Unit 6 Week 3

Story
Rain School

Genre
Realistic Fiction

Story
Rainy Weather

Genre
Nonfiction

Story
Wrapped in Ice

Genre
Realistic Fiction

Essential Question
How can weather affect us?

Comprehension Strategy
visualize

Comprehension Skill
plot: cause and effect

Writing Traits
voice

Grammar
indefinite pronouns

Structural Analysis
compound words

Mechanics
commas in dates and letters

Vocabulary

country - land where a group of people live

gathers - brings or comes together in one place

High Frequency Words
been, children, month, question, their, year

Oral Vocabulary Words
cycle, predict, creative, frigid, scorching

First they traveled to the store to get some apples. When they got home, Andy found a large blue pie dish. Mom asked Brad to rub a little butter on the inside of it. I was glad about that. I did not want my crust to stick to the dish.

Mom cut up the apples. There were a lot of apples. It took a long time. Andy and Brad put them into the dish. Andy poured a little melted butter over the apples.

Mom showed Brad how to do my top crust. She cut it into a round shape. It was a little bigger than my dish. Brad pushed the crust over the side of the dish.
Rapid Word Chart Lesson 6.3

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Write your time each night. Remember, you should get faster each time!!

Monday’s time ________________________________

Tuesday’s time ________________________________

Wednesday’s time ________________________________

Thursday’s time ________________________________
Around 6,000 years ago, the ancient Egyptians learned how to mine and use gold. They separated the gold from the rock found in the hills by the Red Sea.

Gold became very important to the Egyptians. They used it to make art and jewelry. Many ancient gold objects have been found in the famous pyramids in Egypt.

Gold can last a long time. It never rusts or rots. Beautiful gold objects are sometimes found in the ground or in the sea thousands of years after they were buried. When the objects are discovered, they are still perfect! Gold is easy to work with. It is a soft metal, so it can easily be made into different shapes. It can be bent or rolled or twisted without breaking.

A small piece of gold can be beaten into a large sheet or pulled into a long wire!
Rapid Word Chart

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Time in seconds:

Monday _____ Tuesday _____ Wednesday_______ Thursday _____
Earvin Johnson

Review Key Words

star a person who is very good at something, often a sport
hard not easy; done with effort
work labor; effort in doing
pick choose

Write a Prediction


Read the Story


Earvin got the name Magic in high school. It has been with him ever since. "When we're rolling and the break is going, I guess it looks like I am doing magic out there," Magic says. "There are some nights I think I can do anything."

Magic likes the game of basketball a lot. When he plays, he says, "I want to have fun, jump up and down, and yell." The other Los Angeles Lakers think that Magic makes them play better. "I just want to enjoy life and have a little fun," he says. "Maybe the other guys want to have some fun just because I am."

Magic likes to play basketball with young people. He tells them that hard work can take them to the top. "I like underdogs," Magic says. "Even when I go to the playground, I don't pick the best players. I pick the players who want to work hard."

Cold Timing Score: _______ Final Timing Score: _______

Note: This story was originally published in 1983. Magic Johnson retired from basketball in 1991.
Reading Fluency Graph

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Lesson
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