

Grade 3: SY 22-23

	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
Unit 1	Short Read	Animal Disguises	Bat Court: A Citizen Science Story by Anna Forrester
	Short Read	Animals' Tools for Survival	Coral Reefs: A Journey Through an Aquatic World Full of Wonder by Jason Chin
	Vocabulary Practice Text	How I Blend In	Feathers: Not Just for Flying by Melissa Stewart
	Extended Read	Animal Coverings	Moonlight Crab Count by Dr. Neeti Bathala and Jennifer Keats Curtis
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Observations of the Kangaroo Rat	A Nest Is Noisy by Diana Hutts Aston
	Extended Read	One Body, Many Adaptations	A Place for Birds by Melissa Stewart
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Walrus	Charlotte's Web by E.B. White
	Poem	Something Told the Wild Geese	
Unit 2	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	Two Fables from Aesop	Helen's Big World: The Life Of Helen Keller by Doreen Rappaport
	Short Read	Two Famous Poems	Leah's Pony by Elizabeth Friedrich
	Vocabulary Practice Text	FOUL BALL!	Liberty's Voice: The Emma Lazarus Story by Erica Silverman and Stacey Schuett
	Extended Read	The Tale of King Midas	Rosa by Nikki Giovanni
	Vocabulary Practice Text	A Special Dinner	A Single Shard by Sue Linda Park
	Extended Read	Uncle Parrot's Wedding	Sister Anne's Hands by Marybeth Lorbiecki
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Good Dog	Matilda by Roald Dahl
Poem	The Walrus and the Carpenter	The Whipping Boy by Sid Fleischman	
Unit 3	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	Working Together	A Boy Named FDR by Kathleen Krull
	Short Read	Election Day	The Day Gogo Went to Vote by Elinor Batezat Sisulu
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Remember to Vote!	Duck for President by Doreen Cronin
	Extended Read	Fighters for Rights: Rosa Parks and Cesar Chavez	Friends for Freedom: The Story of Susan B. Anthony & Frederick Douglass by Suzanne Slade
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Diary of a Farmworker	If I Ran for President by Catherine Stier
	Extended Read	African Americans and Women Get the Right to Vote	Honest Abe Lincoln by David A. Adler
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Chinese Americans Get the Right to Vote	Revolutionary Friends: General George Washington and the Marquis de Lafayette by Selene Castrovilla
Poem	Lincoln Monument: Washington		
Unit 4	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	Cinderella's Very Bad Day	The Arrow Over The Door by Joseph Bruchac
	Short Read	Cinderella, Too Much for Words	Crow Call by Lois Lowry
	Vocabulary Practice Text	The Perfect Snow Day	Fly Away Home by Eve Bunting
	Extended Read	Rabbit and Coyote	Reaching for the Moon by Buzz Aldrin
	Vocabulary Practice Text	The Mysterious Case of the Missing Package	Seven Blind Mice by Ed Young
	Extended Read	The Trial of Rabbit	The Little Prince by Antoine de Saint-Exupery
	Vocabulary Practice Text	The Great Homework Trial	Tula ("Books are Door-Shaped") by Margarita Engle
Poem	Fish in a Bowl		
Unit 5	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	Shirley Jackson's Scientific Mind	Energy Island: How One Community Harnessed the Wind and Changed Their World by Allan Drummond
	Short Read	From Phone Calls to Videochat	From Cats' Eyes to ... Reflectors by Wil Mara
	Vocabulary Practice Text	AMAZING GRACE	The Inuit Thought of It by Alooook Ipellie
	Extended Read	Thomas Edison: A Curious Mind	Locomotive by Brian Floca
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Anna Du, Sixth Grade Engineer	Flight by Robert Burleigh
	Extended Read	Hear All About It!: New Technologies to Help the Deaf	To The Moon and Back by Buzz Aldrin and Marianne Dyson
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Patricia Bath: Doctor and Inventor	
Poem	My Smartphone Isn't Very Smart		
Unit 6	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	Addison and Rocky	Cat And Rat: The Legend of the Chinese Zodiac by Ed Young
	Short Read	A President for Everyone	Cheyenne Again by Eve Bunting
	Vocabulary Practice Text	A Helping Hand	The Girl With a Brave Heart: A Tale from Tehran by Rita Jahanforuz
	Extended Read	Rapping Magicians	Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale by Mo Willems
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Camp Canoe	The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig by Eugene Trivizas
	Extended Read	The Big Game	The Boxcar Children by Gertrude Chandler Warnert
	Vocabulary Practice Text	The Dance-Off	Rosa Parks by Eloise Greenfield
Poem	Choices		
Unit 7	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	My St. Augustine Journal	Belle, the Last Mule at Gee's Bend by Calvin Alexander Ramsey and Bettye Stroud
	Short Read	A New Life in Vermont	The Goat Lady by Jane Bregoli
	Vocabulary Practice Text	From Somalia to Chicago	Magic Trash by J.H. Shapiro
	Extended Read	All Kinds of Communities	Smoky Night by Eve Bunting
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Eatonville	Under the Lemon Moon by Edith Hope Fine
	Extended Read	Sarah and the Chickens	When Everybody Wore A Hat by William Steig
	Vocabulary Practice Text	My Urban Vegetable Garden	Pablo Neruda: Poet of the People by Monica Brown
Poem	City	Miracle on 133rd Street by Sonia Manzano	
Unit 8	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	Fairweather Clouds	Eruption! Volcanoes and the Science of Saving Lives by Elizabeth Rusch
	Short Read	Earth's Weather and Climate	Extreme Scientists: Exploring Nature's Mysteries from Perilous Places by Donna M. Jackson
	Vocabulary Practice Text	The Great Blizzard	Global Warming by Seymour Simon
	Extended Read	After the Storm	Hottest, Coldest, Highest, Deepest by Steve Jenkins
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Where's Daisy?	The Promise by Nicola Davies
	Extended Read	The Tropical Rain Belt	Weather by Seymour Simon
	Vocabulary Practice Text	All About Hurricanes	The Wonderful Wizard of Oz by L. Frank Baum
Poem	Who Has Seen the Wind?		
Unit 9	Type	Title	Teacher Choice Read-Alouds
	Short Read	Making Choices: Benjamin Franklin's "Two Cents" The Ants and the Grasshopper	How to Steal a Dog by Barbara O'Connor
	Short Read	Let It Grow: The Booming Business of Farmers' Markets	Isabel's Car Wash by Sheila Bair
	Vocabulary Practice Text	The Bread Business	Lady Liberty: A Biography by Doreen Rappaport
	Extended Read	Lucky Hans	Pancakes, Pancakes! by Eric Carle
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Working in a Rice Paddy	The Story of Salt by Mark Kurlansky
	Extended Read	From Fruit to Jam: A Tasty List of Choices	You Wouldn't Want to Live Without Money! by Alex Woolf
	Vocabulary Practice Text	Cooking Club	The Real McCoy: The Life of an African-American Inventor by Wendy Towle
Poem	Pet Shopping		
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Short Read	Poems of Movement	Always Inventing: A Photobiography of Alexander Graham Bell by Tom L. Matthews
Short Read	What Makes Things Move?	Electrical Wizard: How Nikola Tesla Lit up the World by Elizabeth Rusch
Vocabulary Practice Text	The Science Experiment	Genius: A Photobiography of Albert Einstein by Marle Ferguson Delano
Extended Read	The Energy of the Thunder Beings	Ibn al-Haytham: The Man Who Discovered How We See by Libby Romero
Vocabulary Practice Text	What is a Thunderstorm?	Isaac Newton by Philip Steele
Extended Read	Magnetic Fields	On A Beam of Light: A Story of Albert Einstein by Jennifer Berne
Vocabulary Practice Text	Mya's Magnet Report	Toward Those Short Trees by Masaoka Shiki
Poem	The Wind	Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11