

Class Name: Reading

Unit Title/Focus: Special Fiends - Folktales

Grade Level: 1st

Texts Examined:

Literary- Houghton Mifflin Reading Series, When I am Old with You, The New Friend, The Surprise Family

Informational- Houghton Mifflin Reading Series, Inventions Then and Now, Watch Them Grow, Natural Habits

Writing: (Argumentative, Expository, Narrative)

Writing Process

Friendly Letter

Speaking:

Conversations, reader's theatre, conflict resolution, vizualizing

Viewing:

Visualizing, reader's theatre, viewing to retell

Listening:

Conflict resolution, reader's theatre, visualizing, listening to retell

Project(s):

Learning about animal helpers (guide dogs, etc.)

Phonics:

Sounds for y (long i and e), base words and endings es/ies, vowel paris oi/oy, aw/au

Notes:

Standard vocabulary and grammar/punctuation instruction accompanies every unit.