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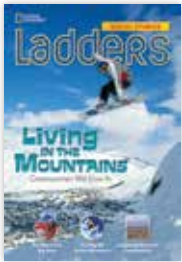
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Living in the Mountains

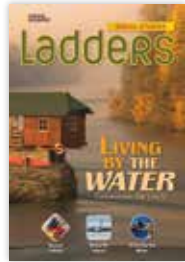
Although each of these pieces is linked together by the topic of living in the mountains, they are different genres.

SECTION 1: "Tall Mountains, Big Goals"—A narrative is a true story of a person telling about an event in his or her life. This piece follows Jordan Romero as he achieves his dream of climbing the tallest mountains in the world at a very young age.

SECTION 2: "Surfing the Snowy Mountains"—A reference article. A book about living in the mountains has to include a snowboarding story! Meet famous snowboarders, see what gear they need to stay safe, and learn how this daring activity became a sport.

SECTION 3: "Comparing Mountain Communities"—A comparison article, which takes you high up in the mountains of the United States and a country called Nepal. What could two communities so far apart from each other possibly have in common? Read to find out.

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Living by the Water

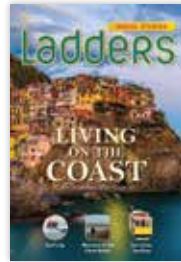
The focus of this book is living by the water.

SECTION 1: "Rescue a River"—This piece tells the true story of two men discovering something wrong as they canoe down a river. Did you know rivers can disappear? Read to find out how.

SECTION 2: "Brace for Impact"—A social studies article which describes a jet pilot and his crew's heroic actions when their plane experiences trouble.

SECTION 3: "A City by the Water"—In this opinion article, you will learn about New Orleans, Louisiana. As with any city, there are good and bad things about living there. You'll learn some interesting facts about this city's culture and geography. Then you can decide for yourself if New Orleans is a city you'd like to live in.

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Living on the Coast

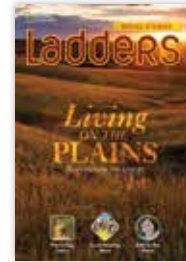
Each of these articles is linked together by the topic of living on the coast.

SECTION 1: "Surf's Up"—a culture article describes the traditions and daily life of people in a certain area. You'll meet some talented dogs and their owners in a coastal community in California. Learn about a competition in which the dogs surf and perform tricks.

SECTION 2: "Welcome to the Outer Banks"—a social studies article often explores the effect of a topic on people. Discover how people living on a group of islands off the coast of North Carolina might be affected by the land and water.

SECTION 3: "Two Cities, Two Bays"—a comparison piece where you'll find out what two coastal communities in different countries have in common and how they differ. You may be surprised to find out that San Francisco, California, and Reykjavik, Iceland, aren't as different as you might think.

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Living on the Plains

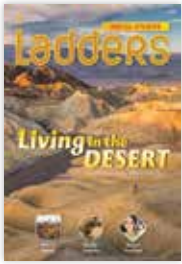
The focus of this book is living on the plains.

SECTION 1: "Prairie Dog Towns"—a science article uses facts and data to explain about a specific topic in science. You'll find out about how prairie dogs live on the Great Plains.

SECTION 2: "Cyrus Heading West"—this piece of historical fiction describes why and how a family moved west to the Great Plains in the late 1800s.

SECTION 3: "Kids on the Plains"—a social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic. Compare the lives of two kids who live in two different plains communities in this article.

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Living in the Desert

The focus of this book is living in the desert.

SECTION 1: "Prickly Plants"—A social studies article, which explores how plants live in the driest places on earth. Read to find out how important these plants are to animals and humans.

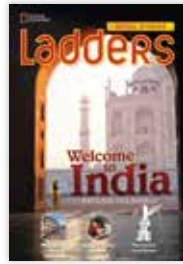
SECTION 2: "Sandy Settlers"—This science article introduces you to four desert animals. You may be surprised to learn how many different types of animals and birds are able to live in the desert.

SECTION 3: "Desert Pen Pals"—Read the emails of two students living in very different desert communities. Will they find anything in common and become friends.

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Welcome to India

The focus of this book is on India.

SECTION 1: "Welcome to India"—a social studies article which describes life in both a village and a city in India. Social studies articles help you learn more about a specific social studies topic using facts, details, and examples.

SECTION 2: "Going to School in India"—a culture article describes the way a group of people live. In this article, you'll learn about what school is like for an Indian Student.

SECTION 3: "The Foolish, Timid Rabbit"—find out what happens when a scared rabbit spreads news to all the other animals that is untrue. Will all the animals believe him?

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Welcome to China

The focus of this book is on China.

SECTION 1: "Welcome to China"—this social studies article features facts, details, data, and examples that tell about life in the cities and country villages of China.

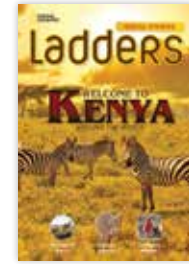
SECTION 2: "Rice"—this informational text explains how rice is grown, prepared, and used in daily life—and in celebrations.

SECTION 3: "The Thief and the Elephant"—this particular folk tale is about a judge who uses his elephant to help him decide who is guilty of a crime.

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Welcome to Kenya!

This books takes a look at Kenya.

SECTION 1: "Welcome to Kenya!"—Social studies articles use facts, details, data, and examples to describe a social studies topic. This article tells about the animals and people that live in Kenya, Africa.

SECTION 2: "Elephant and hare"—A folk tale about two animals that can be found in Kenya. Readers of this folk tale will discover why hares have short tails.

SECTION 3: "The Mighty Maasai"—A culture piece about the lives of a group of people who live in the grasslands of Kenya.

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Welcome to Brazil!

This book explores Brazil.

SECTION 1: "Into the Rain Forest"—A social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic. This article studies the Amazon rain forest and the animals and people who call the rain forest home.

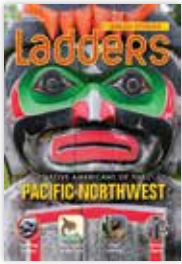
SECTION 2: "Let's Go to Carnival!"—Culture articles study the different ways in which people live. This particular article tells about a fun and colorful holiday in Brazil.

SECTION 3: "How Beetle Got Her Coat"—A folk tale about a race between a beetle and a rat.

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Native Americans of the Pacific Northwest

This book takes a look at Native Americans of the Pacific Northwest.

SECTION 1: “Towering Totems”—this social studies article tells how and why totem poles are made and what they mean to the people of the Pacific Northwest.

SECTION 2: “The legend of the Orca”—this particular folk tale is about interactions between humans and the rest of the natural world. It helps explain the importance of the orca to the people of the Pacific Northwest.

SECTION 3: “Chief Seattle”—this informational text recounts the life and accomplishments of Seattle, an important Native American leader.

SECTION 4: “Raven Spirit”—this informational text describes the construction and journey of a traditional dugout canoe.

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Native Americans of the Great Plains

This book focuses on the Native Americans of the Great Plains.

SECTION 1: “Horse Power”—did you know the Native Americans had never seen a horse before the Spanish brought them to the Americas? This social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe how the horse changed the way of life for Native Americans living on the Great Plains.

SECTION 2: “How the Horse Came to Be”—this folk tale tells about a young man’s vision quest and how he brought the first horses to the Black foot people.

SECTION 3: “Crazy Horse”—this biography recounts the life and legacy of the great Lakota chief named Crazy Horse.

SECTION 4: “The Mighty Buffalo”—this social studies article describes how important the buffalo was to the Native Americans of the Great Plains. It also explains how the buffalo was almost wiped out and then was saved from extinction.

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Native Americans of the Southeast

The focus of this book is on Native Americans of the Southeast.

SECTION 1: “The Seminole of the Swamps”—a social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic. This article tells about the Gulf Coast and provides interesting facts about the states that make up the region.

SECTION 2: “Life in a Cherokee Village”—a science article which contains amazing facts about some squishy and sometimes scary creatures of the Gulf Coast.

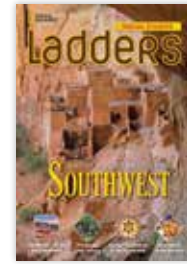
SECTION 3: “Sequoyah”—this informational text describes the jobs that people have on the Gulf Coast, focusing especially on a shrimper, an oil worker, and a dolphin trainer.

SECTION 4: “Pieces of the Past”—A social studies article. This piece describes the different kinds of pottery that Native Americans of this region have been making for thousands of years. It tells how scientists study this pottery of long ago. The article even shows you how to make your own pottery!

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Native Americans of the Southwest

This book takes a look at Native Americans of the Pacific Southwest.

SECTION 1: “The Mystery of the Ancient Pueblo”—A history article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a history topic. This article tells of the ancient Pueblo people and how two cowboys made an amazing discovery to learn about people who had disappeared long ago.

SECTION 2: “Rise of the Navajo Code Talkers”—A graphic novel which tells of the brave Navajo soldiers who provided a new code to help win World War II. That code was the Navajo language.

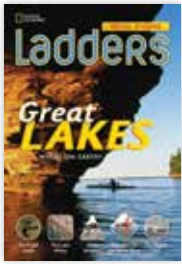
SECTION 3: “Animal Symbolism in the Southwest”—A culture article that tells what many animal carvings and pictures represent to Native Americans of the Southwest and how some animals are believed to bring protection and good fortune.

SECTION 4: “How Coyote Stole the Sun”—A folk tale that is a traditional tale of how winter came to be. It features Coyote, a popular trickster in Native American tales.

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The Great Lakes

This book takes a look at the Great Lakes.

SECTION 1: "The Fresh Coast"—A social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic. This article introduces the five Great Lakes.

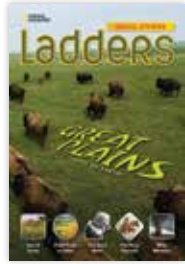
SECTION 2: "The Lake Effect"—This science article explains the unusual weather conditions along the shores of the Great Lakes.

SECTION 3: "Alien Invasion"—A problem/solution article which discusses the threat of an invasive species—the Asian carp. The article presents possible solutions to the problem.

SECTION 4: "Chicago's Air and Water Show"—An economics article that tells the history of the Chicago Air and Water Show and its effect on the economy of Chicago.

SECTION 5: "The Wreck of the Mighty Fitz"—A history article in which you'll read the story of the S.S. Edmund Fitzgerald, a carrier ship that was lost in the stormy waters of Lake Superior years ago.

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The Great Plains

The focus of this book is on the Great Plains.

SECTION 1: "Sea of Grass"—A social studies article that tells about the Great Plains and gives interesting facts about the states that make up the region.

SECTION 2: "From Field to Table"—An economics article in which you'll read about how Great Plains farmers work their lands and what crops they grow in this informational text.

SECTION 3: "The Dust Bowl"—A narrative. This nonfiction text tells how farm families struggled to survive the devastating dust storms of the 1930s.

SECTION 4: "Neither Rain nor Sleet... nor Outlaws"—Go back in time to the days when brave Pony Express riders delivered mail on horses.

SECTION 5: "Wild Weather"—A science article that explores how dangerous tornadoes form and how scientists track them.

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The Gulf Coast

This book is about the gulf coast.

SECTION 1: "Welcome to the Gulf Coast"—a social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic. This article tells about the Gulf Coast and provides interesting facts about the states that make up the region.

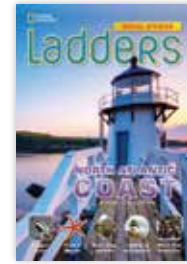
SECTION 2: "Jellies and Other Creatures"—a science article which contains amazing facts about some squishy and sometimes scary creatures of the Gulf Coast.

SECTION 3: "All in a Day's Work"—this informational text describes the jobs that people have on the Gulf Coast, focusing especially on a shrimper, an oil worker, and a dolphin trainer.

SECTION 4: "Oil, Oil Everywhere"—an opinion piece where you'll learn about the many ways we use oil products as well as pros and cons of drilling for oil in this informational text.

SECTION 5: "Deadly Winds"—a narrative that tells a story of one of the most destructive hurricanes to hit the Gulf Coast.

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The North Atlantic Seaboard

This book takes a look at the north Atlantic seaboard.

SECTION 1: "Rugged Coast"—this social studies article presents facts, details, data, and examples to paint a vivid picture of the North Atlantic coastal region.

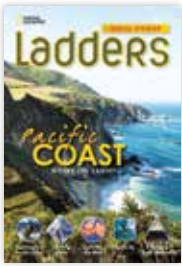
SECTION 2: "Pools of Wonder"—this informational text gives you a glimpse into the fascinating world of tide pools.

SECTION 3: "Boats, Bogs, and Bolts"—an economics article that describes three different jobs people do along the North Atlantic coast: fishing for crabs, farming cranberries, and welding ships.

SECTION 4: "Lighting Up the Coastline"—a reference article which describes the lighthouses on the North Atlantic coast—why they are necessary, how they work, and the different types you can see on the coast. Some of them might even be haunted!

SECTION 5: "Where Wild Ponies Run"—a narrative that tells about the wild ponies that live on Assateague Island in the Chesapeake Bay.

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The Pacific Coast

The focus of this book is on the Pacific coast.

SECTION 1: “Exploring the Pacific Coast”—A social studies article that introduces and describes the states that are located along the coast of the Pacific ocean.

SECTION 2: “The Ring of Fire”—This informational text describes the geographical area called the Ring of Fire and explains how it got such a dramatic name.

SECTION 3: “Let’s Hit the Road!”—Follow along with a boy and his family as they have fun driving along the Pacific coast of California.

SECTION 4: “Surf’s Up”—A culture article that explains the history of surfing and describes the unique culture that has developed around this sport.

SECTION 5: “A Sleeping Giant Awakens”—A social studies article that tells about the 1980 eruption of Mount St. Helens in the state of Washington.

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Golden Gate Bridge

This book takes a look at the Golden Gate Bridge.

SECTION 1: “The Golden Gate”—A history article that tells about how the Golden Gate Bridge was built. Did you know that workers faced many dangers to build the bridge?

SECTION 2: “Bridging Time”—A reference article that is in the form of a time line about the Golden Gate Bridge. You’ll learn some of the most interesting facts about the bridge over the years.

SECTION 3: “Working Under the Water”—A science article with information about building structures underwater. You’ll see the problems underwater builders face and the solutions they have discovered.

SECTION 4: “Striking Color”—A story that tells how one man chose the orange color of the Golden Gate Bridge.

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Niagara Falls

The focus of this book is on Niagara Falls.

SECTION 1: “Mist-ified: My Very Wet Trip to Niagara Falls”—A first-person narrative is an account of events retold by the person who experiences it. The speaker in this narrative is a boy who takes a boat trip near the falls with his family.

SECTION 2: “Niagara Falls On the Move”—This science article explains how the falls came to be and why they have moved several miles up the Niagara River from where they first formed.

SECTION 3: “Thunder Speaks”—A legend told by the Seneca people about how the falls were formed. The Seneca are Native Americans who have lived near the falls for hundreds of years.

SECTION 4: “Over the Falls!”—This piece tells about daredevils who have risked their lives riding over the falls or walking above them on high wires.

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Empire State Building

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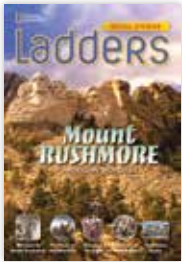
SECTION 1: “The Eighth Wonder of the World”—This article recounts the planning, construction, and maintenance of the Empire State Building, which was the tallest building in the world for many years after it was finished.

SECTION 2: “Going Up!”—This informational text uses facts and details to explain how elevators work and why they are important parts of tall buildings.

SECTION 3: “On Top of the World”—A reference article which uses text and photos to explain what you can see from the high up on the Empire State Building.

SECTION 4: “Empire State Goes Hollywood”—The Empire State Building has played a major role in motion pictures from the 1930s to today. Descriptions and pictures reveal how the building became a star.

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Mt. Rushmore

The focus of this book is on Mount Rushmore.

SECTION 1: “Welcome to Mount Rushmore!?”—The author recalls how the monument on Mount Rushmore came to be, from selecting the perfect site to polishing the huge sculpture.

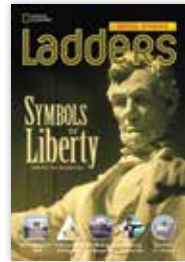
SECTION 2: “The Faces on the Mountain”—This article explains how each American represented on the monument earned this honor. The text also discusses other Americans who people have suggested to be added to Mount Rushmore.

SECTION 3: “Blasting Through”—This informative text explains the important role dynamite played in the carving of Mount Rushmore and in the construction of canals and tunnels in the Americas.

SECTION 4: “Mount Rushmore or Six Grandfathers?”—This piece explains why the Lakota and other Native Americans see the monument as a symbol of destruction rather than as a symbol of national pride.

SECTION 5: “Rushmore Rocks!”—This photo essay pictures different ways the monument has appeared in popular culture throughout the years.

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Symbols of Liberty (The Monuments)

The focus of this book is on U.S. monuments.

SECTION 1: “The National Mall”—The illustrations and text in this reference article describe the National Mall in Washington, D.C., and the monuments and memorials you can see there.

SECTION 2: “A Monumental Earthquake”—a social studies article that explains what the Washington Monument is and recounts the damage done to it by a recent earthquake. .

SECTION 3: “The Making of a Memorial”—This history article tells about the planning and building of the Jefferson Memorial.

SECTION 4: “Honoring Honest Abe”—a graphic novel that uses text and illustrations to tell how Abraham Lincoln’s experiences prepared him to be a great president.

SECTION 5: “The Story of a Dream”—This biography recounts events in the life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and explains why his dream of equality for all is still important today. .

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The Inca

This book takes a look at the Inca.

SECTION 1: “Who Were the Inca”—A history article uses facts, details, data, and examples to explain the effects after a particular historical event. This article tells about the lives of a group of people who lived in South America several hundred years ago. It also explores the Inca’s modern relatives.

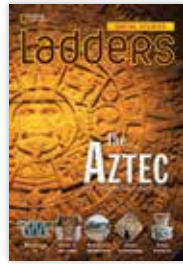
SECTION 2: “Lland of the Llamas”—Using facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic, “Lland of the Llamas” tells about an animal called a Llama and how the Inca relied on it for day-to-day life.

SECTION 3: “A Tour of Machu Picchu”—As you read this informational text, you tour history of an Inca city whose ruins still fascinate us today.

SECTION 4: “High-Altitude Archaeology”—A narrative that describes the study of past cultures high in the mountains.

SECTION 5: “Inca Artifacts”—A photo essay uses photos to convey information. Check out the photos of beautiful Inca artifacts in this article.

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The Aztec

The focus of this book is on the Aztec.

SECTION 1: “Monctezuma II”—a biography which describes the life of a mighty Aztec ruler. Learn about his successes and witness his defeat—an important turning point in Aztec History.

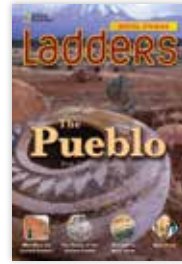
SECTION 2: “Foods of the Aztec”—a reference article that follows the history of three popular foods through time you may be surprised by what you learn about foods you already enjoy.

SECTION 3: “Welcome to Teotihuacan”—this piece serves as a travel guide through the ruins of an Aztec city in Mexico. Read to learn about the Avenue of the Dead and the Pyramid of the Sun.

SECTION 4: “Urban Archaeology”—A narrative piece. Have you ever wondered what archaeologists might discover in cities? This piece describes the work of two urban archaeologists in Mexico City, Mexico.

SECTION 5: “Aztec Artifacts”—photo essays rely on visual images to convey information. This photo essay shows what Aztec artifacts can tell us about their culture.

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The Pueblo

The book is about the Pueblo.

SECTION 1: “Who Were the Ancient Pueblo?”—A history article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe specific events in the past. You will learn about the history of the ancient Pueblo and their modern relatives.

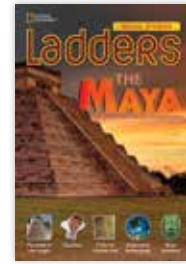
SECTION 2: “The Genius of the Ancient Pueblo”—A reference article provides a detailed look at a topic. This article describes the homes, tools, and artistry of the ancient Pueblo.

SECTION 3: “Welcome to Mesa Verde”—Take a guided tour through the homes of the ancient Pueblo at Mesa Verde National Park in Colorado.

SECTION 4: “Rock Artist”—A photo essay uses text and photos to help us understand a topic. Explore the colorful artwork

of Jaque Fraqua, a modern Pueblo artist in this photo essay.

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The Maya

This book takes a look at the Maya.

SECTION 1: “Pyramids in the Jungle”—This article compares the pyramids the Maya built in the rain forests of Mesoamerica with those built by the Egyptians more than 1,000 years earlier.

SECTION 2: “Chocolate”—A social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic. This article tells about the origin of chocolate and how it became popular all over the world.

SECTION 3: “A Tour of Chichen Itza”—A historical tour of the ruins of this great Maya city. This article explores the accomplishments of the Maya, from astronomy to sports.

SECTION 4: “Underwater Archaeology”—This informational text tells you about the exciting field of underwater archaeology and the scientists who work in this field.

SECTION 5: “Maya Artifacts”—This piece describes some of the artifacts scientists have found at archaeological sites, and the clues they give us about the Maya way of life.

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Big Bend National Park

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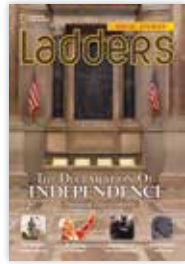
SECTION 1: “Welcome to Big Bend”—this article tells about Big Bend Park and how it became a national park. This social studies article uses facts, details, data, and examples to describe information about a specific social studies topic.

SECTION 2: “The Birds of Big Bend”—this informational text takes you on a geographical tour of the Big Bend National Park and describes the different sights you can see and birds you can watch for in the park.

SECTION 3: “In Search of the Lost Mine”—this particular legend is retold by a hiker along Big Bends’ Lost Mine Trail. She explains how this trail in the Chisos Mountains got its name.

SECTION 4: “Where Dinosaurs Once Roamed”—this opinion piece describes different views on what to do with important fossils when they are discovered within the park.

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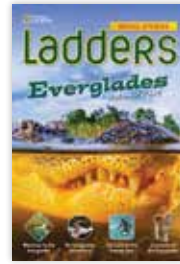
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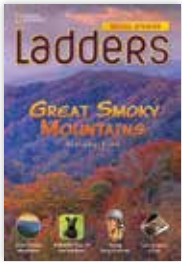
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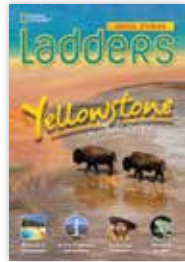
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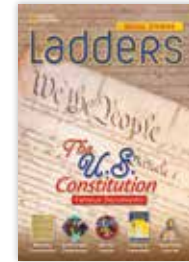
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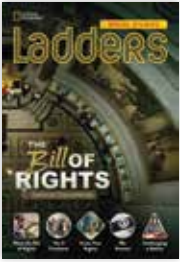
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