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| **3rd Grade Units** | **Summary** | **Virtual Tours** |
| http://commoncore.org/maps/images/content/pic-unit-3-1.jpg | ***Unit 1***Stories Worth Telling Again and Again | **6 week unit**Students read stories that are worth telling and retelling. | ***Langston Hughes Reads***<http://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=Langston+Hughes&view=detail&mid=95011358C5848920BB6D95011358C5848920BB6D&first=0>***Virtual Desert Hike(Annie and the Old One)***<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GFwh5XHoBaM>***Using a Tractor to Pull a Tooth***<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3p_imN1qCg8> |
| http://commoncore.org/maps/images/content/pic-unit-3-2.jpg | ***Unit 2***Inspired by the Sea | **6 week unit**Students read stories, poetry, and informational texts that are inspired by a love of or a curiosity about the sea. | ***Google Earth Oceans***<http://www.google.com/gadgets/directory?synd=earth&preview=on&cat=ocean>***Whale and Dolphin Conservation Society Life Size Blue Whale***<http://www.wdcs.co.uk/media/flash/whalebanner/content_pub_en.html>***High School Students building a raft (Portugal)***<http://vimeo.com/40179619>***Big Salmon Canoe Trip***<http://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=Canoe+a+river&view=detail&mid=4C1C4360707A3322E08F4C1C4360707A3322E08F&first=21> |
| http://commoncore.org/maps/images/content/pic-unit-3-3.jpg | ***Unit 3***Creative, Inventive and Notable People | **6 week unit**Students read biographies about musicians, artists, and inventors of the early twentieth century. | ***Van Gogh Museum***<http://amsterdam.arounder.com/en/museums/van-gogh-museum>***Amelia Earhart***<http://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=amelia+earhart&view=detail&mid=E41B5C5C3657C525A6BFE41B5C5C3657C525A6BF&first=0>***Starry Starry Night***<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dipFMJckZOM>***Picasso***<http://www.zaplat.com/video/sanatsal_videolar/78387/Picasso_Calismasi>***Thomas Edison***<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kyso7_HetyM&feature=related>***Henry Ford: Model T Assembly Line***<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S4KrIMZpwCY> |
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| http://commoncore.org/maps/images/content/pic-unit-3-4.jpg | ***Unit 4***The People, the Preamble, and the Presidents | **6 week unit**Students read about the people, the Preamble (to the Constitution), and the presidents of the United States. | ***Supreme Court Tour***<http://www.oyez.org/tour>***U.S. Capitol Tour***<http://www.senate.gov/vtour/>***Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor***<http://newyork.arounder.com/en/city-tour/statue-of-liberty.html>***Historical Documents***<http://www.ushistory.org/documents/index.html>  |
| http://commoncore.org/maps/images/content/pic-unit-3-5.jpg | ***Unit 5***A Feast of Words on a Planet called Earth- and Beyond | **6 week unit**Students read stories, poems, and informational text full of rich language, a “feast of words.” | ***Arounder Virtual Tour of the Moon*** <http://moon.arounder.com/>***A Virtual Journey into the Universe***[http://library.thinkquest.org/28327/](http://library.thinkquest.org/28327/%20) ***Touring Mars with Google Earth***<http://www.openculture.com/2009/09/touring_mars_with_google_earth.html>***Google Earth Sky***<http://www.google.com/gadgets/directory?synd=earth&preview=on&cat=sky> |
| http://commoncore.org/maps/images/content/pic-unit-3-6.jpg | ***Unit 6***Fantastic Adventures with Dragons, Gods, and Giants | **6 week unit**Students read fantasies, adventure poetry, mythology, and informational texts about ancient Greece and ancient Rome. | ***Ancient Rome***<http://www.openculture.com/2009/03/ancient_rome_in_3d_on_google_earth.html>***Pompeii: Deconstructed***[http://www.history.com/videos/pompeii-deconstructed?cmpid=MRSS\_Bing\_HIS#pompeii-deconstructed](http://www.history.com/videos/pompeii-deconstructed?cmpid=MRSS_Bing_HIS%23pompeii-deconstructed)***How to Draw a Dragon***<http://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=Dragons&view=detail&mid=261AEC7D88DCA1322BAE261AEC7D88DCA1322BAE&first=0> |