

Fourth Grade Reading Street

Unit 1.1 Because of Winn Dixie		Genre: Realistic Fiction
<p>Vocabulary Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. grand – excellent; very good 2. memorial – helping people to remember a person, thing, or event 3. peculiar – strange; unusual 4. positive – without doubt; sure 5. prideful –overly proud of oneself 6. recalls – calls back to mind; remembers 7. selecting – picking out; choosing 	<p>Spelling Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. admire 2. magnet 3. contest 4. method 5. custom 6. rally 7. soccer 8. engine 9. sudden 10. finger 11. accident 12. mitten 13. intend 14. fabric 15. flatten 16. rascal 17. gutter 18. mammal 19. happen 20. cannon 21. dungeon 22. magnify 23. festival 24. thunderstorm 25. injury 	
<p>More Words to Know:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. consisted – was made up of 2. friendless – without friends 3. attention – care and thoughtfulness 4. kindness – treatment that does good rather than harm; gentleness 5. understanding - comprehension 		
<p>Spelling: Short Vowels VCCV</p> <p>Grammar: Declarative and Interrogative Sentences</p> <p>Writing Trait of the Week: Word Choice</p> <p>Vocabulary Strategy: Word Structure - suffixes</p>	<p>Comprehension Skill: Sequence</p> <p>Comprehension Strategy: Summarize</p> <p>Social Studies Content: U.S. History U.S. Geography</p>	

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Unit 1.2 Lewis and Clark and Me		Genre: Historical Fiction
<p>Vocabulary Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. docks – platforms built on the shore or out from the shore; wharves; piers 2. migrating – going from one region to another with the change in seasons 3. scan –to glance at; look over hastily 4. scent - a smell 5. wharf – platform built on the shore or out from the shore beside which ships can load or unload 6. yearned – felt a longing or desire 	<p>Spelling Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. sigh 2. right 3. weigh 4. eight 5. detail 6. height 7. spray 8. braid 9. bait 10. grain 11. slight 12. thigh 13. tight 14. raisin 15. trait 16. highway 17. frighten 18. dismay 19. freight 20. sleigh 21. eighteen 22. mayonnaise 23. campaign 24. daylight 25. twilight 	
<p>More Words to Know:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. consult – to seek information or advice from 2. leisurely – without hurry; taking plenty of time 3. mutual – done, said, or felt by each toward the other 4. pioneer - person who settles in a part of a country, preparing it for others 5. settlers - people who take up residence in a new country or place 6. territories - land not admitted to a state but having its own lawmaking group 7. traveled - journeyed 		
<p>Spelling: Long a and i</p> <p>Grammar: Imperative and Exclamatory Sentences</p> <p>Writing Trait of the Week: Sentences</p> <p>Vocabulary Strategy: Word Structure -Endings</p>	<p>Comprehension Skill: Author’s Purpose</p> <p>Comprehension Strategy: Answer Questions</p> <p>Social Studies Content: U.S. History Economics U.S. Geography</p>	

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Unit 1.3 Grandfather's Journey		Genre: Historical Fiction
<p>Vocabulary Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. amazed – surprised greatly; struck with sudden wonder; astounded 2. bewildered – completely confused; puzzled 3. homeland – country that is your home; your native land 4. longed – wished very much; desired greatly 5. sculptures – works of art created by carving, modeling, casting, etc. 6. still – to make or become calm or quiet 7. towering – very high 	<p>Spelling Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. sweet 2. each 3. three 4. least 5. freedom 6. below 7. throat 8. float 9. foam 10. flown 11. greet 12. season 13. croak 14. shallow 15. eagle 16. indeed 17. rainbow 18. grown 19. seaweed 20. hollow 21. Halloween 22. speedometer 23. underneath 24. seacoast 25. cocoa 	
<p>More Words to Know:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. seacoast – land along the sea; seaboard 2. steamship – ship moved by engines that work by the action of steam under pressure 3. coast – the land along the sea 4. lush – having thick growth; covered with growing things 5. route – way to go; road 		
<p>Spelling: Long e and o</p> <p>Grammar: Subjects and Predicates</p> <p>Writing Trait of the Week: Voice</p> <p>Vocabulary Strategy: Dictionary/Glossary</p>	<p>Comprehension Skill: Sequence</p> <p>Comprehension Strategy: Graphic Organizers</p> <p>Social Studies Content: U.S. History U.S. Geography</p>	

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Unit 1.4 The Horned Toad Prince		Genre: Modern Fairy Tale
<p>Vocabulary Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. bargain –an agreement to trade or exchange; deal 2. favor- act of kindness 3. lassoed –roped; caught with a long rope with a loop on the end 4. offended - hurt the feelings of someone; made angry 5. prairie - large area of level or rolling land with grass but few or no trees 6. riverbed – channel in which a river flows or used to flow 7. shrieked – made a loud, sharp, shrill sound 		<p>Spelling Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. prairie 2. calorie 3. honey 4. valley 5. money 6. finally 7. movie 8. country 9. empty 10. city 11. rookie 12. hockey 13. collie 14. breezy 15. jury 16. balcony 17. steady 18. alley 19. trolley 20. misty 21. frequency 22. parsley 23. journey 24. chimney 25. attorney
<p>More Words to Know:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. sassy – rude; lively, spirited 2. suspiciously – without trust, doubtfully 3. twang – to make a sharp, ringing sound 4. corral – pen for horses and cattle 5. frontier – the farthest part of a settled country, where the wilds begin 6. rodeo –a contest or exhibition of skill in roping cattle and riding horses and bulls 		
<p>Spelling: Long e</p> <p>Grammar: Compound Sentences</p> <p>Writing Trait of the Week: Focus/Ideas</p> <p>Vocabulary Strategy: Context Clues</p>	<p>Comprehension Skill: Author’s Purpose</p> <p>Comprehension Strategy: Story Structure</p> <p>Social Studies Content: U.S. Geography Sociology</p>	

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Unit 1.5 Letters Home from Yosemite		Genre: Narrative Nonfiction
<p>Vocabulary Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. impressive – able to impress the mind, feelings, conscience 2. naturalist - a person who studies living things 3. preserve – to keep from harm or change; protect 4. slopes- land that goes up or down at an angle 5. species –a set of related living things that share certain characteristics and that can interbreed 6. wilderness –a wild region with few or no people living in it 7. glacier – great mass of ice that moves very slowly down a mountain or along a valley 	<p>Spelling Words:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. usual 2. huge 3. flute 4. mood 5. smooth 6. threw 7. afternoon 8. scooter 9. juice 10. cruise 11. truth 12. bruise 13. cruel 14. excuse 15. pupil 16. groove 17. confuse 18. humor 19. duty 20. curfew 21. influence 22. aluminum 23. nutrition 24. accumulate 25. igloo 	<p>More Words to Know:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. altitudes – heights above Earth’s surface 2. formations –things that are formed 3. reservoir – a place where water is collected and stored for use 4. earthquake- a shaking of Earth’s surface caused by the sudden breaking of masses of rock along a fault 5. eruptions – processes of throwing forth 6. volcano – opening in Earth’s crust through which steam, ashes, and lava are forced out in periods of activity
<p>Spelling: Long u</p> <p>Grammar: Clauses and Complex Sentences</p> <p>Writing Trait of the Week: Conventions</p> <p>Vocabulary Strategy: Word Structure - suffixes</p>	<p>Comprehension Skill: Main Idea</p> <p>Comprehension Strategy: Graphic Organizers</p> <p>Social Studies Content: Geology Glaciology Botany</p>	

