

Unit 2 Week 3

Big Idea

What makes a community?

Key Concept

A Community in Nature

Essential Question

Where do animals live together?

Genre

Informational Text

Shared Read

"The Best Spot"

Anchor Text

At a Pond

Paired Text

"Way Down Deep"

Reading Poetry

repetition, alliteration

Reading Informational Text

author's purpose, retell

Fluency

accuracy and automaticity

Vocabulary

context clues: multiple meaning words

Grammar

possessive nouns

Structural Analysis

inflectional ending -ing

Mechanics

apostrophes with possessive nouns

Phonemic/Phonological Awareness

blending, substitution, categorization, segmentation

Writing

write about the text/expository writing

Research

research an animal in its habitat

Spelling/
Phonics

Handwriting

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Oral Vocabulary

depend, habitat, hibernate, tranquil, tolerate

High Frequency Words

eat, no, of, under, who