About the Third Edition

The third edition of *Making Meaning*® for grades K–6 includes new instructional content to support the Common Core and other state standards, digital resources that provide flexibility and interactivity, and embedded professional development to help teachers incorporate technology seamlessly and strategically. For information on specific changes by grade level, see pages 24–30.

New Instructional Content

- Individualized Daily Reading (IDR) strand in kindergarten
- Expanded support for Individualized Daily Reading (IDR) for grades 1–6
- Student Response Book for grade 1
- New Reading Assessment Preparation Guide for grades 3–6
- New and revised lessons to address the Common Core and other state standards
- New genres and texts to meet the expectations of the Common Core and other state standards
- Writing About Reading extensions for grades K-6
- Added Vocabulary Teaching Guide in grades K–6

Strategic Use of Technology

- Technology mini-lessons and extension activities for students
- The Digital Teacher's Set with professional development videos and assessments linked at the point of use
- CCC Learning Hub with links to the CCC ClassView[™] assessment app

- Interactive whiteboard activities to accompany each lesson
- Online technology tutorials to support integration of the digital elements of the *Making Meaning* program

New Assessment Tools

- CCC ClassView assessment app to capture, store, and retrieve class data
- Online records of student progress over time
- New Assessment Resource Book for kindergarten
- Enhanced Assessment Resource Book for grade 1

Grade-level Packages with Independent Reading Libraries

 To give students additional practice reading increasingly complex texts, we offer newly revised grade-level packages with 120 trade books at easy, on-level, and challenging levels. See pages 34–35.

Supplemental Spanish Trade Book Sets

 Spanish read-aloud trade books are available to support the strategy instruction in *Making Meaning*. Learn more at collaborativeclassroom.org/books-in-spanish.

Technology Enhancements in the Third Edition

For Teachers

A Digital Teacher's Set

With links to the CCC Learning Hub, online student materials, and lesson resources

Professional Development Videos

Embedded at point of use

Online Technology Tutorials that Support the Integration of Technology

- "Getting Started with Your Print Teacher's Manual" (K–6)
- "Getting Started with Your Digital Teacher's Set" (K–6)
- "Using the CCC Learning Hub" (K-6)
- "Using CCC's Whiteboard Activities" (K-6)
- "Using the CCC ClassView™ App" (K–6)
- "Using Web-based Whiteboard Activities" (3–6)
- "Using Web-based Teaching Resources" (K–6)
- "Using Presentation Tools" (3–6)
- "Creating a Class Blog" (3-6)
- "Using Social Networking Sites" (3–6)

The CCC ClassView Assessment App

Online Resources on the CCC Learning Hub

Interactive Whiteboard Activities to Support Instruction

- Discussion prompts
- Vocabulary instruction
- Vocabulary review

For Students

Technology Mini-lessons (Grades 3–6)

- "Navigating Safely Online"
- "Maintaining Privacy Online"
- "Showing Respect Online in Digital Communications"
- "Choosing Effective Search Terms"
- "Understanding Search Results"

Narrowing Search Results and Using Filters"

- "Evaluating Research Sources"
- "Citing Online Sources"
- "Finding, Organizing, and Presenting Online Information"
- "Using Web-based Maps and Related Tools"
- "Creating Audio and Video in the Classroom"
- "Using Blogs in the Classroom"
- "Using Social Media"
- "Creating Digital Stories"



Technology Extension Activities

Teachers integrate technology presented in the technology tutorials. Examples:

- Start an online book club
- Write book reviews and post them on a class blog
- Explore Internet resources to learn more about an author
- Visit the local library online

Students practice and apply tech skills taught in technology mini-lessons (3–6).

What's Included

The *Making Meaning*[®] program blends print and digital components that support the classroom teacher in planning, delivering, and assessing comprehension and vocabulary instruction.

Print Components



Teacher's Manual

The Teacher's Manual provides detailed, easy-to-follow lesson plans that clearly and concisely guide teachers through each day's instruction. The lessons offer several point-of-use features that support teachers' implementation of the program, such as Facilitation Tips for classroom routines and "just-in-time" professional development videos.



Assessment Resource Book

This book contains assessment forms and instructions that teachers can use to regularly monitor the progress and needs of individual students and the whole class.



Authentic Children's Literature

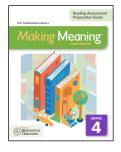
Each classroom package includes a set of carefully selected, grade-appropriate trade books to use as read-alouds.



Meaning

Vocabulary Teaching Guide

This guide contains weekly lessons that build students' vocabularies by teaching words taken directly from *Making Meaning* read-alouds.



Reading Assessment Preparation Guide (grades 3–6)

This guide contains lessons to prepare students for a standards-based reading comprehension assessment.



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Student Response Book (grades 1–6)

One per student, this book coordinates with specific lessons and provides selected read-aloud texts and excerpts, writing activities, a reading journal, and a reading log.

Picture Cards (grades K–1) Word Cards (grades K–2) Pocket Chart (grades K–2)

Picture and word cards are included for each vocabulary word introduced to provide support for the words' meanings. A pocket chart is included to make it easy to display picture cards and word cards during a lesson.

Digital Components



Digital Teacher's Set

This is a collection of digital versions of the following printed teacher's materials:

- · Teacher's Manual
- · Vocabulary Teaching Guide
- · Assessment Resource Book
- Reading Assessment Preparation Guide (grades 3–6)

It offers embedded professional development video clips and includes direct links to lesson-specific whiteboard activities, the CCC Learning Hub, and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app.



CCC ClassView Assessment App

This online app allows for electronic recording, sorting, synthesizing, and reporting of assessment data for individual students and the whole class.

NOTE: Libraries of alternate read-aloud books for reteaching lessons and libraries of suggested books for comprehension strategies practice are available. See pages 32–33 for more information.



CCC Learning Hub

The CCC Learning Hub is a repository of digital resources, such as interactive whiteboard activities, assessment forms, reproducibles, and professional development media.



Technology Tutorials

Found on the CCC Learning Hub, these tutorials support teachers in integrating technology elements into classroom lessons.



Interactive Whiteboard Activities

The program includes activities to use with an interactive whiteboard or to print and display using a projection device.

Pricing

Complete Making Meaning® Program, Grades K–5 MM3-CPK5 \$3,850

Includes one classroom package per grade level, grades K–5. Individual grade-level packages and additional purchasing options are available. See pages 24–30 and 121–122.

Also Available:

Complete Making Meaning Program, Grades K–6 MM3-CPK6 \$4,500

Grade-level Packages



Kindergarten Classroom Package MM3-CPK \$500

Teacher's Manual, Digital Teacher's Set, access to the CCC Learning Hub and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app, Assessment Resource Book, Vocabulary Teaching Guide, 120 picture cards, 120 word cards, pocket chart, interactive whiteboard activities, embedded professional development, and 30 read-aloud trade books.

Title	Author
A Baby Duck Story	Rustad
A Baby Penguin Story	Rustad
Brave Bear	Mallat
Brave Norman	Clements
Cat's Colors	Cabrera
"Charlie Needs a Cloak"	dePaola
Cookie's Week	Ward
A Day in the Life of a Zookeeper	LeBoutillier
Doctors Help	Ready
Dolphins	Riggs
Flower Garden	Bunting
Friends at School	Bunnett
Getting Around By Plane	Mayer
A Harbor Seal Pup Grows Up	Hewett
I Was So Mad	Mayer
If You Give a Mouse a Cookie	Numeroff
A Letter to Amy	Keats
Maisy's Pool	Cousins
Moon, The	Rustad
My Friends	Gomi
On the Go	Morris
A Porcupine Named Fluffy	Lester
Pumpkin Pumpkin	Titherington
Say Hello	Foreman
Sun, The	Guillain
A Tiger Cub Grows Up	Hewett
Tools	Morris
Trains	Doeden
When Sophie Gets Angry—Really, Really Angry	Bang
Whistle for Willie	Keats

Instructional Unit Snapshot

2 days per week, 30 weeks (2 weeks added)

Unit	Unit Name	Number of Weeks
1	The Reading Community (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	6
2	Making Connections (Fiction)	3
3	Retelling (Fiction)	3
4	Visualizing (Poetry and Fiction)	3
5	Wondering (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	3
6	Making Connections (Expository Nonfiction)	4
7	Wondering (Expository Nonfiction)	3
8	Exploring Text Features (Expository Nonfiction	n) 4
9	Revisiting the Reading Community (Fiction)	1

Content Revisions and Additions

- New and revised lessons to address the Common Core and other state standards
- New IDR strand
- Writing in response to reading activities
- Digital Teacher's Set with embedded professional development
- Technology tips, extensions, and tutorials
- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Enhanced and expanded assessment
- New Assessment Resource Book
- New online assessment tools
- Updated and expanded Vocabulary Teaching Guide
- Parent letters in English and Spanish

Unit	Title	Author
2	Say Hello	Foreman
5	Brave Norman	Clements
6	Doctors Help	Ready
6	A Day in the Life of a Zookeeper	LeBoutillier
6	Trains	Doeden
7	A Baby Penguin Story	Rustad
7	A Baby Duck Story	Rustad
7	A Harbor Seal Pup Grows Up	Hewett
8	Dolphins	Riggs
8	The Moon	Rustad
8	The Sun	Guillain



Grade 1 Classroom Package MM3-CP1 \$600

Teacher's Manual, Digital Teacher's Set, access to the CCC Learning Hub and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app, Assessment Resource Book, Student Response Book (set of 25), Vocabulary Teaching Guide, 120 picture cards, 120 word cards, pocket chart, interactive whiteboard activities, embedded professional development, and 31 read-aloud trade books.

Title	Author
Angelina and Henry	Holabird
Big Blue Whale	Davies
Birds: Winged and Feathered Animals	Slade
Bumblebee Queen, The	Sayre
Chameleons Are Cool	Jenkins
Chrysanthemum	Henkes
Curious George Goes Camping	Rey & Rey
A Day in the Life of a Garbage Collector	LeBoutillier
Did You See What I Saw? Poems About School	Winters
Dinosaur Babies	Penner
Down the Road	Schertle
Elephant Grows Up, An	Suen
Extraordinary Egg, An	Lionni
George Washington and the General's Dog	Murphy
In the Tall, Tall Grass	Fleming
It's Mine!	Lionni
Julius	Johnson
Matthew and Tilly	Jones
McDuff and the Baby	Wells
An Ocean of Animals	Scott
People in My Neighborhood	Lyons
Peter's Chair	Keats
Places in My Neighborhood	Lyons
Quick as a Cricket	Wood
Sheep Out to Eat	Shaw
Sleep Well	Feeney
Snowy Day, The	Keats
Throw Your Tooth on the Roof	Beeler
Using Your Senses	Rissman
Velociraptor	Riggs
When I Was Little	Curtis

Instructional Unit Snapshot

2–3 days per week, 30 weeks (3 weeks added)

Unit	Unit Name	Number of Weeks
1	The Reading Community (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	4
2	Making Connections (Fiction)	3
3	Retelling (Fiction)	3
4	Visualizing (Poetry and Fiction)	4
5	Wondering (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	4
6	Making Connections (Expository Nonfiction)	3
7	Wondering (Expository Nonfiction)	4
8	Exploring Text Features (Expository Nonfiction	n) 4
9	Revisiting the Reading Community (Fiction)	1

Content Revisions and Additions

- New and revised lessons to address the Common Core and other state standards
- Full year of IDR
- New Student Response Book
- Writing in response to reading activities
- Digital Teacher's Set with embedded professional development
- Technology tips, extensions, and tutorials
- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Enhanced and expanded assessment
- New online assessment tools
- Enhanced Assessment Resource Book
- Updated and expanded Vocabulary Teaching Guide
- · Parent letters in English and Spanish

Unit	Title	Author
1	Places in My Neighborhood	Lyons
1	People in My Neighborhood	Lyons
3	Curious George Goes Camping	Rey & Rey
3	Angelina and Henry	Holabird
5	The Bumblebee Queen	Sayre
6	Using Your Senses	Rissman
6	Sleep Well	Feeney
7	An Ocean of Animals	Scott
7	Big Blue Whale	Davies
7	Chameleons Are Cool	Jenkins
7	Birds: Winged and Feathered Animals	Slade
8	Velociraptor	Riggs

Grade-level Packages (continued)



Grade 2 Classroom Package MM3-CP2 \$600

Teacher's Manual, Digital Teacher's Set, access to the CCC Learning Hub and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app, Assessment Resource Book, Student Response Book (set of 25), Vocabulary Teaching Guide, 120 word cards, pocket chart, interactive whiteboard activities, embedded professional development, and 28 read-aloud trade books.

Title	Author
Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day	Viorst
The Art Lesson	dePaola
Babu's Song	Stuve-Bodeen
Beatrix Potter	Wallner
Bend and Stretch	Nettleton
Big Al	Clements
Butterflies	Wimmer
Chester's Way	Henkes
Erandi's Braids	Madrigal
Galimoto	Williams
Girl Wonder	Hopkinson
The Incredible Painting of Felix Clousseau	Agee
Insect Detective	Voake
Jamaica Tag-Along	Havill
little blue and little yellow	Lionni
McDuff Moves In	Wells
Me First	Lester
The Paper Crane	Bang
The Paperboy	Pilkey
POP! A Book About Bubbles	Bradley
Poppleton	Rylant
Sheila Rae, the Brave	Henkes
Snails	Hughes
Spinning Spiders	Berger
The Tale of Peter Rabbit	Potter
The Three Little Pigs	Marshall
The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig	Trivizas
A Tree Is Nice	Udry

Instructional Unit Snapshot

3 days per week, 30 weeks (4 weeks added)

Unit	Unit Name	Number of Weeks
1	The Reading Community (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	3
2	Making Connections (Fiction)	4
3	Visualizing (Narrative Nonfiction, Fiction, and Poetry)	4
4	Making Inferences (Fiction)	3
5	Wondering (Fiction)	3
6	Wondering (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	2
7	Wondering (Expository Nonfiction)	3
8	Exploring Text Features (Expository Nonfiction	ı) 3
9	Determining Important Ideas (Expository Nonfiction and Fiction)	4
10	Revisiting the Reading Community (Fiction)	1

Content Revisions and Additions

- New Individual Reading Assessment for determining independent reading levels
- Expanded support for Individualized Daily Reading (IDR)
- More informational texts
- Writing in response to reading activities
- Digital Teacher's Set with embedded professional development
- Technology tips, extensions, and tutorials
- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Enhanced and expanded assessment
- New online assessment tools
- Updated and expanded Vocabulary Teaching Guide
- · Parent letters in English and Spanish

Unit	Title	Author
1	Girl Wonder	Hopkinson
2	The Three Little Pigs	Marshall
2	The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig	Trivizas
4	Babu's Song	Stuve-Bodeen
7	Insect Detective	Voake
7	Butterflies	Wimmer
7	Spinning Spiders	Berger



Grade 3 Classroom Package MM3-CP3 \$750

Teacher's Manual (2 volumes), Digital Teacher's Set, access to the CCC Learning Hub and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app, Assessment Resource Book, Student Response Book (set of 25), Vocabulary Teaching Guide (2 volumes), Reading Assessment Preparation Guide, interactive whiteboard activities, embedded professional development, and 29 read-aloud trade books.

Title	Author
Alexander, Who's Not (Do you hear me? I mean it!) Going To Move	Viorst
Amazing Grace	Hoffman
Aunt Flossie's Hats (And Crab Cakes Later)	Howard
Boundless Grace	Hoffman
Brave Harriet	Moss
Brave Irene	Steig
Cherries and Cherry Pits	Williams
A Day's Work	Bunting
The Emperor and the Kite	Yolen
Explore the Desert	Jackson
Fables	Lobel
Flashy Fantastic Rain Forest Frogs	Patent
The Girl Who Loved Wild Horses	Goble
Homes	Oxlade
Julius, the Baby of the World	Henkes
Keepers	Watts
Lifetimes	Rice
Mailing May	Tunnell
Miss Nelson Has a Field Day	Allard
Miss Nelson Is Missing!	Allard
Morning Meals Around the World	Gregoire
The Paper Bag Princess	Munsch
Polar Bears	Newman
Pushing Up the Sky	Bruchac
The Raft	LaMarche
Sonia Sotomayor	Winter
The Spooky Tail of Prewitt Peacock	Peet
Two Bobbies	Larson & Nethery
Wilma Unlimited	Krull

Instructional Unit Snapshot

4 days per week, 30 weeks (4 weeks added)

Unit	Unit Name	Number of Weeks
1	The Reading Community (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	2
2	Visualizing (Poetry and Fiction)	3
3	Making Inferences (Fiction)	5
4	Wondering/Questioning (Fiction)	4
5	Wondering/Questioning (Narrative Nonfiction)	3
6	Analyzing Text Features (Expository Nonfiction	ı) 4
7	Wondering/Questioning (Expository Nonfiction	n) 3
8	Determining Important Ideas (Fiction, Expository Nonfiction, and Drama)	5
9	Revisiting the Reading Community (Fiction)	1

Content Revisions and Additions

- New and revised lessons to address the Common Core and other state standards
- New Reading Assessment Preparation Guide
- Expanded support for IDR
- Writing in response to reading activities
- Digital Teacher's Set with embedded professional development videos
- Technology tips, extensions, and tutorials
- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Enhanced and expanded assessment
- · New online assessment tool
- Updated and expanded Vocabulary Teaching Guide
- · Parent letters in English and Spanish

Unit	Title	Author
1	Miss Nelson Has a Field Day	Allard
1	Two Bobbies	Larson & Nethery
3	Amazing Grace	Hoffman
3	The Raft	LaMarche
4	The Emperor and the Kite	Yolen
5	Sonia Sotomayor	Winter
6	Homes	Oxlade
7	Explore the Desert	Jackson
7	Polar Bears	Newman
8	Pushing Up the Sky	Bruchac

Grade-level Packages (continued)



Grade 4 Classroom Package MM3-CP4 \$750

Teacher's Manual (2 volumes), Digital Teacher's Set, access to the CCC Learning Hub and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app, Assessment Resource Book, Student Response Book (set of 30), Vocabulary Teaching Guide (2 volumes), Reading Assessment Preparation Guide, interactive whiteboard activities, embedded professional development, and 24 read-aloud trade books.

Title	Author
Amelia's Road	Altman
Animal Senses	Hickman
A Bad Case of Stripes	Shannon
The Bat Boy & His Violin	Curtis
Chicken Sunday	Polacco
Coming to America	Maestro
Farm Workers Unite	_
Flight	Burleigh
Hurricane	Wiesner
In My Own Backyard	Kurjian
My Man Blue	Grimes
Nineteenth-Century Migration to America	Bliss
The Old Woman Who Named Things	Rylant
Peppe the Lamplighter	Bartone
A Picture Book of Amelia Earhart	Adler
A Picture Book of Harriet Tubman	Adler
A Picture Book of Rosa Parks	Adler
The Princess and the Pizza	Auch & Auch
Pushing Up the Sky	Bruchac
Shattering Earthquakes	Spilsbury & Spilsbury
Slinky Scaly Slithery Snakes	Patent
Song and Dance Man	Ackerman
Teammates	Golenbock
Thunder Cake	Polacco

Instructional Unit Snapshot

4 days per week, 30 weeks (1 week added)

Unit		Number of Weeks
1	The Reading Community (Fiction)	2
2	Recognizing Text Features (Expository Nonfiction	on) 3
3	Questioning (Expository Nonfiction)	3
4	Analyzing Text Structure (Fiction, Narrative Nonfiction, and Drama)	5
5	Making Inferences (Fiction and Poetry)	3
6	Making Inferences (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	
7	Analyzing Text Structure (Expository Nonfiction) 4
8	Determining Important Ideas and Summarizing (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	5
9	Revisiting the Reading Community (Student-selected Text)	1

Content Revisions and Additions

- New and revised lessons to address the Common Core and other state standards
- New Reading Assessment Preparation Guide
- Expanded support for IDR
- · New drama instruction
- Writing in response to reading activities
- Digital Teacher's Set with embedded professional development
- Technology tips, extensions, and tutorials
- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Enhanced and expanded assessment
- New online assessment tool
- Updated and expanded Vocabulary Teaching Guide
- · Parent letters in English and Spanish

Unit	Title Author		Author
2	Nineteenth-Century Migration to America Bliss		Bliss
2	Shattering Earthquakes	Spilsbury & Spilsbury	
4	Pushing Up the Sky	Bruchac	



Grade 5 Classroom Package MM3-CP5 \$750

Teacher's Manual (2 volumes), Digital Teacher's Set, access to the CCC Learning Hub and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app, Assessment Resource Book, Student Response Book (set of 30), Vocabulary Teaching Guide (2 volumes), Reading Assessment Preparation Guide, interactive whiteboard activities, embedded professional development, and 16 read-aloud trade books.

Title	Author
Big Cats	Simon
Everybody Cooks Rice	Dooley
Global Warming	Simon
Great Women of the American Revolution	Hall
Harry Houdini: Master of Magic	Kraske
Hey World, Here I Am!	Little
Hurricanes	Simon
The Lotus Seed	Garland
Rainforests	Harrison
Richard Wright and the Library Card	Miller
A River Ran Wild	Cherry
Something to Remember Me By	Bosak
Survival and Loss: Native American Boarding Schools	CCC
Tuck Everlasting	Babbitt
Uncle Jed's Barbershop	Mitchell
The Van Gogh Cafe	Rylant

Instructional Unit Snapshot

4 days per week, 30 weeks

Unit		Number of Weeks
1	The Reading Community (Fiction)	2
2	Recognizing Text Features (Expository Nonficti	on) 3
3	Questioning (Expository Nonfiction)	2
4	Analyzing Text Structure (Fiction)	3
5	Making Inferences (Fiction and Poetry)	3
6	Making Inferences (Fiction and Expository Nonfiction)	3
7	Analyzing Text Structure (Expository Nonfiction	n) 5
8	Determining Important Ideas and Summarizing (Fiction and Expository Nonfiction)	J 4
9	Synthesizing (Fiction and Expository Nonfiction	n) 4
10	Revisiting the Reading Community (Student-selected Text)	1

Content Revisions and Additions

- New and revised lessons to address the Common Core and other state standards, including new Drama instruction
- New Reading Assessment Preparation Guide
- Expanded support for IDR
- New novel instruction
- Writing in response to reading activities
- Digital Teacher's Set with embedded professional development
- Technology tips, extensions, and tutorials
- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Enhanced and expanded assessment
- New online assessment tool
- Updated and expanded Vocabulary Teaching Guide
- Parent letters in English and Spanish

Unit	Title	Author
2	Rainforests	Harrison
2	Great Women of the American Revolution	Hall
4	Tuck Everlasting	Babbitt
6	Global Warming	Simon
6	Hurricanes	Simon

Grade-level Packages (continued)



Grade 6 Classroom Package MM3-CP6 \$750

Teacher's Manual (2 volumes), Digital Teacher's Set, access to the CCC Learning Hub and the CCC ClassView™ assessment app, Assessment Resource Book, Student Response Book (set of 30), Vocabulary Teaching Guide (2 volumes), Reading Assessment Preparation Guide, interactive whiteboard activities, embedded professional development, and 14 read-aloud trade books.

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CCC
Yoo
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Rusch
Simon
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What's New in the Third Edition Instructional Unit Snapshot

4 days per week, 30 weeks

Unit		Number of Weeks
1	The Reading Community (Fiction)	2
2	Using Text Features (Expository Nonfiction)	2
3	Questioning (Expository Nonfiction)	2
4	Analyzing Text Structure (Fiction: Novel)	4
5	Making Inferences (Fiction, Poetry, and Drama)	3
6	Making Inferences (Narrative and Expository Nonfiction)	
7	Analyzing Text Structure (Expository Nonfiction	n) 5
8	Determining Important Ideas and Summarizing (Fiction and Narrative Nonfiction)	
9	Synthesizing (Fiction, and Narrative and Expository Nonfiction	on) 4
10	Revisiting the Reading Community (Student-selected Text)	1

Content Revisions and Additions

- New and revised lessons to address the Common Core and other state standards
- New Reading Assessment Preparation Guide
- Expanded support for IDR, including IDR Mini-lessons
- New read-aloud titles, including a novel and a play
- Writing in response to reading activities
- Digital Teacher's Set with embedded professional development
- Technology tips, extensions, and tutorials
- Whiteboard activities
- Enhanced and expanded assessment
- New online assessment tool
- Updated and expanded Vocabulary Teaching Guide

Unit	Title	Author
1	Feathers and Fools	Fox
2	Let's Think About the Power of Advertising	Raum
4	An Elephant in the Garden	Morpurgo
5	Acting Out	Chanda, ed.
6	Twenty-two Cents	Yoo
6	Volcano Rising	Rusch
8	Nelson Mandela	Nelson