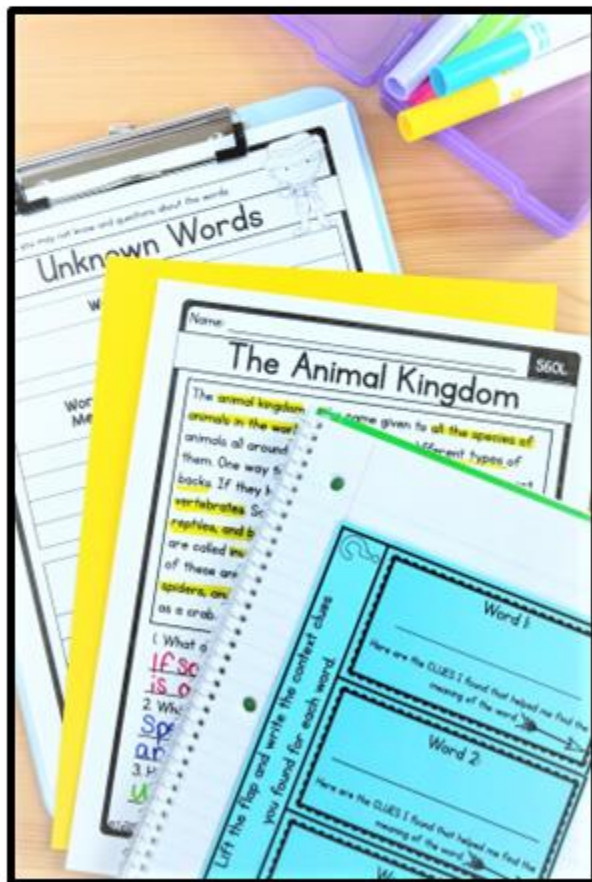
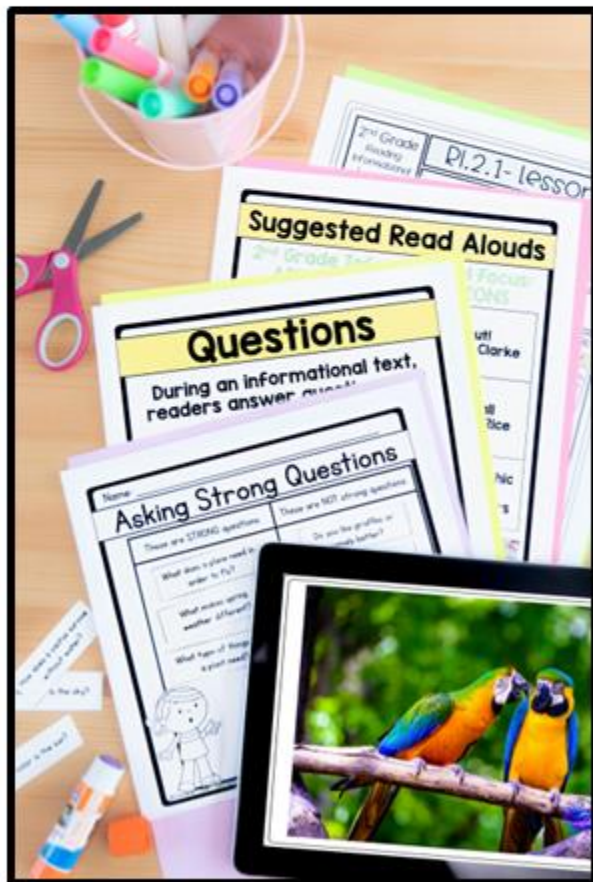


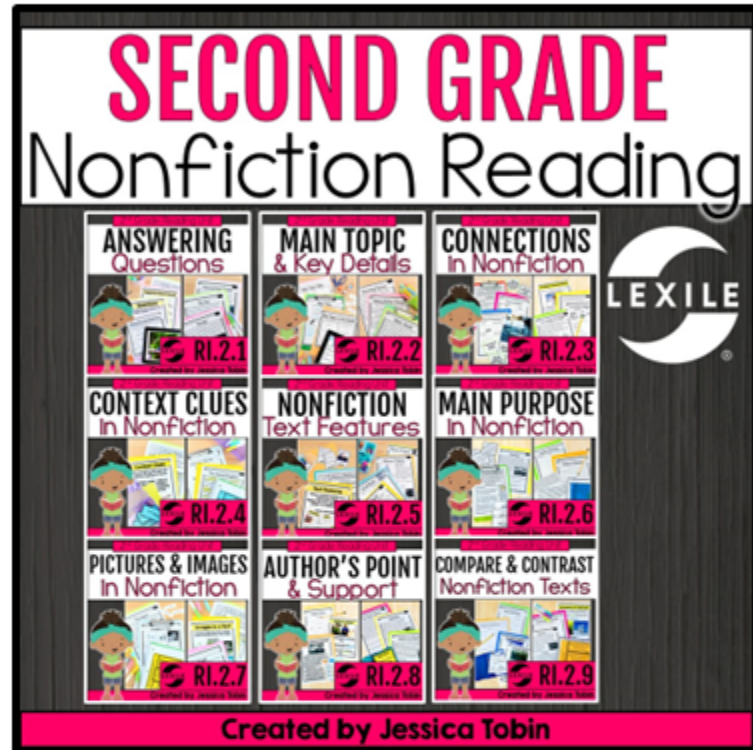
2nd Grade Nonfiction

This 2nd Grade Bundle has lesson plans, graphic organizers, Lexile-leveled reading passages, and other supplemental activities that cover all Common Core Reading Informational standards.



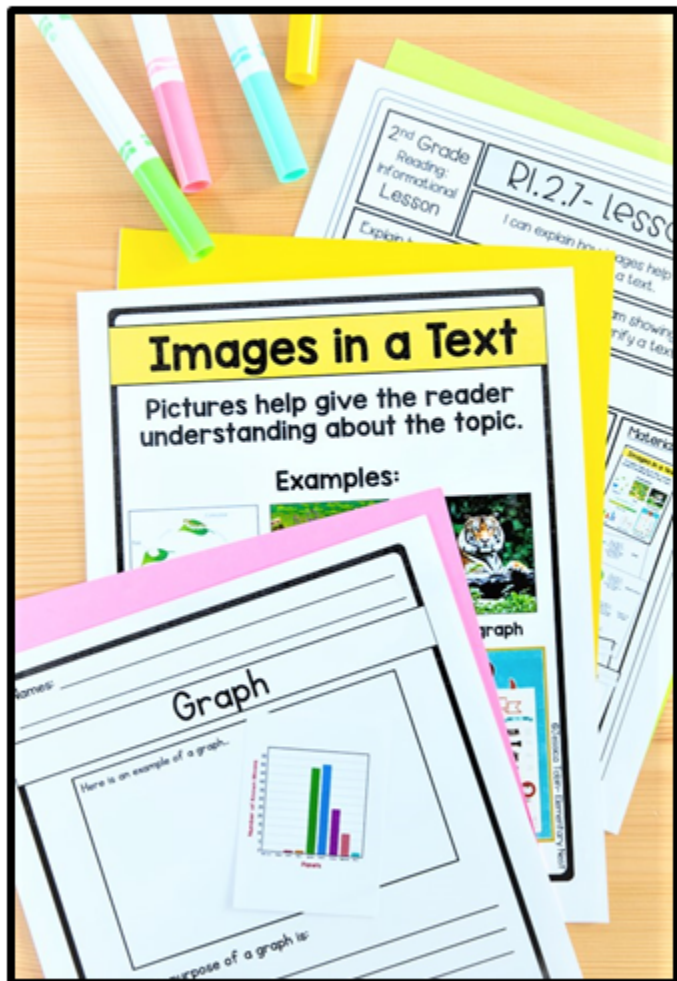
9 Standards Included

- Ask & Answer
- Main Topic
- Making Connections
- Context Clues
- Text Features
- Main Purpose
- Images in a Text
- Author's Point
- Compare and Contrast



This bundle can be used with many reading block structures. Whether you use Daily 5, Reader's Workshop, or simple small group and centers, you can find a way to use these lessons and activities.

What Teachers Have Said...



"I am in awe. This is such a practical bundle that covers so many skills. I love how everything is organized and explained. As a beginning teacher, I am learning so much about HOW to explain these concepts on a 2nd grade level from the blurbs and answer keys. Thank you so so so much for the lesson resources and guidance."

"This is one of my favourite tpt purchases. There are engaging whole group lessons written in a very user friendly way - easy to plan, print and teach. Additionally there are great practices for each standard that I can use with my kids in small groups or as independent practice once we have worked on the concept as a whole group. This is a very well thought-out and organized product that I 100% recommend and will use every year."

Mini Lessons

There are 3-4 mini lessons in each unit. Each mini lesson has 3 to 4 activities. This may take between one to two weeks to complete, depending on how long your ELA block is. Activities range from group work, partner activities, whole group lessons, and independent activities.

The collage features several educational cards and worksheets:

- Ambulance Card:** Includes an illustration of an ambulance. Text: "Ambulances are emergency vehicles. They help people who are hurt. An ambulance is dispatched when 911 is called. They take the hurt person to a nearby hospital. Question: What is the purpose of an ambulance?"
- Weather Vane Card:** Includes an illustration of a weather vane. Text: "Weather vanes are instruments that measure wind. They show the direction of the wind. When the wind blows, it pushes the arrow on the weather vane towards either north, south, east, or west. Question: How does a weather vane work?"
- Plant Card:** Includes an illustration of a seedling. Text: "Most plants grow in soil. They begin their lives as small seeds. If the seed is watered, given space, and given sunlight, it will sprout. Some can grow into tall trees, while others are small flowers. Question: What 3 things does a plant need?"
- Beaches Card:** Text: "Beaches are landforms that can be found along a coast. The most popular beaches are at the ocean's coast. There are some beaches around lakes, too. Question: Where are beaches found?"
- Questions Card:** Yellow header. Text: "an informational text. answer questions and ask questions."
- Suggested Read Alouds Card:** Yellow header. Text: "2nd Grade Informational Focus: ASK & ANSWER QUESTIONS". It contains a table of book recommendations:

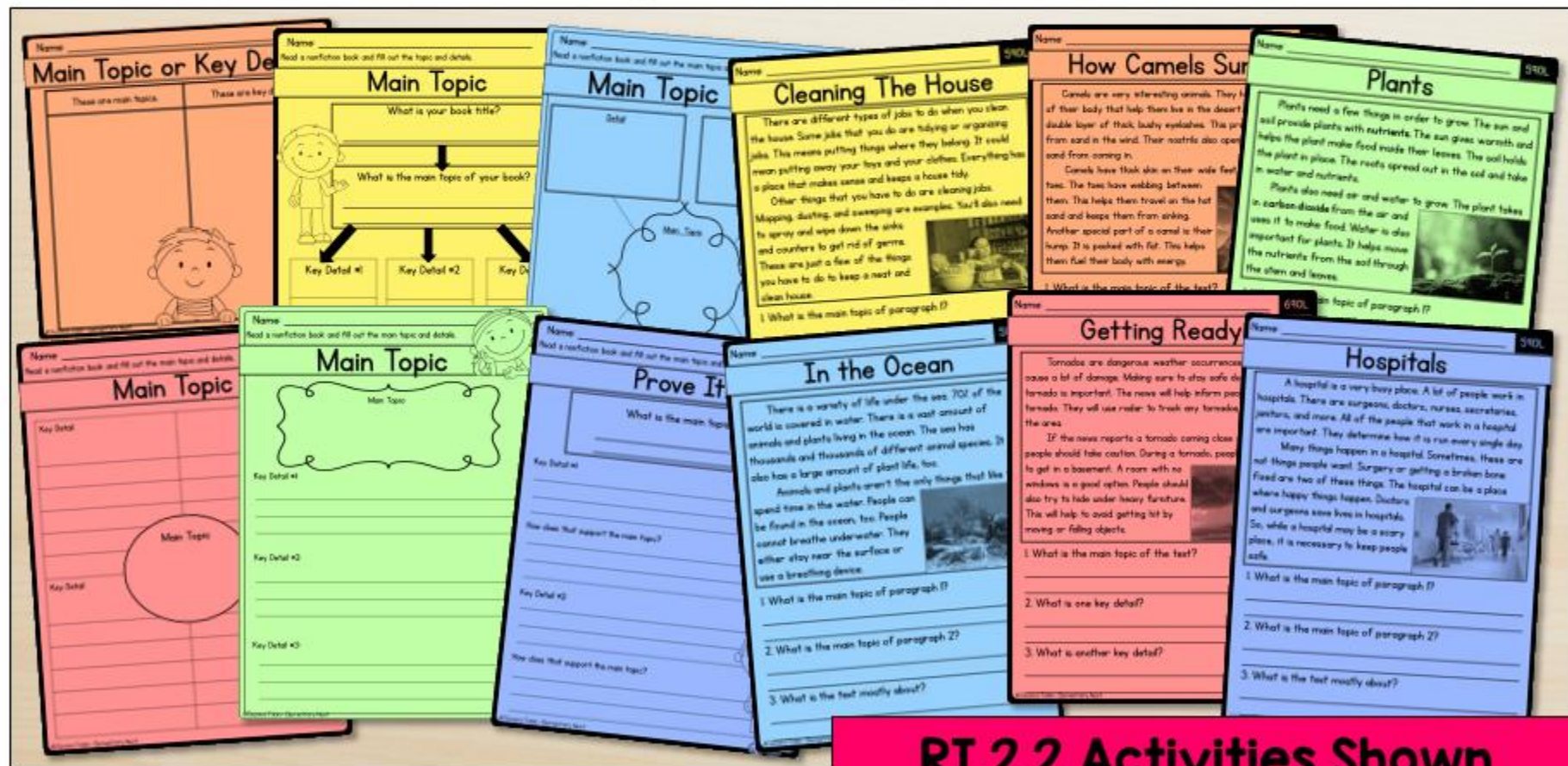
Tornadoes! by: Gail Gibbons	Fake Out! by: Ginjer L. Clarke
What If You Had Animal Teeth? by: Sandra Markle	Jane Goodall by: William B. Rice
Space: Planets, Moons, Stars, and More! by: Joe Rhatigan	National Geographic Kids Readers by: various authors
- RI.2.1- Lesson 1 Worksheet:** Includes the standard "RI.2.1- Lesson 1", a focus on "I can ask and answer questions to show that I understand the text.", and a list of materials: "create an anchor chart teaching asking and answering questions. participate in the creation of the anchor chart. practice teaching questioning and answering questions about a text. create a nonfiction text from the anchor chart. throughout the book, teacher will be asking questions about the text. create a paragraph strip, read the paragraph under the question. Mix-Pair-Share for this activity. Round the room, pair up and share the answer to the question. Read it aloud."

Click this image to find a blog post with suggested read-alouds for all

RI.2.1 Activities Shown

Worksheets & Passages

On top of the lesson plans you get for each unit, you also get graphic organizers and reading passages that will help you teach each unit. These can be used during this unit AND reused throughout the year as review.



RI.2.2 Activities Shown

Check a Passage Out!

The 2nd grade passages are one-page reading practice.

These passages are leveled professionally by Lexile. Each passage fits within the suggested 2nd grade level range.

Then, there are 3 follow-up questions that relate to the standard itself and overall comprehension.

Name: _____ 610L

Brushing Your Teeth

It is important to brush your teeth twice a day. If you do not brush your teeth, they may start to decay and get cavities. You'll have to get the cavities removed. The dentist will give you a filling if that happens. You should brush twice a day and floss once a day. This will help reduce the risk of getting cavities. It prevents sugar and food from building up on your teeth. Brushing your teeth often will also keep your breath fresh. No one wants stinky breath and rotten teeth!



1. What is the author's point?

2. What is one reason that the author gives to support this?

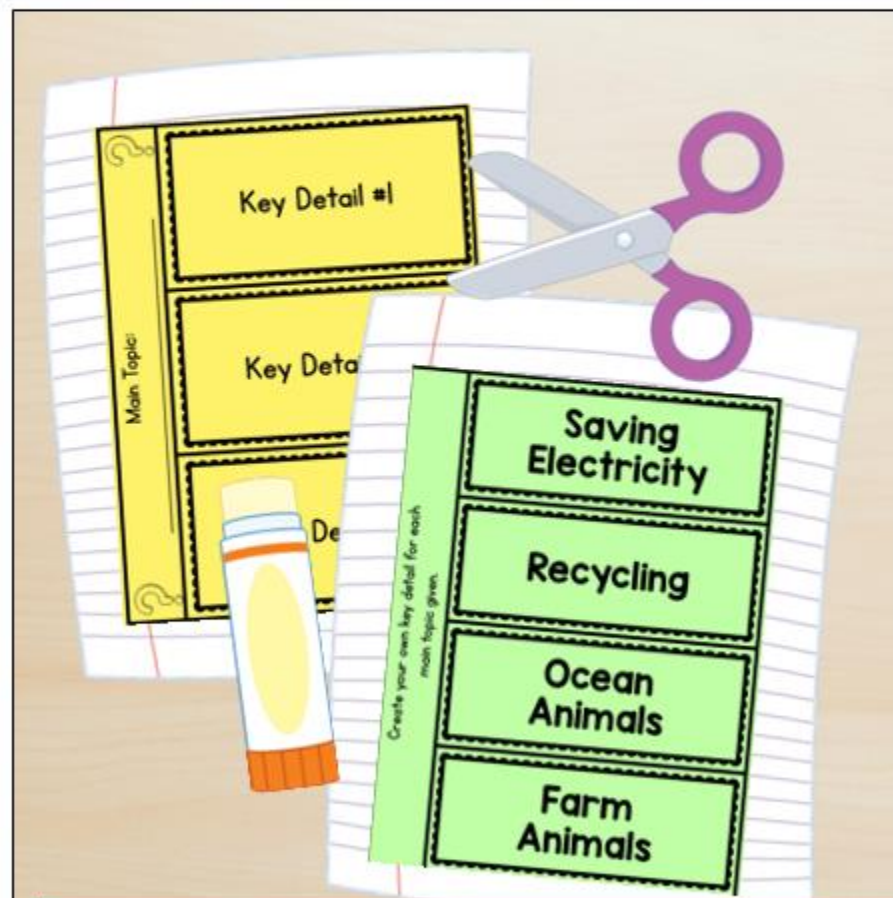
3. What is another reason that the author gives to support this?

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RI.2.8 Passage Shown

Extra Resources

For even more practice, you can use these interactive notebook templates and task cards to use with classroom texts and review activities.



RI.2.2 Activities Shown

Final Assessment

To wrap up the unit, you'll receive a formal assessment at the end that covers the standard skill you've just taught.

Picture and Text Assessment

Name: _____

RI.2.7

- How can a picture help a text?
 - by giving the reader something to compare
 - by giving the reader more detail about the topic
 - show a different opinion
 - to confuse the reader
- Which is not an example of images in texts?
 - map
 - caption
 - illustration
 - diagram
- If you saw this image in a text, how might it contribute to a text about flowers?



- If you saw this image in a text, how might it contribute to a text about apples?



690L

This park can be rented out for a school party. There are many different activities that children can choose to do. All these are connected by wide, clean sidewalks. There are also picnic tables and benches around the park. There are also playgrounds for parents to sit and watch their children while they play. The most popular activities are the kids' favorite games. Many kids play soccer at the park.



Purpose of this text?
 Explain what is at this park
 Describe the events at all school parties
 Identify kids' favorite games
 Explain sidewalks

How does the image contribute to the text?
 Show what a slide looks like
 Show the layout of the park
 Show the favorite activity
 Show the lifeguard watching the pool

What is the image?
 Map
 Diagram
 Photograph
 None of these

590L

Niagara Falls is an amazing sight to see. It sits between New York and Canada. This huge waterfall is actually made up of three different waterfalls. They all sit close together. Water flows down the falls strong and fast. It is so powerful. There is a constant mist in the air that gets the ground and everything around it wet.



What is the main topic of this text?

Which sentence is the image supporting?

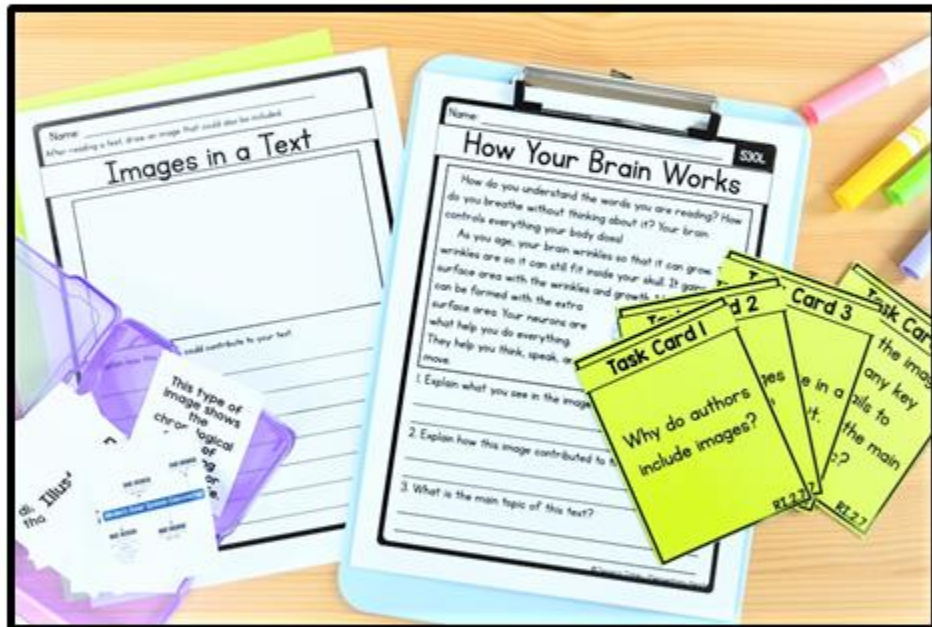
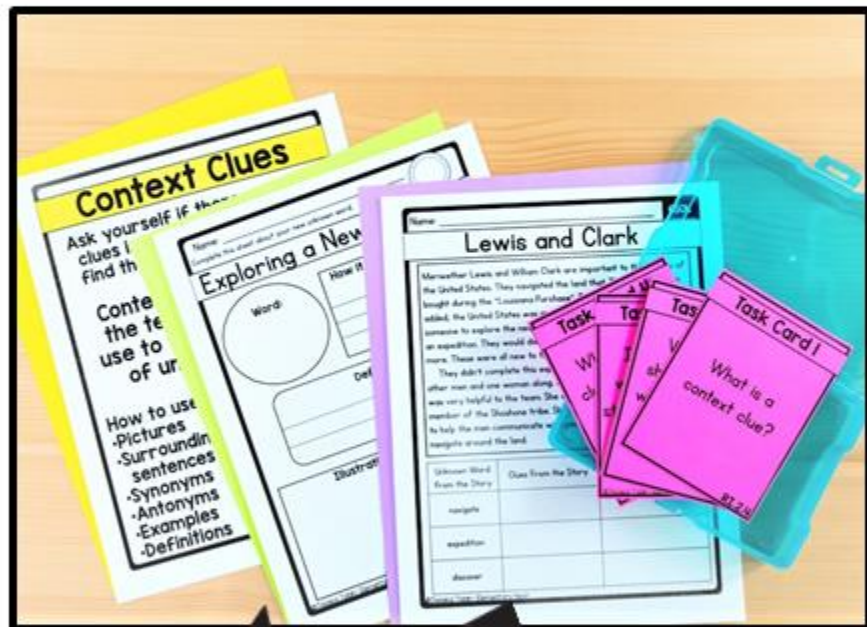
How does the image contribute to the text?

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RI.2.7 Activities Shown

Check Out Each Unit

You can scroll through each individual unit here to get a closer look.



Thanks! Please email me at elementarynest@gmail.com if you have any questions.