

Essential Question: How can science help you understand how things work?

Unit 1 Week 4

Story

A Crash Course in Forces and Motions.....

Genre

Narrative Nonfiction

Story

"The Box-Zip Project"

Genre

Science Fiction

Story

"The Big Race"

Genre

Narrative Nonfiction

Comprehension Strategy

reread

Comprehension Skill

cause and effect

Vocabulary Strategy

context clues: definitions and restatements

Writing Traits

organization-sequence

Grammar

clauses and complex sentences

Other Skills

inflectional endings, fluency: phrasing and rate

Genre

Narrative Nonfiction

**SPELLING/
PHONICS**

long i

climb
minding
pies
die
height
sigh
fright
slight
drive
file
kite
prime
pride
slice
twice
wipe
pry
sly
shy
spy

Vocabulary

accelerate- to cause an object to move faster

advantage- something that is useful or helpful; benefit

capabilities- qualities or abilities

friction- a force that slows or stops movement between two surfaces

gravity- the force that pulls things to the center of the earth and causes items to fall when they are dropped

identity- who or what a person or thing is

inquiry- a search for knowledge or information

thrilling- causing a sudden feeling of excitement