

Unit 4 Week 1

Genre Study 1

Realistic Fiction

Essential Question:

HOW ARE KIDS AROUND THE
WORLD DIFFERENT?

Anchor Text

*Dear Primo: A Letter
to My Cousin*

Shared Read

"Happy New Year!"

Strategy

visualize

Skill

compare and contrast

Fluency

intonation

Literary Elements

point of view

Vocabulary Strategy

words in context, similes

Grammar

linking verbs

Structural Analysis

prefixes, suffixes

Mechanics

letter punctuation

SPELLING/ PHONICS

silent letters

OL

comb
crumb
scene
scent
gnat
sign
knife
know
wrist
writing
cube
music
eat
very
don't

Vocabulary

common- belonging to all

customs- a way of acting done by many people

favorite- best-liked

parades- marches in honor of something

surrounded- shut in on all sides

costume- clothing worn to look like something else

travels- goes somewhere

wonder- to want to know about

High Frequency Words

below, colors, don't, down, eat, many, morning, sleep,
through, very

Oral Vocabulary Words

accompanies, assigns, crowded, locker, usual