Second Grade HMH Journeys Anchor and Paired Text Suggestions

*These are for anyone who would like to reserve the basal anchor texts/paired texts and use them for teaching comprehension related to the interdisciplinary units.*

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| Unit | Texts | Where in Journeys |
| Unit 1 |  |  |
| Properties of Matter  Weather  Water Cycle  Seasons  Plants  Plant Life Cycle  Past, Present, Future  Types of Communities  Community Change | From Seed to Plant, Super Soil | Unit 5, Lesson 25 |
| The Ugly Vegetable, They Really Are Giant! | Unit 2, Lesson 7 |
| Super Storms, Weather Poems | Unit 2, Lesson 8 |
| Heroes Then and Now | Unit 4, Lesson 20 |
| Unit 2 |  |  |
| Landforms  Changes to Earth’s surface  Soil  Land/Water resources  Native Americans  Early America  Simple Economics  Barter/Trade  Long Ago/Today | The Goat in the Rug, Basket Weaving | Unit 5, Lesson 23 |
| Mr. Tanen’s Tie Trouble, The Jefferson Daily News | Unit 4, Lesson 16 |
| Unit 3 |  |  |
| Scientific Method  Stories of the Past  American History  Famous Americans | Now and Ben | Unit 6, Lesson 30 |
| Hellen Keller | Unit 3, Lesson 14 |
| Unit 4 |  |  |
| Forces and Motion  Gravity/Friction  Simple Machines  Magnets  Rights/Responsibilities of Citizens  Local Government  Types of Government  Fables | Half-Chicken, The Lion and the Mouse | Unit 5, Lesson 24 |
| How the Chipmunk Got His Stripes | Unit 2, Lesson 9 |
| Officer Buckle and Gloria, Safety at Homes | Unit 3, Lesson 15 |
| The Signmaker’s Assistant, The Trouble with Signs | Unit 4, Lesson 19 |
| The Heart of a Hero | Unit 4, Lesson 20 |
| Unit 5 |  |  |
| Needs of Living Things  Animals Life Cycle  Animal Migration  Animal Habitats  Living Things and the Environment  Environmental Activism | Penguin Chick, Emperor Penguin | Unit 5, Lesson 21 |
| The Dog that Dug for Dinosaurs, La Brea Tar Pits | Unit 6, Lesson 27 |
| Henry and Mudge, All in the Family | Unit 1, Lesson 1 |
| Animals Building, Whose Home is This? | Unit 2, Lesson 6 |
| Jellies: The Life of a Jellyfish | Unit 2, Lesson 10 |
| Click, Clack,, Moo: Cows that Can Type, Talk About Smart Animals | Unit 3, Lesson 11 |
| Unit 6 |  |  |
| Landforms  Maps  Relative/Absolute Location  7 Continents/4 Oceans  World Cultures  Diversity in the Community  Celebrations in a Community  Folktale: Versions | The Mysterious Tadpole, From Eggs to Frogs | Unit 6, Lesson 26 |
| Yeh-Shen, Cinderella | Unit 6, Lesson 28 |
| Two of Everything, Stone Soup | Unit 6, Lesson 29 |
| My Family, Family Poetry | Unit 1, Lesson 2 |
| Schools Around the World, An American School | Unit 3, Lesson 13 |
| My Name is Gabriela, | Unit 4, Lesson 18 |