Main Selection: “Everglades Forever: Restoring America’s Great Wetland”

Connect to Science: “National Parks of the West”

**Big 🌟 Idea**
Nature deserves our respect.

**Essential Question**
What persuades us to protect the environment?

**TARGET VOCABULARY**
- conserving
- responsibility
- restore
- attracted
- regulate
- vegetation
- unique
- adapted
- guardians

**GENRE**
Informational text

**TEXT FOCUS**
Graphic Sources
Informational text may include a graph, which shows how different facts and numbers relate to each other and to the text.

**TARGET SKILL**
Persuasion

**TARGET STRATEGY**
Analyze/Evaluate

**Comprehension**

**Fluency**

Adjust Rate to Purpose

**Decoding**

Homophones

**Spelling**

Homophones
- steel
- steal
- aloud
- allowed
- ring
- wring
- lesson
- lessen
- who’s
- whose
- manor
- manner
- pedal
- peddle
- berry
- bury
- hanger
- hangar
- overdo
- overdue

**Grammar**

Conjunctions

**Writing**

Write to Respond
Focus Trait: Ideas