

A Peek At Our Week

Unit 2, Week 1: JOBS AROUND TOWN

What we are learning!

Essential Question:

What jobs need to be done in a community?

Comprehension Focus:

Make and Confirm Predictions
Character, Setting, Events

Word Work:

Short e, like in elephant
Inflectional endings -ed

Grammar:

Nouns

Writing Trait:

Organization

Spelling
Words

leg
beg
men
hen
head
bread
grass
spin
there
again

HF
Words

again
help
new
there
use

Stories for the Week

Reading/Writing Workshop:

Good Job, Ben!

Genre: Realistic Fiction

Literature Anthology:

The Red Hat

Genre: Realistic Fiction

Big Book:

Millie Waits for the Mail



Vocabulary Words

1. **community:** a place and the people who live in it.
2. **occupation:** a job someone does.
3. **astonishing:** amazing or surprising.
4. **equipment:** all the special things, or supplies, that you need to do something.
5. **fortunately:** luckily

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Unit 2, Week 2: Buildings All Around

What we are learning!

Essential Question:

What buildings do you know? What are they made of?

Comprehension Focus:

Make and Confirm Predictions
Character, Setting, Events

Word Work:

Short u, like bug
Contractions with 's

Grammar:

Singular and Plural Nouns

Writing Trait:

Organization

Spelling
Words

run
fun
nut
cut
bug
rug
men
head
could
one

HF
Words

could
live
three
then
one

Stories for the Week

Reading/Writing Workshop:

Cubs in a Hut
Genre: Fantasy

Literature Anthology:

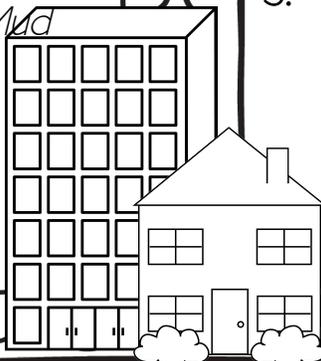
The Pigs, the Wolf, and the Mud
Genre: Fantasy

Big Book:

The 3 Little Dassies

Vocabulary Words

1. **shelter:** a building that protects you or keeps you safe.
2. **materials:** the things used to make something else.
3. **collapsed:** it fell down.
4. **furious:** when someone gets very angry.
5. **refused:** to say firmly that you will not do it.



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Unit 2, Week 3: A Community in Nature

What we are learning!

Essential Question:
Where do animals live together?

Comprehension Focus:
Main Topic and Key Details

Word Work:
End blends
Inflectional ending "-ing"

Grammar:
Possessive Nouns

Writing Trait:
Ideas

Spelling Words

lend
send
fast
past
sink
wink
run
bug
of
who

HF Words

eat
no
of
under
who

Stories for the Week

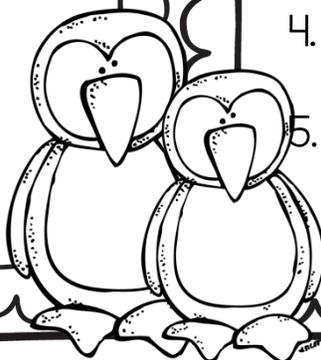
Reading/Writing Workshop:
The Best Spot
Genre: Nonfiction

Literature Anthology:
At a Pond
Genre: Nonfiction

Big Book:
Babies in the Bayou

Vocabulary Words

1. **depend:** when you depend on something, you rely on it for the things you need
2. **habitat:** a habitat is the place where an animal lives in nature
3. **hibernate:** to spend the winter sleeping in a shelter
4. **tranquil:** calm and peaceful
5. **tolerate:** to put up with something unpleasant



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Unit 2, Week 4: Let's Help

What we are learning!

Essential Question:

How do people help out in the community?

Comprehension Focus:

Character, Setting, Events

Word Work:

Consonant Digraphs th, sh, -ng
Closed Syllables

Grammar:

Common and Proper Nouns

Writing Trait:

Organization

Spelling
Words

fish
shop
ship
with
thing
sang
fast
wink
want
call

HF
Words

all
call
day
her
want

Stories for the Week

Reading/Writing Workshop:

Thump Thump Helps Out

Genre: Fantasy Fiction

Literature Anthology:

Nell's Books

Genre: Fantasy Fiction

Big Book: The Story of
Martin Luther King Jr.



Vocabulary Words

1. **leadership:** the ability to guide a group of people, or the action of leading others
2. **admire:** when you approve of and like a person
3. **connections:** links between two or more things
4. **enjoy:** to like something
5. **rely:** you know you can trust someone to help

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Unit 2, Week 5: FOLLOW THE MAP

What we are learning!

Essential Question:

How can you find your way around?

Comprehension Focus:

Main Topic and Key Details

Word Work:

Words with ch, -tch, wh, ph
Inflectional Ending -es

Grammar:

Irregular Plural Nouns

Writing Trait:

Ideas

Spelling
Words

whip
whale
catch
match
chin
graph
shop
with
many
around

HF
Words

around
by
many
place
walk

Stories for the Week

Reading/Writing Workshop:

Which Way on the Map?

Genre: Non-fiction

Literature Anthology:

Fun with Maps

Genre: Nonfiction

Big Book:

Me On the Map



Vocabulary Words

1. **locate:** to find
2. **route:** the road or way to take to get somewhere
3. **height:** how tall something is
4. **model:** a small copy of something large
5. **separate:** to keep two things apart from each other

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Unit 2, Week 6: Review

What we are learning!

Comprehension Review:

Make and Confirm Predictions
Character, Setting, Events
Main Topic and Key Details

Grammar Review:

Singular and Plural Nouns
Possessive Nouns
Common and Proper Nouns
Irregular Plural Nouns

Spelling
Words

Review

HF
Words

Review

Phonics Review

Short e, like in elephant
Short u, like bug
End blends
Consonant Digraphs
th, sh, -ng, ch, -tch, wh, ph

Structural Analysis Review

Inflectional endings -ed
Contractions with 's
Inflectional ending "-ing"
Closed Syllables
Inflectional Ending -es