

Unit 3 Week 1

Genre Study 1

Realistic Fiction

Key Concept

Cultural Exchange

Essential Question:

*WHAT CAN LEARNING ABOUT
DIFFERENT CULTURES
TEACH US?*

Anchor Text

They Don't Mean It

Shared Read

"A Reluctant Traveler"

Strategy

summarize

Skill

theme

Fluency

intonation

Literary Elements

dialogue

Vocabulary Strategy

cause and effect

Grammar

action verbs

Writing

realistic fiction: expert model,
plan, draft

SPELLING/ PHONICS

open
syllables

OL

minus
loser
humor
closet
recent
student
equal
profile
local
comet
vacant
punish
cavern
shiver
decent
linen
legal
panic
smoky
tyrant
valley
fifteen
culture
fatigue
fugitive

Vocabulary

appreciation- an understanding of the value of something

blurted- said suddenly or without thinking

complimenting- expressing praise or admiration

congratulate- to give good wishes or praise for someone's success or for something nice that has happened

contradicted- said the opposite of; disagreed with

critical- finding something wrong with things

cultural- having to do with the arts, beliefs, and customs of a group of people

misunderstanding- the failure to understand or comprehend correctly