

Scope and Sequence

Unit	Theme	Reading
1	Mysteries	A: Have Aliens Visited Us? B: The Lost City of Atlantis
2	Favorite Foods	A: The History of Pizza B: The Hottest Chilies
3	Cool Jobs	A: Training Grizzlies! B: Getting the Shot
4	Shipwrecks	A: I've Found the <i>Titanic</i> ! B: Treasure Ship
5	Science Investigators	A: At the Scene of a Crime B: The Disease Detective
6	Explorers and Pioneers	A: Who Was Sacagawea? B: Polar Pioneer
7	Mind's Eye	A: The Meaning of Dreams B: Seeing the Impossible
8	Animal Wonders	A: A Penguin Family B: Do Animals Laugh?
9	Incredible Domes	A: A Love Poem in Stone B: The Great Dome of Florence
10	Wild Weather	A: A Warming World B: Freaky Forces of Nature
11	Giants of the Past	A: The Mammoth's Tale B: Sea Monsters
12	Technology	A: The Robots Are Coming! B: How Will We Live in 2035?



Reading Skill	Vocabulary Building	Video
A: Scanning B: Skimming	A: Usage: <i>research</i> B: Usage: <i>solid</i>	Loch Ness Mystery
A: Identifying the Parts of a Passage B: Pronoun Reference	A: Word Partnership: <i>basic</i> B: Word Partnership: <i>painful</i>	A Taste of Mexico
A: Finding the Correct Definition of a Word in a Dictionary B: Understanding the Use of Commas	A: Thesaurus: <i>difficult</i> B: Word Partnership: <i>spend</i>	Right Dog for the Job
A: Identifying a Paragraph's Main Idea B: Recognizing Compound Subjects and Objects	A: Usage: <i>agree</i> B: Usage: <i>coast/beach</i>	Saving Ocean Life
A: Inferring Meaning B: Identifying the Purpose of a Paragraph	A: Word Partnership: <i>space</i> B: Word Link: <i>-ous</i>	Virus Detectives
A: Creating a Timeline of Events B: Understanding Compound Nouns	A: Usage: <i>village/town/city</i> B: Usage: <i>drive/ride</i>	Native Americans
A: Creating a Concept Map B: Understanding Compound Sentences	A: Word Partnership: <i>problem</i> B: Word Partnership: <i>mistake</i>	Parasomnia
A: Paraphrasing B: Identifying Supporting Details	A: Word Partnership: <i>enter</i> B: Word Partnership: <i>similar</i>	Penguins in Trouble
A: Understanding Complex Sentences B: Recognizing Prepositions	A: Word Partnership: <i>promise</i> B: Thesaurus: <i>material</i>	Brunelleschi's Dome
A: Identifying Text Types B: Identifying Cause and Effect	A: Word Partnership: <i>temperature</i> B: Usage: <i>drop vs. fall</i>	Storm of the Century
A: Recognizing Active and Passive Sentences B: Organizing Information in a Chart	A: Usage: <i>further/farther</i> B: Usage: <i>probably/definitely/possibly</i>	Days of the Dinosaurs
A: Supporting Ideas with Examples B: Understanding Prefixes and Suffixes	A: Word Partnership: <i>operate</i> B: Word Partnership: <i>future</i>	Deep-sea Robot