

**Essential Question:** How do inventions and technology affect your life?

**Unit 4 Week 3**

**Story**

*The Moon Over Star*

**Genre**

Historical Fiction

**Story**

"3...2...1...We Have Spin-Off!"

**Genre**

Expository Text

**Story**

"A Telephone Mix-Up"

**Genre**

Historical Fiction

**Comprehension Strategy**

make, confirm, or revise predictions

**Comprehension Skill**

point of view

**Vocabulary Strategy**

context clues: synonyms

**Writing Traits**

ideas-develop plot

**Grammar**

pronoun-verb agreement

**Other Skills**

consonant + le syllables,  
fluency-expression

**Genre**

Historical Fiction

**SPELLING/  
PHONICS**

different /u/  
sounds

mood  
stoop  
zoom  
crew  
stew  
ruler  
produce  
issue  
tutor  
truth  
bruised  
juicy  
suits  
group  
you'll  
huge  
crook  
wool  
used  
should

**Vocabulary**

**decade**- a time period of ten years

**directing**- -giving orders or instructions

**engineering**- the work that uses scientific knowledge for practical things

**gleaming**- shining; reflecting bright light

**scouted**- searched for in order to bring back information

**squirmed**- twisted and turned one's body

**technology**- the use of scientific knowledge for practical purposes

**tinkering**- attempting to fix something in an aimless way