

## UNIT SUMMARY

Literary non-fiction is a specific genre of writing that combines elements of narrative storytelling, with informational writing. Literary non-fiction informs and engages the audience. In this unit, students will learn how to combine the skills they have learned in previous fiction and non-fiction writing units. Students will combine poetry, fiction and nonfiction to write literary nonfiction. This is an interesting genre that allows students the freedom to experiment and explore.

## ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS (EU) / ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS (EQ)

### EU:

- Writers deliberately use elements of fiction and non-fiction to inform and engage their readers.

### EQ:

- What crafting techniques might I use to help make the information clear and engaging for the reader? (function)
- How can I intentionally combine fiction and non-fiction text features so that it makes sense to the reader.

## I CAN STATEMENTS

- When someone helps me, I can use suggestions to add details to a make my writing better.

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