategy Question Listening and Speaking Tell a Story	Vocabulary Strategies Suffixes -y, -ful Oral Vocabulary atmosphere, decision, landscape, miniature, surface, vast Selection Words crater, footprints, gravity, lunar, rocket, rover	Spelling Principle Words with Long o Spelling Words Basic: so, go, home, hole, no, rope, joke, bone, stove, poke Challenge: chose, wrote	Grammar Skill Questions • What Is a Question? • Writing Questions	Writing Mode Write to Narrate: Sentences (Main Idea) Focus Trait Ideas
17	Main Selection The Big Trip Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection Lewis and Clark's Big Trip Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections At the Beach Who Will Teach Us? Plunk, Plunk The King's Song	Substitute Phonemes: Medial Substitute Phonemes: Final	Phonics • Long e (CV, CVCe) • Vowel Pairs ee, ea • Final ng, nk Fluency Phrasing: Attention to Punctuation (Question Mark)	about by car could don't maybe sure there	Skill Compare and Contrast Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Dialogue Listening and Speaking Listen for Information	Vocabulary Strategies Classifiy and Categorize: Transportation Words Oral Vocabulary complain, delighted, horizon, lonely, pleaded, shelter Selection Words desert, engine, exclaimed, island, jumpy, parachute, stubborn, travel, troubles, tunnel	Spelling Principle Words with Long e Spelling Words Basic: me, be, read, feet, tree, keep, eat, mean, sea, these Challenge: street, please	Grammar Skill Kinds of Sentences • Statement or Question? • Writing Statements and Questions	Writing Mode Write to Narrate: Sentences (Details) Focus Trait Ideas
18	Main Selection Where Does Food Come From? Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection Jack and the Beanstalk Genre: Fairy Tale Decodable Reader Selections Ray Trains Dex Sweet Treats What Will We Do? Let's Eat	Substitute Phonemes: Medial Substitute Phonemes: Final	Phonics D1: Vowel Pairs ai, ay D3: Contractions 'II, 'd D4: Vowel Pairs ai, ay Phonograms -ay, -ain Contractions 'II, 'd Fluency Expression	first food ground right sometimes these under your	Skill Author's Purpose Strategy Summarize Author's Craft Predictable Text Listening and Speaking Give Directions	Vocabulary Strategies Multiple-Meaning Words Oral Vocabulary disappointed, eagerly, fancy, scampered, slippery, spotted Selection Words chocolate, favorite, paddies, vegetables	Spelling Principle Vowel Pairs ai, ay (long a) Spelling Words Basic: play, grain, sail, mail, may, rain, way, day, stay, pain Challenge: paint, spray	Grammar Skill Names of Months, Days, Holidays Months, Days, Holidays Commas in Dates	Writing Mode Write to Narrate: Friendly Letter Focus Trait Sentence Fluency



UNIT 4: EXPLORING TOGETHER (CONTINUED)

LESSON	SELECTIONS	PHONEMIC Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
19	Main Selection Tomás Rivera Genre: Biography Paired Selection Life Then and Now Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections It Was Snow Fun Boat Rides Fun with Gram Rex Knows	Substitute Phonemes: Medial Combine, Segment Syllables	Phonics • Vowel Pairs oa, ow • Contractions 've, 're • Phonograms -ow, -oat • Contractions 've, 're Fluency Intonation	done great laugh paper soon talk were work	Skill Conclusions Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Descriptive Details Listening and Speaking Gather Information	Vocabulary Strategies Synonyms Oral Vocabulary author, exactly, incomplete, permission, signature, welcomed Selection Words Tomás Rivera, Texas, born, library, people, stories, family, teacher	Spelling Principle: Vowel Pairs oa, ow Spelling Words: Basic: show, row, grow, low, blow, snow, boat, coat, road, toad Challenge: flown, toast	Grammar Skill Future Tense Future Using will Future Using going to	Writing Mode Write to Narrate: Personal Narrative Focus Trait Organization
20	Main Selection Little Rabbit's Tale Genre: Folktale Paired Selection Silly Poems Genre: Readers' Theater Decodable Reader Selections Bedtime for Ray Pancake Ran A Springtime Rain Rosebud	Combine, Segment Syllables Recognize Syllables	Phonics Compound Words Short Vowel /e/ea Fluency Rate	door more mother old try use want wash	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Infer/Predict Author's Craft Patterned Text Listening and Speaking Use Descriptive Language	Vocabulary Strategies Compound Words Oral Vocabulary calf, flooded, meadow, rippled, swarm, wade Selection Words apple, Beaver, Goose, happily ever after, oh, says, sky, told	Spelling Principle: Compound Words Spelling Words: Basic: bedtime, sunset, bathtub, sailboat, flagpole, backpack, playpen, raincoat, inside, himself Challenge: rowboat, homemade	Grammar Skill Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases • Prepositional Phrases for where • Prepositional Phrases for when	Writing Mode Write to Narrate: Personal Narrative Focus Trait Word Choice
	MAIN SELECTIONS				Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	VOCABULARY		Grammar	WRITING
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA40: Healthy Habits Genre: Informational Text Student Magazine, p. RA44: Let's Move! Genre: Informational Text Student Magazine, p. RA48: Activity Central: "Word Power!"				Comprehension: Compare and Contrast Texts Listening and Speaking: Ask and Answer Questions	Vocabulary Strategies: Shades of Meaning		Grammar: Commands	Writing: Use Digital Tools in Writing



Unit 5: Watch Us Grow

LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ CONCEPTS OF PRINT	Words to Know (HFW)	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
21	Main Selection The Tree Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection It Comes from Trees Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Mark Shark Clark's Part At the Shore More Fun for Jake	 Substitute Vowel Sounds Segment Syllables 	Phonics • r-Controlled Vowel ar • r-Controlled Vowels or, ore • Phonograms -ar, -ore Fluency Phrasing: Natural Pauses	better night pretty saw thought told turned window	Skill Story Structure Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Author's Craft Repetition Listening and Speaking Monitor Understanding and Ask Questions	Vocabulary Strategies Prefix re- Oral Vocabulary clever, clues, detectives, poked, sneaky, whispered Selection Words awful, delivery, drooped, lemonade, llama, pleased, staked, stroked	Spelling Principle r-Controlled Vowel ar Spelling Words Basic: far, arm, yard, art, jar, bar, barn, bark, card, yarn Challenge: smart, chart	Grammar Skill Subject Pronouns Pronouns That Name One Pronouns That Name More Than One	Writing Mode Write to Express: Sentences (Dialogue) Focus Trait Voice
22	Main Selection Amazing Animals Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection The Ugly Duckling Genre: Fairy Tale Decodable Reader Selections See the Birds A Bath for Mert Fox and Crow Meet Gert	Substitute Vowel Sounds Segment Syllables	Phonics r - Controlled Vowels er, ir, ur Fluency Accuracy: Connected Text	baby begins eight follow learning until years young	Skill Conclusions Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Word Choice: Names of Animals, Body Parts Listening and Speaking Participate in a Group Discussion	Vocabulary Strategies Using a Dictionary Entry Oral Vocabulary misty, promised, receive, roamed, slender, sparkling Selection Words amazing, camel, color, dolphin, polar bear, porcupine, toes	Spelling Principle r-Controlled Vowels er, ir, ur Spelling Words Basic: her, fern, girl, sir, stir, bird, fur, hurt, turn, third Challenge: curl, first	Grammar Skill The Pronoun / • Naming Yourself Last • Naming Yourself with /	Writing Mode Write to Express: Sentences (Vivid Verbs) Focus Trait Word Choice
23	Main Selection Whistle for Willie Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Pet Poems Genre: Poetry Decodable Reader Selections Look at This! Two Good Cooks Good Homes Big Problems	Substitute Vowel Sounds Segment Syllables	Phonics • Vowel Digraph oo (sound in book) • Syllable Pattern (CVC) Fluency Stress	again along began boy father house nothing together	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Figurative Language Listening and Speaking Giving Important Information	Vocabulary Strategies Classify and Categorize Family Words Oral Vocabulary accent, behave, gooey, siesta, sizzling, translated Selection Words carton, empty, errand, grocery, happened, pocket, shadow, whirled	Spelling Principle Vowel Digraph oo Spelling Words Basic: look, book, good, hook, brook, took, foot, shook, wood, hood Challenge: crook, hoof	Grammar Skill Possessive Pronouns • Using my, your, his, and her • Using mine, yours, his, and hers	Writing Mode Write to Express: Summary Focus Trait Organization



UNIT 5: WATCH US GROW (CONTINUED)

LESSON	Selections	PHONEMIC Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ CONCEPTS OF PRINT	Words to Know (HFW)	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING	VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
24	Main Selection A Butterfly Grows Genre: Narrative Nonfiction Paired Selection Best Friends Genre: Readers' Theater Decodable Reader Selections Moose's Tooth Moon News Boot's Clues Red Zed and Blue Stu	Substitute Vowel Sounds Segment Syllables	Phonics • Vowel Digraphs/spelling Patterns: oo, ou, ew • More Spellings for /oo/: ue, u, u_e Fluency Expression	also anything flower kind places ready upon warm	Skill Sequence of Events Strategy Question Author's Craft Descriptive Details (Exact Adjectives, Verbs) Listening and Speaking Ask Questions and Make Connections	Vocabulary Strategies Multiple-Meaning Words Oral Vocabulary completely, gentle, lonely, recognize, reflection, settle Selection Words beautiful, butterfly, caterpillar, chrysalis, milkweed	Spelling Principle Vowel Digraphs oo, ou, ew Spelling Words Basic: soon, new, noon, zoo, boot, too, moon, blew, soup, you Challenge: grew, scoop	Grammar Skill Pronouns and Verbs Pronouns and Action Verbs Pronouns and be	Writing Mode Write to Express: Story Focus Trait Ideas
25	Main Selection The New Friend Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Neighborhoods Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Down on the Farm Scout and Count Dawn's Voice Shawn's Toys	Substitute Vowel Sounds Identify Syllables Segment Syllables	Phonics Vowel Combinations ou, ow Vowel Combinations oi, oy, au, aw Fluency Phrasing: Attention to Punctuation	buy city family myself party please school seven	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Summarize Author's Craft Word Choice: Signal Words Listening and Speaking Main Idea and Details	Vocabulary Strategies Synonyms with Introduction to Thesaurus Oral Vocabulary blossom, ledge, lugging, shady, shallow, caverns Selection Words brushes, crates, crew, pails, rejoined, repaid, seventh, soccer, unloaded, unpack	Spelling Principle Vowel Combinations ou, ow Spelling Words Basic: how, now, cow, owl, ouch, house, found, out, gown, town Challenge: shout, power	Grammar Skill Contractions Contractions with not Contractions with Pronouns	Writing Mode Write to Express: Story Focus Trait Sentence Fluency
	Main Selections		PHONICS/FLUENCY/ CONCEPTS OF PRINT		Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	Vocabulary		Grammar	Writing
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine, p. RA50: Marti Feels Proud Genre: Realistic Fiction Student Magazine, p. RA60: Activity Central: "What Am I?" Student Book, p. 141: The New Friend Genre: Realistic Fiction		Phonemic Awareness/ Phonics: Syllabication		Comprehension: Identify Who Is Telling the Story	Vocabulary Strategies: Define Words		Grammar: Indefinite Pronouns Commas in a Series	Writing: Write a Good Ending



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LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	Comprehension/ Listening/Speaking	Vocabulary	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
26	Main Selection The Dot Genre: Realistic Fiction Paired Selection Artists Create Art! Genre: Biography Decodable Reader Selections Bears Hiding and Seeking Henry and Dad Go Camping Speedy and Chase	Substitute Vowel Sounds Segment Syllables	Phonics Base Words/ Inflections -ed, -ing (CVCe, CVC) Long e Spelling Patterns y, ie Fluency Accuracy: Self-Correct	above bear even pushed studied surprised teacher toward	Skill Compare and Contrast Strategy Monitor/Clarify Author's Craft Word Choice: Descriptive Details Listening and Speaking Describe Visuals	Vocabulary Strategies Figurative Language (Idioms) Oral Vocabulary field, magical, shrubbery, softly, universe, wondrous Selection Words blank, gazing, noticed, squiggle, straight, swirly	Spelling Principle: Base Words ending in -ed, -ing Spelling Words: Basic: mix, mixed, hop, hopped, hope, hoping, run, running, use, used Challenge: writing, grabbed	Grammar Skill Exclamations • What Is an Exclamation? • Writing Exclamations	Writing Mode Write to Respond: Opinion Sentences Focus Trait Voice
27	Main Selection What Can You Do? Genre: Informational Text Paired Selection The Wind and the Sun Genre: Fable Decodable Reader Selections The Three Races Seed Sisters The Fox and the Grapes Jingle, Jangle, and Jiggle	Segment Syllables Identify Syllables	Phonics Base Words/ Inflections -er, -est; change y to i Syllable -le Fluency Intonation	always different enough happy high near once stories	Skill Text and Graphic Features Strategy Analyze/Evaluate Author's Craft Word Choice: Comparisons Listening and Speaking Listen Critically	Vocabulary Strategies Classify and Categorize: Emotion Words Oral Vocabulary cobweb, demanded, dreadful, grumbled, panted, terrified Selection Words binoculars, captain, computers, float, something	Spelling Principle: Base Words ending in -er, -est Spelling Words: Basic: hard, harder, hardest, fast, faster, fastest, slow, slower, slowest, sooner Challenge: shorter, shortest	Grammar Skill Kinds of Sentences • Question or Exclamation? • Three Kinds of Sentences	Writing Mode Write to Respond: Opinion Sentences Focus Trait Sentence Fluency
28	Main Selection The Kite Genre: Fantasy Paired Selection Measuring Weather Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Sally Jane and Beth Ann Ty and Big Gilly Bird Watching Benches	Segment Syllables Delete a Phoneme	Phonics •Long i Spelling Patterns igh, y, ie • Base Words/ Inflections -ed, -ing, -er, -est, -es • Phonograms -ight, -y Fluency Phrasing: Natural Pauses	ball cried head heard large	Skill Story Structure Strategy Infer/Predict Author's Craft Word Choice: Emphasis Listening and Speaking Listen to Summarize	Vocabulary Strategies Homographs Oral Vocabulary assures, audience, chorus, determined, enthusiasm, stomped Selection Words junk, laughter, perhaps	Spelling Principle: Spelling Patterns igh, y, ie (long i) Spelling Words: Basic: my, try, sky, fly, by, dry, pie, cried, night, light Challenge: myself, brighter	Grammar Skill Adjectives • Adjectives for Taste and Smell • Adjectives for Sound and Texture	Writing Mode Write to Respond: Opinion Sentences Focus Trait Word Choice



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LESSON	SELECTIONS	Phonemic Awareness	PHONICS/FLUENCY/ Concepts of Print	Words to Know (HFW)	COMPREHENSION/ LISTENING/SPEAKING	VOCABULARY	Spelling	Grammar	Writing
29	Main Selection A Boat Disappears Genre: Mystery Paired Selection Busy Bugs Genre: Poetry Decodable Reader Selections Quiz Game Jack and the Beans Ruth's Day Stew for Peg	 Segment Syllables Delete a Phoneme 	Phonics Suffixes -ful, -ly, -y Long Vowel Spelling Patterns: a, e, i, o, u Fluency Expression	almost any behind gone happened hello idea leaves	Skill Cause and Effect Strategy Visualize Author's Craft Dialogue Listening and Speaking Give a Report	Vocabulary Strategies Prefix un- Oral Vocabulary corner, disguised, mystery, seriously, signs, solve Selection Words anyway, disappeared, helpful, inspector, sailed, solved, yummy	Spelling Principle Suffixes -ly, -y, -ful Spelling Words Basic: sad, sadly, slow, slowly, dust, dusty, trick, tricky, help, helpful Challenge: quickly, hopeful	Grammar Skill Adverbs Adverbs for How and Where Adverbs for When and How Much	Writing Mode Write to Respond: Opinion Paragraph Focus Trait Ideas
30	Main Selection Winners Never Quit! Genre: Narrative Nonfiction Paired Selection Be a Team Player Genre: Informational Text Decodable Reader Selections Amy Ant Julie and Jason Home at Last Soccer	Segment Syllables	Phonics Syllabication (CV) Prefixes un-, re- Fluency Rate: Adjust Reading Rate to Purpose	brothers everyone field loved most only people sorry	Skill Understanding Characters Strategy Summarize Author's Craft Onomatopoeia Listening and Speaking Make an Announcement	Vocabulary Strategies Suffix -ly Oral Vocabulary mightiest, show-off, waste, wild, wobble, careful Selection Words already, dribbled, goalie, rather	Spelling Principle Syllable Pattern CV Spelling Words Basic: even, open, begin, baby, tiger, music, paper, zero, table, below Challenge: because, silent	Grammar Skill Adjectives That Compare Adjectives with er and est Using the Right Adjective	Writing Mode Write to Respond: Opinion Paragraph Focus Trait Organization
1	Main Selections				Comprehension		Grammar/Writing	GRAMMAR	Writing
EXTENDING THE COMMON CORE	Student Magazine. p. RA50: The Heroes Behind the Heroes Genre: Biography Student Magazine. p. RA72: Activity Central: "On the Right Track!"				Comprehension: Describe Connections Between Individuals Comprehension: Use Electronic Menus and Icons			Grammar: Determiners Grammar: Compound Sentences	Writing: Write a Strong Beginning



