

# Unit 1 Week 1

## Genre Study 1

### Realistic Fiction

#### Essential Question:

HOW ARE FAMILIES AROUND  
THE WORLD THE SAME AND  
DIFFERENT?

#### Shared Read

"Maria Celebrates  
Brazil"

#### Anchor Text

Big Red Lollipop

#### Strategy

visualize

#### Skill

Character, Setting, Events

#### Fluency

Intonation

#### Literary Elements

Beginning, Middle, End

#### Vocabulary Strategy

inflectional endings: s, es,

#### Grammar

statements and questions

#### Structural Analysis

plural nouns with -s, -es

#### SPELLING/ PHONICS

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help

### Vocabulary

aside- on or to one side

culture- the way of life for a group of people

fair- equal and just for all sides

invited- asked to come

language- the speech of a group of people

plead- to make a request

scurries- moves quickly

share- to divide and give to others

#### High Frequency Words

ball, blue, both, even, for, help, put, there, why, yellow

#### Oral Vocabulary Words

colorful, confusing, noticed, overflowing, tasty