

Reading Scope and Sequence

6th Grade

1st Quarter						
Unit 1: Loyalty and Respect						
<i>Time frame</i>	<i>Louisiana Comp. Cur.</i>	<i>Scott Foresman Selections</i>	<i>Grammar</i>	<i>Spelling</i>	<i>Write Now</i>	<i>Assessments</i>
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3rd Quarter	Unit 4: Explorers, Pioneers, and Discoverers						
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