

Unit 4 Week 2

Story

Volcanoes

Genre

Expository Text

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To the Rescue

Genre

Expository Text

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Into the Sea

Genre

Expository Text

Comprehension Strategy

reread

Comprehension Skill

cause and effect

Vocabulary Strategy

context clues

Writing Traits

word choice

Grammar

helping verbs- have, has, had, am, are,
is, was, were

Structural Analysis

inflectional endings-s, es, ed, ing

Mechanics

quotation marks-speech

**SPELLING/
PHONICS**

er, ir, ur, or
r-controlled
vowels

clerk
herd
first
skirt
stir
churn
hurt
burst
work
worse
Bonus
know
wrist
found
from
today

Vocabulary

active- lively, busy

Earth- the planet on which we live/ground or land

explode- to blow up

island- land surrounded by water

local- in a certain place or neighborhood

properties- qualities of something

solid- firm and hard

steep- having a very sharp slope

High Frequency Words

animal, away, building, found, from, Saturday, thought,
today, toward, watch

Oral Vocabulary Words

sphere, surface, suddenly, carved, glide