Grade: K—Adopted: 2010

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.K.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.K.1.	With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5
		Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.K.3.	With prompting and support, identify characters, settings, and major events in a story.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5
		Activity 2 Narrative - Anansi Level 6
		Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.K.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.K.4.	Ask and answer questions about unknown words in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 3 Informational - YUM Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.K.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.K.1.	With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about key details in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Plasting Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.K.2.	With prompting and support, identify the main topic and retell key details of a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Silding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 3 Informational - Tyum Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION /	RI.K.3.	With prompting and support, describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text.
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2
		Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4
		Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3
		Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2
		Activity 2 Informational - Articlent Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3
		Activity 2 Informational - Cetting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4
		Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3
		Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1
		Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2
		Activity 3 Informational - YUM Level 4
		Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2
		Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1
		Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4
		Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.K.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Craft and Structure
AND SKILL / STANDARD		Grant and Graduate
GRADE LEVEL	RI.K.4.	With prompting and support, ask and answer questions about
EXPECTATION /		unknown words in a text.
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2
		Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4
		Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5
		Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3
		Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1
		Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6
		Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3
		Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4
		Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5
		Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3
		Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1
		Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2
		Activity 3 Informational - YUM Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2
		Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3
		Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6
		Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1
		Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4
		Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.K.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.K.8.	With prompting and support, identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Plasting Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.K.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Phonological Awareness
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.K.2.	Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes).
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.2(b)	Count, pronounce, blend, and segment syllables in spoken words. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.2(c)	Blend and segment onsets and rimes of single-syllable spoken words. PowerUp Word Study Level 3 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.2(d)	Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonant-vowel-consonant, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with /l/, /r/, or /x/.) PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.2(e)	Add or substitute individual sounds (phonemes) in simple, one-syllable words to make new words. PowerUp Word Study Level 3 Spelling Patterns
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.K.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Phonics and Word Recognition
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.K.3.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.3(a)	Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent sound for each consonant.
		PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.3(b)	Associate the long and short sounds with common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels.
		PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 2 Spelling Patterns Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.3(c)	Read common high-frequency words by sight (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do, does). PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.K.3(d)	Distinguish between similarly spelled words by identifying the sounds of the letters that differ. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.K.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Fluency
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.K.4.	Read emergent-reader texts with purpose and understanding. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 2 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 3 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.K.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.K.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.1(b)	Use frequently occurring nouns and verbs. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 1, 2 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.1(c)	Form regular plural nouns orally by adding /s/ or /es/ (e.g., dog, dogs; wish, wishes). PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.1(d)	Understand and use question words (interrogatives) (e.g., who, what, where, when, why, how). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Clauses 5 PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 2

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.1(e)	Use the most frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., to, from, in, out, on, off, for, of, by, with).
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 2
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 2
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.1(f)	Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities.
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 2
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Compound-Complex Sentences 6
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.K.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL	L.K.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English
EXPECTATION /		capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.2(a)	Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun I.
EXPECTATION		PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 1, 2
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL	L.K.2(b)	Recognize and name end punctuation.
EXPECTATION	L.K.2(b)	Recognize and name end punctuation.
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 1, 2
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1

GRADE LEVEL	L.K.2(d)	Spell simple words phonetically, drawing on knowledge of
EXPECTATION		sound-letter relationships.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 1 Sentence Completion
		Level 1 Spelling Patterns
		Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 3
		Level 2 Sentence Completion
		Level 2 Spelling Patterns
		Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1
		Level 3 Sentence Completion
		Level 3 Spelling Patterns
		Level 4 Sentence Completion
		Level 4 Spelling Patterns
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y
		Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization
		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/)
		Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/)
		Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables
		Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams
		Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables
		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.K.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.K.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple- meaning words and phrases based on kindergarten reading and content.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.4(b)	Use the most frequently occurring inflections and affixes (e.g., - ed, -s, re-, un-, pre-, -ful, -less) as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word. PowerUp Word Study Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns Level 4 Spelling Patterns
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.K.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.K.5.	With guidance and support from adults, explore word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.K.5(c)	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at school that are colorful). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.K.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.K.6.	Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Plasting Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1

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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.1.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.1.1.	Ask and answer questions about key details in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5 Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.1.3.	Describe characters, settings, and major events in a story, using key details. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5 Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.1.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.1.7.	Use illustrations and details in a story to describe its characters, setting, or events. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5 Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.1.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.1.10.	With prompting and support, read prose and poetry of appropriate complexity for grade PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.1.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Key Ideas and Details
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.1.	Ask and answer questions about key details in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Plasting Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 6
		Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1
		Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4
		Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
GRADE LEVEL	RI.1.2.	Identify the main topic and retell key details of a text.
EXPECTATION /		Powerlin Reading Comprehension
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 3 Informational - TyUM Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.3.	Describe the connection between two individuals, events, ideas, or pieces of information in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 3 Informational - YUM Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.1.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.4.	Ask and answer questions to help determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.5.	Know and use various text features (e.g., headings, tables of contents, glossaries, electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or information in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.6.	Distinguish between information provided by pictures or other illustrations and information provided by the words in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3
		Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4
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STANDARD / STRAND ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE	VI.RI.T.	Reading Standards for Informational Text Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
AND SKILL / STANDARD		integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.7.	Use the illustrations and details in a text to describe its key ideas. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 3 Informational - YUM Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.8.	Identify the reasons an author gives to support points in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - YUM Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.1.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.1.10.	With prompting and support, read informational texts appropriately complex for grade PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.1.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Print Concepts
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.1.1.	Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.1(a)	Recognize the distinguishing features of a sentence (e.g., first word, capitalization, ending punctuation). PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 1, 2

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.1.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Phonological Awareness
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.1.2.	Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes).
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.2(a)	Distinguish long from short vowel sounds in spoken single-syllable words.
		PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 2 Spelling Patterns Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.2(b)	Orally produce single-syllable words by blending sounds (phonemes), including consonant blends.
		PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.2(c)	Isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in spoken single-syllable words.
		PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns
		Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.2(d)	Segment spoken single-syllable words into their complete sequence of individual sounds (phonemes).
		PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns
		Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 3 Spelling Patterns
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.1.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Phonics and Word Recognition
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.1.3.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.3(a)	Know the spelling-sound correspondences for common consonant digraphs.
		PowerUp Word Study Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 2 Spelling Patterns

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.3(b)	Decode regularly spelled one-syllable words. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.3(c)	Know final -e and common vowel team conventions for representing long vowel sounds. PowerUp Word Study Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 4 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.3(d)	Use knowledge that every syllable must have a vowel sound to determine the number of syllables in a printed word. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.3(e)	Decode two-syllable words following basic patterns by breaking the words into syllables. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 4 Sentence Completion Level 4 Spelling Patterns Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.3(f)	Read words with inflectional endings. PowerUp Word Study Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.3(g)	Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.1.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Fluency
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.1.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.4(a)	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 2 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 1, 2 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.4(b)	Read on-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 2 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 3

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.1.4(c)	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 1 Sentence Completion Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Sentence Completion Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Sentence Completion Level 4 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 4 Sentence Completion Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.1.	Activity 4 Text Structure Level 1, 2 Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.1.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(b)	Use common, proper, and possessive nouns. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 1, 2 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(c)	Use singular and plural nouns with matching verbs in basic sentences (e.g., He hops; We hop). PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(d)	Use personal, possessive, and indefinite pronouns (e.g., I, me, my; they, them, their, anyone, everything). PowerUp Grammar Lessons Pronouns 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 2
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(e)	Use verbs to convey a sense of past, present, and future (e.g., Yesterday I walked home; Today I walk home; Tomorrow I will walk home). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(f)	Use frequently occurring adjectives. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 1, 2 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(g)	Use frequently occurring conjunctions (e.g., and, but, or, so, because). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Complex Sentences 4 Compound Sentences 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(h)	Use determiners (e.g., articles, demonstratives). PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 1, 2 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(i)	Use frequently occurring prepositions (e.g., during, beyond, toward). PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 2 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 2 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.1(j)	Produce and expand complete simple and compound declarative, interrogative, imperative, and exclamatory sentences in response to prompts.
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Complex Sentences
		Compound-Complex Sentences
		Simple Sentences
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Compound Sentences 3
		Compound-Complex Sentences 6
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2
		Simple Sentences Level 1
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 2
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.1.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL	L.1.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English
EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GRADE LEVEL	L.1.2(a)	Capitalize dates and names of people.
EXPECTATION	L.1.2(a)	oapitalize dates and finances of people.
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 2
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.2(b)	Use end punctuation for sentences.
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 1, 2
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Simple Sentences 2
		Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.2(c)	Use commas in dates and to separate single words in a series.
LAI LOTATION		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 2
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Simple Sentences 2
		Simple Sentences Level 1

GRADE LEVEL	L.1.2(d)	Use conventional spelling for words with common spelling
EXPECTATION		patterns and for frequently occurring irregular words.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 1 Sentence Completion
		Level 1 Spelling Patterns
		Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 2 Sentence Completion
		Level 2 Spelling Patterns
		Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 3 Sentence Completion
		Level 3 Spelling Patterns
		Level 4 Sentence Completion
		Level 4 Spelling Patterns
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		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y
		Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization
		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/)
		Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/)
		Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables
		Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams
		Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables
		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms
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GRADE LEVEL	L.1.2(e)	Spell untaught words phonetically, drawing on phonemic
EXPECTATION		awareness and spelling conventions.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 1 Sentence Completion
		Level 1 Spelling Patterns
		Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 3
		Level 2 Sentence Completion
		Level 2 Spelling Patterns
		Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1
		Level 3 Sentence Completion
		Level 3 Spelling Patterns
		Level 4 Sentence Completion
		Level 4 Spelling Patterns
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
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		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
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		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms
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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.1.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.1.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple- meaning words and phrases based on grade 1 reading and content, choosing flexibly from an array of strategies.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.4(a)	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 1 Sentence Completion Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Sentence Completion Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Sentence Completion Level 4 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 4 Sentence Completion Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 1, 2
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.4(b)	Use frequently occurring affixes as a clue to the meaning of a word. PowerUp Word Study Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns Level 4 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.4(c)	Identify frequently occurring root words (e.g., look) and their inflectional forms (e.g., looks, looked, looking). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Word Study Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.1.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.1.5.	With guidance and support from adults, demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.1.5(c)	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at home that are cozy).
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.1.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.1.6.	Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts, including using frequently occurring conjunctions to signal simple relationships (e.g., because). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Complex Sentences 4
		Compound Sentences 3

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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.2.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.2.1.	Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5 Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.2.3.	Describe how characters in a story respond to major events and challenges.
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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.2.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD	VI.KL.Z.	Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.2.5.	Describe the overall structure of a story, including describing how the beginning introduces the story and the ending concludes the action.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5 Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.2.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.2.7.	Use information gained from the illustrations and words in a print or digital text to demonstrate understanding of its characters, setting, or plot.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5 Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.2.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.2.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories and poetry, in the grades 2-3 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Narrative - Two Sisters Level 6 Activity 2 Narrative - Babysitting Level 5 Activity 3 Narrative - Anansi Level 6 Activity 4 Narrative - The Statue Level 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.2.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.2.1.	Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.2.2.	Identify the main topic of a multiparagraph text as well as the focus of specific paragraphs within the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.2.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.2.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 2 topic or subject area. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Plasting Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.2.5.	Know and use various text features (e.g., captions, bold print, subheadings, glossaries, indexes, electronic menus, icons) to locate key facts or information in a text efficiently. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.2.6.	Identify the main purpose of a text, including what the author wants to answer, explain, or describe. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.2.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.2.8.	Describe how reasons support specific points the author makes in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Breaking Records Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.2.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.2.10.	By the end of year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, in the grades 2-3 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.2.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Phonics and Word Recognition
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.2.3.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.3(a)	Distinguish long and short vowels when reading regularly spelled one-syllable words. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 2 Spelling Patterns Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns Level 3 Spelling Patterns

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.3(c)	Decode regularly spelled two-syllable words with long vowels. PowerUp Word Study Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 4 Sentence Completion Level 4 Spelling Patterns Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.3(d)	Decode words with common prefixes and suffixes. PowerUp Word Study Level 3 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 3 Spelling Patterns Level 4 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.3(e)	Identify words with inconsistent but common spelling-sound correspondences. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Spelling Patterns Level 3 Spelling Patterns Level 4 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.3(f)	Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.2.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Fluency
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.2.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.4(a)	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 2 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 1, 2 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Common Food Level 5 Activity 2 Informational - Birds of Paradise Level 6 Activity 3 Informational - Plastic Bottles Level 5 Activity 4 Informational - Eiffel Tower Level 6

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.4(b)	Read on-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 2 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 3 Level 4 Fluency Challenge 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.2.4(c)	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 1 Sentence Completion Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Sentence Completion Level 4 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 4 Sentence Completion Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 1, 2
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.2.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.2.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.1(a)	Use collective nouns (e.g., group). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Clauses 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.1(b)	Form and use frequently occurring irregular plural nouns (e.g., feet, children, teeth, mice, fish). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION GRADE LEVEL	L.2.1(c)	Use reflexive pronouns (e.g., myself, ourselves). PowerUp Grammar Lessons Pronouns 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Form and use the past tense of frequently occurring irregular
EXPECTATION	L.2.1(u)	verbs (e.g., sat, hid, told). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.1(e)	Use adjectives and adverbs, and choose between them depending on what is to be modified. PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1 PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 1, 2 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 1, 2 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Phrases vs. Clauses Verbals
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.1(f)	Produce, expand, and rearrange complete simple and compound sentences (e.g., The boy watched the movie; The little boy watched the movie; The action movie was watched by the little boy). PowerUp Grammar Lessons Complex Sentences Compound-Complex Sentences Simple Sentences PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3 Simple Sentences Level 1

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.2.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Conventions of Standard English
AND SKILL / STANDARD		·
GRADE LEVEL	L.2.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English
EXPECTATION /		capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		
GRADE LEVEL	L.2.2(d)	Generalize learned spelling patterns when writing words (e.g.,
EXPECTATION		cage>badge; boy>boil).
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 1 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 1 Sentence Completion
		Level 1 Spelling Patterns
		Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 2 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
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		PowerUp Word Study Lessons Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.2(d)	Generalize learned spelling patterns when writing words (e.g., cage>badge; boy>boil). Continued PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/) Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/) Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/) Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables Level 6 Open Syllables Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables Level 10 Schwa Sound Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.2.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.2.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple- meaning words and phrases based on grade 2 reading and content, choosing flexibly from an array of strategies.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.4(a)	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. PowerUp Word Study Level 1 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 2 Sentence Completion Level 2 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Sentence Completion Level 3 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 3 Sentence Completion Level 4 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 5 Fluency Challenge 1 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adverbs Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 1, 2

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.4(b)	Determine the meaning of the new word formed when a known prefix is added to a known word (e.g., happy/unhappy, tell/retell). PowerUp Word Study Level 4 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.4(c)	Use a known root word as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word with the same root (e.g., addition, additional). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.4(e)	Use glossaries and beginning dictionaries, both print and digital, to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases. PowerUp Word Study Lessons Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.2.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.2.5.	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.2.5(a)	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe foods that are spicy or juicy). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.2.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.2.6.	Use words and phrases acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to texts, including using adjectives and adverbs to describe (e.g., When other kids are happy that makes me happy). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational - Beyond the Sea Level 2 Activity 1 Informational - Brings Change Level 4 Activity 1 Informational - Growing Pains Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Sliding Ice Level 1 Activity 2 Informational - Ancient Sports Level 2 Activity 2 Informational - Setting Out Level 3 Activity 2 Informational - Tragedy at Sea Level 4 Activity 3 Informational - Setting In Level 3 Activity 3 Informational - Swimming Upstream Level 1 Activity 3 Informational - Watch Your Head Level 2 Activity 4 Informational - Pum Level 4 Activity 4 Informational - Coasts Level 3 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Hero Level 1 Activity 4 Informational - Jessica Watson Level 4 Transformation Activity 1 Informational - Pipeline Level 1

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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.3.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.1.	Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.2.	Recount stories, including fables, folktales, and myths from diverse cultures; determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Trama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Trama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.3.	Describe characters in a story (e.g., their traits, motivations, or feelings) and explain how their actions contribute to the sequence of events. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.3.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, distinguishing literal from nonliteral language. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Tigurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.5.	Refer to parts of stories, dramas, and poems when writing or speaking about a text, using terms such as chapter, scene, and stanza; describe how each successive part builds on earlier sections. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.6.	Distinguish their own point of view from that of the narrator or those of the characters. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.3.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.7.	Explain how specific aspects of a text's illustrations contribute to what is conveyed by the words in a story (e.g., create mood, emphasize aspects of a character or setting). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.9.	Compare and contrast the themes, settings, and plots of stories written by the same author about the same or similar characters (e.g., in books from a series). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.3.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.3.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 2-3 text complexity band independently and proficiently. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.3.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.1.	Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.2.	Determine the main idea of a text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.3.	Describe the relationship between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in technical procedures in a text, using language that pertains to time, sequence, and cause/effect. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.3.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.4.	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 3 topic or subject area. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.5.	Use text features and search tools (e.g., key words, sidebars, hyperlinks) to locate information relevant to a given topic efficiently. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.6.	Distinguish their own point of view from that of the author of a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.3.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.7.	Use information gained from illustrations (e.g., maps, photographs) and the words in a text to demonstrate understanding of the text (e.g., where, when, why, and how key events occur). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.8.	Describe the logical connection between particular sentences and paragraphs in a text (e.g., comparison, cause/effect, first/second/third in a sequence). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.9.	Compare and contrast the most important points and key details presented in two texts on the same topic. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.3.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.3.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 2-3 text complexity band independently and proficiently. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.3.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Phonics and Word Recognition
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.3.3.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.3.3(a)	Identify and know the meaning of the most common prefixes and derivational suffixes. PowerUp Word Study Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Sentence Completion Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.3.3(b)	Decode words with common Latin suffixes. PowerUp Word Study Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Sentence Completion Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Spelling Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Spelling Patterns

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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.3.3(c)	Decode multisyllable words.
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		Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3
		Level 5 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 5 Sentence Completion
		Level 5 Spelling Patterns
		Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 6 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 6 Sentence Completion
		Level 6 Spelling Patterns
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 7 Sentence Completion
		Level 7 Spelling Patterns
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 8 Sentence Completion
		Level 8 Spelling Patterns
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 9 Sentence Completion
		Level 9 Spelling Patterns
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 10 Sentence Completion
		Level 10 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL	RF.3.3(d)	Read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.
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		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3
		Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 6 Spelling Patterns
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Spelling Patterns
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.3.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Fluency
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.3.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.3.4(a)	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
EXPECTATION		PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Passage Comprehension Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.3.4(b)	Read on-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.3.4(c)	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3
		Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Passage Comprehension
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Adjectives
		Adverbs
		Articles
		Conjunctions
		Nouns
		Prepositions
		Pronouns 1, 2, 3
		Subject-Verb Agreement
		Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive
		Level 7
		Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8
		Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10
		Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving
		Spiders Level 11
		Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9
		Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8
		Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10
		Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11
		Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7
		Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9
		Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7
		Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level
		9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level
		8
		Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter
		Level 10
		Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11
		Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10
		Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7
		Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
		Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8
		Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.W.3.	Writing Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Production and Distribution of Writing
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	W.3.5.	With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.SL.3.	Speaking and Listening Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Comprehension and Collaboration
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	SL.3.2.	Determine the main ideas and supporting details of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally. PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.3.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.3.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.1(a)	Explain the function of nouns, pronouns, verbs, adjectives, and adverbs in general and their functions in particular sentences. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Pronouns 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.1(b)	Form and use regular and irregular plural nouns. PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1 PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.1(e)	Form and use the simple (e.g., I walked; I walk; I will walk) verb tenses. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.1(f)	Ensure subject-verb and pronoun-antecedent agreement. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.1(h)	Use coordinating and subordinating conjunctions. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Complex Sentences 4 Compound Sentences 3 Compound-Complex Sentences 6
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.1(i)	Produce simple, compound, and complex sentences. PowerUp Grammar Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Complex Sentences Compound-Complex Sentences Simple Sentences PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3 Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.3.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Conventions of Standard English
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
AND SKILL / STANDARD GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.3.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION /	L.3.2.	

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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.2(e)	Use conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding suffixes to base words (e.g., sitting,
LAFECTATION		smiled, cries, happiness).
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Spelling Patterns
		Level 6 Spelling Patterns
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 7 Sentence Completion Level 7 Spelling Patterns
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 8 Spelling Patterns
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 9 Spelling Patterns
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Spelling Patterns
		Level 10 Spelling Fatterns
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of -ed Sounds of y
		Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable? tch, ck, dge Generalization
		ion, ok, age generalization

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.2(e)	Use conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding suffixes to base words (e.g., sitting,
		smiled, cries, happiness). Continued
		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/) Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/) Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms

Use spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, GRADE LEVEL L.3.2(f) **EXPECTATION** position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts) in writing words. PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Spelling Patterns Level 6 Spelling Patterns Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1. 3 Level 8 Spelling Patterns Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Spelling Patterns PowerUp Word Study Lessons Vowel-r Syllables Accent Placement & Interesting Endings Changing Rule Closed Syllables & Short Vowels Consonant Digraphs & Blends Consonant-le Syllables Doubling Rule Dropping Rule FLSZ Rule Greek Sound-Symbol Hard & Soft c/q Open Syllables Prefixes Sight Words Silent Letters Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels Sounds of -ed Sounds of v Suffixes Unaccented Syllables-Schwa V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations) Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams) What is a Syllable? tch, ck, dge Generalization PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/) Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/) Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/) Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables Level 6 Open Syllables Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables Level 10 Schwa Sound Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.3.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Knowledge of Language
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.3.3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.3(a)	Choose words and phrases for effect. PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.3.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION /	L.3.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple- meaning word and phrases based on grade 3 reading and
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
GRADE LEVEL	L.3.4(a)	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or
EXPECTATION		phrase.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3
		Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Passage Comprehension
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Adjectives
		Adverbs Articles
		Conjunctions
		Nouns
		Prepositions
		Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement
		Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.4(a)	Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. Continued PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9
		Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.4(b)	Determine the meaning of the new word formed when a known affix is added to a known word (e.g., agreeable/disagreeable, comfortable/uncomfortable, care/careless, heat/preheat). PowerUp Word Study Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Sentence Completion Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Spelling Patterns
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.4(c)	Use a known root word as a clue to the meaning of an unknown word with the same root (e.g., company, companion). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.4(d)	Use glossaries or beginning dictionaries, both print and digital, to determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and
		phrases.
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons Greek Combining Forms
		Latin Roots
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7
		Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10
		Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving
		Spiders Level 11 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9
		Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10
		Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11
		Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7
		Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level
		Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level
		Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10
		Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11
		Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7
		Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8
		Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.3.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL	L.3.5.	Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances
EXPECTATION /		in word meanings.
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.5(a)	Distinguish the literal and nonliteral meanings of words and phrases in context (e.g., take steps).
EXPECTATION		phrases in context (e.g., take steps). PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Passage Comprehension Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5 Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5 Adjectives Adjectives Adjectives Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Complare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.5(a)	Distinguish the literal and nonliteral meanings of words and phrases in context (e.g., take steps). Continued Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.3.5(b)	Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3 Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.3.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE	L.3.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships (e.g., After dinner that night we went looking for them). PowerUp Word Study Level 6 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 11 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
		Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3 Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3

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Grade: 4—Adopted: 2010

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.4.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.1.	Refer to details and examples in a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.2.	Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text; summarize the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.3.	Describe in depth a character, setting, or event in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., a character's thoughts, words, or actions). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.4.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE	· 1.1(E7.	Craft and Structure
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including those that allude to significant characters found in mythology (e.g., Herculean). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Trama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.5.	Explain major differences between poems, drama, and prose, and refer to the structural elements of poems (e.g., verse, rhythm, meter) and drama (e.g., casts of characters, settings, descriptions, dialogue, stage directions) when writing or speaking about a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.6.	Compare and contrast the point of view from which different stories are narrated, including the difference between first- and third-person narrations. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.4.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.7.	Make connections between the text of a story or drama and a visual or oral presentation of the text, identifying where each version reflects specific descriptions and directions in the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.9.	Compare and contrast the treatment of similar themes and topics (e.g., opposition of good and evil) and patterns of events (e.g., the quest) in stories, myths, and traditional literature from different cultures. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.4.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.4.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, in the grades 4-5 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Tigurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.4.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.1.	Refer to details and examples in a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.2.	Determine the main idea of a text and explain how it is supported by key details; summarize the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.3.	Explain events, procedures, ideas, or concepts in a historical, scientific, or technical text, including what happened and why, based on specific information in the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.4.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.4.	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words or phrases in a text relevant to a grade 4 topic or subject area. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.5.	Describe the overall structure (e.g., chronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or information in a text or part of a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.6.	Compare and contrast a firsthand and secondhand account of the same event or topic; describe the differences in focus and the information provided. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.4.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.7.	Interpret information presented visually, or ally, or quantitatively (e.g., in charts, graphs, diagrams, time lines, animations, or interactive elements on Web pages) and explain how the information contributes to an understanding of the text in which it appears. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.8.	Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.9.	Integrate information from two texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.4.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.4.10.	By the end of year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, in the grades 4-5 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.4.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Phonics and Word Recognition
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.4.3.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.4.3(a)	Use combined knowledge of all letter-sound correspondences, syllabication patterns, and morphology (e.g., roots and affixes) to read accurately unfamiliar multisyllabic words in context and out of context. PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 5 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 5 Sentence Completion Level 5 Spelling Patterns Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 6 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 6 Sentence Completion Level 6 Spelling Patterns Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 8 Sentence Completion Level 8 Sentence Completion Level 8 Sentence Completion Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Sentence Completion Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Sentence Completion Level 10 Sentence Completion Level 10 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Sentence Completion Level 10 Spelling Patterns PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.4.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Fluency
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.4.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.4.4(a)	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
EXPECTATION		PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Passage Comprehension Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.4.4(b)	Read on-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.4.4(c)	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
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		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3
		Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Passage Comprehension
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Adjectives
		Adverbs
		Articles
		Conjunctions
		Nouns
		Prepositions
		Pronouns 1, 2, 3
		Subject-Verb Agreement
		Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive
		Level 7
		Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8
		Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10
		Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving
		Spiders Level 11
		Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9
		Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8
		Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10
		Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11
		Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7
		Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9
		Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7
		Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level
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		Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level
		Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter
		Level 10 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11
		Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10
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		Activity 4 Biography - Aithea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
		Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8
		Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.W.4.	Writing Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Production and Distribution of Writing
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	W.4.5.	With guidance and support from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, and editing. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.W.4.	Writing Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	W.4.9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.4.9(a)	Apply grade 4 reading standards to literature (e.g., "Describe in depth a character, setting, or event in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text [e.g., a character's thoughts, words, or actions].").
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.4.9(b)	Apply grade 4 reading standards to informational texts (e.g., "Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text"). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.SL.4.	Speaking and Listening Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Comprehension and Collaboration
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	SL.4.2.	Paraphrase portions of a text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally. PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Tigurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Figurative Language - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.4.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.4.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.1(a)	Use relative pronouns (who, whose, whom, which, that) and relative adverbs (where, when, why). PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.1(d)	Order adjectives within sentences according to conventional patterns (e.g., a small red bag rather than a red small bag). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.1(e)	Form and use prepositional phrases. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.1(f)	Produce complete sentences, recognizing and correcting inappropriate fragments and run-ons. PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 4 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Complex Sentences 4

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.4.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.4.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.2(a)	Use correct capitalization.
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 3, 4, 5
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.2(b)	Use commas and quotation marks to mark direct speech and quotations from a text.
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Clauses 5 Complex Sentences 4
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.2(c)	Use a comma before a coordinating conjunction in a compound sentence.
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound-Complex Sentences 6

GRADE LEVEL	L.4.2(d)	Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references
EXPECTATION		as needed.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Spelling Patterns
		Level 6 Spelling Patterns
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Spelling Patterns
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 3
		Level 8 Spelling Patterns
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 9 Spelling Patterns
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
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		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y
		Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization
		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/)
		Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/)
		Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables
		Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams
		Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables
		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms
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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.4.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Knowledge of Language
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.4.3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
EXPECTATION /	L.4.3(a)	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. Choose words and phrases to convey ideas precisely. PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.4.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
AND SKILL / STANDARD		7.04
GRADE LEVEL	L.4.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-
EXPECTATION /		
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		
AND SKILL / STANDARD GRADE LEVEL	L.4.4(a)	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiplemeaning words and phrases based on grade 4 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies. Use context (e.g., definitions, examples, or restatements in text) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5 Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10
		Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.4(a)	Use context (e.g., definitions, examples, or restatements in text) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. Continued Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.4(b)	Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., telegraph, photograph, autograph). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Word Study Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Spelling Patterns

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.4(c)	Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation and determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and phrases. PowerUp Word Study Lessons Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8
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STANDARD / STRAND ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE	VT.L.4.	Language Standards Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and ose
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.4.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.5(a)	Explain the meaning of simple similes and metaphors (e.g., as pretty as a picture) in context. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.4.5(c)	Demonstrate understanding of words by relating them to their opposites (antonyms) and to words with similar but not identical meanings (synonyms). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.4.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.4.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).
		PowerUp Word Study Level 6 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7
		Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11
		Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8
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		Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11
		Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7
		Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12
		Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level
		9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level
		8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10
		Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10
		Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7
		Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8
		Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes
		Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3

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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.5.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.1.	Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.2.	Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text, including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges or how the speaker in a poem reflects upon a topic; summarize the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL STANDARD / STRAND	RL.5.3.	Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in the text (e.g., how characters interact). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE	VI.KL.J.	Craft and Structure
AND SKILL / STANDARD		Grant and Graditalio
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative language such as metaphors and similes. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.5.	Explain how a series of chapters, scenes, or stanzas fits together to provide the overall structure of a particular story, drama, or poem. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.6.	Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.5.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.7.	Analyze how visual and multimedia elements contribute to the meaning, tone, or beauty of a text (e.g., graphic novel, multimedia presentation of fiction, folktale, myth, poem). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.9.	Compare and contrast stories in the same genre (e.g., mysteries and adventure stories) on their approaches to similar themes and topics. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.5.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.5.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poetry, at the high end of the grades 4-5 text complexity band independently and proficiently. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Trama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.5.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.1.	Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.2.	Determine two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details; summarize the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.3.	Explain the relationships or interactions between two or more individuals, events, ideas, or concepts in a historical, scientific, or technical text based on specific information in the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.5.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.4.	Determine the meaning of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.5.	Compare and contrast the overall structure (e.g., chronology, comparison, cause/effect, problem/solution) of events, ideas, concepts, or information in two or more texts. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.6.	Analyze multiple accounts of the same event or topic, noting important similarities and differences in the point of view they represent. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.5.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.8.	Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point(s). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.9.	Integrate information from several texts on the same topic in order to write or speak about the subject knowledgeably. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.5.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.5.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend informational texts, including history/social studies, science, and technical texts, at the high end of the grades 4-5 text complexity band independently and proficiently. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.5.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Phonics and Word Recognition
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.5.3.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.5.3(a)	Use combined knowledge of all letter-sound correspondences, syllabication patterns, and morphology (e.g., roots and affixes) to read accurately unfamiliar multisyllabic words in context and out of context. PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 5 Sentence Completion Level 5 Spelling Patterns Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 6 Sentence Completion Level 6 Spelling Patterns Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Sentence Completion Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 8 Sentence Completion Level 8 Spelling Patterns Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Sentence Completion Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 9 Sentence Completion Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Sentence Completion Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Studency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Sentence Completion Level 10 Spelling Patterns PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RF.5.	Reading Standards: Foundational Skills
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Fluency
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RF.5.4.	Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.5.4(a)	Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.
EXPECTATION		PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Passage Comprehension Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.5.4(b)	Read on-level prose and poetry orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 PowerUp Word Study Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3 Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3 Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	RF.5.4(c)	Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Fluency Challenge 2, 3
		Level 6 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 8 Passage Comprehension
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5
		Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Adjectives
		Adverbs
		Articles
		Conjunctions
		Nouns
		Prepositions
		Pronouns 1, 2, 3
		Subject-Verb Agreement
		Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		VELUS
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive
		Level 7
		Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8
		Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10
		Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving
		Spiders Level 11
		Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9
		Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8
		Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10
		Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11
		Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7
		Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9
		Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7
		Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level
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		Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level
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		Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter
		Level 10
		Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11
		Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10
		Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7
		Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
		Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8
		Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
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VT.W.5.	Writing Standards
	Research to Build and Present Knowledge
W.5.9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
W.5.9(a)	Apply grade 5 reading standards to literature (e.g., "Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or a drama, drawing on specific details in the text [e.g., how characters interact]"). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12
W.5.9(b)	Apply grade 5 reading standards to informational texts (e.g., "Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point[s]"). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving Spiders Level 11 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11
	W.5.9. W.5.9(a)

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.SL.5.	Speaking and Listening Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Comprehension and Collaboration
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	SL.5.2.	Summarize a written text read aloud or information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally. PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Trama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.5.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.5.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.1(a)	Explain the function of conjunctions, prepositions, and interjections in general and their function in particular sentences. PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Complex Sentences 4 Compound Sentences 3 Expanding Simple Sentences 2
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.1(c)	Use verb tense to convey various times, sequences, states, and conditions. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.1(d)	Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb tense. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4, 5 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.1(e)	Use correlative conjunctions (e.g., either/or, neither/nor). PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Complex Sentences 4 Compound Sentences 3
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.5.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.5.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.2(a)	Use punctuation to separate items in a series. PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 4 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.2(b)	Use a comma to separate an introductory element from the rest of the sentence. PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 4
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.2(c)	Use a comma to set off the words yes and no (e.g., Yes, thank you), to set off a tag question from the rest of the sentence (e.g., It's true, isn't it?), and to indicate direct address (e.g., Is that you, Steve?). PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 4
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.2(d)	Use underlining, quotation marks, or italics to indicate titles of works. PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Clauses 5 Complex Sentences 4

GRADE LEVEL	L.5.2(e)	Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references
EXPECTATION		as needed.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 5 Spelling Patterns
		Level 6 Spelling Patterns
		Level 7 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 7 Spelling Patterns
		Level 8 Fluency Challenge 1, 3
		Level 8 Spelling Patterns
		Level 9 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
		Level 9 Spelling Patterns
		Level 10 Fluency Challenge 1, 2, 3
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		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y
		Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization
		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/)
		Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/)
		Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables
		Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams
		Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables
		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms
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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.5.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Knowledge of Language
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.5.3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.3(a)	Expand, combine, and reduce sentences for meaning, reader/listener interest, and style. PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Clauses 5 Compound Sentences 3 PowerUp Grammar Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3, 4, 5 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 5
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.3(b)	Compare and contrast the varieties of English (e.g., dialects, registers) used in stories, dramas, or poems. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Lessons Tone & Mood

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.4(a)	Use context (e.g., cause/effect relationships and comparisons in text) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. Continued Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.4(b)	Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., photograph, photosynthesis). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Word Study Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Sentence Completion Level 7 Spelling Patterns Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Spelling Patterns Level 10 Spelling Patterns

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.4(c)	Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries,
EAPECIATION		thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation and determine or clarify the precise meaning of key words and phrases.
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive Level 7
		Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10
		Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving
		Spiders Level 11
		Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8
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		Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level
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		Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter Level 10
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		Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.5.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.5.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.5(a)	Interpret figurative language, including similes and metaphors, in context. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10 Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 2 Theme - Wonder (1), Wonder (2) Level 12 Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level 9 Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Drama - Anne Frank (1), Anne Frank (2) Level 12 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.5.5(c)	Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonyms, antonyms, homographs) to better understand each of the words. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.5.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.5.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition). PowerUp Word Study
		Level 6 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 7 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 8 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 9 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning Level 10 Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Eight- Eyed, They're Alive
		Level 7 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Mastodons, Mermaids Level 8 Activity 1 Conflict - Decision, Avalanche Level 10 Activity 1 Figurative Language - Basketball, Percussion Level 12 Activity 1 Informational & Summary - Space Shuttle, Skydiving
		Spiders Level 11 Activity 1 Theme - Thief & King, Thinkor Sink Level 9 Activity 2 Cause & Effect - Titanic, Disease Level 8 Activity 2 Irony - Shepherd & Ogre, Donkey Fable Level 10
		Activity 2 Making Inferences - Eleven (1), Eleven (2) Level 11 Activity 2 Narrative - Back in Time, Nobody's Fool Level 7 Activity 2 Sensory Language - Churros, Heat Wave Level 9 Activity 3 Cause & Effect - Remember, Day of Terror Level 12
		Activity 3 Drama - Pandora, Robots Level 7 Activity 3 Figurative Language - On the Platform, Fireflies Level
		Activity 3 Making Inferences - Take a Hint, Thirty Seconds Level 8 Activity 3 Persuasive Techniques - Way Ahead, Animal Shelter
		Level 10 Activity 3 Sensory Language - Hatchet (1), Hatchet (2) Level 11 Activity 4 Argument - Lights Out, A Carless City Center Level 10 Activity 4 Biography - Althea, Troublemaker Level 7 Activity 4 Biography - Clemente, Marshall Level 11 Activity 4 Characterization - William Tell, The Choice Level 8 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Ocean View, The Rose Level 9
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 3 Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 3, 4 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 3

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Grade: 6—Adopted: 2010

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.6.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.1.	Cite textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and how it is conveyed through particular details; provide a summary of the text distinct from personal opinions or judgments. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.3.	Describe how a particular story's or drama's plot unfolds in a series of episodes as well as how the characters respond or change as the plot moves toward a resolution. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.6.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.5.	Analyze how a particular sentence, chapter, scene, or stanza fits into the overall structure of a text and contributes to the development of the theme, setting, or plot. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.6.	Explain how an author develops the point of view of the narrator or speaker in a text.
MOWLEDGE AND SKILL		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16
		Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13
		Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level
		16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13
		Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters
		Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.6.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.7.	Compare and contrast the experience of reading a story, drama, or poem to listening to or viewing an audio, video, or live version of the text, including contrasting what they "see" and "hear" when reading the text to what they perceive when they listen or
		watch.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.9.	Compare and contrast texts in different forms or genres (e.g., stories and poems; historical novels and fantasy stories) in terms of their approaches to similar themes and topics.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.6.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.6.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 6-8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16
		Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14
		Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13
		Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16
		Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.6.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.1.	Cite textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.2.	Determine a central idea of a text and how it is conveyed through particular details; provide a summary of the text distinct from personal opinions or judgments. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.3.	Analyze in detail how a key individual, event, or idea is introduced, illustrated, and elaborated in a text (e.g., through examples or anecdotes). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.6.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.5.	Analyze how a particular sentence, paragraph, chapter, or section fits into the overall structure of a text and contributes to the development of the ideas. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.6.	Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and explain how it is conveyed in the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.6.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.7.	Integrate information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words to develop a coherent understanding of a topic or issue. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.8.	Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.9.	Compare and contrast one author's presentation of events with that of another (e.g., a memoir written by and a biography on the same person). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.6.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.6.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades 6-8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 6, 7 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.W.6.	Writing Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Text Types and Purposes
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	W.6.3.	Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique, relevant descriptive details, and well-structured event sequences.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.6.3(d)	Use precise words and phrases, relevant descriptive details, and sensory language to convey experiences and events.
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6, 7 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6, 7
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.W.6.	Writing Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	W.6.9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.6.9(a)	Apply grade 6 reading standards to literature (e.g., "Compare and contrast texts in different forms or genres [e.g., stories and poems; historical novels and fantasy stories] in terms of their approaches to similar themes and topics"). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.6.9(b)	Apply grade 6 reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g., "Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not"). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 6, 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.SL.6.	Speaking and Listening Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	SL.6.5.	Include multimedia components (e.g., graphics, images, music, sound) and visual displays in presentations to clarify information. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.6.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.6.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.1(a)	Ensure that pronouns are in the proper case (subjective, objective, possessive).
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Clauses 5 Complex Sentences 4 Compound-Complex Sentences 6
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6, 7 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 7
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons Pronouns 1, 2, 3
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.1(b)	Use intensive pronouns (e.g., myself, ourselves). PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 7 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Pronouns 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.1(c)	Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in pronoun number and person. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Pronouns 1, 2, 3 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.1(d)	Recognize and correct vague pronouns (i.e., ones with unclear or ambiguous antecedents). PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 7 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Pronouns 3 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.1(e)	Recognize variations from standard English in their own and others' writing and speaking, and identify and use strategies to improve expression in conventional language. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 7 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Interjections PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.6.	Language Standards Conventions of Standard English
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.6.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.2(a)	Use punctuation (commas, parentheses, dashes) to set off nonrestrictive/parenthetical elements. PowerUp Grammar Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 7 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Compound-Complex Sentences

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GRADE LEVEL	L.6.2(b)	Spell correctly.
EXPECTATION		Develop Ward Study
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Word Completion & Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y
		Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization
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		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/)
		Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/) Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables
		Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams
		Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables
		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.6.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Knowledge of Language
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.6.3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.3(a)	Vary sentence patterns for meaning, reader/ listener interest, and style. PowerUp Grammar Lessons Complex Sentences Compound Sentences Interjections
		Simple Sentences PowerUp Grammar Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 7 PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.3(b)	Maintain consistency in style and tone. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6 Activity 4 Text Structure Level 6, 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.6.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
AND SKILL / STANDARD		, i
GRADE LEVEL	L.6.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-
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=	L.6.4(a)	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiplemeaning words and phrases based on grade 6 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion Level 11 Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.4(a)	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. Continued PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.4(b)	Use common, grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., audience, auditory, audible). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion Level 11 Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.4(c)	Consult reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to find the pronunciation of
		a word or determine or clarify its precise meaning or its part of speech.
		PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2
		Level 11 Prefixes
		Level 11 Sentence Completion
		Level 11 Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Greek Combining Forms
		Latin Roots
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3)
		Level 16
		Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2)
		Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13
		Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16
		Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2)
		Level 13
		Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16
		Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13
		Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters
		Level 16
		Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13
		Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
		Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.4(d)	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
		Deviced in Word Study
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes
		Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion
		Level 11 Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Greek Combining Forms
		Latin Roots
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Adjectives
		Adverbs
		Articles
		Conjunctions
		Nouns
		Prepositions
		Pronouns 1, 2, 3
		Subject-Verb Agreement
		Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Eventualing Company of Compley Septences 7
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.6.4(d)	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). Continued PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.6.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
	L.6.5.	
AND SKILL / STANDARD GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION /		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word
AND SKILL / STANDARD GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL GRADE LEVEL	L.6.5.	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. Interpret figures of speech (e.g., personification) in context. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.6.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.6.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression. PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6, 7
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6, 7
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Compound-Complex Sentences 6
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes
		Level 11 Frenxes Level 11 Sentence Completion
		Level 11 Suffixes
		Level 11 Word Completion & Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Advanced Suffixes
		Greek Combining Forms
		Latin Roots

Lexia[®] PowerUp Literacy[®] Alignment To Vermont Common Core State Standards For English Language Arts/Literacy

Grade: 7—Adopted: 2010

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.7.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.7.1.	Cite several pieces of textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16
		Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level
		16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15
		Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.7.2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16
		Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level
		16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.7.3.	Analyze how particular elements of a story or drama interact (e.g., how setting shapes the characters or plot). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.7.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.7.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of rhymes and other repetitions of sounds (e.g., alliteration) on a specific verse or stanza of a poem or section of a story or drama. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.7.5.	Analyze how a drama's or poem's form or structure (e.g., soliloquy, sonnet) contributes to its meaning. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16

RL.7.6.	Analyze how an author develops and contrasts the points of view of different characters or narrators in a text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
VT DI 7	Reading Standards for Literature
VI.RL.7.	
	Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
RL.7.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, in the grades 6-8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 7
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	VT.RL.7. RL.7.10.

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.2.	Determine two or more central ideas in a text and analyze their development over the course of the text; provide an objective summary of the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.3.	Analyze the interactions between individuals, events, and ideas in a text (e.g., how ideas influence individuals or events, or how individuals influence ideas or events). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.7.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of a specific word choice on meaning and tone. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.5.	Analyze the structure an author uses to organize a text, including how the major sections contribute to the whole and to the development of the ideas. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.6.	Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author distinguishes his or her position from that of others. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.7.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.7.	Compare and contrast a text to an audio, video, or multimedia version of the text, analyzing each medium's portrayal of the subject (e.g., how the delivery of a speech affects the impact of the words).
THORILLOGE AND SKILL		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.9.	Analyze how two or more authors writing about the same topic shape their presentations of key information by emphasizing different evidence or advancing different interpretations of facts. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.7.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.7.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literary nonfiction in the grades 6-8 text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 6, 7 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.W.7.	Writing Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE	V 1	Research to Build and Present Knowledge
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	W.7.9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.7.9(b)	Apply grade 7 reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g. "Trace and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient to support the claims"). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility,

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.SL.7.	Speaking and Listening Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	SL.7.5.	Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify claims and findings and emphasize salient points. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.7.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.7.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.1(a)	Explain the function of phrases and clauses in general and their function in specific sentences.
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6, 7
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons Phrases vs. Clauses
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Clauses 5 Compound-Complex Sentences 6
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.1(b)	Choose among simple, compound, complex, and compound- complex sentences to signal differing relationships among ideas.
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 7
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3 Compound-Complex Sentences 6
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 Expanding Simple Sentences 2 Simple Sentences Level 1
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons Complex Sentences Compound Sentences Compound-Complex Sentences Interjections
		Simple Sentences

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.1(c)	Place phrases and clauses within a sentence, recognizing and correcting misplaced and dangling modifiers. PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 7 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Phrases vs. Clauses Verbals PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.7.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.7.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.2(a)	Use a comma to separate coordinate adjectives (e.g., It was a fascinating, enjoyable movie but not He wore an old[,] green shirt). PowerUp Grammar Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Run-On Sentences Simple Sentences PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound Sentences 3

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GRADE LEVEL	L.7.2(b)	Spell correctly.
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		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Word Completion & Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
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		PowerUp Word Study Lessons Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule
		FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y
		Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization
		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/)
		Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/)
		Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables
		Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams
		Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables
		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms
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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.7.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Knowledge of Language
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.7.3.	Use Knowledge of Language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.3(a)	Choose language that expresses ideas precisely and concisely, recognizing and eliminating wordiness and redundancy. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2)
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		Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6, 7 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6, 7
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

STANDARD / STRAND ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION EXPECTATION L.7.4. Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multip meaning words and phrases based on grade 7 reading at content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies. Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) at the meaning of a word or phrase. PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6 PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adjectives Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs
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PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.4(a)	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. Continued PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.4(b)	Use common, grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., belligerent, bellicose, rebel). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion Level 11 Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.4(c)	Consult general and specialized reference materials (e.g., dictionaries, glossaries, thesauruses), both print and digital, to
		find the pronunciation of a word or determine or clarify its
		precise meaning or its part of speech.
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2
		Level 11 Prefixes
		Level 11 Sentence Completion
		Level 11 Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Greek Combining Forms
		Latin Roots
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension
		Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16
		Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14
		Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15
		Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13
		Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo
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		Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14
		Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15
		Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters
		Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom
		Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility,
		Marvels Level 15
		Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
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GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.4(d)	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes
		Level 11 Sentence Completion
		Level 11 Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Adjectives Adverbs
		Articles
		Conjunctions
		Nouns
		Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3
		Subject-Verb Agreement
		Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.4(d)	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). Continued PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.7.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.7.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.5(a)	Interpret figures of speech (e.g., literary, biblical, and mythological allusions) in context. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.5(b)	Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2)

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.7.5(c)	Distinguish among the connotations (associations) of words with similar denotations (definitions) (e.g., refined, respectful, polite, diplomatic, condescending). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.7.	Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.7.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6, 7 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6, 7
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Compound-Complex Sentences 6 Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion Level 11 Suffixes Level 11 Word Completion & Spelling Patterns Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes
		Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots

Lexia[®] PowerUp Literacy[®] Alignment To Vermont Common Core State Standards For English Language Arts/Literacy

Grade: 8—Adopted: 2010

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.8.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.8.1.	Cite the textual evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.8.2.	Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to the characters, setting, and plot; provide an objective summary of the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.8.3.	Analyze how particular lines of dialogue or incidents in a story or drama propel the action, reveal aspects of a character, or provoke a decision.
		PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15
		Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14

ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD RL.8.4. Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16	STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.8.	Reading Standards for Literature
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			Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.8.5.	Compare and contrast the structure of two or more texts and analyze how the differing structure of each text contributes to its meaning and style. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.8.6.	Analyze how differences in the points of view of the characters and the audience or reader (e.g., created through the use of dramatic irony) create such effects as suspense or humor. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RL.8.	Reading Standards for Literature
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RL.8.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high end of grades 6-8 text complexity band independently and proficiently. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14 PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.8.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Key Ideas and Details
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.1.	Cite the textual evidence that most strongly supports an analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.2.	Determine a central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to supporting ideas; provide an objective summary of the text. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.3.	Analyze how a text makes connections among and distinctions between individuals, ideas, or events (e.g., through comparisons, analogies, or categories). PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.8.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Craft and Structure
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.4.	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts. PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 6, 7 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.5.	Analyze in detail the structure of a specific paragraph in a text, including the role of particular sentences in developing and refining a key concept. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.6.	Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author acknowledges and responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.8.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.7.	Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using different mediums (e.g., print or digital text, video, multimedia) to present a particular topic or idea. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.8.	Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.9.	Analyze a case in which two or more texts provide conflicting information on the same topic and identify where the texts disagree on matters of fact or interpretation. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.RI.8.	Reading Standards for Informational Text
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	RI.8.10.	By the end of the year, read and comprehend literary nonfiction at the high end of the grades 6-8 text complexity band independently and proficiently. PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 6, 7 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.W.8.	Writing Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Research to Build and Present Knowledge
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	W.8.9.	Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	W.8.9(b)	Apply grade 8 reading standards to literary nonfiction (e.g., "Delineate and evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text, assessing whether the reasoning is sound and the evidence is relevant and sufficient; recognize when irrelevant evidence is introduced"). PowerUp Grammar Activity 4 Text Structure Level 6, 7 PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.SL.8.	Speaking and Listening Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	SL.8.5.	Integrate multimedia and visual displays into presentations to clarify information, strengthen claims and evidence, and add interest. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.8.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.8.1.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing or speaking.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.1(a)	Explain the function of verbals (gerunds, participles, infinitives) in general and their function in particular sentences. PowerUp Grammar Lessons Verbals PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7 PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.1(b)	Form and use verbs in the active and passive voice. PowerUp Grammar Lessons Verbals PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.1(c)	Form and use verbs in the indicative, imperative, interrogative, conditional, and subjunctive mood. PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Verbals PowerUp Grammar Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 7
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.1(d)	Recognize and correct inappropriate shifts in verb voice and mood.
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons Verbals
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.8.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Conventions of Standard English
AND SKILL / STANDARD		
GRADE LEVEL	L.8.2.	Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English
EXPECTATION /		capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		
GRADE LEVEL	L.8.2(c)	Spell correctly.
EXPECTATION		
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Word Completion & Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Vowel-r Syllables
		Accent Placement & Interesting Endings
		Changing Rule
		Closed Syllables & Short Vowels
		Consonant Digraphs & Blends
		Consonant-le Syllables
		Doubling Rule
		Dropping Rule FLSZ Rule
		Greek Sound-Symbol
		Hard & Soft c/g
		Open Syllables
		Prefixes
		Sight Words
		Silent Letters
		Silent-e Syllables and Long Vowels
		Sounds of -ed
		Sounds of y Suffixes
		Unaccented Syllables-Schwa
		V/CV (1C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CCV (3C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/CV (2C) Syllable Pattern
		VC/V (Flex 1C) Syllable Pattern
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Combinations)
		Vowel Pair Syllables (Vowel Teams)
		What is a Syllable?
		tch, ck, dge Generalization
		PowerUp Word Study Skill Builders
		Level 1 Closed Syllable Words (/a/ & /i/)
		Level 2 Closed Syllable Words (/o/ & /u/)
		Level 3 Closed Syllable Words (/e/)
		Level 4 Closed and Silent e Syllables
		Level 5 Consonant-le Syllables
		Level 6 Open Syllables
		Level 7 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Teams Level 8 Vowel Pair Syllable: Vowel Combinations
		Level 9 Vowel-r Syllables
		Level 10 Schwa Sound
		Level 11 Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms
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STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.8.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Knowledge of Language
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.8.3.	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION /	L.8.3(a)	Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading, or listening. Use verbs in the active and passive voice and in the conditional and subjunctive mood to achieve particular effects (e.g., emphasizing the actor or the action; expressing uncertainty or describing a state contrary to fact). PowerUp Grammar Lessons Verbals PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.8.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
AND SKILL / STANDARD		, i
GRADE LEVEL	L.8.4.	Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-
EXPECTATION /		meaning words or phrases based on grade 8 reading and
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL		content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.4(a)	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion Level 11 Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion PowerUp Grammar Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6 Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons Adjectives Adverbs Articles Conjunctions Nouns Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3 Subject-Verb Agreement Verb Tenses Verbals Verbs PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.4(a)	Use context (e.g., the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence) as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase. Continued PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Level 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.4(b)	Use common, grade-appropriate Greek or Latin affixes and roots as clues to the meaning of a word (e.g., precede, recede, secede). PowerUp Word Study Lessons Advanced Suffixes Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion Level 11 Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion

Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Argument - Losing, Longer Level 15 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (1), Art work Lev 16 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Analysis & Evaluation - All Summer (2), Monsters Level 16	L.8.4(c)	precise meaning or its part of speech. PowerUp Word Study Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2 Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion Level 11 Suffixes Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4 Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion PowerUp Word Study Lessons Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 15 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.4(d)	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary).
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2
		Level 11 Prefixes Level 11 Sentence Completion
		Level 11 Suffixes
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Greek Combining Forms Latin Roots
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7 Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6
		PowerUp Grammar Lessons
		Adjectives
		Adverbs
		Articles
		Conjunctions
		Nouns
		Prepositions Pronouns 1, 2, 3
		Subject-Verb Agreement
		Verb Tenses
		Verbals
		Verbs
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7

GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	L.8.4(d)	Verify the preliminary determination of the meaning of a word or phrase (e.g., by checking the inferred meaning in context or in a dictionary). Continued PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 1 Analysis & Evaluation - Dog's Purpose, Hatchet (3) Level 16 Activity 1 Argument - No Limits, Later Start Time Level 14 Activity 1 Compare & Contrast - Postal Pack (1), Postal Pack (2) Level 15 Activity 1 Persuasive Techniques - Malala (1), Malala (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Analysis & Evaluation - JFK Moon Speech, Apollo Level 16 Activity 2 Characterization - Twenty Years (1), Twenty Years (2) Level 13 Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Conflict - Outsiders (1), Outsiders (2) Level 14 Activity 3 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Tone & Mood - Harlem, Dreams Level 15 Activity 4 Compare & Contrast - Feet to Wheels, Cost of Freedom Level 13 Activity 4 Informational & Summary - Civic Responsibility, Marvels Level 15 Activity 4 Theme - Outsiders (3), Outsiders (4) Level 14
STANDARD / STRAND	VT.L.8.	Language Standards
ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE		
AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
	L.8.5.	Vocabulary Acquisition and Use Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
AND SKILL / STANDARD GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION /		Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word
AND SKILL / STANDARD GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL GRADE LEVEL	L.8.5.	Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. Interpret figures of speech (e.g. verbal irony, puns) in context. PowerUp Reading Comprehension Activity 2 Tone & Mood - Oranges, Hope Level 14 Activity 3 Irony - Dinner Party, Last Leaf Level 13

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ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL / STANDARD		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION / KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL	L.8.6.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
		PowerUp Grammar
		Activity 1 Parts of Speech Level 6, 7
		Activity 2 Parts of Sentences Level 6, 7
		Activity 3 Capitalization and Punctuation Level 6, 7
		PowerUp Grammar Skill Builders
		Compound-Complex Sentences 6
		Expanding Compound-Complex Sentences 7
		PowerUp Word Study
		Level 11 Latin Roots 1, 2
		Level 11 Prefixes
		Level 11 Sentence Completion
		Level 11 Suffixes
		Level 11 Word Completion & Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Greek Combining Forms 1, 2, 3, 4
		Level 12 Greek Spelling Patterns
		Level 12 Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		PowerUp Word Study Lessons
		Advanced Suffixes
		Greek Combining Forms
		Latin Roots

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