## **SCOPE AND SEQUENCE**

Unit/Theme Academic field(s)	Lesson A Reading	Reading Skills	Critical Thinking
WHY EXPLORE? Science	The Urge to Explore Magazine article	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Identifying supporting information</li> <li>Making inferences</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	Applying information
2 SUCCESS AND FAILURE Education	A School in the Cloud Blog interview	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Finding supporting details</li> <li>Recognizing point of view</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evaluating evidence</li> <li>Reflecting on own experience</li> </ul>
<b>3 POWER</b> <b>SHIFTS</b> <i>Business /</i> <i>Gender</i>	Driving Change Biographical article	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Understanding key details</li> <li>Interpreting statistics</li> <li>Recognizing reference markers</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interpreting information</li> </ul>
4 CREATIVE SPARKS Media / Literature	Sparking Wonder and Possibility Opinion article / Literary excerpts	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Understanding a study</li> <li>Analyzing literacy excerpts</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interpreting research findings</li> <li>Reflecting on own experience</li> </ul>
5 HOPE AND EQUALITY Sociology / Economics	Living on a Dollar a Day Interview	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Understanding key details</li> <li>Paraphrasing Information</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interpreting meaning</li> </ul>
6 BACKING UP HISTORY Archaeology / Technology	Laser Preservation Magazine article	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Summarizing key details</li> <li>Understanding a process</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	Reflecting on own     experience
<b>FOOD FOR ALL</b> Agriculture / Conservation	Feeding Nine Billion Opinion essay	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Identifying problems/solutions</li> <li>Paraphrasing information</li> <li>Understanding infographics</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evaluating recommendations</li> </ul>
<b>FUTURE JOBS</b> Business / Technology	Recipes for Innovation Discursive article	<ul> <li>Understanding organization</li> <li>Connecting purpose to main ideas</li> <li>Understanding key details</li> <li>Understanding a main message</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	Predicting future effects
<b>9 HOW WE</b> <b>LEARN</b> <i>Linguistics /</i> <i>Psychology</i>	What Babies Know About Language and Why We Should Care Scientific report	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Understanding purpose/ sequence</li> <li>Applying information</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interpreting meaning</li> </ul>
<b>10</b> A BRIGHTER TOMORROW Environment / Economics	Paths to the Future Opinion essay	<ul> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Understanding author's purpose</li> <li>Understanding infographics</li> <li>Getting meaning from context</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Inferring tone and attitude</li> </ul>

Lesson B	TED Talks	Academic Skills	Critical Thinking	Project
	<i>Why We Need the Explorers</i> Brian Cox	<ul> <li>Previewing and predicting</li> <li>Understanding key details</li> <li>Understanding the main message</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Inferring purpose</li> <li>Analyzing an argument</li> <li>Reflecting on own experience</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Researching and presenting products</li> </ul>
	<i>How to Learn?</i> <i>From Mistakes</i> Diana Laufenberg	<ul> <li>Previewing</li> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Integrating information</li> <li>Analyzing an argument</li> <li>Recognizing tone/attitude</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Predicting responses</li> <li>Synthesizing information</li> </ul>	Writing a profile about someone who overcame failure
	Why We Have Too Few Women Leaders Sheryl Sandberg	<ul> <li>Previewing and predicting</li> <li>Understanding main ideas and key details</li> <li>Understanding purpose</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evaluating an argument</li> <li>Reflecting on own experience</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Researching women with successful careers</li> </ul>
	<b>The Mystery Box</b> J.J. Abrams	<ul> <li>Predicting and previewing</li> <li>Understanding key details</li> <li>Analyzing problems and solutions</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Inferring reasons</li><li>Synthesizing information</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Creating a story to present</li> </ul>
	The Good News on Poverty (Yes, There's Good News) Bono	<ul> <li>Previewing</li> <li>Understanding main ideas</li> <li>Understanding graphs</li> <li>Identifying problems/solutions</li> <li>Summarizing main ideas</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analyzing graphical information</li> <li>Analyzing causes</li> <li>Evaluating methods</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Creating and presenting an infographic</li> </ul>
	Ancient Wonders Captured in 3-D Ben Kacyra	<ul> <li>Previewing</li> <li>Understanding key details</li> <li>Identifying benefits</li> <li>Understanding causes/effects</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interpreting meaning</li> <li>Applying information</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Recommending an historical site to preserve</li> </ul>
	How Food Shapes our Cities Carolyn Steel	<ul> <li>Predicting</li> <li>Understanding main and supporting ideas</li> <li>Analyzing arguments</li> </ul>	Inferring purpose	<ul> <li>Presenting a proposal</li> </ul>
	What Will Future Jobs Look Like? Andrew McAfee	<ul> <li>Previewing and predicting</li> <li>Getting the main ideas</li> <li>Identifying trends</li> <li>Understanding solutions</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Predicting problems</li><li>Reflecting on own experience</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Creating a poster about future jobs</li> </ul>
	<b>The Linguistic</b> <b>Genius of Babies</b> Patricia Kuhl	<ul> <li>Understanding main ideas</li> <li>Understanding visuals</li> <li>Recognizing a speaker's tone and message</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Interpreting meaning</li> <li>Evaluating approaches</li> <li>Synthesizing information</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing and sharing a blog</li> </ul>
	<i>Innovating to Zero!</i> Bill Gates	<ul> <li>Predicting</li> <li>Understanding main ideas and key details</li> <li>Summarizing information</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analyzing information</li> <li>Interpreting a speaker's statement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Presenting a report</li> </ul>