

4th Grade Study Guide- Lesson 11
"Hurricanes: Earth's Mightiest Storms"

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Comprehension Skills and Strategies:

Text and Graphic Features

Explain Scientific Ideas

Text Structure

Genre:

Informational Text

Grammar Skill:

Frequently Confused Words

Vocabulary Strategies:

Suffixes -ful, -less, -ness, -ment

IXL: 4th Grade Language Arts

EE.1 (Shades of Meaning) Smart score of 90%

I.1 (Story Element) Smart score of 75%

Spelling Word: near, steer, certain, return, tear, thrist, perfect, fear, term, cheer, turkey, firm, ear, burst, rear, serve, year, person, clear, herd.

Challenge Words: burden, skirted, reindeer, earrings, herself

VOCABULARY WORDS

whirling- to spin quickly.

rapidly- done in quick or speedy fashion.

condense-to change from a gas to liquid form.

source-to point where something comes from.

rotating-To turn on an axis.

rage-To move with great violence.

experience- To have something happen to oneself.

ancient- very old.

predict- To tell about in advance.

registered-To show some kind of information as on a scale or other device.