

Class Name: Reading

Unit Title/Focus: Theme 1 - Journeys

Grade Level: 4th

**Texts Examined:**

Literary: Houghton Mifflin Reading Series

*Akiak*

*By the Shores of the Silver Lake*

Informational

*Finding the Titanic*

*Scholastic News*

ReadWorks articles that coincide with the theme

**Writing:** (Argumentative, Expository, Narrative)

Narrative-adding details, journal entry, friendly letter, commas in dates/places

**Speaking:** choral retelling, literature discussion, oral directions, tell a story

**Viewing:** Use of pictures and videos as needed to accompany the stories

**Listening:** choral retelling, literature discussion, oral directions, tell a story

**Project(s):** (optional)

**Notes:**

Standard vocabulary and grammar/punctuation instruction accompanies every unit.