

Grade 3 - Unit One - Living and Learning

Main Selection	Instructional Topics	Targeted Skill	Standard
Week 1 "When Charlie McButton Lost Power"	Comprehension Skills	Character, Setting, Theme	CC.1.3.3.C
	Comprehension Strategy	Background Knowledge	CC.1.2.3.B
	Vocabulary Strategy/Skill	Context Clues/Homonyms	CC.1.2.3.F
	Fluency	Accuracy	CC.1.1.3.E
	Phonics and Spelling	Short Vowels; Syllables VC/CV	CC.1.1.3.D
	Speaking and Listening	Media Literacy: News Report	CC.1.5.3.D
	Conventions	Sentences	CC.1.4.3.R
	Trait of the Week	Word Choice	CC.1.4.3.A-F
	Weekly Writing	Narrative Poem	CC.1.4.3.M-R
	Library Research & Inquiry	Research	CC.1.4.3.W
	Sound-Spelling Card	147 (VC/CV)	
Week 2 "What About Me?"	Comprehension Skills	Sequence of Events	CC.1.3.3.A
	Comprehension Strategy	Summarize	CC.1.3.3.A
	Vocabulary Strategy/Skill	Word Structure/Compound Words	CC.1.2.3.J
	Fluency	Rate	CC.1.1.3.E
	Phonics and Spelling	Plurals -s, -es, -ies	CC.1.1.3.D
	Speaking and Listening	Description	CC.1.5.3.D
	Conventions	Subjects and Predicates	CC.1.4.3.R
	Trait of the Week	Conventions	CC.1.4.3.M-R
	Weekly Writing	Fable	CC.1.4.3.M-R
	Library Research & Inquiry	Research	CC.1.4.3.U
	Sound-Spelling Cards	139,141,142 (Plurals)	
Week 3 "Kumak's Fish"	Comprehension Skills	Sequence of Events	CC.1.3.3.A
	Comprehension Strategy	Visualize	CC.1.3.3.B
	Vocabulary Strategy/Skill	Dictionary-Glossary/Unknown Words	CC.1.2.3.K
	Fluency	Expression	CC.1.1.3.E
	Phonics and Spelling	Adding -ed, -ing, -er, -est	CC.1.1.3.D
	Speaking and Listening	Narrate a Story	CC.1.5.3.D
	Conventions	Statements and Questions	CC.1.4.3.R
	Trait of the Week	Organization	CC.1.4.3.M-R
Weekly Writing	Thank You Note	CC.1.4.3.A-F	

	Library Research & Inquiry Sound-Spelling Cards	Research 121,122,123,125,127 (Endings)	CC.1.4.3.V
Week 4 "Supermarket"	Comprehension Skills Comprehension Strategy Vocabulary Strategy/Skill Fluency Phonics and Spelling Speaking and Listening Conventions Trait of the Week Weekly Writing Library Research & Inquiry Sound-Spelling cards	Compare and Contrast Background Knowledge Context Clues/Multiple-Meaning Words Accuracy Long Vowels Digraphs Panel Discussion Commands and Exclamations Voice Description Research 54,59,61,63,86,99 (Long Vowel Digraphs)	CC.1.2.3.I CC.1.2.3.B CC.1.3.3.F CC.1.1.3.E CC.1.1.3.D CC.1.5.3.A CC.1.4.3.R CC.1.4.3.A-F CC.1.4.3.M-R CC.1.4.3.W
Week 5 "My Rows and Piles of Coins"	Comprehension Skills Comprehension Strategy Vocabulary Strategy/Skill Fluency Phonics and Spelling Speaking and Listening Conventions Trait of the Week Weekly Writing Library Research & Inquiry Sound-Spelling Cards	Author's Purpose Story Structure Word Structure/Prefixes and Suffixes Appropriate Phrasing Vowel Sounds in <i>out</i> and <i>toy</i> Book Report Compound Sentences Sentences Realistic Fiction Research 88,94,98,100 (Vowel Diphthongs)	CC.1.3.3.D CC.1.3.3.E CC.1.3.3.I CC.1.1.3.E CC.1.1.3.D CC.1.5.3.D CC.1.4.3.R CC.1.4.3.A-F CC.1.4.3.M-R CC.1.4.3.V
Week 6 Review	Unit Writing	Personal Narrative/E-Pen Pals	CC.1.4.3.M-R CC.1.4.3.T CC.1.4.3.X
3-Point Short-Answer Question	Comprehension/Writing	Compare and Contrast Characterization	Question Scoring Rubric