

# Primary Text: "Africa Digs"

Text type: informational

## LANGUAGE! Live Online

## **Word Study**

- Blend, read, and spell words with ...
  - single-letter consonants g, w, d, h, y, z, and x
  - short vowel /ŭ/
  - plural -s
  - letter combination -ck
  - CVC pattern
- Map phonemes to graphemes.
- Sort words by meaning.
- Complete cloze sentences.
- Spell isolated syllables.
- Change onset for a rime.
- Hear and identify single-syllable words.
- Read decodable phrases.
- Dictate sentences.

## Passage Quiz

• Complete a passage quiz with the following question types:

main idea, inferences, cause and effect, sequencing, question words, text features, multiplemeaning words, antonyms

# Lesson 1

## Reading

- Determine the topic of the text.
- Determine the author's purpose.
- Discuss the topic of the text.
- Introduce text features.

## Vocabulary

• Determine the meaning of key passage vocabulary.

## Reading

- Preview the text.
- Read an informational text.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the text by asking and answering questions and referring to key details in the text.

## Lesson 2

#### Vocabulary

- Use discussion and context to determine the meanings of the multiple-meaning words *dig* and *log*.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the words by using them in written sentences.

#### Grammar

- Identify plural nouns in text.
- Categorize plural nouns.
- Differentiate between singular and plural nouns

#### Writing

- Demonstrate an understanding of basic parts of a sentence.
- Demonstrate an understanding of basic ending punctuation by editing text.

## Lesson 6

#### Reading

- Write questions about the text to deepen comprehension.
- Respond to questions orally.
- Refer to details and examples in a text when answering specific questions about a text.

# Lesson 7 Vocabulary

- Review key passage vocabulary.
- Use examples of a word and identify its antonyms to clarify its meaning.
- Make connections among words to increase understanding.

#### Writing

- Identify the basic structure of a paragraph (topic sentence, supporting facts and details, transitions, elaborations, concluding sentence).
- Identify the main idea.

## Lesson 3

#### Reading

- Read words to develop fluency.
- Vocabulary
- Review key passage vocabulary.
- Identify antonyms of words.

#### Grammar

• Identify singular possessive nouns.

#### Reading

 Demonstrate an understanding of how to ask questions and answer them appropriately.

#### Lesson 4

## Reading

Read phrases to develop fluency.

# Grammar

- Identify singular, plural, and singular possessive nouns.
- Use plural nouns and singular possessive nouns in sentences.

#### Reading

Lesson 9

- Read phrases with fluency to support comprehension.
- Generate questions with specific answers. (how and why questions)

## Lesson 5

#### Vocabulary

- Use categories and attributes to determine the meanings of words.
- Consult reference materials to clarify the precise meanings of words.

#### Reading

- Review key passage vocabulary.
- Read with purpose and understanding.
- Determine the main ideas of a text.
- Identify explicit details in a text.

#### Writing

- Demonstrate an understanding of how to create basic sentences.
- Write expanded simple sentences.

# Lesson 8

#### Reading

• Read words to increase fluency.

#### Grammar

- Identify subjects, predicates, and direct objects in a sentence.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the function of the subject, predicate, and direct object in a sentence by diagramming sentences.

#### Reading

• Take notes on key details in an informational text.

# • Summarize notes.

- Orally retell key information from an informational text.
- Write a topic sentence for an explanatory paragraph.
- Write an explanatory paragraph, including supporting details, transition, and elaborations.

# Lesson 10 Vocabulary

- Clarify the meaning of key passage vocabulary.
- Demonstrate an understanding of passage vocabulary by using words in sentences.

#### Grammar

- Demonstrate an understanding of the function of singular nouns, plural nouns, and singular possessive nouns.
- Use singular nouns, plural nouns, and singular possessive nouns in sentences.

## Reading

- Discuss the main idea and key details from an informational text.
- Demonstrate an understanding of basic sentence structure.

#### Writing

- Demonstrate an understanding of sentence structure by creating sentences from noun and verb phrases.
- Respond to questions orally.