Lesson Titles and Lesson Texts

Lesson Number and Title

Lesson Text and Author

Book I

Monitor Comprehension



- 1 Think about the Text Look, listen, talk, write, and draw to express thinking
- 2 Notice and Think about **Nonfiction Features** Construct a Feature/Purpose chart
- **3 Explore Nonfiction Features** Create Nonfiction Feature books

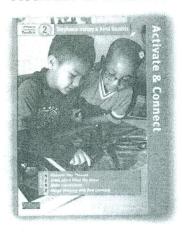
The Art Lesson by Tomie dePaola

"Taking a Trip" TIME For Kids "Fly With a Butterfly" National Geographic Young Explorer

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Book 2

Activate & Connect



- 4 Discover Your Passion Become a specialist
- 5 Think about What You Know Write teaching books
- 6 Make Connections Use personal experience to construct meaning
- 7 Merge Thinking with New Learning Stop, think, and react to information

"Fly With a Butterfly" National Geographic Young Explorer

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Patches Lost and Found by Steven Kroll

Insects by Robin Bernard

Book 3 **Ask Questions**



8 View and Read to Learn and Wonder

Use images and words to gain understanding

"Spiders!" TIME For Kids

9 Wonder about New Information Ask questions when you read, listen, and

view

Recess at 20 Below by Cindy Lou Aillaud

10 Use Questions as Tools for Learning Understand why some questions are answered and some are not

Biggest, Strongest, Fastest by Steve Jenkins

11 Read with a Question in Mind Find answers to expand thinking

Tornado by Catherine Chambers

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Book 4

Infer & Visualize



12 Infer Meaning

Merge background knowledge with clues from the text

13 Learn to Visualize Get a picture in your mind

14 Make Sense of New Information Infer from features, pictures, and words

15 Infer and Visualize with **Narrative Nonfiction** Tie thinking to the text

Honey, I Love and other love poems by Eloise Greenfield

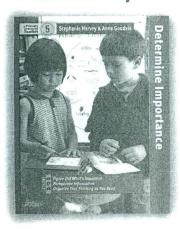
Honey, I Love and other love poems by Eloise Greenfield

"Ladybugs Grow Up" TIMÉ For kids

Antarctica by Helen Cowcher

Book 5

Determine Importance



16 Figure Out What's Important Separate important information

from interesting details

17 Paraphrase Information Merge your thinking to make meaning

18 Organize your Thinking as You Read Take notes to record information

"Amazing Helen Keller" TIME For Kids

"A Visit to Mexico" TIME For Kids

"Welcome to the Rain Forest" TIME For Kids

Book 6

Summarize & Synthesize



19 Summarize Information Put it in your own words and keep it

20 Read to Get the Big Ideas Synthesize the text

interesting

TIME For Kids The Great Kapok Tree

"Welcome to the Rain Forest"

21 Explore and Investigate

Read, write, and draw in researcher's workshop

"Welcome to the Rain Forest" TIME For Kids The Great Kapok Tree

22 Share Your Learning

Create projects to demonstrate understanding

Student work

by Lynne Cherry

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A variety of texts on the project topic