

## Unit 5 Week 2

### Genre Study 1

Expository Text

### Key Concept

Zoom In

### Essential Question:

*WHAT CAN YOU DISCOVER  
WHEN YOU LOOK CLOSELY  
AT SOMETHING?*

### Anchor Text

*A Drop of Water*

### Paired Read

*"The Incredible  
Shrinking Potion"*

### Strategy

summarize

### Skill

sequence

### Fluency

intonation and phrasing

### Text Features

photographs and captions

### Vocabulary Strategy

homophones

### Grammar

articles

### Writing

explanatory essay: expert model,  
plan, draft

### SPELLING/ PHONICS

open  
syllables

OL

famous  
radar  
razor  
vacancy  
beside  
beyond  
defend  
delay  
demand  
prevent  
secret  
veto  
bison  
diver  
cider  
silence  
clover  
spoken  
tulip  
swallow  
plastic  
rumbles  
request  
sequence

## Vocabulary

cling- to stick closely, as if glued

dissolves-mixes a solid thoroughly with a liquid so that eventually it becomes liquid

gritty- containing small bits of small sand or stone

humid- containing a lot of water vapor in the air; moist

magnify- to make something look larger than it actually is

microscope- an instrument that uses lenses to enlarge any image seen through it

mingle- to come or mix together

typical- showing usual characteristics or qualities