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STRATEGIES & SKILLS

Comprehension

Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions

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Skill: Key Details

High-Frequency Words

fun, make, they, too

Phonics

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Content Standards

Social Studies

Civics

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Genre Nonfiction



Essential Question What do friends do together?

Friends Are Fun



by Liza Kendall

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Friends are fun. You can run with a friend. Come on, let's go!





You can hop with a friend, too. Friends like to play.



Friends can help you.
They can help you ride
a bike.



They can help you make a fort. It's fun to help a friend.



Friends can share. They can share a book.





They can share an apple, too. Friends like to share.



A friend can be big or little. Do you have big friends and little friends?



This friend has four legs! A dog can be a very good friend.



It is good to have friends. Friends are fun. You can do a lot with friends.

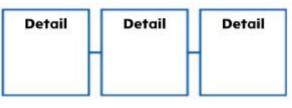


What can you do with your friends?

Respond to Reading

Retell

Use your own words to retell details in Friends Are Fun.



Text Evidence

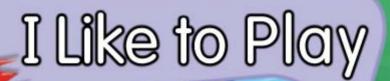


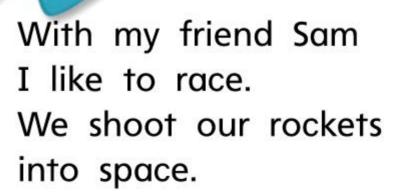
- I. Look at page 3. What details tell what you can do with a friend? κey Details
- 2. Look at page 6. What can friends share? κey Details
- 3. How can you tell that *Friends*Are Fun is nonfiction? Genre

Genre Poetry

Compare Texts

Read about what these friends like to do together.







With my friend Ana I like to run. Playing soccer is lots of fun.

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With my friend Dan I like to dig. We make a castle, tall and big.





Make Connections

Look at both selections. How do friends play together? Text to Text

Social Studies

Purpose To find out what your friends do when they play

What to Do

Step Draw a chart like this one.

My friends	Like to

Ask your friends what they like to do when they play together.

Write what your friends like to do. Tell your class.

Literature Circles

Nonfiction



The Topic

What is *Friends Are Fun* mostly about?

What is the poem about?

Author's Purpose

Why do you think the author wrote Friends Are Fun?

Make Connections

How are the friends in *Friends*Are Fun like your friends?

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