Grade 4 LANGUAGE ARTS

STUDENT EDITION / UNIT 1

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STUDENT READING & WRITING WORKBOOK - Unit 1

Language Arts only: Reading, phonics, vocabulary, comprehension and composition. Mathematics, Science, History and Scripture appear in their own books.

Lesson 1: Compare texts and explain evidence

Read, Listen and Learn

Original reading: Text A: ‘The library extended evening hours on Tuesdays. Staff counted visitors on four Tuesdays and recorded a higher total than before.’ Text B: ‘I enjoy the new evening hours because I can visit after sports practice.’

Learn: Two accounts can address the same topic but serve different purposes. Distinguish a documented observation from a personal opinion and avoid drawing causal conclusions without enough evidence.

Reading and Writing Practice: 10 Questions

1. State the topic shared by both texts.

2. Identify one factual claim in A.

3. Identify the opinion in B.

4. What evidence is reported in A?

5. What information about other weekdays is missing?

6. Write two similarities between A and B.

7. Write two differences between the writers' purposes.

8. Explain why increased visitors is not proof of one single cause.

9. Write one paragraph comparing the texts.

10. Advanced: suggest a fairer data collection plan and justify it.

Writing and Revision

Write or dictate a complete response. Reread the passage, correct one unclear sentence, and identify which detail supports your answer. Reading comprehension, spelling and handwriting should be assessed separately.

Advanced Reader Extension

If you demonstrate the prerequisite skill independently, compare another unfamiliar text, explain an inference with evidence and write a longer organized response. Advanced is based on readiness, never birthday.

Print and Parent Resources