

Unit & Section	Title	Genre
Unit 1 Anchor Text	“Burrito Man”	Realistic Fiction
Unit 1 Language Arts	“My Korean Name”	Personal Narrative
Unit 1 Science	The Parts of a Cell	Informational Text: Science
Unit 1 Social Studies	A Community at Sea	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 1 Mathematics	Use Ratios	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 2 Anchor Text	The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind	Narrative Nonfiction
Unit 2 Language Arts	“How to Fail Up”	Nonfiction Article
Unit 2 Science	The Engineering Design Process	Informational Text: Science
Unit 2 Social Studies	When Famine Strikes	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 2 Mathematics	Unit Rates	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 3 Anchor Text	Excerpt from The Iron Giant	Science Fiction
Unit 3 Language Arts	“The Water Buffalo”	Fantasy
Unit 3 Science	It’s Elemental	Informational Text: Science
Unit 3 Social Studies	Hidden Fears	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 3 Mathematics	Operations with Decimals	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 4 Anchor Text	Inside Out & Back Again	Novel in Verse
Unit 4 Language Arts	“The New Colossus	Sonnet
Unit 4 Science	Graphing Movement	Informational Text: Science

Unit 4 Social Studies	Away from Troubles— Toward Hope and the Future	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 4 Mathematics	Using Integers	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 5 Anchor Text	“The Jade Ring”	Realistic Fiction
Unit 5 Language Arts	“Learning Changes Your Brain!”	Science Article
Unit 5 Science	A Geological Kitchen	Informational Text: Science
Unit 5 Social Studies	Communication Among Cultures	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 5 Mathematics	Equivalent Expressions	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 6 Anchor Text	Excerpt from Bud, Not Buddy	Historical Fiction
Unit 6 Language Arts	Excerpt from Island of the Blue Dolphins	Historical Fiction
Unit 6 Science	An Environmental Disaster	Informational Text: Science
Unit 6 Social Studies	FDR and the Fireside Chats	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 6 Mathematics	Solve Equations	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 7 Anchor Text	Side by Side: The Story of Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez	Nonfiction
Unit 7 Language Arts	“2012 Medal of Honor Speech for Dolores Huerta”	Speech
Unit 7 Science	Environmental Change and Our Communities	Informational Text: Science
Unit 7 Social Studies	The Delano Grape Strike	Nonfiction Article
Unit 7 Mathematics	Using Measures of Central Tendency to Solve Problems	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 8 Anchor Text	Superhero Issues	Drama
Unit 8 Language Arts	“Top of the World”	Nonfiction Text
Unit 8 Science	Analog and Digital Signals	Informational Text: Science

Unit 8 Social Studies	Excerpt from The Story of my Life	Autobiography
Unit 8 Mathematics	Find Areas of Rectangles and Triangles	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 9 Anchor Text	Amazing Places	Poetry
Unit 9 Language Arts	“Preserving the Rural Environment”	Persuasive Text
Unit 9 Science	The Grand Canyon	Informational Text: Science
Unit 9 Social Studies	Amazing Places	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 9 Mathematics	Surface Area and Volume	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 10 Anchor Text	Excerpt from How Tia Lola Came to (Visit) Stay	Realistic Fiction
Unit 10 Language Arts	“3D Printing to the Rescue”	Problem-Solution Article
Unit 10 Science	Wild about Rice!	Informational Text: Science
Unit 10 Social Studies	In the Driver’s Seat	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 10 Mathematics	Understand the Coordinate Plane	Informational Text: Mathematics

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Unit 1 Anchor Text	Honoring our Ancestors	Memoir
Unit 1 Language Arts	“I’m Nobody! Who Are You?”	Poetry
Unit 1 Science	Understanding Earth’s History	Informational Text: Science
Unit 1 Social Studies	Honor the Past and Celebrate the Future	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 1 Mathematics	Applying Ratios and Proportions	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 2 Anchor Text	“Seventh Grade”	Realistic Fiction
Unit 2 Language Arts	Excerpt from “Who Are You Today, Maria?”	Realistic Fiction
Unit 2 Science	The Engineering Design Process	Informational Text: Science
Unit 2 Social Studies	Why You Should Never Judge a Book by Its Cover	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 2 Mathematics	Visualize Percents	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 3 Anchor Text	“At the Beach: Abuelito’s Story”	Realistic Fiction
Unit 3 Language Arts	Excerpt from They Eat Sunshine, Not Zebras	Drama
Unit 3 Science	Coral Reefs	Informational Text: Science
Unit 3 Social Studies	Being a Responsible Part of Your Community	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 3 Mathematics	Adding and Subtracting Integers	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 4 Anchor Text	The Flamingo’s Legs “A Story About Two Flamingos”	Informational Science Text Fable
Unit 4 Language Arts	“Something Told the Wild Geese”	Poetry
Unit 4 Science	Systems Working Together	Informational Text: Science

Unit 4 Social Studies	The Influence of Science and Technology	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 4 Mathematics	Multiplying and Dividing Integers	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 5 Anchor Text	Excerpt from The Giver	Dystopian Fiction
Unit 5 Language Arts	Excerpt from “A Leap of Faith” in Divergent	Dystopian Fiction
Unit 5 Science	More People, More Things	Informational Text: Science
Unit 5 Social Studies	Federal, State, and Local	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 5 Mathematics	Equivalent Expressions	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 6 Anchor Text	John Lewis in the Lead: A Story of the Civil Rights Movement	Narrative Nonfiction
Unit 6 Language Arts	Letters from Dear Mrs. Parks: A Dialogue with Today’s Youth	Correspondence
Unit 6 Science	How Bridges Work	Informational Text: Science
Unit 6 Social Studies	Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr	Biography
Unit 6 Mathematics	Equations	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 7 Anchor Text	“The Monsters Are Due on Maple Street”	Science Fiction
Unit 7 Language Arts	Excerpt from Blackwater	Mystery
Unit 7 Science	Watch Out!	Informational Text: Science
Unit 7 Social Studies	Propaganda and Fear	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 7 Mathematics	Area and Circumference of Circles	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 8 Anchor Text	Poems from America, My New Home	Poetry
Unit 8 Language Arts	Biomes	Nonfiction Reference
Unit 8 Science	Analog and Digital Signals	Informational Text: Science

Unit 8 Social Studies	The Lady with the Lamp	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 8 Mathematics		Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 9 Anchor Text	Excerpt from Other Words for Home	Novel in Verse
Unit 9 Language Arts	“The Importance of Taking Risks in Life”	Argument Essay
Unit 9 Science	Seasons on Earth	Informational Text: Science
Unit 9 Social Studies	Moving toward Hope	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 9 Mathematics	Find Unknown Angle Measurements	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 10 Anchor Text	Excerpt from Hatchet	Realistic Fiction
Unit 10 Language Arts	Excerpt from Biomimicry: Inventions Inspired by Nature	Nonfiction Science Article
Unit 10 Science	Plant Parts	Informational Text: Science
Unit 10 Social Studies	Exploring the Unknown	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 10 Mathematics	Use Samples to Understand Populations	Informational Text: Mathematics

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Unit 1 Anchor Text	“Hello, My Name Is”	Personal Narrative
Unit 1 Language Arts	“First Impressions”	Personal Narrative
Unit 1 Science	Memories in the Brain	Informational Text: Science
Unit 1 Social Studies	Excerpt from The Bear That Wasn't	Satire
Unit 1 Mathematics	Exponents and Roots	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 2 Anchor Text	“Abuela Invents the Zero”	Realistic Fiction
Unit 2 Language Arts	Excerpt from “The Medicine Bag”	Realistic Fiction
Unit 2 Science	Designing Solutions	Informational Text: Science
Unit 2 Social Studies	Jane Addams of Hull House	Biography
Unit 2 Mathematics	Rational and Irrational Numbers	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 3 Anchor Text	Excerpt from The Story of Banker of the People Muhammad Yunus	Biography
Unit 3 Language Arts	“Compound Interest”	Informational Text
Unit 3 Science	Sunflowers!	Informational Text: Science
Unit 3 Social Studies	What is Credit?	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 3 Mathematics	Simple and Compound Interest	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 4 Anchor Text	Home to Me: Poems Across America	Poetry
Unit 4 Language Arts	Excerpt from The National Parks	Informational Text
Unit 4 Science	Living in an Ecosystem	Informational Text: Science

Unit 4 Social Studies	A Geographic Map of the Continental United States	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 4 Mathematics	Solve Equations	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 5 Anchor Text	“Breakfast on Mars” and “Robots Only”	Argument Essay
Unit 5 Language Arts	Excerpt from Space Case	Science Fiction
Unit 5 Science	Another Home for Humans?	Informational Text: Science
Unit 5 Social Studies	Great Moments in Space Exploration	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 5 Mathematics	Solve Systems of Linear Equations	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 6 Anchor Text	Excerpt from Dragonwings	Drama
Unit 6 Language Arts	“Dreams” and “Harlem”	Poetry
Unit 6 Science	Glittering Gold	Informational Text: Science
Unit 6 Social Studies	Letter from a Gold Miner	Correspondence
Unit 6 Mathematics	Using Functions	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 7 Anchor Text	Excerpts from Booked	Novel in Verse
Unit 7 Language Arts	“Two Left Feet, Two Left Hands, and Too Left on the Bench”	Memoir
Unit 7 Science	Collisions	Informational Text: Science
Unit 7 Social Studies	Women’s Voting Rights	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 7 Mathematics	Apply Transformations	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 8 Anchor Text	“Monarch Butterfly: <i>Danaus plexippus</i> ”	Science Article
Unit 8 Language Arts	“A Story about Seje’s Dreams”	Legend
Unit 8 Science	The Difficult Journey of Salmon	Informational Text: Science

Unit 8 Social Studies	Seeking a New Life	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 8 Mathematics	The Pythagorean Theorem	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 9 Anchor Text	Excerpt from Barrio Boy	Autobiography
Unit 9 Language Arts	“Eleven”	Short Story
Unit 9 Science	How Plants and Animals Live and Grow	Informational Text: Science
Unit 9 Social Studies	What does it take to be a community?	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 9 Mathematics	Find the Volume of Cylinders and Cones	Informational Text: Mathematics
Unit 10 Anchor Text	Malala Yousafzai: Warrior with Words	Narrative Nonfiction Biography
Unit 10 Language Arts	Excerpt from I am Malala	Descriptive Writing
Unit 10 Science	Understanding Earth’s Water Supply	Informational Text: Science
Unit 10 Social Studies	The Benefits of Education	Informational Text: Social Studies
Unit 10 Mathematics	Analyze Scatter Plots	Informational Text: Mathematics