

Grade 3 • Unit 1 • Scope and Sequence

Genre Focus	Read Aloud	Shared Read	Literature Anthology	Leveled Readers	Vocabulary	Comprehension	Phonics and Spelling	Fluency	Writing and Grammar	Research and Inquiry
Genre Study 1: Weeks 1 and 2 Genre: Narrative Nonfiction Essential Question: How do people from different cultures contribute to a community? Text Features: Headings and Maps Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Faith Ringgold: Telling Stories Through Art"	"Room to Grow" Genre: Narrative Nonfiction Lexile: 490L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Gary the Dreamer Genre: Narrative Nonfiction Lexile: 500L Paired Selection "Sharing Cultures" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 610L	Main Selections Genre: Biography A: Judy Baca Lexile: 560L O: Judy Baca Lexile: 630L ELL: Judy Baca Lexile: 610L B: Judy Baca Lexile: 750L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "Vibrant Los Angeles" ELL: "Vibrant Los Angeles" ELL: "Vibrant Los Angeles" B: "Vibrant Los Angeles"	Words: admires, classmate, community, contribute, practicing, pronounce, scared, tumbled Strategy: Compound Words	Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions Skill: Text Structure: Sequence Author's Craft: Word Choice	Week 1 Short vowels: a, i Week 2 Short vowels: e, o, u Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 1: Expression Week 2: Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Personal Narrative Expert Model: Narrative Nonfiction Plan: Sequence Draft: Descriptive Details Grammar and Mechanics Week 1: Sentences and Fragments; Capitalization and Punctuation Week 2: Commands and Exclamations; Punctuation in Commands and Exclamations	Product: Make a Map Study Skill: Read and Present a Map Blast: Who Made That?
Genre Study 2: Weeks 3 and 4 Genre: Realistic Fiction Essential Question: What can traditions teach you about cultures? Literary Elements: Illustrations and Dialogue Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Ready for Aloha!"	"The Dream Catcher" Genre: Realistic Fiction Lexile: 470L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Yoon and the Jade Bracelet Genre: Realistic Fiction Lexile: 480L Paired Selection "Family Traditions" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 480L	Main Selections Genre: Realistic Fiction A: The Special Meal Lexile: 380L O: A Row of Lamps Lexile: 410L ELL: A Row of Lamps Lexile: 310L B: Dragons on the Water Lexile: 700L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "More About Mole" O: "Diwali" ELL: "Diwali" B: "A Great Tradition"	Words: celebrate, courage, disappointment, precious, pride, remind, symbols, tradition Strategy: Context Clues	Strategy: Visualize Skill: Character, Setting, Plot: Sequence Author's Craft: Voice	Week 3 Final e Week 4 Long a: ay, ai, a_e, ea, eigh, ei, ey Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 3: Rate Week 4: Expression	Respond to Reading Writing Process Personal Narrative Revise: Sentence Fluency Peer Conferences; Edit and Proofread; Publish, Present, and Evaluate Grammar and Mechanics Week 3: Subjects; Complete Sentences and Fragments Week 4: Predicates; Complete Sentences	Product: Create a Class Culture Quilt Study Skill: Generate Questions; Formal and Informal Inquiry; Present Blast: The Good Doctor
Genre Study 3: Week 5 Genre: Argumentative Text Essential Question: How do landmarks help us understand our country's story? Text Features: Captions, Maps, and Sidebars Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "America's Landmarks and Memorials"	"Preserve and Protect" Genre: Argumentative Text Lexile: 690L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text "Protecting Our Parks" Genre: Argumentative Text Lexile: 690L Paired Selection "5 Questions for George McDonald" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 860L	Main Selections Genre: Argumentative Text A: Preserving a Special Place Lexile: 630L O: Preserving a Special Place Lexile: 750L ELL: Preserving a Special Place Lexile: 730L B: Preserving a Special Place Lexile: 830L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "Gateway Arch" C: "Gateway Arch" ELL: "Gateway Arch" B: "Gateway Arch"	Words: carved, clues, grand, landmark, massive, monument, national, traces Strategy: Multiple-Meaning Words	Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions Skill: Main Idea and Key Details Author's Craft: Author's Purpose	Week 5 Long o: o, ow, o_e, oa, oe Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 5: Accuracy and Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Persuasive Essay Expert Model: Argumentative Text Plan: Identify Relevant Information Draft: Fact and Opinion Grammar and Mechanics Week 5: Simple and Compound Sentences; Punctuate Simple and Compound Sentences	Product: Create a Postcard Study Skill: Facts and Opinions Blast: Special Places
Week 6 Review, Extend Learning, and Assess										



Grade 3 • Unit 2 • Scope and Sequence

Genre Focus	Read Aloud	Shared Read	Literature Anthology	Leveled Readers	Vocabulary	Comprehension	Phonics and Spelling	Fluency	Writing and Grammar	Research and Inquiry
Genre Study 1: Weeks 1 and 2 Genre: Expository Text Essential Question: How do people make government work? Text Features: Headings and Bar Graphs Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "All About Elections"	"Every Vote Counts!" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 560L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Vote! Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 530L Paired Selection "A Plan for the People" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 530L	Main Selections Genre: Expository Text A: The Race for the Presidency Lexile: 560L O: The Race for the Presidency Lexile: 720L ELL: The Race for the Presidency Lexile: 710L B: The Race for the Presidency Lexile: 890L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "Elementary School Lawmakers" O: "Elementary School Lawmakers" ELL: "Elementary School Lawmakers" B: "Elementary School Lawmakers"	Words: announced, candidates, convince, decisions, elect, estimate, government, independent Strategy: Prefixes: re-, un-, dis-, mis-	Strategy: Reread Skill: Author's Point of View Author's Craft: Author's Purpose: Text Structure	Week 1 Long i: i, ie, igh, i_e, y; Long u: u, u_e, ew Week 2 Long e: e, ea, ee, e_e, ie, ey, y Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 1 Intonation and Phrasing Week 2 Rate	Respond to Reading Writing Process Expository Essay Expert Model: Expository Text Plan: Paraphrase Draft: Developing the Topic Grammar and Mechanics Week 1: Kinds of Nouns; Capitalize Proper Nouns Week 2: Singular and Plural Nouns; Punctuate Four Sentence Types	Product: Create a Thank-You Note Study Skill: Letter Format; Present Blast: Let's Vote on It
Genre Study 2: Weeks 3 and 4 Genre: Historical Fiction Essential Question: Why do people immigrate to new places? Literary Elements: Events and Illustrations Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Our Story Cloth"	"Sailing to America" Genre: Historical Fiction Lexile: 460L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text The Castle on Hester Street Genre: Historical Fiction Lexile: 730L Paired Selection "Next Stop, America!" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 510L	Main Selections Genre: Historic Fiction A: The Promise of Gold Mountain Lexile: 490L O: Moving from Mexico Lexile: 640L ELL: Moving from Mexico Lexile: 540L B: Gustaf Goes to America Lexile: 690L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "Gold in Californial" O: "Mexican Revolution 1910–1920" ELL: "Mexican Revolution 1910–1920" B: "Celebrating Swedish Culture"	Words: arrived, immigrated, inspected, moment, opportunity, photographs, valuable, whispered Strategy: Figurative Language: Similes	Strategy: Make Predictions Skill: Theme Author's Craft: Text Structure: Cause and Effect	Week 3 Words with Silent Letters Week 4 Three-Letter Blends Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 3 Accuracy and Phrasing Week 4 Rate	Writing Process Expository Essay Revise: Strong Conclusion Peer Conferences; Edit and Proofread; Publish, Present, and Evaluate Grammar and Mechanics Week 3: Special Nouns; Spelling Plural Nouns Week 4: Combining Sentences; Commas	Product: Write a Journal Entry Study Skill: Primary and Secondary Sources; Present Blast: Leaving Home
Genre Study 3: Week 5 Genre: Poetry Essential Question: How do people figure things out? Text Structure: Limerick and Free Verse Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "New Bike, Old Bike"	"Empanada Day," "Cold Feet," "Our Washing Machine," "Bugged" Genre: Poetry Lexile: Non-prose ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text "The Inventor Thinks Up Helicopters" and "The Ornithopter" Genre: Poetry Lexile: Non-prose Paired Selection "Montgolfier Brothers' Hot Air Balloon" Genre: Poetry Lexile: Non-prose	Main Selections Genre: Realistic Fiction A: Problem Solved Lexile: 480L O: The Long Walk Lexile: 560L ELL: The Long Walk Lexile: 480L B: Two Up, One Down Lexile: 610L Paired Selections Genre: Poetry A: "Rainy Day" O: "The Forgetful Girl" and "The Friendly Frog" ELL: "Thomas the Mess Monster" B: "I Listen" and "The Nesting Box"	Words: bounce, imagine, inventor, observer Poetry Terms: alliteration, free verse, limerick, rhyme Strategy: Figurative Language: Similes	Literary Elements: Alliteration and Rhyme Skill: Point of View Author's Craft: Voice (Humor)	Week 5 Digraphs Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 5 Expression and Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Poetry Expert Model: Free Verse Poem Plan: Ideas Draft: Rhythm and Rhyme Grammar and Mechanics Week 5: Possessive Nouns; Apostrophes in Possessive Nouns	Product: Interview an Inventor Study Skill: Gathering Information Blast: I Spy with My Little Eye
Week 6 Review, Extend Learning, and Assess										



Grade 3 • Unit 3 • Scope and Sequence

Genre Focus	Read Aloud	Shared Read	Literature Anthology	Leveled Readers	Vocabulary	Comprehension	Phonics and Spelling	Fluency	Writing and Grammar	Research and Inquiry
Genre Study 1: Weeks 1 and 2 Genre: Expository Text Essential Question: What do we know about Earth and its neighbors? Text Features: Key Words and Charts Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Our Home in the Solar System"	"Earth and Its Neighbors" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 660L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Earth Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 630L Paired Selection "Why the Sun Is Red" Genre: Legend Lexile: 500L	Main Selections Genre: Expository Text A: Destination Saturn Lexile: 500L O: Destination Saturn Lexile: 700L ELL: Destination Saturn Lexile: 660L B: Destination Saturn Lexile: 780L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "Why the Stars Twinkle" O: "Why the Stars Twinkle" B: "Why the Stars Twinkle"	Words: amount, astronomy, globe, solar system, support, surface, temperature, warmth Strategy: Suffixes: -y, -ly	Strategy: Summarize Skill: Main Idea and Key Details Author's Craft: Word Choice	Week 1 r-Controlled Vowels Week 2 r-Controlled Vowels Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 1 Expression Week 2 Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Expository Essay Expert Model: Expository Text Plan: Paraphrasing vs. Plagiarism Draft: Develop Your Topic Grammar and Mechanics Week 1: Action Verbs; Quotation Marks and Colons in Time Week 2: Present-Tense Verbs; Subject-Verb Agreement	Product: A Solar System Poster Study Skill: Taking Notes Blast: Eyes in the Sky
Genre Study 2: Weeks 3 and 4 Genre: Folktale Essential Question: What makes different animals unique? Literary Elements: Illustrations and Lessons Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Bear, Beaver, and Bee"	"Anansi Learns a Lesson" Genre: Folktale Lexile: 560L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Martina the Beautiful Cockroach Genre: Folktale Lexile: 570L Paired Selection "Get a Backbone!" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 510L	Main Selections Genre: Folktale A: The Clever Rabbit Lexile: 550L O: King of the Birds Lexile: 600L ELL: King of the Birds Lexile: 550L B: Sheep and Pig Set Up Housekeeping Lexile: 680L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "All About Bats" O: "The Real Quetzal" ELL: "The Real Quetzal" B: "Sheep and Wolves"	Words: disbelief, dismay, fabulous, features, offered, splendid, unique, watchful Strategy: Context Clues: Synonyms	Strategy: Visualize Skill: Problem and Solution Author's Craft: Text Structure: Organization	Week 3 r-Controlled Vowels Week 4 Prefixes: pre-, dis-, mis- Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 3 Accuracy Week 4 Phrasing and Rate	Writing Process Expository Essay Revise: Strong Conclusion Peer Conferences; Edit and Proofread; Publish, Present, and Evaluate Grammar and Mechanics Week 3: Past-Tense Verbs; Abbreviations and Name Titles Week 4: Future-Tense Verbs; Book Titles	Product: A Life Cycle Drawing Study Skill: Key Words; Present Blast: The Perfect Predator
Genre Study 3: Week 5 Genre: Expository Text Essential Question: How is each event in history unique? Text Features: Timelines and Captions Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "The California Gold Rush"	"Moving America Forward" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 720L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text "Birth of an Anthem" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 700L Paired Selection "Discovering Life Long Ago" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 740L	Main Selections Genre: Expository Text A: Wheels to Wings Lexile: 590L O: Wheels to Wings Lexile: 650L ELL: Wheels to Wings Lexile: 620L B: Wheels to Wings Lexile: 730L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "Keeping History Alive" C: "Keeping History Alive" B: "Keeping History Alive"	Words: agreeable, appreciate, boomed, descendants, resources, population, transportation, vehicles Strategy: Suffixes: -able, -ful, -less	Strategy: Summarize Skill: Sequence Author's Craft: Point of View	Week 5 Diphthongs /oi/ and /ou/ Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 5 Accuracy and Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Feature Article Expert Model: Expository Text Plan: Identify Relevant Information Draft: Clear Central Idea Grammar and Mechanics Week 5: Combining Sentences with Verbs; Punctuation in Formal Letters, Dates, Addresses, and Locations	Product: Step-By-Step Instructions Study Skill: Giving and Following Instructions Blast: The Caddo
Week 6 Review, Extend Learning, and Assess										



Grade 3 • Unit 4 • Scope and Sequence

Genre Focus	Read Aloud	Shared Read	Literature Anthology	Leveled Readers	Vocabulary	Comprehension	Phonics and Spelling	Fluency	Writing and Grammar	Research and Inquiry
Genre Study 1: Weeks 1 and 2 Genre: Realistic Fiction Essential Question: How can you use what you know to help others? Literary Elements: Dialogue and Illustrations Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Dancing La Raspa"	"The Impossible Pet Show" Genre: Realistic Fiction Lexile: 600L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text The Talented Clementine Genre: Realistic Fiction Lexile: 660L Paired Selection "Clementine and the Family Meeting" Genre: Realistic Fiction Lexile: 630L	Main Selections Genre: Realistic Fiction A: Every Picture Tells a Story Lexile: 470L O: A Chef in the Family Lexile: 530L ELL: A Chef in the Family Lexile: 440L B: Stepping Forward Lexile: 700L Paired Selections Genre: Realistic Fiction A: "Hidden Treasure" O: "The Perfect Sandwich" ELL: "The Perfect Sandwich" B: "Rigel to the Rescue"	Words: achievement, apologized, attention, audience, confidence, embarrassed, realized, talents Strategy: Prefixes: un-, non-, im-, pre-	Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions Skill: Point of View Author's Craft: Figurative Language	Week 1 /ü/: oo, ew, u_e, ue, u, ui, ou; /u/: oo, ou Week 2 Plural Words Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 1 Expression Week 2 Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Realistic Fiction Expert Model: Realistic Fiction Plan: Sequence of Events Draft: Dialogue Grammar and Mechanics Week 1: Linking Verbs; End Punctuation and Complete Sentences Week 2: Contractions with Not; Using Apostrophes	Product: Write a Blog Study Skill: Citing Sources; Present Blast: Clara Barton, Founder of the American Red Cross
Genre Study 2: Weeks 3 and 4 Genre: Expository Text Essential Question: How do animals adapt to challenges in their habitat? Text Features: Maps and Captions Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "African Lions"	"Gray Wolf! Red Fox!" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 750L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Amazing Wildlife of the Mojave Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 720L Paired Selection "Little Half Chick" Genre: Folktale Lexile: 690L	Main Selections Genre: Expository Text A: Life in a Tide Pool Lexile: 550L O: Life in a Tide Pool Lexile: 730L ELL: Life in a Tide Pool Lexile: 610L B: Life in a Tide Pool Lexile: 860L Paired Selections Genre: Folktale A: "Bluebird and Coyote" ELL: "Bluebird and Coyote" E:L: "Bluebird and Coyote" B: "Bluebird and Coyote"	Words: alert, competition, environment, excellent, prefer, protection, related, shelter Strategy: Sentence Clues	Strategy: Reread Skill: Text Structure: Compare and Contrast Author's Craft: Author's Message	Week 3 Variant Vowel /ô/ Week 4 Homophones Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 3 Intonation Week 4 Accuracy	Writing Process Realistic Fiction Revise: Signal Words Peer Conferences; Edit and Proofread; Publish, Present, and Evaluate Grammar and Mechanics Week 3: Main and Helping Verbs; Quotation Marks, Commas, and Periods in Dialogue Week 4: Complex Sentences; Using Commas in Sentences	Product: Make a Collage with Captions Study Skill: Find Relevant Information; Present Blast: Creatures of the Deep
Genre Study 3: Week 5 Genre: Poetry Essential Question: How can others inspire us? Text Structure: Narrative and Free Verse Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "My Grandpa"	"Ginger's Fingers," The Giant," and "Captain's Log" Genre: Narrative and Free Verse Poetry Lexile: Non-prose ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text "The Winningest Woman of the Iditarod Dog Sled Race" and "The Brave Ones" Genre: Poetry Lexile: Non-prose Paired Selection "Narcissa" Genre: Poetry Lexile: Non-prose	Main Selections Genre: Realistic Fiction A: A Speech to Remember Lexile: 480L O: Melanie's Mission Lexile: 590L ELL: Melanie's Mission Lexile: 510L B: In the Running Lexile: 700L Paired Selections Genre: Poetry A: "Let the Lion Roar" O: "In the Land of the Lions" ELL: "The Greedy Puppy" B: "Everybody's Surfing"	Words: adventurous, courageous, extremely, weird Poetry Terms: free verse, narrative poem, repetition, rhyme Strategy: Metaphor	Literary Elements: Repetition and Rhyme Skill: Theme Author's Craft: Imagery	Week 5 Soft c and g Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 5 Expression	Respond to Reading Writing Process Narrative Poem Expert Model: Narrative Poem Plan: Ideas Draft: Repetition and Rhyme Grammar and Mechanics Week 5: Irregular Verbs; Correct Verb Forms	Product: Write an Acrostic Poem Study Skill: Primary and Secondary Sources Blast: An Inspirational Poet
Week 6 Review, Extend Learning, and Assess										



Grade 3 • Unit 5 • Scope and Sequence

Genre Focus	Read Aloud	Shared Read	Literature Anthology	Leveled Readers	Vocabulary	Comprehension	Phonics and Spelling	Fluency	Writing and Grammar	Research and Inquiry
Genre Study 1: Weeks 1 and 2 Genre: Biography Essential Question: What do good citizens do? Text Features: Captions and Timelines Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Jimmy Carter: A Good Citizen"	"Irma Rangel: Texas Lawmaker" Genre: Biography Lexile: 700L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Elizabeth Leads the Way: Elizabeth Cady Stanton and the Right to Vote Genre: Biography Lexile: 700L Paired Selection "Susan B. Anthony Takes Action!" Genre: Biography Lexile: 730L	Main Selections Genre: Biography A: Eunice Kennedy Shriver Lexile: 600L C: Eunice Kennedy Shriver Lexile: 690L ELL: Eunice Kennedy Shriver Lexile: 600L B: Eunice Kennedy Shriver Lexile: 860L Paired Selections Genre: Biography A: "The Lifesaver" ELL: "The Lifesaver" B: "The Lifesaver"	Words: citizenship, continued, daring, horrified, participate, proposed, unfairness, waver Strategy: Prefixes and Suffixes	Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions Skill: Author's Point of View Author's Craft: Text Structure: Cause and Effect	Week 1 Compound Words Week 2 Inflectional Endings Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 1 Intonation Week 2 Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Biography Expert Model: Biography Plan: Use a Variety of Sources Draft: Sequence Grammar and Mechanics Week 1: Singular and Plural Pronouns; Capitalizing I, and Nouns Week 2: Subject and Object Pronouns; Pronoun Usage	Product: Create a Poster Study Skill: Primary and Secondary Sources Blast: The Generous Grower
Genre Study 2: Weeks 3 and 4 Genre: Fairy Tale Essential Question: How do we get what we need? Literary Elements: Events and Messages Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Wei and the Golden Goose"	"Juanita and the Beanstalk" Genre: Fairy Tale Lexile: 610L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Clever Jack Takes the Cake Genre: Fairy Tale Lexile: 600L Paired Selection "Money: Then and Now" Genre: Expository Text Lexile: 680L	Main Selections Genre: Fairy Tale A: The Chickpea Boy Lexile: 510L O: The Golden Goose Lexile: 590L ELL: The Golden Goose Lexile: 440L B: A Gift for Mario Lexile: 800L Paired Selections Genre: Folktale A: "Forgotten Gold" O: "Gold, Gold, Gold!" ELL: "Gold, Gold, Gold!" B: "The Golden Land"	Words: admit, barter, considered, creation, humble, magnificent, payment, reluctantly Strategy: Root Words	Strategy: Summarize Skill: Point of View Author's Craft: Voice	Week 3 Syllabication: Closed Syllables Week 4 Inflectional Endings, y to i Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 3 Phrasing and Rate Week 4 Phrasing and Rate	Writing Process Biography Revise: Precise Nouns Peer Conferences; Edit and Proofread; Publish, Present, and Evaluate Grammar and Mechanics Week 3: Pronoun-Verb Agreement; Pronoun-Verb Agreement Week 4: Possessive Pronouns; Possessive Pronouns and Reflexive Nouns	Product: A Business Plan Study Skill: Plan a Business Blast: Strictly Business
Genre Study 3: Week 5 Genre: Argumentative Text Essential Question: What are different kinds of energy? Text Features: Headings and Sidebars Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Using Power"	"Here Comes the Solar Power" Genre: Argumentative Text Lexile: 710L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text "It's All in the Wind" Genre: Argumentative Text Lexile: 750L Paired Selection "Power for All" Genre: Argumentative Text Lexile: 580L	Main Selections Genre: Argumentative Text A: The Fuel of the Future Lexile: 680L O: The Fuel of the Future Lexile: 750L ELL: The Fuel of the Future Lexile: 680L B: The Fuel of the Future Lexile: 800L Paired Selections Genre: Expository Text A: "Saving Energy" C: "Saving Energy" B: "Saving Energy"	Words: energy, natural, pollution, produce, renewable, replace, sources, traditional Strategy: Context Clues: Homophones	Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions Skill: Cause and Effect Author's Craft: Text Features	Week 5 Open Syllables Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 5 Accuracy and Rate	Respond to Reading Writing Process Opinion Essay Expert Model: Argumentative Text Plan: Organization Draft: Fact and Opinion Grammar and Mechanics Week 5: Pronoun-Verb Contractions; Spelling Contractions and Possessive Pronouns	Product: Make a Chart Study Skill: Asking Questions Blast: Can You Hear Me?
Week 6 Review, Extend Learning, and Assess										



Grade 3 • Unit 6 • Scope and Sequence

Genre Focus	Read Aloud	Shared Read	Literature Anthology	Leveled Readers	Vocabulary	Comprehension	Phonics and Spelling	Fluency	Writing and Grammar	Research and Inquiry
Genre Study 1: Weeks 1 and 2 Genre: Biography Essential Question: Why are goals important? Text Features: Key Words and Photographs Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Mae Jamison, Astronaut"	"Rocketing into Space" Genre: Biography Lexile: 790L ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text Looking Up to Ellen Ochoa Genre: Biography Lexile: 860L Paired Selection "A Flight to Lunar City" Genre: Adventure Story Lexile: 600L	Main Selections Genre: Biography A: Reach for the Stars Lexile: 600L O: Reach for the Stars Lexile: 750L ELL: Reach for the Stars Lexile: 680L B: Reach for the Stars Lexile: 850L Paired Selections Genre: Science Fiction A: "Melina Shows Her Mettle" C: "Melina Shows Her Mettle" B: "Melina Shows Her Mettle"	Words: communicated, essential, goal, motivated, professional, research, serious, specialist Strategy: Greek and Latin Roots	Strategy: Reread Skill: Problem and Solution Author's Craft: Imagery	Week 1 Prefixes Week 2 Consonant + le Syllables Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 1 Expression Week 2 Phrasing	Respond to Reading Writing Process Research Report Expert Model: Biography Plan: Gather Relevant Information Draft: Develop the Topic Grammar and Mechanics Week 1: Adjectives and Articles; Commas in a Series and in Dates Week 2: Adjectives That Compare; Correct Comparative and Superlative Forms	Product: Create a Timeline Study Skill: Understanding Information Blast: Mission: Juno
Genre Study 2: Weeks 3 and 4 Genre: Myth/Drama Essential Question: How do you decide what is important? Literary Elements: Stage Directions and Dialogue Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Pandora Finds a Box"	"Athena and Arachne" Genre: Myth/Drama Lexile: Non-prose ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text King Midas and the Golden Touch Genre: Myth/Drama Lexile: Non-prose Paired Selection "Carlos's Gift" Genre: Realistic Fiction Lexile: 640L	Main Selections Genre: Drama A: Midas and the Donkey Ears Lexile: Non-prose O: The Naming of Athens Lexile: Non-prose ELL: The Naming of Athens Lexile: Non-prose B: Odysseus and King Aeolus Lexile: Non-prose Paired Selections Genre: Realistic Fiction A: "It's Party Time!" O: "The Perfect Present" ELL: "The Perfect Present" B: "Daria's Dream"	Words: alarmed, anguish, necessary, obsessed, possess, reward, treasure, wealth Strategy: Root Words	Strategy: Make Predictions Skill: Theme Author's Craft: Text Structure: Problem and Solution	Week 3 Vowel-Team Syllables Week 4 r-Controlled Vowel Syllables Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 3 Accuracy Week 4 Phrasing	Writing Process Research Report Revise: Voice Peer Conferences; Edit and Proofread; Publish, Present, and Evaluate Grammar and Mechanics Week 3: Adverbs; Adverbs and Adjectives Week 4: Adverbs That Compare; Using More and Most	Product: Create a Bar Graph Study Skill: Using Information Blast: Snow Leopards
Genre Study 3: Week 5 Genre: Poetry Essential Question: What makes you laugh? Text Structure: Stanzas and Events Differentiated Genre Passages available	Interactive Read Aloud: "Show and Tell"	"The Camping Trip" and "Bubble Gum" Genre: Narrative Poetry Lexile: Non-prose ELL Scaffolded Shared Read available	Anchor Text "Ollie's Escape" Genre: Narrative Poetry Lexile: Non-prose Paired Selection "The Gentleman Bookworm" Genre: Narrative Poetry Lexile: Non-prose	Main Selections Genre: Realistic Fiction A: Funny Faces Lexile: 450L O: Too Many Frogs Lexile: 670L ELL: Too Many Frogs Lexile: 600L B: The Joke's On You Lexile: 780L Paired Selections Genre: Poetry A: "My Cheeky Puppy" O: "Pet Day" ELL: "Cat and Dog" B: "The Homeword Blues"	Words: entertainment, humorous, ridiculous slithered Poetry Terms: narrative poem, rhyme, rhythm, stanza Strategy: Idioms	Literary Elements: Rhythm and Rhyme Skill: Point of View Author's Craft: Word Choice: Humor	Week 5 Suffixes -ful, -less, -ly Differentiated Spelling Lists available	Week 5 Phrasing and Expression	Respond to Reading Writing Process Narrative Poem Expert Model: Narrative Poem Plan: Ideas Draft: Rhythm and Rhyme Grammar and Mechanics Week 5: Prepositions; Commas after Introductory Words	Product: Write a Tall Tale Study Skill: Hyperbole Blast: The Best Medicine
Week 6 Review, Extend Learning, and Assess										