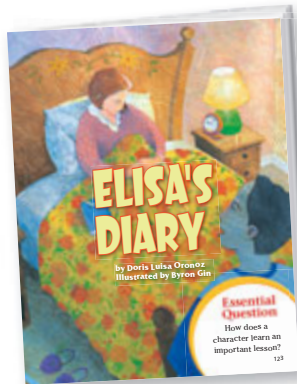


Lesson  
**5**

# Focus Wall



Main Selection;  
“Elisa’s Diary”



Connect to Social Studies;  
“From Tragedy to Triumph”

**Big Idea**  
We never stop learning.

**Essential Question**  
How does a character learn an important lesson?

## Comprehension

**TARGET SKILL**  
Theme

**TARGET STRATEGY**  
Visualize

## Spelling

**Vowel Sounds: /ou/, /ô/, /oi/**

ounce	destroy
sprawl	saucer
launch	pounce
loyal	poison
avoid	August
basketball	auction
moist	royal
haunt	coward
scowl	awkward
naughty	encounter

## Fluency

Stress

## Grammar

Singular and Plural Nouns

## Writing

Write to Express  
Focus Trait: Voice

## Decoding

Stressed and Unstressed Syllables

## Vocabulary Strategies

Suffixes *-ly, -ful*

## TARGET VOCABULARY

officially	typically
preliminary	gorgeous
opponents	supposedly
brutal	sweeping
embarrassed	obvious