Grade 3 Monthly Guide
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Thematic Units: Changes

The Big Question: How changes occur under the ground?
Why are some changes difficult?

Learning Journeys 2.4: Pages 96-189

Reading:
“Soil”
“The Night the Moon Fell”

Reading Practice: Fact and Opinion
Plot and Theme

Spelling Practice: Diphthongs -ou, ow, oi,oy (couch, crowd)
Syllable Patterns (football, rainbow)

Grammar Practice: Adjectives and Adverbs

Science: Measuring Weather
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Social Studies: Life Then and Now

Math: Five Digit Numbers
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Project: Our Halloween Pumpkin

Materials: Decorations and Template of a Pumpkin

Poems and Songs: We Are Moving

Vocabulary
1. around
2. toy
3. noise
4. flower
5. cow
6. howl
7. sound
8. downstairs
9. football
10. cowboy
11. railroad
12. rainbow
13. daydream
14. soybean
15. houseboat
Poems and Songs:

We Are Moving

We are moving,
We are moving!
Oh, what a sudden change.
We’ll adjust to many new things,
Then it will not feel so strange.
Here’s a landmark
To guide us.
It helps us know our way,
Our new home is a fine home.
It will be so nice to stay.