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SOCIAL STUDIES | FIRST AMERICANS/NATIVE AMERICANS

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The Pueblo Girl Scatters the Stars	Alicia Zadrozny	Literature	1	Retell Stories (Instruction)
Accidental Art, an excerpt from Indian Shoes	Cynthia Leitich Smith	Literature	3	Recounting a Story (Instruction)
A Village on the Move	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	3	Understanding Scientific Stories (Instruction)
Language Warriors	Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 1/2)
Saving a Language One Word at a Time	James Vukelich 'Kaagegaabaw' as told to Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 2/2)
Fishing by Torchlight	Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Quiz 1/2)
Take Only What You Need, an excerpt from Teachings from Paul Buffalo	Timothy G. Roufs (Editor)	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Quiz 2/2)
Powwow for Hope	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Feeling Strong, KweStrong!	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
On Stolen Land	Louise Roy	Informational Text	5	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Quiz 2/2)
Using His Outside Voice	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Oscar Howe, Sioux Artist	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Instruction)
Learning to Paint with Words	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)





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Boosting Black Businesses	Nicholl Montgomery	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Student Voices for Change	Nicholl Montgomery	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Dogs Unleashed!	Jessa Snow	Informational Text	4	Evaluating Arguments in an Informational Text (Instruction)
Cycle Cities	Beth Harris	Informational Text	4	Evaluating Arguments in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Driverless Cars Take to the Streets	Meg Belviso	Informational Text	6	Identifying Word Meaning (Quiz)
Let's Give More Teens a Voice	Ellie Lagatta	Informational Text	6	Evaluating Arguments (Instruction)
Why Youth Isn't Ready for the Vote	Stephen Baxter	Informational Text	6	Evaluating Arguments (Quiz)
Elizabeth Cady Stanton: Ahead of Her Time	Justin Libby	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Instruction 1/2)
Booker T. Washington: An Exceptional Life	Justin Libby	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Quiz 1/2)
Get Involved!	Eric Braun	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Getting Involved (Quiz)
Food Fraud	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Instruction)
Faraway Food	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Quiz)
A Mission at Midnight	Carmen Morais	Informational Text	7	Summarizing Social Studies Texts (Instruction)
Let Freedom Ring (Just Not Too Loud)	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Quiz)
The Newsboys' Strike	Pam Pollack	Informational Text	7	Historical Fiction Versus Nonfiction (Instruction 1/2)
Bass Reeves: Lawman	Pam Pollack	Informational Text	7	Historical Fiction Versus Nonfiction (Quiz 1/2)
A Matter of Fact	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Instruction 1/2)





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Whose News?	Dominic Cooke	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Instruction 2/2)
Water-Wise	Alison Pearce Stevens	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Instruction)
We the People	Jen Malone	Literature	8	Analyzing the Impact of Dialogue (Instruction)
A Step Toward the Future	Ann Damons	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Connections Between Individuals, Events, and Ideas (Instruction)
Her Voice Will Be Heard	Ann Damons	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Connections Between Individuals, Events, and Ideas (Quiz)
Why I'm a Writer, an excerpt from Just Write: Here's How	Walter Dean Myers	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Informational Text (Instruction)
How Writing Changed My Life, an excerpt from Just Write: Here's How	Walter Dean Myers	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Informational Text (Quiz)
Making a Declaration of Independence	Pam Pollack	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Instruction)
Next Stop: Adulthood	Meg Belviso	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Quiz)
Free Higher Education: A Smart Deal	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Evaluating Arguments (Instruction)
What You Can Do for Your Country—and Yourself	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Evaluating Arguments (Quiz)
Teens and Work: What's at Risk?	Ellie Lagata	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Quiz 1/2)
How Working Can Work for Teens	Stephen Baxter	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Quiz 2/2)





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The Library, an excerpt from Finding Langston	Lisa Cline-Ransome	Literature	3	Distinguishing Point of View in a Story (Instruction)
Boosting Black Businesses	Nicholl Montgomery	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
The Patchwork Special	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	5	Theme of a Story (Quiz)
Claire Smith Gets Her Story	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Instruction 1/2)
The Right to Play Ball	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Instruction 2/2)
A Baseball Legend	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Quiz 1/2)
A Historic Lineup	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Quiz 2/2)
A Long-Awaited Landmark	Ann Damons	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Chronological Text Structure (Instruction)
Let's Give More Teens a Voice	Ellie Lagatta	Informational Text	6	Evaluating Arguments (Instruction)
Why Youth Isn't Ready for the Vote	Stephen Baxter	Informational Text	6	Evaluating Arguments (Quiz)
Eighty Years and More	Elizabeth Cady Stanton	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Instruction 2/2)
Up From Slavery	Booker T. Washington	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Quiz 2/2)
The Right to Protest	Duchess Harris	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Getting Involved (Instruction)
Get Involved!	Eric Braun	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Getting Involved (Quiz)
A Mission at Midnight	Carmen Morais	Informational Text	7	Summarizing Social Studies Texts (Instruction)
Her Voice Will Be Heard	Ann Damons	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Connections Between Individuals, Events, and Ideas (Quiz)





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Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
I Can Do This	Peter Scott	Literature	К	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Quiz)
Play Ball!	Tiki Moore	Informational Text	1	Describe Connections Between Ideas (Quiz)
The Best Discovery	Sethany Alongi	Literature	1	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Instruction)
Racing for Olympic Gold	as told by Aletha Bader	Literature	2	Describe How Characters Act (Quiz)
Treasure Hunting Today	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	3	Information from Words and Pictures (Instruction)
Choose Your Cache Adventure	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	3	Information from Words and Pictures (Quiz)
What Is the Best Superpower?	Gabrielle Reyes	Informational Text	3	Understand How Comparisons Are Made (Instruction)
Feeling Strong, KweStrong!	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
The First Modern Olympics	Eva Stewart	Informational Text	5	Inferences About Informational Text (Quiz)
The Patchwork Special	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	5	Theme of a Story (Quiz)
Aylin and the Eagle	Mia Lewis	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Settings and Events (Instruction)
Changing the Score	Mia Lewis	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Settings and Events (Quiz)
Stepping Up to the Plate	Rebecca Finley	Literature	5	Figurative Language (Instruction)
Claire Smith Gets Her Story	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Instruction 1/2)
The Right to Play Ball	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Instruction 2/2)
A Baseball Legend	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Quiz 1/2)
A Historic Lineup	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Quiz 2/2)





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Two-on-Two	Jerry Craft	Literature	6	Identifying the Theme (Instruction)
Quadruple Threat	Jerry Craft	Literature	6	Identifying the Theme (Quiz)
Game Day	Jerry Craft	Literature	6	Summarizing: Literary Text (Instruction)
Scooters: Big Pain or Big Gain?	Meg Belviso	Informational Text	6	Identifying Word Meaning (Instruction)
Field Day Hideaway	Dana Levy	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Hacking the Hackathon	Jen Malone	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Solving Problems Together (Quiz)
Personal Best	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Instruction)
Hurdles	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Quiz)
One Sport, Two Sports, or More?	Stephen Krensky	Informational Text	7	Evaluating Arguments (Instruction)
Scoreboard for Sale	Stephen Krensky	Informational Text	7	Evaluating Arguments (Quiz)
On a Roll	Amira Shea	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Let the Games Begin	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About the Olympics (Instruction)
Olympic Boom or Bust?	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About the Olympics (Quiz)
Just Watch	Jaya Mehta	Literature	8	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Quiz)
Finding Common Ground	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Analyzing Development of a Theme, Part 1 (Quiz)





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Nobody's Perfect	Jen Malone	Literature	8	Analyzing the Impact of Dialogue (Quiz)
Everyone's a Winner?	Joanna Santos	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Paragraph Structure (Instruction)
From the Couch to the Arena: Becoming an Esports Player	Joanna Santos	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Paragraph Structure (Quiz)
Board Games Make a Comeback	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Competitive and Cooperative Gaming (Instruction)
Cooperation is a Winning Strategy	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Competitive and Cooperative Gaming (Quiz)





SOCIAL STUDIES | WORLD CULTURES & TRADITIONS

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The Special Deer	Amelia Scott	Literature	К	Identify Events (Instruction)
Good Luck at the Castle	Amelia Scott	Literature	К	Identify Events (Quiz)
Water Games	Alex Anderson	Informational Text	1	Describe Connections Between Ideas (Instruction)
Play Ball!	Tiki Moore	Informational Text	1	Describe Connections Between Ideas (Quiz)
That's a Building?	Michelle Beaumont	Informational Text	3	Ask Questions About Key Details in an Informational Text (Instruction)
The Coolest Hotel	Eric Norberg	Informational Text	3	Ask Questions About Key Details in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Accidental Art, an excerpt from Indian Shoes	Cynthia Leitich Smith	Literature	3	Recounting a Story (Instruction)
The Bombazo	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Literature	3	Recounting a Story (Quiz)
The Girl Who Could be King, an excerpt from Ways to Make Sunshine	Renée Watson	Literature	3	Understanding Characters (Instruction)
Stretched-Out Day, an excerpt from Turtle of Oman	Naomi Shihab Nye	Literature	3	Understanding Literal and Non-Literal Language (Instruction)
Strange Animal, an excerpt from Turtle of Oman	Naomi Shihab Nye	Literature	3	Understanding Literal and Non-Literal Language (Quiz)
Just Be Yourself	Amber Sousa	Informational Text	3	Distinguishing Points of View on a Topic (Instruction)
Omer's Deep Dive	Lucinda Hedrick Kennsley	Literature	4	Describing Settings and Events (Instruction)
Way Back to School	Tania Therian	Informational Text	4	Understanding Historical Texts (Instruction)
Abuela's Sofrito Recipe	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	4	Understanding Technical Texts (Instruction)
Big City Bagels	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	4	Understanding Technical Texts (Quiz)
Finding My Muse	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Understanding Allusions (Quiz)
First Impressions, an excerpt from Amina's Voice	Hena Khan	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Instruction 1/2)





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Breaking Tradition, an excerpt from Amina's Voice	Hena Khan	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Quiz 1/2)
Language Warriors	Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 1/2)
Saving a Language One Word at a Time	James Vukelich 'Kaagegaabaw' as told to Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 2/2)
Fishing by Torchlight	Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Quiz 1/2)
Take Only What You Need, an excerpt from Teachings from Paul Buffalo	Timothy G. Roufs (Editor)	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Quiz 2/2)
The Boy and the Bee	A. Zacchia	Literature	4	Comparing Story Topics and Themes (Quiz 1/2)
The Dove and the Ant	A. Zacchia	Literature	4	Comparing Story Topics and Themes (Quiz 2/2)
A Little Light	Susan Muaddi Darraj	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Literature (Quiz)
Powwow for Hope	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Feeling Strong, KweStrong!	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Hello and Welcome!	M. Michelle Derosier	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Info (Instruction)
Connected Through Language	M. Michelle Derosier	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Info (Quiz)
The Great Exhibition: A Surprise Success	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	5	Inferences About Informational Text (Instruction)
The First Modern Olympics	Eva Stewart	Informational Text	5	Inferences About Informational Text (Quiz)
Aylin and the Eagle	Mia Lewis	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Settings and Events (Instruction)
Pay Me with Chocolate, Please	Arthur Greenway	Informational Text	5	Understanding Historical Texts (Instruction)





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Silphium: A Mysterious Spice	Sarah H. Lakeman	Informational Text	5	Understanding Historical Texts (Quiz)
My Choice, an excerpt from Other Words for Home	Jasmine Warga	Literature	5	Understanding Point of View in Literature (Instruction)
ESL Class, an excerpt from Other Words for Home	Jasmine Warga	Literature	5	Understanding Point of View in Literature (Quiz)
Uluru: A Mystical Monolith	Peter Barlow	Informational Text	5	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 1/2)
Please Don't Climb	Unknown	Informational Text	5	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 2/2)
Staying Connected	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Quiz)
I am a Puzzle Piece	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Identity (Instruction)
Barriers	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Instruction)
Hurdles	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Quiz)
Sister Ties	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Where She'd Rather Be	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Lucky Red	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Making Mistakes (Instruction)
Floating Schools	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Quiz)
Watch Your Language!	Cassia Amato	Informational Text	8	Summarizing: Informational Text (Instruction)
Is Speaking Two Languages Better Than One?	Stephen Baxter	Informational Text	8	Summarizing: Informational Text (Quiz)



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Curly Shoes	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Instruction)
Parsley Raita	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Quiz)
A New Way to Celebrate A New Year	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Confidence (Instruction)
Hidden Talent	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Confidence (Quiz)
Learning the Game	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family Histories (Instruction)





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How Coney Island Came Back	Meike Gordon	Informational Text	1	Describe Connections Between Events (Instruction)
How Chicago Came Back	Amy Kraft	Informational Text	1	Describe Connections Between Events (Quiz)
The House That Used to Walk	Alan Davidson	Informational Text	1	Gather Information from Words and Pictures (Instruction)
Tons and Tons of Twine	Joe Andrews	Informational Text	1	Gather Information from Words and Pictures (Quiz)
Pittsburgh: A Smoky City	Julia Watson	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Historical Events (Instruction)
The Man Who Cleaned Up Pittsburgh's Air	Eva Stuart	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Historical Events (Quiz)
Dr. Genie Clark: The Shark Lady	Jackie Glassman	Informational Text	2	Determine Word Meanings (Instruction)
Honeybee Hero	Lisa Todd	Informational Text	2	Determine Word Meanings (Quiz)
Racing for Olympic Gold	as told by Aletha Bader	Literature	2	Describe How Characters Act (Quiz)
Hurricane Hunters	Alex Anderson	Informational Text	2	Identify Author's Purpose (Instruction)
Lava Chasers	Jessica Jackson	Informational Text	2	Identify Author's Purpose (Quiz)
A Monster Machine: The Ferris Wheel	Nancy Collins	Informational Text	2	Explain How Images Support Text (Quiz)
Outwitting Ticks	Elizabeth Holmes	Informational Text	3	Find Main Idea and Key Details in an Informational Text (Instruction)
Fail Better	Amanda Baker	Informational Text	3	Find Main Idea and Key Details in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Reporting the News with Hilde	Alice Cary	Informational Text	3	Text Features (Instruction)
Sending Hugs to Haiti	Alice Cary	Informational Text	3	Text Features (Quiz)
Boosting Black Businesses	Nicholl Montgomery	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)





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Helping Hands	Elizabeth Preston	Informational Text	4	Summarizing Informational Text (Instruction)
Superhero Gloves	Elizabeth Preston	Informational Text	4	Summarizing Informational Text (Quiz)
Strange Signals from Space	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	4	Understanding Scientific Texts (Quiz)
Saving a Language One Word at a Time	James Vukelich 'Kaagegaabaw' as told to Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 2/2)
David Bowles: Spooky Storyteller	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas (Instruction)
Grace Lin: Writing Herself into the Story	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas (Quiz)
Garrett Morgan, a Man with Bright Ideas	Paula Morrow	Informational Text	5	Summarizing Informational Texts (Instruction)
The Power of Patents	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	5	Summarizing Informational Texts (Quiz)
Emma Edmonds: Master of Disguise	Charnon Smith	Informational Text	5	Unfamiliar Words (Quiz)
Pigging Out on Plastic	Gabrielle Balkan	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Instruction 1/2)
Treasures in the Trash	Gabrielle Balkan	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Instruction 2/2)
Food Gone Good	Gilda Brake	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Quiz 1/2)
Saving Ugly Fruits and Vegetables	Gilda Brake	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Quiz 2/2)
Sergeant Stubby	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures: Part 2 (Quiz 1/2)
Carl Spitz, Star Dog Trainer	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures: Part 2 (Quiz 2/2)
The Making of a Mountain	Christine Graf	Informational Text	5	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Quiz 1/2)
Claire Smith Gets Her Story	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Instruction 1/2)





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The Right to Play Ball	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Instruction 2/2)
A Baseball Legend	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Quiz 1/2)
A Historic Lineup	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	5	Integrating Information (Quiz 2/2)
A Voice for Her Community	Sonia Black	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Individuals (Instruction)
The Teen Who Turned Trash into Tech	Sonia Black	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Individuals (Quiz)
Paying It Forward	Alice Cary	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Compare and Contrast Text Structure (Instruction)
Kids Helping Kids	Zeke Shepherd	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Cause and Effect Text Structure (Instruction)
A Trillion Trees	Zeke Shepherd	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Cause and Effect Text Structure (Quiz)
A Long-Awaited Landmark	Ann Damons	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Chronological Text Structure (Instruction)
The Case of the Missing Ruby Slippers	Ann Damons	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Chronological Text Structure (Quiz)
Elizabeth Cady Stanton: Ahead of Her Time	Justin Libby	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Instruction 1/2)
Eighty Years and More	Elizabeth Cady Stanton	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Instruction 2/2)
Booker T. Washington: An Exceptional Life	Justin Libby	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Quiz 1/2)
Up From Slavery	Booker T. Washington	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Quiz 2/2)
Anna Du, Ocean Detective	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Youth Who Solve Problems (Instruction)
Getting It Done	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Youth Who Solve Problems (Quiz)
A Mission at Midnight	Carmen Morais	Informational Text	7	Summarizing Social Studies Texts (Instruction)





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Infinite Flow	Zachary Bird	Informational Text	7	Summarizing Social Studies Texts (Quiz)
Bass Reeves: Lawman	Pam Pollack	Informational Text	7	Historical Fiction Versus Nonfiction (Quiz 1/2)
Using His Outside Voice	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Changing Lives, One Step at a Time	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Oscar Howe, Sioux Artist	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Instruction)
Jacqueline Woodson Writes Her Own Path	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Quiz)
Why I'm a Writer, an excerpt from Just Write: Here's How	Walter Dean Myers	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Informational Text (Instruction)
How Writing Changed My Life, an excerpt from Just Write: Here's How	Walter Dean Myers	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Informational Text (Quiz)
The Man Who Spreads Smiles	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Learning to Paint with Words	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
A Milestone Spacewalk	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)





SOCIAL STUDIES | LEARNING & LANGUAGE

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Lost in the Corn	Laurie Wallmark	Informational Text	3	Recount Key Details (Instruction)
No Escape!	Sharon Bilman	Informational Text	3	Recount Key Details (Quiz)
New Lunch Buddies	Zeke Shepherd	Informational Text	3	Distinguishing Points of View on a Topic (Quiz)
How to Win an Argument	Davis Peterson	Informational Text	3	How Sentences and Paragraphs Connect (Instruction)
How to Tell a Joke	Davis Peterson	Informational Text	3	How Sentences and Paragraphs Connect (Quiz)
First Impressions, an excerpt from Amina's Voice	Hena Khan	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Instruction 1/2)
Meeting in Miami	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Instruction 2/2)
Breaking Tradition, an excerpt from Amina's Voice	Hena Khan	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Quiz 1/2)
The Perfect Summer Day	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Quiz 2/2)
Language Warriors	Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 1/2)
Saving a Language One Word at a Time	James Vukelich 'Kaagegaabaw' as told to Odia Wood-Krueger	Informational Text	4	Analyzing Accounts of the Same Topic (Instruction 2/2)
Hello and Welcome!	M. Michelle Derosier	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Info (Instruction)
Connected Through Language	M. Michelle Derosier	Informational Text	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Info (Quiz)
How to Conduct an Interview	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	5	Understanding Technical Texts (Instruction)
How to Make a Podcast	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	5	Understanding Technical Texts (Quiz)
Not Right This Minute!	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Problem and Solution Text Structure (Instruction)
Utter Clutter	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Problem and Solution Text Structure (Quiz)





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Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Warning: Junk Food Ahead	Nicole Brady	Informational Text	6	Determining Author's Point of View (Instruction)
Cooking Up a Storm	Davis Peterson	Informational Text	6	Determining Author's Point of View (Quiz)
Dicovering Graphic Novels	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Student Gives School Board a Wake-Up Call	Sonia Black	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Interactions in Informational Text (Instruction)
Flipped Classrooms: A Success or a Flop?	Sonia Black	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Interactions in Informational Text (Quiz)
But Is It Art?	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Instruction)
Let Freedom Ring (Just Not Too Loud)	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Quiz)
Watch Your Language!	Cassia Amato	Informational Text	8	Summarizing: Informational Text (Instruction)
Is Speaking Two Languages Better Than One?	Stephen Baxter	Informational Text	8	Summarizing: Informational Text (Quiz)
Why I'm a Writer, an excerpt from Just Write: Here's How	Walter Dean Myers	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Informational Text (Instruction)
How Writing Changed My Life, an excerpt from Just Write: Here's How	Walter Dean Myers	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Informational Text (Quiz)
Making a Declaration of Independence	Pam Pollack	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Instruction)
Next Stop: Adulthood	Meg Belviso	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Quiz)
Free Higher Education: A Smart Deal	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Evaluating Arguments (Instruction)
What You Can Do for Your Country—and Yourself	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Evaluating Arguments (Quiz)
Are Digital Devices Making Us Any Happier?	Maia Snow	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Instruction 1/2)
The Truth about Teens and Screens	Cassia Amato	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Instruction 2/2)





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Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Teens and Work: What's at Risk?	Ellie Lagata	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Quiz 1/2)
How Working Can Work for Teens	Stephen Baxter	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Quiz 2/2)
Technology That Speaks Your Mind	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Sign Language Rocks	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Quiz)



SOCIAL STUDIES | MEDIA

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Going Viral	Jackie Letera	Informational Text	6	Supporting Inferences: Informational Text (Instruction)
Fabulous Fads	Jackie Letera	Informational Text	6	Supporting Inferences: Informational Text (Quiz)
The Emoji Explosion	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	6	Identifying the Central Idea (Instruction)
Trash Twins	Patty Bovie	Literature	6	Analyzing Plot Development (Instruction)
A Matter of Fact	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Instruction 1/2)
Whose News?	Dominic Cooke	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Instruction 2/2)
Are Digital Devices Making Us Any Happier?	Maia Snow	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Instruction 1/2)
The Truth about Teens and Screens	Cassia Amato	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Instruction 2/2)





SOCIAL STUDIES | HISTORICAL ACCOUNT

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
How Coney Island Came Back	Meike Gordon	Informational Text	1	Describe Connections Between Events (Instruction)
How Chicago Came Back	Amy Kraft	Informational Text	1	Describe Connections Between Events (Quiz)
Pittsburgh: A Smoky City	Julia Watson	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Historical Events (Instruction)
The Man Who Cleaned Up Pittsburgh's Air	Eva Stuart	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Historical Events (Quiz)
A Monster Machine: The Ferris Wheel	Nancy Collins	Informational Text	2	Explain How Images Support Text (Quiz)
A Bittersweet Tale of Two Sunken Towns	Sharon Bilman	Informational Text	3	Understand Historical Texts (Instruction)
Boston's Great Molasses Flood	Beth Wagner Brust	Informational Text	3	Understand Historical Texts (Quiz)
A Bermuda Triangle Mystery	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Instruction 1/2)
Making the Bermuda Triangle Famous	Eva Stewart	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Instruction 2/2)
City of Gold	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Quiz 1/2)
El Dorado's Gold	Amelia Scott	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Quiz 2/2)
That Was a Real Job?	Zoe Cara Lidos	Informational Text	4	Understanding Historical Texts (Quiz)
The Great Exhibition: A Surprise Success	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	5	Inferences About Informational Text (Instruction)
The First Modern Olympics	Eva Stewart	Informational Text	5	Inferences About Informational Text (Quiz)
Spying: The REAL Hide-and-Seek	Unknown	Informational Text	5	Unfamiliar Words (Instruction)
Emma Edmonds: Master of Disguise	Charnon Smith	Informational Text	5	Unfamiliar Words (Quiz)
Sergeant Stubby	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures: Part 2 (Quiz 1/2)
Carl Spitz, Star Dog Trainer	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures: Part 2 (Quiz 2/2)





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Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Elizabeth Cady Stanton: Ahead of Her Time	Justin Libby	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Instruction 1/2)
Eighty Years and More	Elizabeth Cady Stanton	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Instruction 2/2)
Booker T. Washington: An Exceptional Life	Justin Libby	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Quiz 1/2)
Up From Slavery	Booker T. Washington	Informational Text	6	Comparing an Autobiography to a Biography (Quiz 2/2)
The Newsboys' Strike	Pam Pollack	Informational Text	7	Historical Fiction Versus Nonfiction (Instruction 1/2)
Bass Reeves: Lawman	Pam Pollack	Informational Text	7	Historical Fiction Versus Nonfiction (Quiz 1/2)









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Giant Pandas	Lynda Jones	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Key Details (Instruction)
Lazy Day in the Trees	Riley Johnson	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Key Details (Quiz)
The Tower Climb	Claire Covington	Literature	К	Identify Settings (Quiz)
The Special Deer	Amelia Scott	Literature	К	Identify Events (Instruction)
Birds Build Big	Amy Kraft	Informational Text	К	Find the Main Topic (Instruction)
Ant City	Roscoe Harvey	Informational Text	К	Find the Main Topic (Quiz)
Weird Animals: Lungfish	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Text (Instruction)
Weird Animals: Wood Frogs	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Text (Quiz)
The Longest Cave on Earth	Paul Nichols	Informational Text	К	Connect Words and Pictures in a Text (Instruction)
A Plant's Beast Feast	Melissa Carroll	Informational Text	1	Answer Questions About Key Details (Quiz)
Lan and the Pangolins	Eva Stewart	Literature	1	Describe Settings (Instruction)
David and the Sea Turtles	Rachel Graham	Literature	1	Describe Settings (Quiz)
The Strangest Nest	Helena Nowicki	Literature	1	Describe Events (Instruction)
The Animal Rescue Club	Cynthia Kayak	Literature	1	Describe Events (Quiz)
Running Is for the Birds!	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Instruction)
The Big Deal	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Quiz)
Monsters of the Sea	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	1	Find the Main Topic (Instruction)
Lighting Up the Deep, Dark Sea	Sarah Clark	Informational Text	1	Find the Main Topic (Quiz)





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Ribbit!	Russell Ginns	Literature	1	Identify Feeling Words in Stories (Instruction)
Hush!	Russell Ginns	Literature	1	Identify Feeling Words in Stories (Quiz)
The Upside-Down Tree	Abigail Rose	Informational Text	2	Ask and Answer Questions About Key Details (Instruction)
Wearing Worm Spit	Helena Nowicki	Informational Text	2	Find the Main Topic (Instruction)
Silky Spider Strength	Amelia Carr	Informational Text	2	Find the Main Topic (Quiz)
The Too Tiny House	Stella Wagner	Literature	2	Determine the Central Message (Instruction)
Dr. Genie Clark: The Shark Lady	Jackie Glassman	Informational Text	2	Determine Word Meanings (Instruction)
Honeybee Hero	Lisa Todd	Informational Text	2	Determine Word Meanings (Quiz)
From Cows to Energy	Liz Howell	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Steps (Quiz)
Outwitting Ticks	Elizabeth Holmes	Informational Text	3	Find Main Idea and Key Details in an Informational Text (Instruction)
Mantis Shrimp: Ocean Marvel	Gabrielle Reyes	Informational Text	3	Understand How Comparisons Are Made (Quiz)
Nature's Cleanup Crew	Andrea Vlahakis	Informational Text	4	Inferences About Informational Texts (Instruction)
Beavers Dive In	Ellen Bowcroft	Informational Text	4	Inferences About Informational Texts (Quiz)
Lunching with Leeches	Lela Stanley	Informational Text	4	Main Ideas and Details (Instruction)
Glowworms to the Rescue	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	4	Main Ideas and Details (Quiz)
Wild Medicine	Ellen R. Braaf	Informational Text	4	Determine Word Meaning (Instruction)
Well-Healed Animals	Meg Moss	Informational Text	4	Determine Word Meaning (Quiz)
Animal Defense Academy	Nicole Gill	Informational Text	4	Text Structures: Part 1 (Instruction)





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Predator School	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	4	Text Structures: Part 1 (Quiz)
Fabulous Fathers	Monica A. Harris	Informational Text	4	Integrating Information (Instruction 1/2)
Big Dads, Small Fry	W. Lathan	Informational Text	4	Integrating Information (Instruction 2/2)
Tricky Tomatoes	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	4	Integrating Information (Quiz 1/2)
Killer Tomatoes!	Emmy Campos	Informational Text	4	Integrating Information (Quiz 2/2)
Rescuing Orphan Elephants	Amy Tao	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures: Part 2 (Instruction 1/2)
Elephant Emotions	A. Zacchia	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures: Part 2 (Instruction 2/2)
Taking Action: The Endangered Species Act	Joanna Santos	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Events (Quiz)
The Ocean Between Us	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	7	Determining Word Meaning: Literary Text (Instruction)
The Great Grasshopper Mystery, Part 1	Sally Lee	Informational Text	7	Determining Word Meaning: Informational Text (Instruction)
The Great Grasshopper Mystery, Part 2	Sally Lee	Informational Text	7	Determining Word Meaning: Informational Text (Quiz)
Bees Be Gone	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Speaking for the Tree	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)





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David and the Sea Turtles	Rachel Graham	Literature	1	Describe Settings (Quiz)
Monsters of the Sea	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	1	Find the Main Topic (Instruction)
Lighting Up the Deep, Dark Sea	Sarah Clark	Informational Text	1	Find the Main Topic (Quiz)
Dr. Genie Clark: The Shark Lady	Jackie Glassman	Informational Text	2	Determine Word Meanings (Instruction)
Mantis Shrimp: Ocean Marvel	Gabrielle Reyes	Informational Text	3	Understand How Comparisons Are Made (Quiz)
SoFi's Tail: A Robotic Fish Goes Beneath the Surface	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	5	Using Details to Explain Ideas in an Informational Text (Instruction)
Anna Du, Ocean Detective	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Youth Who Solve Problems (Instruction)
The Ocean Between Us	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	7	Determining Word Meaning: Literary Text (Instruction)
Diving for Medicine	Elizabeth Devitt	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)





SCIENCE | TAKING CARE OF THE EARTH

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Running Is for the Birds!	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Instruction)
The Big Deal	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Quiz)
The Jackal Returns	Naya Shah	Literature	2	Recount Stories (Quiz)
Pittsburgh: A Smoky City	Julia Watson	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Historical Events (Instruction)
The Man Who Cleaned Up Pittsburgh's Air	Eva Stuart	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Historical Events (Quiz)
Jump into Action	Melissa Sarno	Literature	3	Parts of Plays (Instruction)
Earth Homes	Mary Houlgate	Informational Text	5	Understanding Scientific Texts (#2) (Instruction)
Pigging Out on Plastic	Gabrielle Balkan	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Instruction 1/2)
Treasures in the Trash	Gabrielle Balkan	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Instruction 2/2)
Food Gone Good	Gilda Brake	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Quiz 1/2)
Saving Ugly Fruits and Vegetables	Gilda Brake	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Quiz 2/2)
Trash Twins	Patty Bovie	Literature	6	Analyzing Plot Development (Instruction)
Taking Action: The Clean Air Act	Joanna Santos	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Events (Instruction)
Taking Action: The Endangered Species Act	Joanna Santos	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Events (Quiz)
Tending to Trails & Tails	Alice Cary	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Compare and Contrast Text Structure (Quiz)
A Trillion Trees	Zeke Shepherd	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Cause and Effect Text Structure (Quiz)
The Ocean Between Us	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	7	Determining Word Meaning: Literary Text (Instruction)





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Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Listening to the Rainforest	John Crossingham	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Bees Be Gone	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Speaking for the Tree	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Using His Outside Voice	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Water-Wise	Alison Pearce Stevens	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Instruction)





SCIENCE | SEASONS, WEATHER & METEOROLOGY

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Lightning in the Sand	Molly Leonard	Literature	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Story (Quiz)
Drip, Drop, Roots on Top	Kimberly Feltes Taylor	Informational Text	1	Answer Questions About Key Details (Instruction)
Snow Rollers	Karla Sommer	Informational Text	1	Find Word Meanings (Instruction)
Tiny Towers of Sand	Kimberly Feltes Taylor	Informational Text	1	Find Word Meanings (Quiz)
The Snow I Know	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Identify Sensory Words in Poems (Instruction)
A Storm is Coming!	William O'Neil	Literature	1	Identify Sensory Words in Poems (Quiz)
The Upside-Down Tree	Abigail Rose	Informational Text	2	Ask and Answer Questions About Key Details (Instruction)
Hurricane Hunters	Alex Anderson	Informational Text	2	Identify Author's Purpose (Instruction)
Weird Rain	Hazel Meador	Informational Text	2	Use Text Features, Part 1 (Instruction)
The Shape of Raindrops	Martha Peregoy	Informational Text	2	Use Text Features, Part 1 (Quiz)
A Village on the Move	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	3	Understanding Scientific Stories (Instruction)
Counting on Corn	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	3	Understanding Scientific Stories (Quiz)
Taking Action: The Clean Air Act	Joanna Santos	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Events (Instruction)
Floating Schools	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Quiz)





SCIENCE | GEOLOGY & EARTH SCIENCE

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Chemistry with Paper Clips and Pennies	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	3	Understand Technical Texts (Instruction)
The Puzzle of Pangaea	Meg Moss	Informational Text	4	Understanding Scientific Texts (Instruction)
Earth Homes	Mary Houlgate	Informational Text	5	Understanding Scientific Texts (#2) (Instruction)
Tending to Trails & Tails	Alice Cary	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Compare and Contrast Text Structure (Quiz)
A Trillion Trees	Zeke Shepherd	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Cause and Effect Text Structure (Quiz)
Electric Rain	Ilima Loomis	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Out-of-this-World Gardens	Margaret J. Goldstein	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)





SCIENCE | TECHNOLOGY & INVENTION

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Sun Power	Amy Kraft	Informational Text	1	Use Words and Pictures in a Text (Instruction)
Pedal Power	O.K. Revis	Informational Text	1	Use Words and Pictures in a Text (Quiz)
Plenty of Pizza Machines	Alice Cary	Informational Text	2	Explain How Images Support Text (Instruction)
A Monster Machine: The Ferris Wheel	Nancy Collins	Informational Text	2	Explain How Images Support Text (Quiz)
Heating Up with Body Heat	Kimberly Feltes Taylor	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Steps (Instruction)
From Cows to Energy	Liz Howell	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Steps (Quiz)
That's a Building?	Michelle Beaumont	Informational Text	3	Ask Questions About Key Details in an Informational Text (Instruction)
The Coolest Hotel	Eric Norberg	Informational Text	3	Ask Questions About Key Details in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Outwitting Ticks	Elizabeth Holmes	Informational Text	3	Find Main Idea and Key Details in an Informational Text (Instruction)
Fail Better	Amanda Baker	Informational Text	3	Find Main Idea and Key Details in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Chemistry with Paper Clips and Pennies	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	3	Understand Technical Texts (Instruction)
How to Make a Homemade Battery	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	3	Understand Technical Texts (Quiz)
Treasure Hunting Today	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	3	Information from Words and Pictures (Instruction)
Choose Your Cache Adventure	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	3	Information from Words and Pictures (Quiz)
Helping Hands	Elizabeth Preston	Informational Text	4	Summarizing Informational Text (Instruction)
Superhero Gloves	Elizabeth Preston	Informational Text	4	Summarizing Informational Text (Quiz)
Buckle Up!	Sharon Bilman	Informational Text	4	Text Structures, Part 2 (Instruction)
Time to Play!	Amy Kraft	Informational Text	4	Text Structures, Part 2 (Quiz)





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Drones: From Toys to Taxis	Alice Cary	Informational Text	4	Interpreting Visual Information (Instruction)
Rescuing and Racing with Drones	Alice Cary	Informational Text	4	Interpreting Visual Information (Instruction)
SoFi's Tail: A Robotic Fish Goes Beneath the Surface	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	5	Using Details to Explain Ideas in an Informational Text (Instruction)
The Robot Will See You Now	Lela Nargi	Informational Text	5	Using Details to Explain Ideas in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Garrett Morgan, a Man with Bright Ideas	Paula Morrow	Informational Text	5	Summarizing Informational Texts (Instruction)
The Power of Patents	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	5	Summarizing Informational Texts (Quiz)
Earth Homes	Mary Houlgate	Informational Text	5	Understanding Scientific Texts (#2) (Instruction)
What a Blast!	Peter Banks	Informational Text	5	Understanding Scientific Texts (#2) (Quiz)
Pigging Out on Plastic	Gabrielle Balkan	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Instruction 1/2)
Treasures in the Trash	Gabrielle Balkan	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Instruction 2/2)
Saving Ugly Fruits and Vegetables	Gilda Brake	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Quiz 2/2)
The Power's Out!	Rudi Valentine	Informational Text	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Info (Instruction)
Health's a Game	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	6	Summarizing: Informational Text (Instruction)
Think Your Password	Kathryn Hulick	Informational Text	6	Summarizing: Informational Text (Quiz)
The Teen Who Turned Trash into Tech	Sonia Black	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Individuals (Quiz)
Driverless Cars Take to the Streets	Meg Belviso	Informational Text	6	Identifying Word Meaning (Quiz)
The Power of Movement	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Technology and the Body (Instruction)





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Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Super Limbs	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Technology and the Body (Quiz)
3-D Printers in Zero Gravity	Kirsten W. Larson	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Informational Text Structure (Instruction)
Bioprinters: Organs Made to Order	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Informational Text Structure (Quiz)
Electric Rain	Ilima Loomis	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Pillownauts Lie Down on the Job	Jennifer Mason	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Preparing for Space (Instruction)
Pillownauts Improve Space Exploration	Jennifer Mason	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Preparing for Space (Quiz)
Are Digital Devices Making Us Any Happier?	Maia Snow	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Instruction 1/2)
The Truth about Teens and Screens	Cassia Amato	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Conflicting Information (Instruction 2/2)
Technology That Speaks Your Mind	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Instruction)





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Giant Pandas	Lynda Jones	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Key Details (Instruction)
Lazy Day in the Trees	Riley Johnson	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Key Details (Quiz)
Birds Build Big	Amy Kraft	Informational Text	К	Find the Main Topic (Instruction)
Ant City	Roscoe Harvey	Informational Text	К	Find the Main Topic (Quiz)
Weird Animals: Lungfish	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Text (Instruction)
Weird Animals: Wood Frogs	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Text (Quiz)
Drip, Drop, Roots on Top	Kimberly Feltes Taylor	Informational Text	1	Answer Questions About Key Details (Instruction)
A Plant's Beast Feast	Melissa Carroll	Informational Text	1	Answer Questions About Key Details (Quiz)
David and the Sea Turtles	Rachel Graham	Literature	1	Describe Settings (Quiz)
Running Is for the Birds!	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Instruction)
The Big Deal	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Quiz)
Monsters of the Sea	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	1	Find the Main Topic (Instruction)
Lighting Up the Deep, Dark Sea	Sarah Clark	Informational Text	1	Find the Main Topic (Quiz)
The Upside-Down Tree	Abigail Rose	Informational Text	2	Ask and Answer Questions About Key Details (Instruction)
Plant Survivors	Jill Gold	Informational Text	2	Ask and Answer Questions About Key Details (Quiz)
The Bug Box Mystery	Annie Loftus	Literature	2	Ask and Answer Questions about Stories (Instruction)
Sir Victor Strikes Again!	Annie Loftus	Literature	2	Ask and Answer Questions about Stories (Quiz)
Honeybee Hero	Lisa Todd	Informational Text	2	Determine Word Meanings (Quiz)





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Jump into Action	Melissa Sarno	Literature	3	Parts of Plays (Instruction)
Nature's Cleanup Crew	Andrea Vlahakis	Informational Text	4	Inferences About Informational Texts (Instruction)
Beavers Dive In	Ellen Bowcroft	Informational Text	4	Inferences About Informational Texts (Quiz)
Tricky Tomatoes	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	4	Integrating Information (Quiz 1/2)
Killer Tomatoes!	Emmy Campos	Informational Text	4	Integrating Information (Quiz 2/2)
Rescuing Orphan Elephants	Amy Tao	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures: Part 2 (Instruction 1/2)
Taking Action: The Endangered Species Act	Joanna Santos	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Development of Events (Quiz)
Tending to Trails & Tails	Alice Cary	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Compare and Contrast Text Structure (Quiz)
Millions of Microbes	Marcus Woo	Informational Text	7	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Instruction)
Little Astronauts: Managing Microbes in Space	Harry Levine III	Informational Text	7	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Quiz)
The Ocean Between Us	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	7	Determining Word Meaning: Literary Text (Instruction)
The Great Grasshopper Mystery, Part 1	Sally Lee	Informational Text	7	Determining Word Meaning: Informational Text (Instruction)
The Great Grasshopper Mystery, Part 2	Sally Lee	Informational Text	7	Determining Word Meaning: Informational Text (Quiz)





Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Watch Out for Asteroids!	Stephen Krensky	Informational Text	1	Use Text Features, Part 1 (Instruction)
A Mystery on Mars	Charlie Wilder	Informational Text	1	Use Text Features, Part 1 (Quiz)
At the Apollo 11 Splashdown	Unknown	Literature	2	Describe How Characters Act (Instruction)
Diary of a Mars Rover	Yair Pueblo	Literature	2	Connect Words and Pictures (Instruction)
Space Racer	Yair Pueblo	Literature	2	Connect Words and Pictures (Quiz)
Strange Signals from Space	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	4	Understanding Scientific Texts (Quiz)
The Universe Awaits in New York City	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Informational Text	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Little Astronauts: Managing Microbes in Space	Harry Levine III	Informational Text	7	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Quiz)
3-D Printers in Zero Gravity	Kirsten W. Larson	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Informational Text Structure (Instruction)
Don't Forget the Hot Sauce	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Out-of-this-World Gardens	Margaret J. Goldstein	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Pillownauts Lie Down on the Job	Jennifer Mason	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Preparing for Space (Instruction)
Pillownauts Improve Space Exploration	Jennifer Mason	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Preparing for Space (Quiz)
A Milestone Spacewalk	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)





SCIENCE | DISCOVERY & EXPLORATION

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The Mountain That Blew Its Top	Joe Andrews	Informational Text	К	Connect Words and Pictures in a Text (Quiz)
The Best Discovery	Sethany Alongi	Literature	1	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Instruction)
The Surprise in the Stream	Sethany Alongi	Literature	1	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Quiz)
A Mystery on Mars	Charlie Wilder	Informational Text	1	Use Text Features, Part 1 (Quiz)
Dr. Genie Clark: The Shark Lady	Jackie Glassman	Informational Text	2	Determine Word Meanings (Instruction)
Hurricane Hunters	Alex Anderson	Informational Text	2	Identify Author's Purpose (Instruction)
Lava Chasers	Jessica Jackson	Informational Text	2	Identify Author's Purpose (Quiz)
Diary of a Mars Rover	Yair Pueblo	Literature	2	Connect Words and Pictures (Instruction)
Space Racer	Yair Pueblo	Literature	2	Connect Words and Pictures (Quiz)
Outwitting Ticks	Elizabeth Holmes	Informational Text	3	Find Main Idea and Key Details in an Informational Text (Instruction)
Fail Better	Amanda Baker	Informational Text	3	Find Main Idea and Key Details in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Chemistry with Paper Clips and Pennies	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	3	Understand Technical Texts (Instruction)
How to Make a Homemade Battery	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	3	Understand Technical Texts (Quiz)
Treasure Hunting Today	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	3	Information from Words and Pictures (Instruction)
Choose Your Cache Adventure	Joanne Ruelos Diaz	Informational Text	3	Information from Words and Pictures (Quiz)
A Bermuda Triangle Mystery	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Instruction 1/2)
Making the Bermuda Triangle Famous	Eva Stewart	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Instruction 2/2)
City of Gold	Rebecca McNulty	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Quiz 1/2)





SCIENCE | DISCOVERY & EXPLORATION (continued)

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
El Dorado's Gold	Amelia Scott	Informational Text	3	Comparing and Contrasting Two Texts (Quiz 2/2)
The Puzzle of Pangaea	Meg Moss	Informational Text	4	Understanding Scientific Texts (Instruction)
Strange Signals from Space	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	4	Understanding Scientific Texts (Quiz)
SoFi's Tail: A Robotic Fish Goes Beneath the Surface	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	5	Using Details to Explain Ideas in an Informational Text (Instruction)
The Robot Will See You Now	Lela Nargi	Informational Text	5	Using Details to Explain Ideas in an Informational Text (Quiz)
The Mystery of the Frozen Man	David Getz	Informational Text	5	Main Ideas and Details (Instruction)
Nature's Mummies	Rachel Graham	Informational Text	5	Main Ideas and Details (Quiz)
Pay Me with Chocolate, Please	Arthur Greenway	Informational Text	5	Understanding Historical Texts (Instruction)
Silphium: A Mysterious Spice	Sarah H. Lakeman	Informational Text	5	Understanding Historical Texts (Quiz)
The Universe Awaits in New York City	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Informational Text	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Pillownauts Improve Space Exploration	Jennifer Mason	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Preparing for Space (Quiz)
Diving for Medicine	Elizabeth Devitt	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
A Milestone Spacewalk	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)





SCIENCE | ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Sun Power	Amy Kraft	Informational Text	1	Use Words and Pictures in a Text (Instruction)
Pedal Power	O.K. Revis	Informational Text	1	Use Words and Pictures in a Text (Quiz)
From Cows to Energy	Liz Howell	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Steps (Quiz)
How to Make a Homemade Battery	Linda Gardner	Informational Text	3	Understand Technical Texts (Quiz)
The Blackout	Rebecca Finley	Literature	5	Figurative Language (Quiz)
The Power's Out!	Rudi Valentine	Informational Text	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Electric Rain	Ilima Loomis	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)





Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Heating Up with Body Heat	Kimberly Feltes Taylor	Informational Text	2	Describe Connections Between Steps (Instruction)
A Cure for Hiccups	Naomi Kinsman Downing	Informational Text	3	Determine Word Meanings (Instruction)
How to Stop a Yawn	Eve Goldstein	Informational Text	3	Determine Word Meanings (Quiz)
Lunching with Leeches	Lela Stanley	Informational Text	4	Main Ideas and Details (Instruction)
The Robot Will See You Now	Lela Nargi	Informational Text	5	Using Details to Explain Ideas in an Informational Text (Quiz)
Ask a Brain	Natalie Frederick and Laura Shanahan	Informational Text	5	Understanding Scientific Texts (Instruction)
Change Your Brain!	Zoe Cara Lidos	Informational Text	5	Understanding Scientific Texts (Quiz)
Nerves at Work	Isabella Waldron	Informational Text	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Take a Breath	Isabella Waldron	Informational Text	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Health's a Game	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	6	Summarizing: Informational Text (Instruction)
Paying It Forward	Alice Cary	Informational Text	6	Analyzing Compare and Contrast Text Structure (Instruction)
Laugh—It's Good For You	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Sleep on It: Your Brain's Nighttime Tutor	Theo Flemming	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Can a Change of Scenery Boost Your Memory?	Theo Flemming	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Quiz)
The Power of Movement	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Technology and the Body (Instruction)





SCIENCE | HUMAN BODY (continued)

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Super Limbs	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Technology and the Body (Quiz)
The Music-Mind Connection	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About How Your Mind Works (Quiz)
Millions of Microbes	Marcus Woo	Informational Text	7	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Instruction)
Little Astronauts: Managing Microbes in Space	Harry Levine III	Informational Text	7	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Quiz)
Student Gives School Board a Wake-Up Call	Sonia Black	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Interactions in Informational Text (Instruction)
Bioprinters: Organs Made to Order	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Informational Text Structure (Quiz)
Sick of Lying	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Quiz 1/2)
The Pinocchio Syndrome	Theo Schmidt	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Quiz 2/2)
Don't Forget the Hot Sauce	Alice Cary	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Pillownauts Lie Down on the Job	Jennifer Mason	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Preparing for Space (Instruction)
Pillownauts Improve Space Exploration	Jennifer Mason	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Preparing for Space (Quiz)
Conflict: A Stressful Threat	Sharon Oosthoek	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Dealing With Conflict (Instruction)
Diving for Medicine	Elizabeth Devitt	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)





SCIENCE | CULINARY & FOOD SCIENCE

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Plenty of Pizza Machines	Alice Cary	Informational Text	2	Explain How Images Support Text (Instruction)
Abuela's Sofrito Recipe	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	4	Understanding Technical Texts (Instruction)
Big City Bagels	Nathalie Alonso	Informational Text	4	Understanding Technical Texts (Quiz)
Salad from Scratch	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literature (Instruction)
Food Gone Good	Gilda Brake	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Quiz 1/2)
Saving Ugly Fruits and Vegetables	Gilda Brake	Informational Text	5	Comparing Text Structures, Part 1 (Quiz 2/2)
Warning: Junk Food Ahead	Nicole Brady	Informational Text	6	Determining Author's Point of View (Instruction)
Cooking Up a Storm	Davis Peterson	Informational Text	6	Determining Author's Point of View (Quiz)
Food Fraud	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Instruction)
Faraway Food	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Quiz)
Water-Wise	Alison Pearce Stevens	Informational Text	8	Analyzing Development of Central Ideas (Instruction)





Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
How to Stop a Yawn	Eve Goldstein	Informational Text	3	Determine Word Meanings (Quiz)
Health's a Game	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	6	Summarizing: Informational Text (Instruction)
Think Your Password	Kathryn Hulick	Informational Text	6	Summarizing: Informational Text (Quiz)
Contagious Laughter	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Laugh—It's Good For You	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Flipped Classrooms: A Success or a Flop?	Sonia Black	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Interactions in Informational Text (Quiz)
Sick of Lying	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Quiz 1/2)
The Pinocchio Syndrome	Theo Schmidt	Informational Text	7	Comparing Texts on the Same Topic (Quiz 2/2)
Conflict: How Rewarding!	Sharon Oosthoek	Informational Text	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Dealing With Conflict (Quiz)
Personality Tests and You	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Personality (Instruction)
How Reliable Are Personality Tests?	Jacqueline Adams	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About Personality (Quiz)





Pa	assage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Мо	ath in the Real World	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Informational Texts About How Your Mind Works (Instruction)
Ро	etry in Numbers	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Facing Challenges (Quiz)







LITERATURE | ADVENTURE

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Stuck in the Clouds	Molly Leonard	Literature	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Story (Instruction)
Cow Tales: Are We There Yet?	Yehudi Mercado	Literature	1	Describe Characters (Instruction)
Cow Tales: King of the Trail	Yehudi Mercado	Literature	1	Describe Characters (Quiz)
The Best Discovery	Sethany Alongi	Literature	1	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Instruction)
The Day Without the Sun	Joseph Hunter	Literature	2	Describe Sound and Meaning in Stories (Instruction)
Emergency Landing	Joseph Hunter	Literature	2	Describe Sound and Meaning in Stories (Quiz)
Night In the Wax Museum	Melissa Sarno	Literature	4	Summarizing Literary Texts (Instruction)
Turkey Leg Knight	Melissa Sarno	Literature	4	Summarizing Literary Texts (Quiz)
Omer's Deep Dive	Lucinda Hedrick Kennsley	Literature	4	Describing Settings and Events (Instruction)
Into the Rapids	Bradford H. Robie	Literature	4	Describing Settings and Events (Quiz)
Texting in Space	Roxanne Werner	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Stories in the Same Genre (Instruction 1/2)
The Crystals of Arid	Roxanne Werner	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Stories in the Same Genre (Instruction 2/2)
Stranded	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Summarizing: Literary Text (Quiz)
Old World	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Summarizing: Literary Text (Instruction)



LITERATURE | DRAMA

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Jump into Action	Melissa Sarno	Literature	3	Parts of Plays (Instruction)
Star Shuttle	Melissa Sarno	Literature	3	Parts of Plays (Quiz)
The Ticket	Alicia Zadrozny	Literature	4	Elements of Plays (Instruction)
The Crooked House	Alicia Zadrozny	Literature	4	Elements of Plays (Quiz)
The Woman in the Green Scarf	Melissa Sarno	Literature	5	Structure in Drama (Instruction)
The Phantom Chef	Melissa Sarno	Literature	5	Structure in Drama (Quiz)
We the People	Jen Malone	Literature	8	Analyzing the Impact of Dialogue (Instruction)
Nobody's Perfect	Jen Malone	Literature	8	Analyzing the Impact of Dialogue (Quiz)



LITERATURE | FABLES & MYTHS

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
How the Camel Got His Hump	Stephen Krensky	Literature	К	Identify Characters (Instruction)
How the Rhinoceros Got His Skin	Charlie Wilder	Literature	К	Identify Characters (Quiz)
The Chicken That Laid the Golden Eggs	Anna Nowak	Literature	К	Retell Stories (Instruction)
Big Bad Buffalo	Alicia Zadrozny	Literature	К	Retell Stories (Quiz)
The Pueblo Girl Scatters the Stars	Alicia Zadrozny	Literature	1	Retell Stories (Instruction)
Greedy Fawn Makes the Mush	Anna Nowak	Literature	1	Retell Stories (Quiz)
The Hungry Tiger, the Man, and the Clever Jackal	Naya Shah	Literature	2	Recount Stories (Instruction)
The Jackal Returns	Naya Shah	Literature	2	Recount Stories (Quiz)
The Too Tiny House	Stella Wagner	Literature	2	Determine the Central Message (Instruction)
Sausage Nose	Toria Mann	Literature	2	Determine the Central Message (Quiz)
The Three Cats	Max Summers	Literature	3	Determine the Central Message of a Folktale (Instruction)
The Monkey Thief	Jaya Mehta	Literature	3	Determine the Central Message of a Folktale (Quiz)
A Different Kind of Strength	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Understanding Allusions (Instruction)
The Lying Contest	M. Bilchis	Literature	4	Comparing Story Topics and Themes (Instruction 1/2)
The Price of a Smell	M. Bilchis	Literature	4	Comparing Story Topics and Themes (Instruction 2/2)
The Boy and the Bee	A. Zacchia	Literature	4	Comparing Story Topics and Themes (Quiz 1/2)
The Dove and the Ant	A. Zacchia	Literature	4	Comparing Story Topics and Themes (Quiz 2/2)
The Poor Fisherwoman	Joseph Allen	Literature	4	Comparing Patterns of Events (Instruction 1/2)



LITERATURE | FABLES & MYTHS (continued)

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The King's Beard	Joseph Allen	Literature	4	Comparing Patterns of Events (Instruction 2/2)
The Worried Traveler	Paul Stephano	Literature	4	Comparing Patterns of Events (Quiz 1/2)
Coconuts for Sale	Paul Stephano	Literature	4	Comparing Patterns of Events (Quiz 2/2)
Robin Hood and the Golden Arrow	Lee Lewis	Literature	8	Analyzing Traditional Elements in Modern Fiction (Instruction 1/2)
The Legend of the Round Table	Lee Lewis	Literature	8	Analyzing Traditional Elements in Modern Fiction (Quiz 1/2)



LITERATURE | MYSTERIES

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The Bug Box Mystery	Annie Loftus	Literature	2	Ask and Answer Questions about Stories (Instruction)
Sir Victor Strikes Again!	Annie Loftus	Literature	2	Ask and Answer Questions about Stories (Quiz)
Ginger Disappears	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	3	Comparing and Contrasting Stories (Quiz 1/2)
The Shrinking Banana	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	3	Comparing and Contrasting Stories (Quiz 2/2)
The Woman in the Green Scarf	Melissa Sarno	Literature	5	Structure in Drama (Instruction)
The Phantom Chef	Melissa Sarno	Literature	5	Structure in Drama (Quiz)



LITERATURE | HISTORICAL FICTION

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Cow Tales: Are We There Yet?	Yehudi Mercado	Literature	1	Describe Characters (Instruction)
At the Apollo 11 Splashdown	Unknown	Literature	2	Describe How Characters Act (Instruction)
Racing for Olympic Gold	as told by Aletha Bader	Literature	2	Describe How Characters Act (Quiz)
The Library, an excerpt from Finding Langston	Lisa Cline-Ransome	Literature	3	Distinguishing Point of View in a Story (Instruction)
Pages and Poetry, an excerpt from Finding Langston	Lisa Cline-Ransome	Literature	3	Distinguishing Point of View in a Story (Quiz)
Omer's Deep Dive	Lucinda Hedrick Kennsley	Literature	4	Describing Settings and Events (Instruction)
The Great Bear Escape	Megan Prosser	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Stories in the Same Genre (Quiz 1/2)
Abigail the Brave	Megan Prosser	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Stories in the Same Genre (Quiz 2/2)
On Strike!	Meg Belviso	Literature	7	Historical Fiction Versus Nonfiction (Instruction 2/2)
Stranger at the Door	Meg Belviso	Literature	7	Historical Fiction Versus Nonfiction (Quiz 2/2)



LITERATURE | POETRY

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The Snow I Know	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Identify Sensory Words in Poems (Instruction)
A Storm is Coming!	William O'Neil	Literature	1	Identify Sensory Words in Poems (Quiz)
Pierre Grew Hair	Amy Kraft	Literature	3	Parts of Poems (Instruction)
A Beard That's Weird	Amy Kraft	Literature	3	Parts of Poems (Quiz)
Pages and Poetry, an excerpt from Finding Langston	Lisa Cline-Ransome	Literature	3	Distinguishing Point of View in a Story (Quiz)
Words Are Like Magic, an excerpt from Isaiah Dunn Is My Hero	Kelly J. Baptist	Literature	4	Finding the Theme of a Story (Quiz)
The Faces I See	Aletha Bader	Literature	4	Theme of a Poem (Instruction)
Bucky	Aletha Bader	Literature	4	Theme of a Poem (Quiz)
Lenore, Never Open the Door	Roscoe Harvey	Literature	4	Elements of Poetry (Instruction)
The Basement Is Not So Bad	Roscoe Harvey	Literature	4	Elements of Poetry (Quiz)
If You Are a Superhero	Stephen Krensky	Literature	4	Comparing Poems and Prose (Instruction 2/2)
A Zombie's Confession	Stephen Krensky	Literature	4	Comparing Poems and Prose (Quiz 2/2)
Lunch Lady Louise	Amy Kraft	Literature	5	Theme of a Poem (Instruction)
The Boy With the Skateboard	Amy Kraft	Literature	5	Theme of a Poem (Quiz)
My Choice, an excerpt from Other Words for Home	Jasmine Warga	Literature	5	Understanding Point of View in Literature (Instruction)
ESL Class, an excerpt from Other Words for Home	Jasmine Warga	Literature	5	Understanding Point of View in Literature (Quiz)
Enchanted Air: Two Cultures, Two Wings	Margarita Engle	Literature	6	Analyzing Poetry Structure (Instruction)
The Crossover	Kwame Alexander	Literature	6	Analyzing Poetry Structure (Quiz)



LITERATURE | POETRY (continued)

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Art Contest Jitters	Lee Lewis	Literature	6	Comparing Stories and Poems (Instruction 1/2)
Little Sister, Big Problem	Lee Lewis	Literature	6	Comparing Stories and Poems (Quiz 1/2)
The Unwritten	W.S. Merwin	Literature	7	Analyzing Poetic Elements and Structure (Instruction)
Sophie	Steven Herrick	Literature	7	Analyzing Poetic Elements and Structure (Quiz)
Poetry in Numbers	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Facing Challenges (Quiz)
Apply Yourself!	Kathi Appelt	Literature	8	Comparing and Contrasting Poetic Structures (Instruction 1/2)
See It Through	Edgar Guest	Literature	8	Comparing and Contrasting Poetic Structures (Instruction 2/2)
You Go to My Head	Carole Boston Weatherford	Literature	8	Comparing and Contrasting Poetic Structures (Quiz 1/2)
Free Verses	Robert Graves	Literature	8	Comparing and Contrasting Poetic Structures (Quiz 2/2)
Learning to Paint with Words	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)



LITERATURE | REALISTIC FICTION

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Zoey's Perfect Pet	Jacqueline Adams	Literature	К	Answer Questions About Stories (Instruction)
Zoey's Sale Surprise	Jacqueline Adams	Literature	К	Answer Questions About Stories (Quiz)
The Tallest Girl in the Jungle	Melissa Sarno	Literature	К	Identify Settings (Instruction)
The Tower Climb	Claire Covington	Literature	К	Identify Settings (Quiz)
The Special Deer	Amelia Scott	Literature	К	Identify Events (Instruction)
Good Luck at the Castle	Amelia Scott	Literature	К	Identify Events (Quiz)
Stuck in the Clouds	Molly Leonard	Literature	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Story (Instruction)
Lightning in the Sand	Molly Leonard	Literature	К	Answer Questions About Unknown Words in a Story (Quiz)
A Rocky Start	Stephen Krensky	Literature	К	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Instruction)
I Can Do This	Peter Scott	Literature	К	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Quiz)
Bark Beauty	Molly Leonard	Literature	1	Answer Questions About Stories (Quiz)
Lan and the Pangolins	Eva Stewart	Literature	1	Describe Settings (Instruction)
David and the Sea Turtles	Rachel Graham	Literature	1	Describe Settings (Quiz)
The Strangest Nest	Helena Nowicki	Literature	1	Describe Events (Instruction)
The Animal Rescue Club	Cynthia Kayak	Literature	1	Describe Events (Quiz)
Running Is for the Birds!	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Instruction)
The Big Deal	Bill Doyle	Literature	1	Understand the Central Message (Quiz)
The Best Discovery	Sethany Alongi	Literature	1	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Instruction)



Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The Surprise in the Stream	Sethany Alongi	Literature	1	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Quiz)
The Bug Box Mystery	Annie Loftus	Literature	2	Ask and Answer Questions about Stories (Instruction)
Sir Victor Strikes Again!	Annie Loftus	Literature	2	Ask and Answer Questions about Stories (Quiz)
The Day Without the Sun	Joseph Hunter	Literature	2	Describe Sound and Meaning in Stories (Instruction)
Emergency Landing	Joseph Hunter	Literature	2	Describe Sound and Meaning in Stories (Quiz)
Benjamin Franklin Ate My Homework	Jacqueline Adams	Literature	2	Describe Parts of a Story (Instruction)
George Washington's Field Trip	Jacqueline Adams	Literature	2	Describe Parts of a Story (Quiz)
Dear Alycia	Elizabeth Tevlin	Literature	3	Ask Questions About Stories (Instruction)
Go Kerplunk	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	3	Ask Questions About Stories (Quiz)
Accidental Art, an excerpt from Indian Shoes	Cynthia Leitich Smith	Literature	3	Recounting a Story (Instruction)
The Bombazo	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Literature	3	Recounting a Story (Quiz)
The Girl Who Could be King, an excerpt from Ways to Make Sunshine	Renée Watson	Literature	3	Understanding Characters (Instruction)
Less Ordinary Max!	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Literature	3	Understanding Characters (Quiz)
Stretched-Out Day, an excerpt from Turtle of Oman	Naomi Shihab Nye	Literature	3	Understanding Literal and Non-Literal Language (Instruction)
Strange Animal, an excerpt from Turtle of Oman	Naomi Shihab Nye	Literature	3	Understanding Literal and Non-Literal Language (Quiz)
School Tour, an excerpt from Front Desk	Kelly Yang	Literature	3	Understanding Stories (Instruction)
Absolutely Wonderful, an excerpt from Front Desk	Kelly Yang	Literature	3	Understanding Stories (Quiz)
The Entrance Plan	Lisa Lerner	Literature	3	Connecting Words and Pictures in Stories (Quiz)



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Time with Grandpa	Stephen Krensky	Literature	3	Comparing and Contrasting Stories (Instruction 1/2)
No Grandpa Today	Stephen Krensky	Literature	3	Comparing and Contrasting Stories (Instruction 2/2)
Ginger Disappears	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	3	Comparing and Contrasting Stories (Quiz 1/2)
The Shrinking Banana	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	3	Comparing and Contrasting Stories (Quiz 2/2)
Poetry Partners, an excerpt from Isaiah Dunn Is My Hero	Kelly J. Baptist	Literature	4	Finding the Theme of a Story (Instruction)
Words Are Like Magic, an excerpt from Isaiah Dunn Is My Hero	Kelly J. Baptist	Literature	4	Finding the Theme of a Story (Quiz)
Into the Rapids	Bradford H. Robie	Literature	4	Describing Settings and Events (Quiz)
A Sticky Situation	Lisa Lerner	Literature	4	Describing Characters (Instruction)
What a Thief!	Lisa Lerner	Literature	4	Describing Characters (Quiz)
A Different Kind of Strength	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Understanding Allusions (Instruction)
Finding My Muse	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Understanding Allusions (Quiz)
First Impressions, an excerpt from Amina's Voice	Hena Khan	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Instruction 1/2)
Meeting in Miami	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Instruction 2/2)
Breaking Tradition, an excerpt from Amina's Voice	Hena Khan	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Quiz 1/2)
The Perfect Summer Day	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Quiz 2/2)
The World Goes Dark	Susan Muaddi Darraj	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Literature (Instruction)
A Little Light	Susan Muaddi Darraj	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Literature (Quiz)



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Powwow for Hope	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Feeling Strong, KweStrong!	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Salad from Scratch	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literature (Instruction)
A Harvest Surprise	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literature (Quiz)
Time's Up, an excerpt from The First Rule of Punk	Celia C. Pérez	Literature	5	Using Details to Support Inferences in a Literary Text (Instruction)
Punks Don't Get Nervous, an excerpt from The First Rule of Punk	Celia C. Pérez	Literature	5	Using Details to Support Inferences in a Literary Text (Quiz)
Calling all Pop Stars!	Sasha Shackleton	Literature	5	Inferences About Literary Text (Instruction)
No Judgments	Sasha Shackleton	Literature	5	Inferences About Literary Text (Quiz)
Panic Ants, an excerpt from Lights, Camera, Disaster	Erin Dionne	Literature	5	Summarizing a Story (Instruction)
Hester's Proposal, an excerpt from Lights, Camera, Disaster	Erin Dionne	Literature	5	Summarizing a Story (Quiz)
The Other Tazarian	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	5	Theme of a Story (Instruction)
The Patchwork Special	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	5	Theme of a Story (Quiz)
Aylin and the Eagle	Mia Lewis	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Settings and Events (Instruction)
Changing the Score	Mia Lewis	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Settings and Events (Quiz)
One Stop Left	Lisa Yee	Literature	5	Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language (Instruction)
Showtime	Lisa Yee	Literature	5	Determine the Meaning of Figurative Language (Quiz)



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Stepping Up to the Plate	Rebecca Finley	Literature	5	Figurative Language (Instruction)
The Blackout	Rebecca Finley	Literature	5	Figurative Language (Quiz)
Picture Day Problem	Susan Muaddi Darraj	Literature	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Literature (Instruction)
The Perfect Find	Susan Muaddi Darraj	Literature	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Replaced Words and Ideas in Literature (Quiz)
Club Confustion	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literature (Instruction)
Best Friends Forever?	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literature (Quiz)
A Full House	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literature (Instruction)
A Different Kind of Sunday Dinner	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	5	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literature (Quiz)
Anything Can Go Wrong, an excerpt from Anything But Typical	Nora Raleigh Baskin	Literature	6	Supporting Inferences: Literary Text (Instruction)
Aaron Miller to the Rescue, an excerpt from Anything But Typical	Nora Raleigh Baskin	Literature	6	Supporting Inferences: Literary Text (Quiz)
Two-on-Two	Jerry Craft	Literature	6	Identifying the Theme (Instruction)
Quadruple Threat	Jerry Craft	Literature	6	Identifying the Theme (Quiz)
Game Day	Jerry Craft	Literature	6	Summarizing: Literary Text (Instruction)
Not So Super	Jerry Craft	Literature	6	Summarizing: Literary Text (Quiz)
Trash Twins	Patty Bovie	Literature	6	Analyzing Plot Development (Instruction)
Team Work	Patty Bovie	Literature	6	Analyzing Plot Development (Quiz)



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To Dance or To Kick?	Vanessa Cerullo	Literature	6	Analyzing Character Development (Instruction)
Piecing It Together	Nicole Daniels	Literature	6	Analyzing Character Development (Quiz)
Rain Girl	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	6	Analyzing Word Choice (Instruction)
Rolling Water	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	6	Analyzing Word Choice (Quiz)
On the Road, an excerpt from As Brave As You	Jason Reynolds	Literature	6	Exploring Narrative Point of View (Instruction)
Grandpop, an excerpt from As Brave As You	Jason Reynolds	Literature	6	Exploring Narrative Point of View (Quiz)
Urban Artist	Anu Gill	Literature	6	Comparing and Contrasting Story Genres (Instruction 2/2)
Panic with Sprinkles on Top	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	6	Comparing Stories and Poems (Instruction 2/2)
Cooking Catastrophe	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	6	Comparing Stories and Poems (Quiz 2/2)
Job Jitters	Dana Levy	Literature	6	Focus on Sentences: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Keith Versus the Chickens	Dana Levy	Literature	6	Focus on Sentences: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
On Point	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
2 for 1	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
The Perfect Kick	Dana Levy	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Field Day Hideaway	Dana Levy	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)



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Knock, Knock	Jen Malone	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Solving Problems Together (Instruction)
Hacking the Hackathon	Jen Malone	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Solving Problems Together (Quiz)
Personal Best	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Instruction)
Staying Connected	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Quiz)
Meet St. Louis Armstrong Beach, an excerpt from St. Louis Armstrong Beach	Brenda Woods	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About a Character's Setting (Instruction)
Shadow, an excerpt from St. Louis Armstrong Beach	Brenda Woods	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About a Character's Setting (Quiz)
l am a Puzzle Piece	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Identity (Instruction)
One Part Felix, One Part Ernesto	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Identity (Quiz)
Grandma, an excerpt from As Brave As You	Jason Reynolds	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Grandparents (Instruction)
The Harmonica, an excerpt from As Brave As You	Jason Reynolds	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Grandparents (Quiz)
Barriers	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Instruction)
Hurdles	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Quiz)
A New Normal	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	7	Analyzing Development of a Theme (Instruction)
Follow My Lead	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	7	Analyzing Development of a Theme (Quiz)



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The Family Restaurant, an excerpt from The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora	Pablo Cartaya	Literature	7	Analyzing How Story Elements Interact (Instruction)
Death by Soap Monsters, an excerpt from The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora	Pablo Cartaya	Literature	7	Analyzing How Story Elements Interact (Quiz)
The Ocean Between Us	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	7	Determining Word Meaning: Literary Text (Instruction)
Diamonds and Rocks	Patty Lenz Bovie	Literature	7	Determining Word Meaning: Literary Text (Quiz)
The Art of Change	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	7	Analyzing Narrative Point of View (Instruction)
Hair We Go!	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	7	Analyzing Narrative Point of View (Quiz)
Sister Ties	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Where She'd Rather Be	Jaya Mehta	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Twin Trouble	Amira Shea	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
On a Roll	Amira Shea	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Bees Be Gone	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Speaking for the Tree	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Send In the Clown	Jen Malone	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Creative Solutions (Instruction)
Dog Day Afternoon	Jen Malone	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Creative Solutions (Quiz)



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Kitchen Chaos	Amira Shea	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Helping Family (Instruction)
Home and Away	Amira Shea	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Helping Family (Quiz)
Behind the Scenes	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Facing Challenges (Instruction)
Poetry in Numbers	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Facing Challenges (Quiz)
Lucky Red	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Making Mistakes (Instruction)
Backstage Blunder	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Making Mistakes (Quiz)
A Creative Solution	Jaya Mehta	Literature	8	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Instruction)
Just Watch	Jaya Mehta	Literature	8	Citing Evidence: Literary Text (Quiz)
A New Routine	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Analyzing Development of a Theme, Part 1 (Instruction)
Finding Common Ground	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Analyzing Development of a Theme, Part 1 (Quiz)
Enrique the Talented	Vanessa Cerullo	Literature	8	Summarizing: Literary Text (Instruction)
Veena, Unlimited	Vanessa Cerullo	Literature	8	Summarizing: Literary Text (Quiz)
Old Family Recipe	Lisa Yee	Literature	8	Analyzing Plot and Characters (Instruction)
The Winner	Lisa Yee	Literature	8	Analyzing Plot and Characters (Quiz)
Campaign Chaos, an excerpt from 8th Grade Superzero	Olugbemisola Rhuday- Perkovich	Literature	8	Analyzing Character Development (Instruction)



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The Speech, an excerpt from 8th Grade Superzero	Olugbemisola Rhuday- Perkovich	Literature	8	Analyzing Character Development (Quiz)
Banding Together for Tea Time	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	8	Analyzing Narrative Point of View (Instruction)
How to Conceal a Monster	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	8	Analyzing Narrative Point of View (Quiz)
The Golden Voice	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	8	Analyzing Traditional Elements in Modern Fiction (Instruction 2/2)
Editor in Chief in Trouble	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	8	Analyzing Traditional Elements in Modern Fiction (Quiz 2/2)
Reality Check	Jen Malone	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Pi Day	Jen Malone	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Flying Downhill	Jaya Mehta	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Last Kite Flying	Jaya Mehta	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Literary Texts (Quiz)
History on Repeat	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Joaquin and Emilio Save the Galaxy	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Quiz)
Curly Shoes	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Instruction)
Parsley Raita	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family (Quiz)
A New Way to Celebrate A New Year	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Confidence (Instruction)



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Hidden Talent	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Confidence (Quiz)
Learning the Game	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family Histories (Instruction)
Recycling the Past	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Family Histories (Quiz)
Friends or Followers	Dana Alison Levy	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts Based on Traditional Myths (Instruction)
Something From Nothing	Dana Alison Levy	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts Based on Traditional Myths (Quiz)



LITERATURE | SCIENCE FICTION

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Diary of a Mars Rover	Yair Pueblo	Literature	2	Connect Words and Pictures (Instruction)
Space Racer	Yair Pueblo	Literature	2	Connect Words and Pictures (Quiz)
Star Shuttle	Melissa Sarno	Literature	3	Parts of Plays (Quiz)
Zorabunga!	Lisa Lerner	Literature	3	Connecting Words and Pictures in Stories (Instruction)
Texting in Space	Roxanne Werner	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Stories in the Same Genre (Instruction 1/2)
The Crystals of Arid	Roxanne Werner	Literature	5	Comparing and Contrasting Stories in the Same Genre (Instruction 2/2)
No Filter	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	6	Comparing and Contrasting Story Genres (Instruction 1/2)
Memory Holochamber	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	6	Comparing and Contrasting Story Genres (Quiz 1/2)
Cooking Is My Superpower	Tara Raman	Literature	6	Comparing and Contrasting Story Genres (Quiz 2/2)
Old World	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Summarizing: Literary Text (Instruction)
Stranded	Nandini Bajpai	Literature	7	Summarizing: Literary Text (Quiz)



LITERATURE | FANTASY

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
The Secret Life of Elvis	Molly Leonard	Literature	1	Answer Questions About Stories (Instruction)
Cow Tales: King of the Trail	Yehudi Mercado	Literature	1	Describe Characters (Quiz)
Ribbit!	Russell Ginns	Literature	1	Identify Feeling Words in Stories (Instruction)
Hush!	Russell Ginns	Literature	1	Identify Feeling Words in Stories (Quiz)
Night In the Wax Museum	Melissa Sarno	Literature	4	Summarizing Literary Texts (Instruction)
Turkey Leg Knight	Melissa Sarno	Literature	4	Summarizing Literary Texts (Quiz)
Super or Not?	Stephen Krensky	Literature	4	Comparing Poems and Prose (Instruction 1/2)
If You Are a Superhero	Stephen Krensky	Literature	4	Comparing Poems and Prose (Instruction 2/2)
Zombies on the Loose	Stephen Krensky	Literature	4	Comparing Poems and Prose (Quiz 1/2)
A Zombie's Confession	Stephen Krensky	Literature	4	Comparing Poems and Prose (Quiz 2/2)
The Phantom Chef	Melissa Sarno	Literature	5	Structure in Drama (Quiz)
Goddesses of the Sea	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Figurative Language (Instruction)
Fire & Water	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Figurative Language (Quiz)
Rule of Rock, Part I	Benjamin Jacobson	Literature	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Connotations (Instruction)
Rule of Rock, Part II	Benjamin Jacobson	Literature	8	Analyzing Word Choice: Connotations (Quiz)







ART | VISUAL ARTS

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Accidental Art, an excerpt from Indian Shoes	Cynthia Leitich Smith	Literature	3	Recounting a Story (Instruction)
Finding My Muse	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Understanding Allusions (Quiz)
Daring to Doodle	Kathryn Hulick	Informational Text	6	Identifying the Central Idea (Quiz)
Piecing It Together	Nicole Daniels	Literature	6	Analyzing Character Development (Quiz)
Urban Artist	Anu Gill	Literature	6	Comparing and Contrasting Story Genres (Instruction 2/2)
Art Contest Jitters	Lee Lewis	Literature	6	Comparing Stories and Poems (Instruction 1/2)
The Perfect Kick	Dana Levy	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Dicovering Graphic Novels	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)
Walking Canvases	Kristin Russo	Informational Text	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Connecting and Completing Ideas in Informational Texts (Quiz)
The Art of Change	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	7	Analyzing Narrative Point of View (Instruction)
But Is It Art?	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	7	Analyzing Author's Point of View (Instruction)
Oscar Howe, Sioux Artist	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Citing Evidence: Informational Text (Instruction)
The Man Who Spreads Smiles	Alice Cary	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Informational Texts (Instruction)



ART | PERFORMING ARTS

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
A Rocky Start	Stephen Krensky	Literature	к	Connect Words and Pictures in a Story (Instruction)
Go Kerplunk	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	3	Ask Questions About Stories (Quiz)
The Bombazo	Anika Aldamuy Denise	Literature	3	Recounting a Story (Quiz)
Jump into Action	Melissa Sarno	Literature	3	Parts of Plays (Instruction)
Just Be Yourself	Amber Sousa	Informational Text	3	Distinguishing Points of View on a Topic (Instruction)
Meeting in Miami	Alexandra Alessandri	Literature	4	Compare and Contrast Point of View (Instruction 2/2)
Powwow for Hope	Odia Wood-Krueger	Literature	4	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Calling all Pop Stars!	Sasha Shackleton	Literature	5	Inferences About Literary Text (Instruction)
To Dance or To Kick?	Vanessa Cerullo	Literature	6	Analyzing Character Development (Instruction)
The Harmonica, an excerpt from As Brave As You	Jason Reynolds	Literature	6	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Grandparents (Quiz)
Infinite Flow	Zachary Bird	Informational Text	7	Summarizing Social Studies Texts (Quiz)
Behind the Scenes	Janet Costa Bates	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Facing Challenges (Instruction)
Backstage Blunder	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	7	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Making Mistakes (Quiz)
A New Routine	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Analyzing Development of a Theme, Part 1 (Instruction)
You Go to My Head	Carole Boston Weatherford	Literature	8	Comparing and Contrasting Poetic Structures (Quiz 1/2)
The Golden Voice	Brooks Benjamin	Literature	8	Analyzing Traditional Elements in Modern Fiction (Instruction 2/2)



ART | PERFORMING ARTS (continued)

Passage Title*	Author	Genre	Grade Level	Lesson Title
Reality Check	Jen Malone	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Identifying Replaced Words and Ideas in Literary Texts (Instruction)
Sign Language Rocks	Marjie Polster	Informational Text	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Analyzing Sentence Parts in Informational Texts (Quiz)
Hidden Talent	Cindy L. Rodriguez	Literature	8	Building Sentence Comprehension: Understanding Literary Texts About Confidence (Quiz)

