

**Essential Question: What can scientists reveal about ancient civilizations?**

**Unit 6 Week 4**

**Story**

*Pharaoh's Boat*

**Genre**

Expository Text

**Story**

"The Mystery of the Missing Sandals"

**Genre**

Mystery

**Story**

"Messages in Stone and Wood"

**Genre**

Expository Text

**Comprehension Strategy**

summarize

**Comprehension Skill**

text structure: sequence

**Vocabulary Strategy**

Greek roots

**Writing Traits**

word choice: time-order words

**Grammar**

prepositions

**Other Skills**

fluency: phrasing and rate

**Genre**

Expository Text

**SPELLING/  
PHONICS**

absorbed  
prefixes

immigrate  
illuminate  
accompany  
announce  
impatiently  
immature  
immigration  
irregular  
correspond  
illogical  
collaborate  
suppress  
assembly  
accommodate  
arrest  
arrive  
illegal  
support  
suffix  
collect

**Vocabulary**

**bedrock**- unbroken, solid rock beneath the soil

**embark**- to start or set out, as on travels

**excavation**- an area in which something has been exposed or uncovered for investigation

**exquisite**- of great beauty or perfection

**intriguing**- arousing curiosity or intense interest

**intrinsic**- belonging to the nature or character of a thing

**methodical**- in a systematic, regular, routine way

**meticulously**- very carefully; with great attention to detail