

Reading Topics

Unit 7

Comprehension Skill	Grammar	Writing	High Frequency Words Set 1	High Frequency Words Set 2
<p><u>Cause & Effect:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A cause is a <i>reason</i> something happens. The effect is the <i>result</i> of the cause. 	<p><u>Skill 1:</u> Combining simple sentences</p> <p><u>Skill 2:</u> Adjectives</p>	<p><u>How to respond to a prompt:</u> Using words from the question in a written response</p>	<p><u>Set 1:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> better group long more only hour started three who won't 	<p><u>Set 2:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> after before every few first hear hurt old special would

Vocabulary

active

- lively, busy

Earth

- the planet on which we live

explode

- to blow up

island

- land surrounded by water

local

- in a certain place

properties

- qualities of something

solid

- firm and hard

steep

- having a very sharp slope

Dear Families,

Here is the breakdown of our seventh reading unit. It is 10 days long. The unit plan is below. Please practice reading the high frequency words with your child. It does not need to take very much time. You are welcome to review the vocabulary words if you wish.

Thursday, February 8th (day 1)

- First day of the unit where skills and topics will be introduced

Friday, February 9th (day 2)

Monday, February 12th (day 3)

Tuesday, February 13th (day 4)

Wednesday, February 14th (day 5)

- Assess grammar skill 1
- Assess high frequency words set 1

Thursday, February 15th

- No school for students (Presidents' Day)

Friday, February 16th (day 6)

Monday, February 19th No School

Tuesday, February 20th (day 7)

Wednesday, February 21st (day 8)

Thursday, February 22nd (day 9)

Friday, February 26th (day 10, last day of the unit)

- Vocabulary test
- Assess grammar skill 2
- Assess high frequency words set 2

Monday, February 26th

- Unit 7 wrap-up comprehension test

After the unit is completed, there will be a reading test given the next day as a wrap-up. This test will be on a grade-level text the students have not seen before. It will assess their application of the reading skill we covered during the unit.