**Theme 1:**

**The Twin Club**

**Spelling Pattern**

*Short vowels and consonants*

**High Frequency Words**

beautiful, country, friend, front, someone, somewhere

**Vocabulary Words**

cousins: sons or daughters of your uncles and aunts

promise: to give your word that you will do something

parents: father and mother

meadow: a piece of grassy land

**Exploring Space with an Astronaut**

**Spelling Pattern**

*Long vowels*

**High Frequency Words**

everywhere, live, machines, move, world, woman, work

**Vocabulary Words**

astronaut: a person who goes into space

shuttle: a vehicle that carries astronauts into space

experiment: a careful test or trial to find out about something

telescope: an instrument that makes things far away appear to be close

gravity: the natural force that makes everything on Earth move toward it
Henry and Mudge and the Starry Night

Spelling Pattern

*Consonant blends

High Frequency Words

bear, build, couldn't, father, love, mother, straight

Vocabulary Words

shivered: shook with fear
snuggled: cuddled together
drooled: let saliva run from your mouth
lanterns: lights inside containers that can be carried

A Walk in the Desert

Spelling Pattern

*Inflected Endings

High Frequency Words

animals, early, eyes, full, warm, water

Vocabulary Words

desert: a part of land that is sandy and without much water
climate: a kind of weather a place has
cactus: a plant with spines instead of leaves that grow in hot dry places
coyote: a small animal like a wolf
harsh: very rough
The Strongest One

Regular Spelling Words

Spelling Pattern

*Consonant digraphs

High Frequency Words

gone, learn, often, pieces, though, together, very

Vocabulary Words

narrator: a person who tells a story
relatives: people in the same family
dangerous: not safe
gnaws: bites at and wears at