

Week at a Glance

● 4th Grade Unit 1 Week 4

WEEKLY QUESTION: What are the advantages of living in different places?

Genre: Informational Text

- The purpose of the text is to inform. Authors do that by including facts, details, formatting and text features.

Academic Vocabulary: Figurative language

- Any language that gives a word a meaning beyond its usual, everyday definition. One type is a simile, which compares two things using the word like or as.

Comprehension

Analyze Text Features— include headings, maps, diagrams, photographs, and illustrations

Confirm or correct predictions—Use the title, headings, and text features to make predictions before you read. Look for information in the text that supports, or confirms your prediction. Other information may help you check or correct your prediction.

Vocabulary Words

1. endurance—the ability to keep going
2. excel—to do well or to be the best at something
3. capacity—the ability to contain something
4. motivation—a reason for doing something
5. drive—the ambition or motivation to carry on

Spelling

increase
yesterday
acquaint
achievement
reproach
marrow
virtue
continue
betray
array
campaign
revenue
meadow
deceive
appeal
agreement
streamline
proceed
remainder
straight