

Essential Question: How do traditions connect people?

Unit 6 Week 1

Story

The Game of Silence

Genre

Historical Fiction

Story

"Native Americans: Yesterday and Today"

Genre

Expository Text

Story

"A Surprise Reunion"

Genre

Historical Fiction

Comprehension Strategy

reread

Comprehension Skill

theme

Vocabulary Strategy

connotation and denotation

Writing Traits

word choice-strong words

Grammar

adverbs

Other Skills

number prefixes,
fluency-rate and accuracy

Genre

Historical Fiction

**SPELLING/
PHONICS**

en and on

shaken
sunken
eleven
woven
widen
ridden
proven
often
robin
cousin
raisin
muffin
penguin
button
reason
cotton
wagon
dragon
common
skeleton

Vocabulary

ancestors- people from whom one is descended

despised- looked at with hatred or unpleasantness

endurance- the power to put up with hardships or difficulties

forfeit- to lose or have to give up because of a fault, accident, or mistake

honor- to show or regard with great respect

intensity- the state of being strong and extreme

irritating- annoying; pestering; making painful or sensitive

retreated- moved back or withdrew