

Unit 5 Week 2

Story

Kitten's First Full Moon

Genre

Fantasy

Story

The Moon

Genre

Nonfiction

Story

A Bird Named Fern

Genre

Fantasy

Essential Question

What can you see in the sky?

Comprehension Strategy

make and confirm predictions

Comprehension Skill

plot: cause and effect

Writing Traits

word choice

Grammar

adjectives

Structural Analysis

inflectional ending-er

Mechanics

capitals and end marks

SPELLING/ PHONICS

words with er, ir, ur, or

her

bird

fur

fern

dirt

work

barn

arm

climb

through

Vocabulary

leaped- jumped a long way

stretched- extended a body part

Dictation Sentence for Friday March 23rd:

She had dirt on her arm.

High Frequency Words

another, climb, full, great, poor, through

Oral Vocabulary Words

observe, vast, certain, remained, thoughtful

Ms. Ringler's News

Week of March 19 - 23, 2018

Dates To Remember:

Wednesday Mar. 21	Library Day
Thursday Mar. 22	Greenhouse Day
Thursday Mar. 22	STEM Activity Afternoon
Friday Mar. 23	Unit 5 Week 2
	Reading & Spelling TESTS
Friday Mar. 23	Career Day (tentative)

Please Note:

Beginning Friday March 16th, there will be 2 changes to Friday's testing. #1 – students will now have a dictation sentence on their Spelling test. I will read it out loud several times for the students to have enough time to get it written on their paper. Also, I will be backing off on the amount of support I provide on their Reading tests. They will be expected to do as much on their own as possible given help from me only when absolutely necessary. This will help prepare them for 2nd grade's expectations.

Topics for the Week:

Reading: "A Bird Named Fern" & "Kitten's First Full Moon"

Spelling: Words with er, ir, ur, or

Grammar: Adjectives, Capitals, & End Marks

Math: Counting On or Taking From Ten

Social Studies: Leader In Me – Habit 6 "Synergize"

Science: Foss "Sound & Light"

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