

MOVE TO LEARN GLOBAL SCHOOL

GRADE 4 CURRICULUM – ENGLISH SPELL & WRITE

Unit 1 – Wild Winds

Spelling Skills: *ie, ei*, Silent *gh*; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings, Context Clues

Grammar & Punctuation Skills Types of Sentences-Declarative, Imperative, Interrogative, Exclamatory

Writing Skills: Acrostic Poem; Lead Paragraph for a News Articles

Test Your Skills

Unit 2 – Comets

Spelling Skills: Long *u*; Double Consonants; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings, Context Clues; Visual Discrimination; Visual Sequencing

Grammar & Punctuation Skills Identifying Simple and Compound Sentences; Identifying Conjunctions

Writing Skills: Creative Short Story; Cinquain; Sentences;

Test Your Skills

Unit 3 – The Greeks Were First

Spelling Skills: Vowels *o*; Names of Months; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Visual Discrimination; Visual Sequencing; Context Clues

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Substituting Pronouns for Nouns

Writing Skills: Acrostic Poem; Description

Test Your Skills

Unit 4 – Unusual Pets

Spelling Skills: Contractions; Compound Words; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings, Context Clues

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Showing Possession with Singular Nouns

Writing Skills: Interviewing; Taking Notes; Creative Writing

Test Your Skills

Unit 5 – They Changed the World

Spelling Skills: Inflected Endings *ed, -ing, er, -est*; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory; Visual Discrimination

Reading Skills: Context Clues

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Identifying Action and Linking Verbs

Writing Skills: Cinquain; Description Interviewing; Taking Notes

Test Your Skills

Unit 6 – The Buried City Pompei

Spelling Skills: R-Controlled Vowels (*er, or, ear*). *o*; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings; Visual Sequencing; Context Clues

Grammar & Punctuation Skills Verb Tenses-Present, Past, Future

Writing Skills: Acrostic Poem; Report

Test Your Skills

Unit 7 – Rainforest Frogs

Spelling Skills: *oo* Sound; *gl* Sound; Spelling Theme Vocabulary; Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings, Visual Sequencing

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Identifying Adjectives

Writing Skills: Creative Story; Descriptive Sentences; Using Adjectives

Test Your Skills

Unit 8 – Animals in Space

Spelling Skills: *igh, i, ou, ow, oy, oi*; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Context Clues

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Using Capital Letters

Writing Skills: Complete Sentences; Cinquain; List; Creative Story

Test Your Skills

Unit 9 – American Symbols

Spelling Skills: *ough, au*; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Using Commas

Writing Skills: Acrostic Poem; Graphic Organizer; Creative Thinking; Opinion Page

Test Your Skills

Unit 10 – Travel Diary

Spelling Skills: *-ion*; Silent Letters; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory; Auditory Discrimination

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings, Context Clues; Visual Sequencing

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Using Quotation Marks

Writing Skills: Poster; Personal Narrative

Test Your Skills

Unit 11 – Hero of the Sky

Spelling Skills: Homophone; Easily Confused Spellings; Sounds of *ea*; Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings, Context Clues; Auditory Discrimination

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Punctuating; Titles of Books, Magazines, Songs, Stories, Poems, Movies, and Newspapers

Writing Skills: Complete Sentences; Cinquain; List; Creative Interview

Test Your Skills

Unit 12 – Animal Helpers

Spelling Skills: Suffixes *-ly, -less*; Pre-fixes *un-, re-*; R-Controlled Vowel (*er*); Spelling Theme Vocabulary, Visual Memory

Reading Skills: Words and Meanings, Context Clues; Visual Sequencing

Grammar & Punctuation Skills: Using easily Confused Words-*can/may, sit/set*

Writing Skills: List; Acrostic Poem

Test Your Skills