

MOVE TO LEARN GLOBAL SCHOOL

GRADE 5 CURRICULUM – ENGLISH READING

Unit 1 – Beauty and the Beast

Comprehension: Critical Thinking; Categorizing; getting the Main Idea

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Using Vocabulary in Context

Fluency: Reading with Correct Phrasing

Writing: Expressing an Opinion

Unit 2 –Tracking Tornadoes

Comprehension: Recalling Details; Making Inferences; Drawing Conclusions; Expressing an Opinion; Critical Thinking; Interpreting Graphic Information

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Using Vocabulary in Context

Unit 3 – The Midas Touch: A Greek Myth

Comprehension: Recalling Details; Getting the Main Idea; Sequencing; Relating Personal Experience

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Understanding Word Meaning in Context

Phonics/Structural Analysis: Comparatives and Superlatives

Writing: Similes

Unit 4 – Otzi the Iceman

Comprehension: Recalling Details; Making Inferences; Expressing an Opinion

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Understanding Vocabulary in Context

Phonics/Structural Analysis: Adding the Suffix *-ing*

Writing: Alphabetical Order; Using Guide Words

Unit 5 – The Tiger and the Jackals

Comprehension: Recalling Details; Making Inferences; Critical Thinking; Expressing an Opinion

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Using Vocabulary in Context

Fluency: Reading with Expression

Unit 6 – Joy Adamson: Living with Lions

Comprehension Recalling Story Details, Correcting False Information; Critical Thinking

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Meanings of *-ly* Adverbs; Understanding Word Meaning from Context

Grammar: Identifying Verbs

Unit 7 – Old Bragwynn the Pirate

Comprehension: Recalling Story Details; Analyzing Character Traits; Drawing

Conclusions; Making Inferences; Reading a Map

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Synonyms

Phonics/Structural Analysis: Compound Words

Writing: Writing Dialog

Unit 8 – Kangaroo Almanac

Comprehension: Recalling Details; Making Inferences; Critical Thinking; Expressing an Opinion

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Using the Correct Word in Context

Spelling: Identifying Correct Spelling

Writing: Writing Sentences

Unit 9 – How Shalbus Egbert Bested the Bear

Comprehension: Recalling Story Details; Character Analysis; Drawing Conclusions;

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning

Phonics/Structural Analysis: Understanding Words with Prefixes

Fluency: Reading with Expression

Unit 10 – Abner the Crow and Tawb the Snake

Comprehension: Recalling Details; Character Analysis; Drawing Conclusions; Categorizing

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning

Spelling: Spelling Word Forms

Unit 11 – Shiver and Quake

Comprehension: Recalling Details; Sequencing; Making Inferences; Correcting False Information; Critical Thinking

Vocabulary: Understanding Word Meaning; Understanding Word Meaning in Context

Writing: Expressing an Opinion